

Cipriano de Rore

Fratres: Scitote

SSATB

Sources:

RES VMA MS-851 'Bourdeney Codex'

c.1575-1600

c/o Bibliothèque nationale de France

Thesaurus motetarum... (organ tablature)

Ed. Jacob Paix

Strasbourg: Jobin, 1589

c/o Bayerische Staatsbibliothek

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Note values halved.

Transposed up a fourth.

Accidentals above noteheads are editorial - all others present in source.

Brackets above notes denote original ligatures.

Dashed brackets denote colouration.

The extraordinary passage starting at bar 68 is very clearly marked as notes of three beats (relative to the preceding music) in both sources: the organ tablature has dotted minims while the manuscript has coloured breves with ties over every 'barline'. For ease of reading I have inserted a new time signature and extended the rest between the two phrases.

The dotted quaver rhythms that appear from 94 onwards are written in the manuscript as triplets (with the first beat dotted) in the two upper parts. I would normally leave these as they are, but as there doesn't seem to be any syllabic reason for the stress on the second beat of each, I've opted to write them straight, in accordance with the tablature and to imitate the alto.

The two sources differ only in the rhythm of cadential ornaments, and even then only in a few places. In each case I have selected the most florid version!

Fratres: Scitote

Cipriano de RORE
(1515/6 - 1565)

5

Cantus I

Cantus II

Altus

Tenor

Bassus

Fra - - - -

4

Fra - - - - tres:

9

Sci - to - - -

Sci - to - - -

Sci - to - - te, sci - to - -

Sci - to - - - te, sci - to - -

Sci - to - - - te, sci - to - -

Sci - to - - - te, sci - to - -

14

te quo - ni - am Do - mi - nus Je - sus,
sus,

te quo - ni - am Do - mi - nus Je - sus,
sus,

te quo - ni - am Do - mi - nus Je - sus,
sus,

te quo - ni - am Do - mi - nus Je - sus,
sus,

8
quo - ni - am Do - mi - nus Je - sus,
sus,

20

in qua no - cte tra - de - ba - - - -

— in qua no - cte tra - de - ba - - - - tur,

8
in

24

tur, in qua no - cte tra - - - -

in qua no -

in qua no - cte tra - de - ba - - - - tur, in

8
qua no - cte tra - de - ba - - - - tur, in

in qua no - cte tra - de - ba - - - - tur, in

28

- de - ba - tur ac - ce - pit pa -
- cte tra - de - ba - tur ac - ce - pit pa -
qua no - cte tra - de - ba - tur ac - ce - pit pa -
8 - de - ba - tur ac - ce - pit pa -
- de - ba - tur ac - ce - pit pa -
qua no - cte tra - de - ba - tur ac - ce - pit pa -

32

nem et be - ne - di

nem et be - ne - di

nem et be - ne - di xit, et be - ne - di xit

pa - nem et be - ne - di xit, et be - ne -

ac - ce - pit pa - nem et be - ne -

36

xit ac fre git,
xit ac fre git,
ac fre git,
ac fre git,
di xit ac fre git,

40

ac fre - git, de - dit - que di - sci -
 - que di - sci - pu - lis su - - -
 git, de - dit -
 de - dit - que di - sci - pu - lis su -
 - - - git,

44

- pu - lis su - - - - - is
 - is,
 que di - sci - pu - lis su - is,
 is, de - dit - que di - sci - pu -
 de - dit - - que

48

de - dit - que di - sci - pu - lis su - - -
 de - dit - que di - sci - pu - lis su -
 lis su - - - - is
 di - sci - pu - lis su - - is et

52

et di - - - xit, et di - - -
is et di - - xit, et di - - xit:
di - - - xit, et di - - - xit:
xit:
Ac - ci - pi - te

56

xit: Ac - ci - pi - te
xit, et di - - xit: Ac -
Ac - ci - pi - te, ac - - -
xit: Ac - ci - pi - te et man - du - ca -
Ac - ci - pi - te et man - - -
man - - -

60

et man - du - ca - - - te, ac - ci - pi - te
ci - pi - te, ac - - -
ci - pi - te et man - du - ca - - - te, ac - - -
te, ac - ci - pi - te et man - du - ca - - -
du - ca - - - te, ac - ci - pi - te et man - - -
man - - -

64

et man - du - ca - te. Hoc
ci - pi - te et man - du - ca - te. Hoc
ci - pi - te et man - du - ca - te. Hoc
- te. Hoc

79

me - um
me - um
me - um

me - um

me - um quod pro vo - bis tra - - de -

me - um quod pro vo - - - - bis tra -

84

de - - - - tur; hoc____ fa - ci - tur; hoc____ fa - ci - de - - - - tur; hoc____ fa - ci -

88

hoc fa - ci - te,____ hoc____ hoc fa - te,____ fa - ci - te,____ hoc fa - te,____ hoc fa - ci - te,____ hoc fa - ci - te,____ hoc fa - te,____ hoc fa -

92

fa - ci - te____ in me - am com - me - mo - ra - - - ti - - ci - te____ in me - am com - in me - am com - - - am com - me - mo - ra - - - ti - - ci - te____ in me - am com - me - mo - ra - - - ti - - ci - te____ in me - am com - me - mo - ra - - - ti - -

96

o - nem, com - me - mo - ra - ti - o -
 me - mo - ra - ti - o - nem, com - me - mo - ra - ti - o -
 o - - nem, me - am com - me - mo - ra - ti -
 o - nem, in me - am com - me - mo - ra - ti -

100

nem,
nem,
hoc_ fa - ci - te,
o - nem, hoc_ fa - ci - te,
o - nem, hoc_ fa - ci - te,
nem, hoc_ fa - ci - te,

108

— in me - am com - me - mo - ra - - ti - o - nem, com -
in me - am com - me - mo - ra -
in me - am com - me - mo - ra - ti - o - -
in me - am com - me - mo - ra - - ti - o - nem,
— in me -

112

me - mo - ra - ti - o - - nem.
- ti - o - nem, com - me - mo - ra - ti - o - nem.
nem, me - am com - me - mo - ra - ti - o - nem.
— in me - am com - me - mo - ra - ti - o - nem.
am com - me - mo - ra - - ti - o - nem.

Fratres: Scitote, quoniam Dominum Jesus,
in qua nocte tradebatur, accepit panem,
et benedixit, ac fregit, deditque discipulis suis,
et dixit: Accipite et manducate:
hoc est corpus meum, quod pro vobis tradetur;
hoc facite in meam commemorationem

Brothers: Know this, that the Lord Jesus,
on the night that he was betrayed, took bread,
and blessed it, and broke it, and gave it to his disciples,
and said: Take and eat:
this is my body, which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me.