

Magnificat

1. Magnificat

Magnificat anima mea Dominum;

My soul doth magnify the Lord.

2. Et exultavit

Et exultavit spiritus meus in Deo salutari meo,

And my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

Quia respexit humilitatem ancillae suae;

For he hath regarded: the lowliness of his handmaiden:

Ecce enim ex hoc beatam me dicent omnes generationes.

For behold, from henceforth: all generations shall call me blessed.

Quia fecit mihi magna, qui potens est, et sanctum nomen eius,

For he that is mighty hath magnified me: and holy is his Name.

3. Et misericordia

Et misericordia eius a progenie in progenies timentibus eum.

And his mercy is on them that fear him: throughout all generations.

4. Fecit potentiam

Fecit potentiam in brachio suo;

He hath shewed strength with his arm:

dispersit superbos mente cordis sui;

he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.

5. Deposuit

Deposuit potentes de sede, et exaltavit humiles;

He hath put down the mighty from their seat: and hath exalted the humble and meek.

6. Esurientes

Esurientes implevit bonis

He hath filled the hungry with good things:

et divites dimisit inanes.

and the rich he hath sent empty away.

7. Suscepit Israel

Suscepit Israel puerum suum, recordatus misericordiae suae,

He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel:

8. Sicut locutus est

Sicut locutus est ad patres nostros,

As he promised to our forefathers,

Abraham et semini eius in saecula.

Abraham and his seed for ever.

9. Gloria Patri

Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto,

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Ghost;

sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper: et in Saecula saeculorum. Amen.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.