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The Seven 'Great O' Antiphons

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I - O Sapientia

Largo ♩ = c.60

Musical score for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, and Piano. The score is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The tempo is Largo, with a quarter note equal to approximately 60 beats per minute. The dynamics range from *pp* (pianissimo) to *f* (forte). The lyrics are: O Wis - - dom, O Wis - - dom, O Wis - - dom, O Wis - - dom.

Musical score for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, and Piano. The score is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats. The dynamics range from *mp* (mezzo-piano) to *mf* (mezzo-forte). The lyrics are: coming forth from the mouth of the Most High, reaching from one end to the other mightily.

Musical score for Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, and Piano. The score is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats. The dynamics range from *f* (forte) to *ff* (fortissimo). The lyrics are: and sweetly ordering all things; Come and teach us the way of prudence.

II - O Adonai

Largo $\text{♩} = c.60$

11

S. *mf* O A - do - nai, *f*

A. *mp* O A - do - nai, *f*

T. *p* O A - do - nai, *f*

B. *pp* O A - do - nai, *f*

Pno.

16

S. *mp* House of Is - ra - el, *mf* burn - ing bush

A. *mp* House of Is - ra - el, *mf* burn - ing bush

T. *mp* House of Is - ra - el, *mf* burn - ing bush

B. *mp* House of Is - ra - el, *mf* burn - ing bush
and leader of the House of Is - ra - el, who appeared to Moses in the fire of the burn - ing bush

Pno.

18

S. *f* law on Si - na - i: *ff* Come and re - deem us with an out-stretched arm.

A. *f* law on Si - na - i: *ff* Come and re - deem us with an out-stretched arm.

T. *f* law on Si - na - i: *ff* Come and re - deem us with an out-stretched arm.

B. *f* law on Si - na - i: *ff* Come and re - deem us with an out-stretched arm.
and gave him the law on Si - na - i: Come and re - deem us with an out-stretched arm.

Pno.

III - O Radix Jesse

Largo $\text{♩} = \text{c.60}$

23

S. *mf* O Root of Jess - e, *f*

A. *mp* O Root of Jess - e, *f*

T. *p* O Root of Jess - e, *f*

B. *pp* O Root of Jess - e, *f*

Pno. *Largo* $\text{♩} = \text{c.60}$

28

S. *mp* a - mong the peo - ples; *mf* shut their mouths, -

A. *mp* a - mong the peo - ples; *mf* shut their mouths, -

T. *mp* standing as a sign a - mong the peo - ples; *mf* before you kings will shut their mouths, -

B. *mp* a - mong the peo - ples; *mf* shut their mouths, -

Pno.

30

S. *f* make their prayer: *ff* Come and de - li - ver us, and de - lay no long - er.

A. *f* make their prayer: *ff* Come and de - li - ver us, and de - lay no long - er.

T. *f* to you the nations will make their prayer: *ff* Come and de - li - ver us, and de - lay no long - er.

B. *f* make their prayer: *ff* Come and de - li - ver us, and de - lay no long - er.

Pno.

IV - O Clavis David

Largo $\text{♩} = c.60$

37

S. *mf* *f* *mf*
O Key of Da - vid and sceptre of the House of Is - ra-el;

A. *mp* *f* *mf*
O Key of Da - vid and sceptre of the House of Is - ra-el;

T. *p* *f* *mf*
O Key of Da - vid and sceptre of the House of Is - ra-el;

B. *pp* *f* *mf*
O Key of Da - vid and sceptre of the House of Is - ra-el;

Pno. **Largo** $\text{♩} = c.60$

43

S. *ff* **agitato** $\text{♩} = c.100$
you open and no one can shut; you shut and no one can o - pen: Come and lead the pri-son-ers___ from the

A. *ff*
you open and no one can shut; you shut and no one can o - pen: Come and lead the pri-son-ers___ from the

T. *ff*
you open and no one can shut; you shut and no one can o - pen: Come and lead the pri-son-ers___ from the

B. *ff*
you open and no one can shut; you shut and no one can o - pen: Come and lead the pri-son-ers___ from the

Pno. **agitato** $\text{♩} = c.100$

49

S. *mf* **molto rall.** *pp*
pri - son house, those who dwell in dark - ness___ and the sha - dow___ of death.

A. *mf* *pp*
pri - son house, those who dwell in dark - ness___ and the sha - dow___ of death.

T. *mf* *pp*
pri - son house, those who dwell in dark - ness___ and the sha - dow___ of death.

B. *mf* *pp*
pri - son house, those who dwell in dark - ness___ and the sha - dow___ of death.

Pno. **molto rall.**

V - O Oriens

Largo ♩ = c.60

59

S. *mf* O Day - spring, *f*

A. *mp* O Day - spring, *f*

T. *p* O Day - - spring, *f*

B. *pp* O Day - - spring, *f*

Pno.

64

S. *f* light e - ter - nal right - eous - ness:

A. *f* splendour of light e - ter - nal and sun of right - eous - ness:

T. *f* light e - ter - nal right - eous - ness:

B. *f* light e - ter - nal right - eous - ness:

Pno.

66

S. *ff* Come and en - light - en those who dwell in dark - ness and the sha - dow of death. *mf* *pp*

A. *ff* Come and en - light - en those who dwell in dark - ness and the sha - dow of death. *mf* *pp*

T. *ff* Come and en - light - en those who dwell in dark - ness and the sha - dow of death. *mf* *pp*

B. *ff* Come and en - light - en those who dwell in dark - ness and the sha - dow of death. *mf* *pp*

Pno.

VI - O Rex Gentium

Largo ♩ = c.60

75

S. *mf* O King of the na - tions, *f*

A. *mp* O King of the na - tions, *f*

T. *p* O King of the na - tions, *f*

B. *pp* O King of the na - tions, *f*

Pno. Largo ♩ = c.60

80

S. *mp* and their de - sire, *mf* the cor - ner stone *f* ma - king both one:

A. *mp* and their de - sire, *mf* the cor - ner stone *f* ma - king both one:

T. *mp* and their de - sire, *mf* cor - ner - stone *f* ma - king both one:

B. *mp* and their de - sire, *mf* the cor - ner stone *f* ma - king both one:

Pno.

83

S. *ff* Come and save the hu - man race, *p* which you fa - shioned from clay.

A. *ff* Come and save the hu - man race, *p* which you fa - shioned from clay.

T. *ff* Come and save the hu - man race, *p* which you fa - shioned from clay.

B. *ff* Come and save the hu - man race, *p* which you fa - shioned from clay.

Pno.

VII - O Emmanuel

90 **Largo** ♩ = c.60

S. *mf* *ff* *f*
O Em - man - u - el, our king and our law - gi - ver,

A. *mp* *ff* *f*
O Em - man - u - el, our king and our law - gi - ver,

T. *p* *ff* *f*
O Em - man - u - el, our king and our law - gi - ver,

B. *pp* *ff* *f*
O Em - man - u - el, our king and our law - gi - ver,

Pno. **Largo** ♩ = c.60

97

S. *mf* *f*
the hope of the na - tions and their Sa - - viour:

A. *mf* *f*
the hope of the na - tions and their Sa - - viour:

T. *mf* *f*
the hope of the na - tions and their Sa - - viour:

B. *mf* *f*
the hope of the na - tions and their Sa - - viour:

Pno.

100

S. *ff*
Come and save us, O Lord our God.

A. *ff*
Come and save us, O Lord our God.

T. *ff*
Come and save us, O Lord our God.

B. *ff*
Come and save us, O Lord our God.

Pno.