



Ave, Maris Stella

Latin Canticle



music from Canada

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Freely, as in chant ♩ = 92

Solo,
small group or
choir in unison*

mp

A - ve, már - is stél - la, Dé - i, Má - ma, At - que sem - per

* a drone on an Ab may be sung under the chant

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Vír - go, Fé - lix cáe - li Fé - lix cáe - li pór - ta.

A With reverent simplicity

B Baritone solo or small group
mp

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S. A - ve, már - is stél Jé - i, Má - ter ál - ma, A - ve már - is stél - la Dé - i Má - ter

A. A - ve, már - is stél - la, Dé - i, Má - ter, ál - ma, A - ve már is stél - la, Dé - i Má - ter

T. már - is stél - la, Dé - i, Má - ter ál - ma, A - ve már is stél - la, Dé - i Má - ter

B. A - ver, már - is stél - la, Dé - i, Má - ter ál - ma, A - ve már is stél - la, Dé - i Má - ter

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S. ál - ma, At-que sem-per Vír - go, Fé-lix cáe-li pór - ta, Fé-lix cáe-li pór - ta.

A. ál - ma, At-que sem-per Vír - go, Fé-lix cáe-li pór - ta, Fé-lix cáe-li pór - ta.

T. ál - ma, At-que sem-per Vír - go, Fé-lix cáe - li pór - ta, Fé-lix cáe-li pór - ta.

B. ál - ma, At-que sem-per Vír - go, Fé-lix cáe - li pór - ta, Fé-lix cáe-li pór - ta.

25 **C**

S. *pp* Hmm*...

A. *pp* Hmm*...

T. *pp*

B. Hmm*...

*option: Oo...

32 **D** *a tempo*

rit.

nó - men, Mú-tans E - vae nó - men.

S. *rit.* *p*
(hmm...) A - ve, már - is sté' Dé - i, Má - ter

A. *rit.* *p*
(hmm...) A - ve, már - la, Dé - i, Má - ter,

T. *rit.* *p*
(hmm...) A is stél - la, Dé - i, Má - ter

B. *rit.*
(hmm...) - ver, már - is stél - la, Dé - i, Má - ter

38 **E** *a tempo*
mp

Su-mer A - ve Ga - bri - e - lis ór - e, Fun - da nos in

S. *rit.* *p*
ál - ma, ns íl - lud A - ve Ga - bri - e - lis ór - e, Fun - da nos in

A. *rit.*
Su-mens íl - lud A - ve Ga - bri - e - lis ór - e, Fun - da nos in

T. *p*
- ma, Su-mens íl - lud A - ve Ga - bri - e - lis ór - e, Fun - da nos in

rit. *p*
ál - ma, Su-mens íl - lud A - ve Ga - bri - e - lis ór - e, Fun - da nos in

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pá - ce, Mú - tans E - vae nó - men, Mú - tans E - vae

S. pá - ce, Mú - tans E - vae nó - men, as E - vae

A. pá - ce, Mú - tans E - vae nó - r Mú - tans E - vae

T. pá - ce, Mú - tans E - vae nó , Mú - tans E - vae

B. pá - ce, Mú - tans E - vae - men, Mú - tans E - vae

p

p

p

p

Ave Maris Stella

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 Dei Mater alma
 Atque semper Virgo
 Felix coeli porta

Hail, star of the sea
 Loving Mother of God
 Virgin ever immortal
 Heaven's blissful portal

Sumens illud Ave
 Gabrielis ore
 Funda nos in pace
 Mutans Evae nomen

Receiving that 'Ave'
 From the mouth of Gab
 Establish us in peace
 Reversing the nam

'stella' is an old Latin canticle that was adopted
 adian settlers in Nova Scotia over 350 years ago.
 ng their devotion to the church and their respect for the sea,
 still be heard today at their festivals and gatherings.

Diane Loomer
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F

nó - men.

S. nó - men. A - ve, már - is stél - la, a - men, a - men, a - men.

A. men. A - ve, már - is, stél - la, a - men, a - men, a - men.

T. nó - men. A - ve, már - is stél - la, a - men, a - men, a - men.

L. nó - men. A - ve, már - is stél - la, a - men, a - men, a - men.

rit.

pp

pp

pp

rit.

rit.

rit.