

# 9 - Communio

Missarum Liber Secundus - Roma 1544

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**Missa Pro Defunctis**

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**Cantor:**

Soprano I  
Soprano II  
Altus  
Tenor  
Bassus

Lux aeterna

Lu - ce - at e - is, Do -

Lu - ce -

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Lu - ce - at e -

Lu - ce - at e - is, Do - - - mi - ne,

mi - ne, Do - - - - - - - - mi -

Lu - ce - at e - - - - - - - is,

- at e - is, Do - mi - ne, Lu - - - - -

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- is, Do - - - mi - ne: Cum san -

(ne) Do - - - mi - ne: Cum san - ctis tu -

- - ne: Cun san - ctis tu - is Cum san-ctis

lu - ce - at e - is, Do - - - - mi - ne: cum san-ctis

- e - at e - is, Do - - - - mi - ne:

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- tis tu - - - - is, Cum sanc-tis tu - is in ae - ter - - -

- - is, Cum san - ctis tu - - - is in ae -

tu - - - - is, tu - - - - is in ae - ter - - num, in ae -

tu - - - - is in ae - ter - - - - -

Cum san -ctis tu -is in ae - ter - - - - - num,

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- - - num, qui - a pi - - - - us es.  
- - - num, qui - a pi - - - - us es.  
ter - - - num, qui - - a pi - us es.  
- - - num, qui - a pi - - - - us es.  
qui - - a pi - - - - us es.

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Re - qui - em ae - ter - nam do-na e-is Do-mi-ne Et lux — per - pe - tu - a lu -  
Et lux per - pe - - tu - a lu - ce -  
Et lux — per - pe - tu - a lu - ce - at  
Et lux — per - pe - tu - a lu - ce - at  
Et lux — per - pe - tu - a lu - ce -

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- ce - at e - - - is. Cum - at e - - - is. Cum san - ctis tu - is, Cum san-ctis\_\_\_ tu -  
e - - - - is. Cum san-ctis tu - is, Cum san-ctis tu - is, Cum san -  
e - is. Cum san-ctis tu - - - - is, Cum san-ctis tu - is, Cum san-ctis tu - is  
at e - is. Cum san - ctis tu - - - - is,

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san - ctis tu - - - - is, Cumsan-ctis tu - is in ae - ter -  
- is,\_\_\_ tu - - is, Cum\_\_\_ san-ctis tu - is in ae - ter - - num, in  
- ctis tu - is,\_\_\_ Cum san - ctis tu - - is\_\_\_ in  
Cum san - ctis tu - - - - is in ae - ter - - Cum san-ctis tu-is in ae - - - - ter - - - num,\_\_\_

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A musical score for five voices (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass, and Basso Continuo) and organ. The score consists of five staves. The top four staves are vocal parts, each with a soprano clef, a key signature of one sharp, and common time. The bottom staff is for the organ/basso continuo, featuring a bass clef and common time. The vocal parts sing a polyphonic setting of the Latin hymn "Aeternum qui a pius es". The basso continuo part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and simple chords. Measure 43 begins with a rest followed by a melodic line in the soprano and alto voices.

- - - - num, qui - a pi - - - us es.  
ae - - ter - - - num, qui - - - a pi - - - us es.  
ae - ter - - - - num, qui - - - a pi - - - us es.  
- - - - - num, qui - a pi - - - us es.  
qui - - - a pi - - - us es.