

Surge propera

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Sur-ge pro-pe-ra a-mi-ca me-a, a-mi-ca me-

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- a, pro-pe-ra a-mi-ca me-a, a-mi-ca me-a,
ca me-a, sur-ge pro-pe-

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a, sur-ge pro-pe-ra a-mi-ca me-a,
ra a-mi-ca me-a, for-mo-sa me-a, for-mo-sa me-a,
a, a-mi-ca me-a, for-mo-sa me-a, pro-pe-ra a-mi-ca
ra a-mi-ca me-a, for-mo-sa me-a, a-mi-ca me-

Source: Liber octavus cationum sacrarum (Phalèse, 1555), no. 4.

Transposed up a minor 3rd. Note values halved. In the source, the bass has a 2-flat key signature (before transposition); the other parts have one flat.
Text: *Prima pars* - from Song of Songs 2:10-12 (associated with the Visitation of the BVM). *Secunda pars* - Matins antiphon for the Nativity of the BVM. For translation, see page 8.

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pro- pe- ra a- mi- ca me- a, for- mo- sa me- a, for- mo- sa
a, pro- pe- ra a- mi- ca me- a, for-
a, pro- pe- ra a- mi- ca me- a, for- mo- sa me-
me- a, for- mo- sa me-
a,

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me- a, for- mo- sa me- a
- mo- sa me- a, for- mo- sa me- a
- a, for- mo- sa me- a et ve-
- a, for- mo- sa me- a et ve-
for- mo- sa me- a, for- mo- sa me- a et ve-

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et ve- ni
et ve- ni, et ve- ni, et ve- ni
- ni, et ve- ni, et ve- ni
- ni, et ve- ni, et ve- ni
- ni, et ve- ni, et ve- ni

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iam e-nim hi-ems tran-si- - - it im-ber a-bi-it et

iam e-nim hi-ems tran-si-it, iam e-nim hi-ems tran-si- - - -

iam e-nim hi-ems tran-si- - - it, iam e-nim hi-ems tran-

iam e-nim hi-ems tran-si-it im-

iam e-nim hi-ems tran-si- - - - it

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re-ces-sit, im-ber a-bi-it et re-ces-sit,

it im-ber a-bi-it et re-ces-sit, a-bi-it et re-

- si- - it im-ber a-bi-it et re-ces-sit, im-ber a-

ber a-bi-it et re-ces-sit, im-ber a-bi-it et re-ces-sit,

im-ber a-bi-it et

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im-ber a-bi-it et re-ces-sit;

ces-sit, im-ber a-bi-it, im-ber a-bi-it et re- - - ces-

- - - bi-it et re-ces-sit; flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-

im-ber a-bi-it et re-ces-sit;

re-ces-sit, et re-ces-sit et re-ces-sit

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flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-runt in ter-ra no-stra,
 sit; flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-runt in ter-ra nos-tra, flo-
 runt in ter-ra no-stra, flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-runt in
 flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-runt, flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-
 sit; flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-

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flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-runt in ter-
 res ap-pa-ru-e-runt in ter-ra no-stra,
 ter-ra no-stra, flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-runt in
 runt in ter-ra no-stra, in ter-ra
 runt in ter-ra no-stra flo-res ap-pa-ru-e-runt in

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- ra no-stra, in ter-ra no-stra, in ter-ra no-stra;
 in ter-ra no-stra, in ter-ra no-stra
 ter-ra no-stra, in ter-ra no-stra, in ter-ra no-stra, in ter-ra
 no-stra, in ter-ra no-stra; tem-pus pu-
 ter-ra no-stra, in ter-ra no-stra, in ter-ra no-stra;

Do-mi-no, a Do-mi-no, sa e-le-cta a Do-mi-no, e-le-cta a Do-
 Do-mi-no, a Do-mi-no, i-sta I-sta est spe-ci-o-sa e-le-cta a I-sta est

i-sta est spe-ci-o-sa e-le-Do-mi-no, i-sta est spe-ci-o-sa e-
 est spe-ci-o-sa e-le-cta a Do-mi-no, Do-mi-o, a Do-mi-no, e-le-
 spe-ci-o-sa e-le-cta a Do-mi-no, e-

cta, e-le-cta a Do-le-cta a Do-mi-no, e-le-cta a Do-mi-no
 e-le-cta a Do-mi-no, e-le-cta a cta a Do-mi-no, e-le-cta a
 le-cta a Do-mi-no, e-le-cta a Do-mi-

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- mi- no cu- ius na- ti- vi- ta- tem ce- le- bra- mus, ce- le- bra-
 cu- ius na- ti- vi- ta- tem ce- le- bra- - - - mus, ce- - le- bra-
 Do- - mi- no, a Do- mi- no cu- ius na- ti- vi- ta- tem_
 mi- no, a Do- mi- no, a Do- - mi- no cu- ius na- ti- vi-
 no, Do- mi- no cu- ius na- ti- vi- ta- tem, cu-

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- mus, cu- - ius na- - ti- vi- ta- - -
 - - - mus ip- sa in- ter- ce- dat pro no- bis,
 - ce- le- bra- mus, ce- - - - le- bra- - mus
 ta- tem ce- le- bra- mus ip- sa in-
 ius na- ti- vi- ta- tem ce- le- - bra- - mus ip- sa

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- tem ce- - le- bra- - mus ip- sa in- ter- ce-
 ip- sa in- ter- ce- - - - dat pro no- bis, ip- -
 - ip- sa in- ter- ce- dat pro
 ter- ce- dat pro no- - - bis, i- - psa in- ter- ce- dat
 in- ter- ce- dat pro no- - - bis, pro

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dat pro no- - - - bis

psa in- ter- ce- - - dat pro no- - - bis ad

no- - - - bis ad Do- - mi- num

pro no- - - bis ad Do- - mi- num De- um no- -

no- - - bis ad Do- mi- num, ad Do- mi- num De- um no- -

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ad Do- - mi- num De- um no- -

Do- - mi- num De- um no- - - - - strum, no- - -

De- - - - um no- - - strum, ad Do- mi- num

- strum, De- - um no- - - strum, ad Do- mi- num,

- strum, De- um no- strum, ad

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strum, no- - - - strum.

strum, ad Do- mi- num De- um no- strum.

De- um no- - - strum, ad Do- mi- num De- um no- - strum.

ad Do- - - mi- num De- um no- - strum.

Do- - mi- num De- um, ad Do- mi- num De- um no- strum.

Translation:

Arise my love, my fair one and come, for now the winter has passed, the rain has passed over and receded, flowers have appeared in our land, the time of pruning has arrived.

She is the beauty chosen by the Lord whose birth we celebrate; may she herself intercede for us to the Lord our God.