

Gaudete

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A

Musical score A consists of two staves of music. The top staff uses a treble clef and a time signature that changes between 3/4, 2/4, and 4/4. The bottom staff uses a bass clef and a time signature that changes between 3/4, 2/4, and 4/4. The lyrics are: "Gau-de-te, gau-de-te! Chri-stus est na-tus ex Ma-ri - a vir-gi-ne. Gau - de-te!"

B

Musical score B consists of two staves of music. The top staff uses a treble clef and a time signature of 4/4. The bottom staff uses a bass clef and a time signature of 4/4. The lyrics are: "Tem-pus ad-est gra-ci-ae, hoc quod op-ta-ba-mus, car-mi-na lae-ti-ci-ae de-vo-te red-da-mus". The first measure of the bass staff has a circled 'o' above it.

1. Gaudete, gaudete! Christus est natus
Ex Maria virgine, gaudete! (x2)

Tempus adest gratiae
Hoc quod optabamus,
Carmina lætitiæ
Devote reddamus.

2. Gaudete, gaudete! Christus est natus
Ex Maria virgine, gaudete!

Deus homo factus est
Natura mirante,
Mundus renovatus est
A Christo regnante.

3. Gaudete, gaudete! Christus est natus
Ex Maria virgine, gaudete!

Ezechielis porta
Causa pertransitur,
Unde lux est orta
Salus invenitur.

4.. Gaudete, gaudete! Christus est natus
Ex Maria virgine, gaudete!

Ergo nostra contio
Psallat iam in lustro;
Benedicat Domino:
Salus Regi nostro.

Gaudete, gaudete! Christus est natus
Ex Maria virgine, gaudete!