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Accidentals above noteheads are editorial. All others present in source.

Brackets above noteheads denote original ligatures.

Missing bars of Tenor cribbed off of've CPDL. Only complete (correct) source is GB-Lbl Add. MSS 30361-6 (which is transcribed up a tone in A minor and to which I do not currently have access).

Baldwin partbooks have Discantus F#s in bars 22 & 37

Superius in bars 11-12 taken from Drexel - other sources have a slightly more foursquare (and somewhat clunkier) melody: 11-12 = *mF mF mEb mD sbF mEb mC*

GB-Och 979-983 'Baldwin partbooks'

c.1575-81 - lacking tenor

US-NYp Drexel 4180-4185 'Drexel partbooks'

First half of 17th century - last few phrases of tenor in error

GB-Ob Tenbury 389

c.1595-1613 - Discantus (Superius) part only

GB-Lbl Add. MS 32377

c.1585-90 - Medius (Superius) and Altus (Sexta pars) parts only

Credo quod redemptor meus vivit
et in novissimo die de terra surrecturus sum
et in carne mea videbo Deum salvatorem meum.

I know that my redeemer liveth,
and that on the latter day I shall be resurrected from the earth:
and in my flesh shall I see God, my Saviour.

Credo quod redemptor

Robert PARSONS

(c.1530-1571/2)

The musical score is presented in six staves, each with a vocal part label on the left. The parts are: Sexta pars, Superius, Discantus, Contratenor, Tenor, and Bassus. The music is in a key with two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a common time signature. The lyrics are written below the vocal staves. The Superius part begins with the lyrics 'Cre - do quod re - dem - ptor me -'. The Discantus part begins with 'Cre - do quod re - dem -'. The Contratenor part begins with 'Cre - - do'. The Tenor part begins with 'Cre - do quod re - dem -'. The Bassus part begins with 'Cre -'. The score includes various musical notations such as clefs, accidentals, and ligatures.

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Cre - - do quod re - dem - ptor me - us
 - us vi - - - - vit, quod re - dem - ptor me -
 - ptor me - us vi - vit, quod re - dem - ptor me - us
 quod re - dem - ptor me - us vi - - - - vit,
 ptor me - - us, quod re - dem - ptor me - us vi -
 - do quod re - dem - ptor me - us vi -

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vi - - - - vit et
 us vi - - - - vit et in no - vis - si - mo di - e de_
 vi - - - - vit_ et in no - vis - si - mo,
 quod re - dem - ptor me - us_ vi - vit et in no -
 - - - - vit, et in no - vis - si - mo di -
 - - - - vit, et

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in no - vis - si - - mo, et in no - vis - si - mo di -
 - ter - ra, et
 et in no - vis - si - mo, et in no - vis - si -
 vis - si - mo, et in no - vis - si - mo di - e de ter -
 - e, et in no - vis - si - mo di - e de ter - ra,
 in no - vis - si - mo, et in no - vis - si - mo di - e de

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e de ter - ra sur - re - ctu - rus sum, sur - re -
 in no - vis - si - mo di - e de ter - ra
 mo di - e de ter - ra sur - re - ctu -
 ra sur - re - ctu - rus sum
 de ter - ra sur - re - ctu - rus sum, sur - re -
 ter - ra sur - re - ctu - rus

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ctu - rus sum, _____

et _____ in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo De -

- rus_ sum et in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo

et in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo

ctu - rus sum _____

sum _____

23

- - - um, vi - de - bo De -

De - um, et in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo De -

De - um sal - va - to - rem me - um,

et in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo De -

et _____ in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo De -

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et in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo
 - - um
 um, et in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo
 et in car - ne me - a vi - de - bo
 - - um sal - va - to - rem me - -
 um sal - va - to - rem me - - -

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De - um sal - va - to - rem me - - -
 sal - va - to - rem
 De - um sal - va - to - rem me - - -
 De - um sal - va - to - rem me - - -
 - - - um, me - - -
 - - um, sal - va - to - rem me - - -

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um,
me - - - um, et in car - ne me -
um, et in car - ne
um, et in car - ne
um,
um,

37

a vi - de - bo De - - - um, vi -
me - a vi - de - bo De - um, et in car - ne me -
me - a vi - de - bo De - um sal - va - to - rem me -
et in car - ne me -
et in car - ne me -

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et in car - ne

de - bo De - - - - - um

a vi - de - bo De - um, et in

um, et in

a vi - de - bo De - - - - - um sal -

a vi - de - bo De - um sal - va -

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me - a vi - de - bo De - um sal - va -

car - ne me - a vi - de - bo De - um sal - va - to -

car - ne me - a vi - de - bo De - um sal - va -

va - to - rem me - - - - - um,

to - rem me - - - - - um, sal - va -

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to - rem me - - - - - um, sal -

sal - va - to - rem me - - - - -

rem me - - - - - um,

to - rem me - - - - - um, sal - va - to - - - - -

sal - va - to - - - - - rem

to - rem me - - - - -

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- va - to - - - - - rem me - - - - - um.

um, me - - - - - um.

sal - va - to - - - - - rem me - - - - - um.

rem me - - - - - um.

me - - - - - um.

um, me - - - - - um.