

2. A HYMN TO THE VIRGIN

Words
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Moderato

S A

1. Of one that is so fair and bright, *Ve - lut mar - is*

T B

stel - la, Bright-er than the day is light,

Par - ens et pu - el - la, I cry to thee, thou see to me,

La - dy, pray thy Son for me, Tam pi - a, That

Duration: 1'30" - 2'

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I may come to thee, Ma-ri-a.

2. All this world was for-lorn, E-va pec-ca-tri-ce,

Till our Lord was y-born, De-te ge-ne-tri-ce, With

a-ve it went a-way, Dark-est night and comes the day, Sal-

-u-tis; The well springeth out of thee, Vir-tu-

- tis. 3. La - dy flow'r of ev - 'ry - thing, Ro - sa sin - e

mf

spi - na, Thou bare Je - su, Heaven's King, Gra - ti - a di -

f ff

- vi - na: Of all thou bear'st the prize, — La - dy, queen of

mp

pa - ra-dise, E - lec - ta, Maid mild, — mo-ther es Ef -

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poco a poco

- fec - ta, Ef - fec - ta.

pp

rall. e dim. al fine