

THE GOD WHOM EARTH AND SEA AND SKY

Venantius Honorius Fortunatus, c. 530–609
Translated by J.M. Neale, 1818–1866

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Gt. 8' Flute
Sw. 8' Flute

Quietly flowing (♩ = ca. 92)

VERSE 1
Solo *mp*

Soprano

1. The God whom

Organ

Gt. *mp*

Sw. *p*
Sw. 8' flute

4

1. earth and sea and sky A - dore and praise and mag - ni -

8

mf *mp*

1. fy, Whose might they claim, whose love they tell,

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12 *p*

1. In Ma-ry's bod - y comes to dwell.

Gt. *mp* *p*

VERSE 2: *Tutti*

17 *p* *mp* *p*

Soprano

2. O Moth - er blest! the cho - sen shrine Where - in the

Alto *p* *mp* *p*

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Sw. *p*

21 *mp* *mp* *div.*

2. ar - chi - tect di - vine, Whose hand con - tains the earth and sky,

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26 *p* *mp* *pp*

2. Has come in hu - man form to lie: _____

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Gt. *mp*

Sw. *p*

VERSE 3

31 Solo *mp* *p*

3. Blest in the mes - sage Ga - briel brought; Blest in the

Alto *p*

3. Ah Ah

35 *mp* *p*

3. work the Spir - it wrought; Most blest, to bring to hu - man birth

mp *p*

3. Ah

40 *mp* *pp*

3. The long de - sired of all the earth.

unis. *p* *pp*

3. Ah

Gt. *mp*

Sw. *p*

VERSE 4: *Tutti*

45 *mp*

4. O Lord, the Vir-gin - born, to you E - ter - nal

mp

4. O Lord, the Vir-gin - born, to you E - ter - nal

Sw. *p*

49 *mf*

4. praise and laud are due, Whom with the Fa - ther

mf *div.*

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Sw. *p*

52

we a - dore And Spir - it

mp

unis.

4. we a - dore And Spir - it blest for ev - er -

56

4. more.

p *pp*

Gt. *p*

Sw. *p*