

Virgo sancta Katherina

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Vir- go san- cta Ka- the- ri- na, Ka- the- ri- na,
 Vir- go san- cta Ka- the- ri- na, Ka- the- ri- - - na,
 Vir- go san- cta Ka- the- ri- na,
 Vir- - go san-

- - na, vir- - go san- cta Ka- the- ri- na, vir-
 vir- - go san- cta Ka- the- ri- na, vir- go san- cta Ka-
 na, Ka- the- ri- - na, vir- - go san- cta Ka-
 cta Ka- the- ri- na, Ka- the- ri- - - na, Ka- the- ri-

- go Ka- the- - ri- na, Gre- ci-
 the- ri- - - na, Gre- ci- e gem- - ma,
 the- ri- na, Gre- ci- e gem- -
 - na, Gre- ci- e gem- - ma, Gre-

Votive antiphon for Katherine of Alexandria.

Source: Motetorum – liber quartus (Pierre Attaignant, Paris, 1534).

Note values halved (quarterd in triple time section)

Translation: Holy virgin Katherine, Grecian gem, was daughter of King Costas in the city of Alexandria. O daughter, joy of scholars, lily of modesty, virgin Katherine. Our mother, thrice holy and four times blessed, holy virgin Katherine, receive the prayers of your servants. Amen.

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e gem- ma, ur- be A- le- xan- dri-
 ur- be A- le- xan- dri- - - na, ___
 - ma, ur- be A- le- xan- dri- - - na, ___
 ci- e gem- ma, ur- be A- le- xan- dri-

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- - na, Co- sti Re- gis e- - rat fi- li- a, ___ fi- - li-
 Co- sti Re- gis e- - rat fi- li- a, fi- - li-
 Co- - sti Re- gis, Co- sti Re- gis e- rat fi- - li-
 - - na, Co- sti Re- gis e- - rat fi- li- a, ___ e- rat fi- li-

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a. O fi- li- a, ___ scho- la- rum gau- di- um, O fi- li- a,
 a. O fi- li- a, O fi- li- a, pu- do- ris
 a. O fi- li- a, scho- la- rum gau- di- um, O fi- li- a,
 a. O fi- li- a, O fi- li- a, ___ pu- do- ris

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O fi- li- a, O fi- li- a, vir- go Ka- the- - ri- - na. O
 li- li- um, O fi- li- a, O fi- li- a, vir- go Ka- the- - ri- - na, ___
 O fi- li- a, O fi- li- a, vir- go Ka- - the- ri- na.
 li- li- um, O fi- li- a, O fi- li- a, vir- go Ka- the- ri- na.

