

# 9. O Maria, Virgo pia

Text: Anon, 13th century or earlier

Traditional melody

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**Lento** ♩ = 69

Soprano

1. O Ma - rí - a, Vir - go pi - a, Ma - ter ad - mi - rá - bi - lis,  
 2. Com - men - dá - re me di - gná - re Chri - sto, tu - o Fí - li - o,  
 3. E - sto tu - trix et ad - jú - trix Chri - sti - á - ni pó - pu - li;

Alto

1. O Ma - rí - a, Vir - go pi - a, Ma - ter ad - mi - rá - bi - lis,  
 2. Com - men - dá - re me di - gná - re Chri - sto, tu - o Fí - li - o,  
 3. E - sto tu - trix et ad - jú - trix Chri - sti - á - ni pó - pu - li;

Bass

1. *Tacet*  
 2. Com - men - dá - re me di - gná - re Chri - sto, tu - o Fí - li - o,  
 3. E - sto tu - trix et ad - jú - trix Chri - sti - á - ni pó - pu - li;

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S.

1. per te De - us, ju - dex me - us, mi - hi sit pla - cá - bi - lis.  
 2. et non ca - dam, sed e - vá - dam de mun - di nau - frá - gi - o.  
 3. pa - cem prae - sta, ne mo - lé - sta nos per - túr - bent saé - cu - li.

A.

1. per\_ te De - us, ju - dex me - us, mi - hi sit pla - cá - bi - lis.  
 2. et\_ non ca - dam, sed e - vá - dam de mun - di nau - frá - gi - o.  
 3. pa - cem prae - sta, ne mo - lé - sta nos per - túr - bent saé - cu - li.

B.

1. *Tacet*  
 2. et non ca - dam, sed\_ e - vá - dam de mun - di\_ nau - frá - gi - o.  
 3. pa - cem prae - sta, ne\_ mo - lé - sta nos per - túr - bent\_ saé - cu - li.

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S.

A - men.

A.

A - men.

B.

A - men.

O Mary, holy Virgin, Mother most admirable,  
 It is through you that God, my judge, is lenient to me.

Deign to commend me to Christ, your Son,  
 That I may not perish, but may escape this world's shipwreck.

Be the teacher and helper of the people of Christ;  
 Bring us peace, so that troubles may never disturb us.

*Translation: TMH*