

3. I know a Rose Tree springing

Es ist ein Ros' entsprungen

Text: 16th century German,
trans. unknown

Lento ♩ = 52

Music: Michael Praetorius (1571-1621)
arr. Thomas More Hagger (1950-2023)

Verses 1 & 3

Soprano

I know a Rose tree spring - ing forth from an an - cient
This Rose tree, blos - som la - den, where - of I sa - iah
O Flower, whose fra - grance ten - der with sweet - ness fills the

Alto

I know a Rose tree spring - ing forth from an an - cient
This Rose tree, blos - som la - den, where - of I sa - iah
O Flower, whose fra - grance ten - der with sweet - ness fills the

Organ for rehearsal only

mp

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S.


root; as men of old were sing - ing, from Jes - se
spake, is Ma - ry, spot - less Maid - en, who mo - thered,
air, dis - pel in glo - rious splen - dour the dark - ness

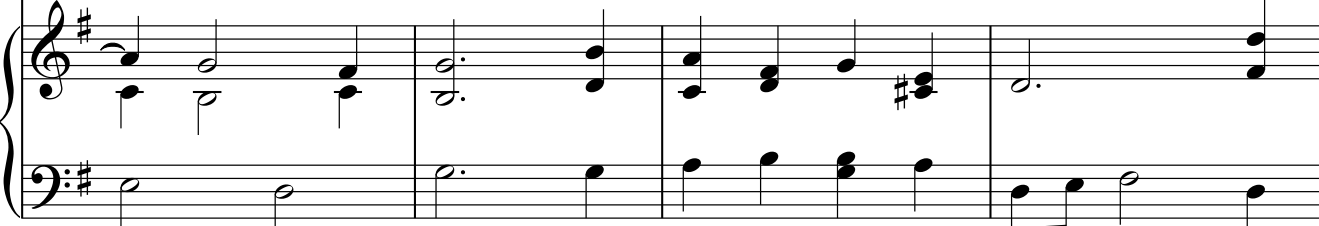
A.

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S. 
— came the shoot that bore a blos - som bright, a -
— for our sake, the lit - tle Child, new - born by
— ev - 'ry - where; true man yet ve - ry God, from

A. 
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thered for our sake, the lit - tle Child, new - born by
ness ev - 'ry - where; true man yet ve - ry God, from



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S. 
mid the cold of win - ter when half-spent___ was the night.
God's e - ter - nal coun - sel on that first___ Christ - mas morn.
sin and death now save us and share our___ ev - 'ry load.

A. 
mid the cold of win - ter when half-spent was the___ night.
God's e - ter - nal coun - sel on that first Christ - mas___ morn.
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