

Vexilla Regis

Oreste Ravanello, Op. 66, n. 7

Soprano

1. Ve - xil-la re - gis pro - de - unt, ful - get cru - cis my
3. Im - ple-ta sunt quae con - ci - nit Da - vid fi - de - li

Alto

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3. Im - ple-ta sunt quae con - ci - nit Da - vid fi - de - li

Baritone

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3. Im - ple-ta sunt quae con - ci - nit Da - vid fi - de - li

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ste - ri - um: qua vi - ta mor - tem per - tu -
car - mi - ne, di - cen - do na - ti - o - ni -

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lit, et mor - te vi - tam pro - tu - lit.
bus: re - gna - vit a li - gno De - us.

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bus: re - gna - vit a li - gno De - us.

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5. Be - a - ta cu - jus bra - chi - is pre - ti - um pe - pen - dit sae - cu -
 7. Te fons sa - lu - tis Tri - ni - tas, col - lau - det om - nis spi - ri -

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li, sta - te - ra fa - cta cor - po - ris
 tus: qui - bis cru - cis vic - to - ri - am

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tu - lit - que prae - dam tar - ta - ri.
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2. Quæ vulne-rá- ta lán-ce-æ Mucróne di-ro, crími-num



Ut nos lavá-ret sór-dibus, Maná- vit unda et sáanguine.



4. Arbor decó-ra et fúl-gi-da, Orná-ta Re-gis púrpu-ra,



E-lécta digno stí-pi-te Tam san-cta membra tánge-re.

Translation of Verses 1-4:

The banners of the King go forth, the mystery of the Cross shines, by which life overcame death and by death gave birth to life.

Which was pierced by the sharp point of the lance, from the stain of sin to wash us, shedding water and blood.

Now is fulfilled what was foretold by David in his faithful hymn, saying to the nations: God has reigned from a tree.

O tree, fair and radiant, with royal purple adorned, chosen with thy worthy boughs to touch such sacred limbs.



6. O CRUX AVE, spes ú- ni-ca, Hoc Pas- si- ó- nis témpo-re:

Exaltation of the Holy Cross, Sept 14: In hac tri- umphi glo- ri- a:



Pi- is adáu-ge grá- ti- am, Re- ísque de- le crími-na.

Translation of Verses 5–7:

O blessed tree, from whose branches hung the redemption of the world; thou, from whom his body hangs, dost snatch from hell its prey.

Hail, O Cross, our only hope! At this Passiontide, [In this thy triumphant glory,] increase grace to the just and blot out the sin of the wicked.

Thee, holy Trinity, fount of salvation, let every spirit praise. To whom the victory of the Cross thou givest, give also its prize.