

Tenor 2

Speremus meliora omnes

Adapted for recorders

Giaches de Wert (1535-1596)

The musical score consists of six staves of music for Tenor 2 recorder, in common time (indicated by '4'). The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The music is divided into sections by measure numbers: 2, 7, 12, 17, 22, 27, 32, and 37. The lyrics are in Latin and are repeated in each section. The lyrics are:

Spe-re - mus me-li - o-ra om-nes, me - li-o-ra om- nes, Spe-re - mus

me - li - o - ra om-nes, spem no - mi-ne sa - cro dat Ga - bri-el an - ge-lus, qui mit - ti-

-tur ad vir-gi-nem, qui mit - ti-tur ad vir-gi-nem, sum - mi pa - tri - sum - ci - us,

sum - mi pa - tri - sum - ci - us, sum - mi pa - tri - sum - ci - us, de-lap - sus ver - ti - ce O - lym - pi, in ter -

-ras la - tem de - tu - lit om - ne bo - num, om - ne bo - num, nam Chri-stus ve - rem pi - us, et

mi - se - ri - cors De - us, mi - se - ris af - flic - tis, mi - se - ris af - flic - tis, mi - se - ris af - flic - tis,

ad - ve - nit fi - de - li - bus, mi - se - ris af - flic - tis, mi - se - ris af - flic - tis,

-flic - tis, ad - ve - nit fi - de - li - bus, ad - ve - nit fi - de - li - bus.