

# Three motets Op. 69

## 3. Magnificat

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**Allegro moderato** *mf*

Soprano  
My soul doth mag - - - ni -

Alto  
*mf*  
My soul doth mag - - - ni - fy the Lord,

Tenor  
*mf*  
My soul doth mag - - - ni - fy, mag - - -

Bass  
*mf*  
My sooul doth mag - - - ni - fy

9  
-fy the Lord, and my spir - it hath re - joic - - - ed in  
the Lord, and my spir - it hath re - joic - - - ed in God my Sa -  
- - ni - fy the Lord, and my spir - it hath re - joyc - ed,  
- the Lord, and my spir - it hath re -

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God my Sav - - - iour, and my spir - it hath re-joic'd,  
- - viour, and my spir - it hath re - joic - ed, re - joyc - ed in God, my  
and my spir - it hath re - joyc - ed, my soul  
joyc - - - ed, and my spir - it hath re - joyc - ed, my spir - it hath re -

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and my spir-it hath re - joic - ed in God, my soul doth  
 soul doth mag - ni - fy the Lord, and my spir-it hath re -  
 doth mag - ni - fy the Lord, and my spir-it, and my spir-it hath re -  
 joyc - ed, and my spir-it hath re - joyc ed, my soul doth ma - - -

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mag - - - ni - fy the Lord, and my spir-it hath re-joic - ed, my spi - rit hath re -  
 joyc - - - ed in God, and my spir-it hath re-joyc - ed, my spir - it hath re -  
 joyc - ed, my spir - it hath re - joic - ed in God, and my spir-it hath re - joc - ed, my spir - it hath re -  
 - - - ni - fy the Lord, and my spir-it hath re-joyc - ed, my spir - it hath re -

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-joic - ed in God my Sav - - iour. For He hath re - gard - ed the  
 -joic - ed in God my Sav - - iour. For He hath re - gard - ed the  
 -joyc - ed in God my Sav - - iour. For He hath re - gard - ed the  
 -joic - ed in God my Sav - - iour.

Solo *p*  
 Solo *p*  
 Solo *p*  
 (*p*)

44

low - li - ness of His hand - maid - en, He hath re - gard - ed the low - li -

low - li - ness of His hand - maid - en, He hath re - gard - ed the

low - li - ness of His hand - maid - en, re - gard - ed the low - li -

*Solo*  
*p*  
For He, for He hath re - gard - ed the low - li -

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-ness of His hand - maid - en. For be - hold, from hence - forth

low - li - ness of His hand - maid - en. For be - hold, from hence - forth

-ness of His hand - maid - en. For be - hold, from hence - forth

-ness of His hand - maid - en. For be - hold, from hence - forth

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*p* all gen - er - a - tions shall call me bles - sed, for be - hold, from hence - forth

*p* all gen - er - a - tions shall call me bles - sed, for be - hold, from hence - forth

*p* all gen - er - a - tions shall call me bles - sed, for be - hold, from hence - forth

*p* all gen - er - a - tions shall call me bles - sed, for be - hold, from hence - forth

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*p*

all gen-er - a - tions shall call me bles - sed, shall call me bles - - sed,

*p*

all gen-er - a - tions shall call me bles - sed, shall call me bles - - sed, shall

*p*

all gen-er - a - tions shall call me bles - sed, shall call me bles - - sed,

*p*

all gen-er - a - tions shall call me bles - - sed,

78

*f* Tutti

shall call me bles - - sed. For He that is might - y hath mag - ni - fied

*f* Tutti

call me bles - - sed. For He that is might - y hath mag - ni - fied

*f* Tutti

shall call me bles - - sed. For He that is might - y hath mag - ni - fied

*f* Tutti

shall call me bles - - sed. For He that is might - y hath mag - ni - fied

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me; and ho - ly is His name, and ho - ly is His name.

me; and ho - ly is His name, and ho - ly is His name.

me; and ho - ly is Hhis name, and ho - - - ly is His name.

me; and ho - ly is His name, and ho - ly is His name.

95 **Andante con moto**

Solo *p*

And His mer - cy is on them that

Solo *p*

And His mer - cy is on them,

Solo *p*

And His mer - cy is on

Solo *p*

And His mer - cy is on them that

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Tutti *mf cresc.*

fear Him, and His mer - cy is on

Tutti *mf cresc.*

and His mer - cy is on them that fear

Tutti *mf cresc.*

them that fear Him, and His mer - cy is on

Tutti *mf cresc.*

fear Him, and His mer - cy, his mer - cy is on

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Solo

them, through - out all gen - er - a - tions, all gen - er - a -

Solo

him, is on them, through - out all gen - er - a -

Solo

them, through - out all gen - er - a - tions, all

Solo *p*

them, through - out all gen - er - a - tions, all

113 *Tutti* *mf* *cresc.*

- tions and His mer - cy is on them that fear Him, and His

*Tutti* *mf* *cresc.*

- - tions, and His mer - cy, His mer - - - - - cy is

*Tutti* *mf* *cresc.*

8 gen - - - er - a - - - - tions, and His mer - - - - - cy, his

*Tutti* *mf* *cresc.*

gen - - - er - a - - - - tions, and His mer - - - cy

119 *sf*

mer - cy is on them, is on them that fear Him

*sf* *Solo* *p*

- on them, on them that fear Him through -

*sf* *Solo* *p*

8 mer - cy is on them, on them that fear Him, is

*sf*

is on them that fear Him, that fear Him,

125 *Solo* *p*

through - out all gen - er - a - - - -

- out all gen - er - a - - - - tions, all gen - - - er -

on them through - out all gen - er - a - - - - - tions, through -

*Solo* *p*

through - out all gen - er - a - - - - tions, all gen - er -

130 *Tutti* *f*

- - tions, through - out all gen - er - a - - - -

*Tutti* *f*

- a - tions, through - out, through - out all gen - er - a - - - -

*Tutti* *f*

out, through - out, through - out all gen - er - a - - - -

*Tutti* *f*

- a - tions, through - out all gne - er - a - - - tions, all gen - er - a - - - -

135 *Solo* *p* *Tutti* *pp*

tions, and His mer - cy is on them that fear Him, that fear Him.

*Solo* *p* *Tutti* *pp*

tions, is on them that fear Him, that fear Him.

*Solo* *p* *Tutti* *pp*

tions, is on them that fear Him, that fear Him.

*Solo* *p* *Tutti* *pp*

tions, is on them taht fear Him, that fear Him.

143 *Maestoso* *f*

He hath shewed strength with His arm; He hath scat - ter'd the proud in the im - ag - i -

*f*

He hath shewed strength with His arm; He hath scat - ter'd the proud in the im - ag - i -

*f*

He hath shewed strength with His arm; He hath scat - ter'd the proud in the im - ag - i -

*f*

He hath shewed strength with His arm; He hath scat - ter'd the proud in the im - ag - i -

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- na - tion of their hearts, He hath shewed strength with His arm;  
 - na - tion of their hearts, He hath shewed strength with His arm; He hath scat-ter'd the  
 - na - tion of their hearts, He hath shewed strength with His arm;  
 - na - tions of their hearts, He hath shewed strength with His arm;

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He hath scat - ter'd the proud in the im - ag - i - na - tion of their hearts.  
 proud, scat - ter'd the proud in the im - ag - i - na - tion of their hearts.  
 He hath scat - ter'd the proud in the im - ag - i - na - tion of their hearts,  
 He hath scat - ter'd the proud in the im - ag - i - na - tion of their hearts. He hath put down the

155

He hath put down the  
 He hath put down the might - y from their  
 He hath put down the might - y from their seats, put down the  
 might - y from their seats, He hath put down the might - - -



158

might - y from their seats, and hath ex -

seats, He hath put don and hath ex - alt - - - -

might - - y from their seats, He hath put down, and hath ex - alt - - - -

- - - - y from their seats, and

161

- alt - ed, ex - alt - ed the hum - ble, the hum - ble and meek.

- - ed, ex - alt - - - - ed the hum - ble, the hum - ble and meek.

- ed, ex - alt - ed the hum - ble, the hum - ble and meek.

hath ex - alt - - - - ed the hum - ble and meek.

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Solo

He hath fil - led the hun - gry, the hun - gry with good things;

Solo

He hath fil - led the hun - gry, the hun - gry with good things; and the rich

Solo

He hath fil - led the hun - gry, the hun - gry with good things; and the rich

Solo

He hath fil - led the hun - gry, the hun - gry with good things; and the

171

*pp* and the rich Hehath sent emp - ty a - way, *mf* He hath fil - led the hun - gry with

*pp* — Hehath sent emp - ty a - way, *mf* He hath fil - led the hun - gry,

*pp* — Hehath sent emp - ty a - way, *mf* He hath fil - led the hun - gry —

*pp* rich Hehath sent emp - ty a - way, *mf* He hath fil - led the hun - gry, the

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good things, *cresc.* *f* He hath fil - led the hun - gry with

He hath fil - led the hun - gry, *cresc.* *f* hath fil - - - led the hun - - gry with

with good things, *cresc.* *f* He hath fil - led the hun - - gry with

hun - gry with good things; *cresc.* *f* He hath fil - led the

180

good things; *dim.* *pp* and the rich He hath sent emp - ty a -

good things; and the rich *dim.* *pp* He hath sent emp - ty a -

good things; *dim.* *pp* and the rich He hath sent emp - ty a -

hun - gry, *dim.* *pp* and the rich He hath sent emp - ty a -

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*mf* way, He hath fil - led the hun - - - gry, the hun - - - gry with

*cresc.* way, and the rich He hath sent emp - - - - - ty a-way, He hath fil - led the

*cresc.* way, and the rich He hath sent emp - - - ty a-way, he hath fil - - - - led the

*cresc.* way, sent a - way, He hath fil - led the

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*p* good things; and the rich *pp* He hath sent emp - ty a - way.

*p* hun - gry, and the rich, the rich *pp* He hath sent emp - ty a - way.

*p* hun - gry, and the rich *pp* He hath sent emp - ty a - way.

*p* hun - gry and the rich *pp* He hath sent emp - ty a - way.

**Allegro**  
Tutti

193 *f* He re - mem - ber - ing His mer - - - - - cy

*f* He re - mem - ber - ing his mer - - - - - cy

*f* He re - mem - ber - ing his mer - - - cy hath help - en His

He re - mem - ber - ing His mer - cy hath help - - - en, hath

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hath holp - en his serv - - - ant Is - ra - el, Is - - - ra - - -  
 hath holp - en his serv - - - ant Is - ra - el, Is - - - ra - - -  
 serv - - - ant Is - ra - el, His serv - - - - ant Is - ra - - -  
 holp - - - en His serv - - - - ant Is - - - ra - - - el;

201

el;  
 el;  
 el; as He pro - mis - ed to  
 as He pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - fa - - - - -

205

as He pro - mis - ed to  
 as He pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - fa - - - - -  
 our fore - - - fa - - - - - thers, as He  
 - - - - - thers, our fore - - - - - fa - - - - - thers,

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our fore - - - fa - - - - thers, our fore - - - fa - - - thers,  
 - - - - - thers, He pro - mis - ed to our  
 pro - - - - - mis'd to our fore - - - fa - - - - -

213

A - br-ham, and to his seed for ev - - - - - er,  
 fore - - - fa - - - - - thers,  
 - - - - - thers, A - bra ham, and to his seed for  
 as He pro - mis-ed, he pro - mis - ed to A - bra ham, and

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as He pro - mis-ed to  
 A - bra ham, and to hsi seed for ev - - - - - er,  
 ev - - - - - er, A - bra ham, and  
 to his seed, A - bra ham, and to his seed,

221

our fore - - - fa - - - thers for ev - - - - - er,  
 as He pro - mis-ed o our fore - - - fa - - - thers,  
 to his seed for ev - - - er, as He pro - mis-ed to  
 A - bra ham, and to his seed for

225

A - bra-ham and to his seed for ev - - - - - er, for  
 A - bra ham, and to his seed for ev - - - - -  
 our fore - - - fa - - - thers, A - bra-ham, and  
 ev - - - - - er,

229

ev - - - - - er, as He  
 - - - - - er, A - bra-ham, and to his seed for  
 to his seed for ev - - - - - er,  
 A - bra-ham, and to his seed for ev - - - - -

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pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - fa - - - thers, A - bra - ham and  
 ev - - - er, as He  
 as He pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - fa - - - thers,  
 - er, for ev - - - er,

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to his seed for ev - - - er,  
 pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - fa - - - thers, A - bra - ham,  
 A - bra - ham, and to his seed for ev - - - er,  
 as He pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - fa - - - er - - -

241

A - bra - ham and to his seed for ev - - - er,  
 and to his seed, A - bra - ham, and to his seed for -  
 er, A - bra - ham, and to his seed for ev - - - er,  
 - thers, A - bra - ham, as He pro - mis - ed to

245

for ev - - - - - er, as He  
 ev - - - - - er, for ev - - - - - er,  
 as He pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - - -  
 our fore - - - - - fa - - - - - thers for ev - - - - -

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pro - mis - ed, he pro - - - - - mis'd,  
 A - ba - ham, and to his seed, as He  
 - fa - - - - - thers, as He pro - mis - ed, he  
 er, as He pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - - -

253

as He pro - mis - ed to A - - - - - bra - ham,  
 pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - - - fa - - - - - thers,  
 pro - - - - - mis'd to our fore - - - - - fa - - - - - thers,  
 - fa - - - - - thers, to our fore - - - - - fa - - - - - thers,



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as He pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - -

as He pro - mis - ed to our fore - - - fa - - - -

A - bra-ham, and to his seed for ev - - - -

A - bra-ham, and to his seed, to his seed

261

-fa - - thers, A - bra-ham and to is seed fore - ev - - - er,

- - - thers, for ev - - - er,

- - - er, A - bra-ham, and to his seed for ev - - - er,

for ev - - - er, for ev - - - er,

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A - bra-ham and to his seed for - ev - - - er.

A - bra-ham and to his seed for ev - - - er.

A - bra-ham, and to his seed for ev - er.

A - bra-ham, and to his seed for ev - - - er.

## Grave

270 *f* *dim.*  
 Glo - ry be to the Fa - hter, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost.

*f* *dim.*  
 Glo - ry be to the Fa - hter, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost.

*f* *dim.*  
 Glo - ry be to the Fa - hter, \_\_\_\_\_ and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost.

*f* *dim.*  
 Glo - ry be to the Fa - hter, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost.

276 *f* *dim.*  
 As it was \_\_\_\_\_ in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be,

*f* *dim.*  
 As it was \_\_\_\_\_ in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be,

*f* *dim.*  
 As it was \_\_\_\_\_ in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be,

*f* *dim.*  
 As it was \_\_\_\_\_ in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be,

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 world\_ with out end. A - - - - - men, a - - - - - men.

world\_ with out end, \_ with out end. \_\_\_\_\_ A - - - - - men, \_ a - men.

world\_ with out end. \_\_\_\_\_ A - - - - - men, \_ a - men.

world\_ with out end. \_\_\_\_\_ A - men.