

## Veni, O Sapientia

Ve - ni, O Sapi - én - ti - a, Quæ hic dispónis  
*O come, Thou Wisdom from on high, Who ordrest all things*

óm - ni - a, Ve - ni, viam pru - dén - ti - æ Ut  
*mightily, To us the path of knowledge show, And*

doce - as et gló - ri - æ. Gau - de! Gau - de! Em -  
*teach us in her ways to go. Rejoice! Rejoice!*

má - nu - el Na - scétur pro te Is - ra - ðl.  
*Emmanuel shall come to thee O Israel.*

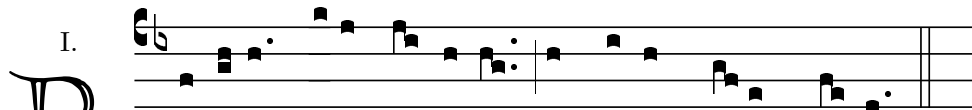
2. Veni, veni, Adonái,  
 Qui pópulo in Sínai  
 Legem dedísti vértice  
 In majestáte glóriae.

2. *O come, O come Thou Lord of might  
 Who to Thy tribes on Sinai's height  
 In ancient times didst give the law  
 In cloud and majesty and awe.*

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| <p>3. Veni, O Jesse Vírgula;<br/>Ex hostis tuos úngula,<br/>De specu tuos tártari<br/>Educ, et antro bárathri.</p>   | <p>3. <i>O come Thou Rod of Jesse free<br/>Thine own from Satan's tyranny;<br/>From depths of hell Thy people save<br/>and give them vict'ry o'er the grave.</i></p>                  |
| <p>4. Veni, Clavis Dauidica,<br/>Regna reclúde cáelica,<br/>Fac iter tutum supérnum,<br/>Et claude vias ínferum.</p> | <p>4. <i>O come Thou Key of David, come<br/>And open wide our heavnely home;<br/>Make safe the way that leads on high<br/>And close the path to misery.</i></p>                       |
| <p>5. Veni, veni, O Oriens;<br/>Soláre nos advéniens;<br/>Noctis depelle nebulas<br/>Dirasque noctis ténebras.</p>   | <p>5. <i>O come, Thou Dayspring, come and<br/>cheer<br/>Our spirits by Thine advent here;<br/>Disperse the gloomy clouds of night<br/>And death's dark shadows put to flight.</i></p> |
| <p>6. Veni, veni, Rex géntium<br/>Veni, Redémptor ómnium.<br/>Ut salvas tuos fámulos<br/>Peccáti sibi cónscios.</p>  | <p>6. <i>O come, Desire of Nations bind<br/>In one the hearts of all mankind,<br/>Bid Thou our sad divisions cease,<br/>And be Thyself our King of Peace.</i></p>                     |
| <p>7. Veni, veni Emmánuel;<br/>Captívum solve Israel<br/>Qui gemit in exílio<br/>Privátus Dei fílio.</p>             | <p>7. <i>O come, O come, Emmanuel,<br/>And ransom captive Israel,<br/>That mourns in lonely exile here<br/>Until the Son of God appear.</i></p>                                       |

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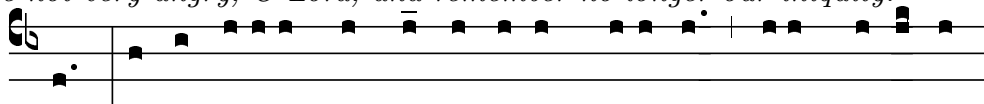
## Rorate caeli desuper



Oráte cæli dé-super, et nubes plu-ant justum  
*Drop down dew, ye heavens, from above, and let the clouds rain the just.*



1. Ne irascá-ris Dómine, ne ultra memínaris iniquitá-  
*Be not very angry, O Lord, and remember no longer our iniquity:*



tis : ecce cívitas Sancti facta est desérta : Si-on de-sérta  
*The city of Thy sanctuary is become a desert, Sion is made*