

# Ave Verum

Op. 2, No. 1

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Largo (♩ = 60)

*legato*

Soprano

*p*

A - ve ve - rum cor - pus na - tum Ex Ma - ri - a Vir - gi -  
Je - su, Word of God In - car - nate, Of the Vir - gin Ma - ry

Alto

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*dim.*

-ne, Ve - re pas - sum, im - mo - la - tum In cru - ce pro ho - mi - ne.  
born, On the Cross Thy sa - cred Bod - y For us men with nails was torn.

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*pp*

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*cresc.*

Cu - jus la - tus per - fo - ra - tum Ve - ro flu - xit san - qui -  
Cleanse us, by the blood and wa - ter Stream - ing from Thy pierc - ed

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*(cresc.) f*

-ne; E - sto no - bis prae - gu - sta - tum, Mor - tis in ex - a - mi - ne.  
Side; Feed us with Thy bo - dy bro - ken, Now, and in death's a - go - ny!

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S *pp* *cresc.*  
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29 *rit.*

S *(cresc.) f*  
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Side; Feed us with Thy bo - dy bro - ken, Now, and in death's a - go -

A *(cresc.) f*  
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Side; Feed us with Thy bo - dy bro - ken, Now, and in death's a - go -

*rit.*

33 *Piú lento*

S *pp*  
-ne. O cle - mens, O dul - cis Je - su,  
-ny! O Je - su, O Je - su, hear us,

A *pp*  
-ne. O pi - e, O dul - cis Je - su,  
-ny! O Je - su, O Je - su, hear us,

*Piú lento*

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S *f* *pp*  
Fi - li Ma - ri - ae,  
Son of Ma - ry,

A *f* *pp*  
Fi - li Ma - ri - ae, Ma - ri - ae.  
Son of Ma - ry, of Ma - ry.