

COLLECTION MUSICALE EN FORMAT NUMÉRIQUE  
POLYPHONIES VOCALES DE LA RENAISSANCE

Eustache Du Caurroy (1549-1609)  
**O crux ave spes unica**

à cinq voix



A musical score for five voices, likely for a choir or organ. The music is written in common time (indicated by 'c') and consists of five staves. The voices are: Treble (G clef), Alto (C clef), Bass (F clef), Bass (F clef), and Bass (F clef). The lyrics are written below the notes, corresponding to the vocal parts. The lyrics are: 'O \_\_\_\_\_ crux \_\_\_\_\_ a - ve spes u -' in the first staff; 'O \_\_\_\_\_ crux \_\_\_\_\_ a - - - - - ve spes' in the second staff; 'O \_\_\_\_\_' in the third staff; 'O \_\_\_\_\_ crux \_\_\_\_\_' in the fourth staff; and 'O \_\_\_\_\_ crux \_\_\_\_\_ a - ve spes' in the fifth staff. The bass parts show rhythmic patterns of eighth and sixteenth notes, while the treble part has sustained notes.

A musical score for five voices, numbered 9 at the top left. The score consists of five staves, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The lyrics are in Latin, featuring the words "uni-ca," "crux," "ave," "spes," and "soes." The music includes various note values such as eighth and sixteenth notes, and rests. Measure numbers 9 and 8 are visible on the left side of the score.

9

uni - ca, O crux ave spes u - ni -

u - ni - ca, soes u - - - ni - ca, a - - - - ve

— crux a - ve spes u - ni -

8 a - - - ve spes u - ni - ca, O crux a - - - ve spes —

u - ni - ca, O crux ave spes

18

ca, hoc \_\_\_\_\_ pas - - - si - - -  
spes u - - - ni - ca, hoc \_\_\_\_\_ pas - si - o - - -  
ca, u - - - ni - ca, hoc \_\_\_\_\_ pas - si - o - nis tem - po -  
u - - - ni - ca, hoc \_\_\_\_\_ pas - - - si - o - - -  
u - - - ni - ca,

27

A musical score for four voices, numbered 27 at the top left. The score consists of five staves, each with a treble clef. The lyrics are written below the notes, divided by hyphens. The first staff starts with 'o - nis tem - - - po - re, hoc\_\_\_\_ pas - si - o - - nis\_\_\_\_\_ tem -'. The second staff continues with 'nis tem - - - po - re, hoc pas - si - o - nis, hoc pas -'. The third staff begins with 're,\_\_\_\_ hoc\_\_\_\_ pas - si - o - - - nis tem -'. The fourth staff starts with 'nis tem - - - po - re,\_\_\_\_ hoc\_\_\_\_ pas -'. The fifth staff concludes with '8 hoc\_\_\_\_ pas - si - o - - nis tem - - - po -'. Measure numbers 28 and 29 are indicated above the first and second staves respectively.

o - nis tem - - - po - re, hoc\_\_\_\_ pas - si - o - - nis\_\_\_\_\_ tem -

- nis tem - - - po - re, hoc pas - si - o - nis, hoc pas -

re,\_\_\_\_ hoc\_\_\_\_ pas - si - o - - - nis tem -

nis tem - - - po - re,\_\_\_\_ hoc\_\_\_\_ pas -

8 hoc\_\_\_\_ pas - si - o - - nis tem - - - po -

37

A musical score for five voices, numbered 1 through 5 from top to bottom. The music is in common time, with a key signature of one sharp. The vocal parts are: 1. Tenor (C-clef), 2. Bass (F-clef), 3. Alto (C-clef), 4. Soprano (C-clef), and 5. Bass (F-clef). The lyrics are in Latin and are repeated in each measure. The vocal parts enter at different times, creating a layered effect. Measure 37 begins with the first two voices. Measures 38-40 show the addition of the third voice. Measures 41-43 show the addition of the fourth voice. Measures 44-46 show the addition of the fifth voice. The lyrics are as follows:

- - po - re, hoc — pas - si - o - - - - nis tem - - - -  
- - si - o - - nis, hoc — pas - si - o - - nis, hoc pas - si - o -  
- - po - re, tem - po - re, hoc pas - si - o - - - - nis  
- - si - o - - nis, hoc — pas - si - o - - - nis tem - po -  
re, hoc pas - si - o - - - - nis

A musical score for voice and piano. The vocal part is in soprano clef, and the piano part is in treble clef. The score consists of five staves of music. The vocal line begins with a melodic line over a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are written below the vocal line, corresponding to the musical phrases. The piano part features sustained notes and chords.

46

- - - po - re: \_\_\_\_\_ au - ge pi - is jus - ti - ti - am,  
nis, pas - si - o - nis tem - po - re: au - ge pi - is jus - ti - ti -  
tem - - - po - re, tem - - - po - re: au - ge pi - is, \_\_\_\_\_ au -  
re, pas - si - o - nis tem - - - po - re: au -  
tem - - - - - po - re: au - ge,





75

A musical score for five voices, numbered 75 at the top left. The score consists of five staves, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The lyrics are written below the notes, divided by hyphens, suggesting a rhythmic pattern where each dash represents a eighth note. The lyrics are in Spanish and repeat several times.

re - is - que do - na ve - ni - am, ve - - -  
- que do - na, re - is - que do - na, re - is - - -  
is - que, re - is - que do - na ve - ni - am, re - is - que  
8 is - que do - na ve - ni - am, re - is - que do - na ve - ni -  
- is - que do - - - na ve - ni - am, re - is - - - que

85

A musical score for five voices, numbered 85. The score consists of five staves, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. The lyrics are in Spanish and are repeated across the staves. The first staff has a long dash followed by "ni - am." and a blank line. The second staff has "que" and "do" followed by a dash, "na ve" with a dash, another dash, and "ni - am." followed by "Te sum - ma De -". The third staff has "do - na ve - ni - am," followed by "ve - ni - am." and "Te sum - ma". The fourth staff has "am, re - is - que do - na ve - ni - am." followed by "Te sum - ma". The fifth staff has "do - - - na" followed by "ve - ni - am,".

- ni - am. \_\_\_\_\_ Te \_\_\_\_\_

que do - na ve - - - ni - am. Te sum - ma De -

do - na ve - ni - am, ve - ni - am. Te sum - ma

am, re - is - que do - na ve - ni - am. Te sum - ma

do - - - na \_\_\_\_\_ ve - ni - am,

95

A musical score for five voices, numbered 95 at the top left. The score consists of five staves, each with a treble clef. The lyrics are written below the notes, divided by vertical bar lines. The lyrics are in Latin, referring to the Holy Trinity. The score includes rests and various note values (eighth, sixteenth, etc.). The key signature changes from G major (no sharps or flats) to F major (one sharp) at measure 8.

sum - - - ma De - us tri - ni - tas,  
- - us, Te sum - - ma De - us, De - us tri - ni - tas, \_\_\_\_\_  
De - us, Te \_\_\_\_\_ sum - - - - ma, sum - ma De - us tri - ni -  
De - us, Te \_\_\_\_\_ sum -  
Te, Te sum - - ma De - - - - - us tri - ni - tas, Te

105

A musical score for five voices, numbered 1 through 5 from top to bottom. The music is in common time, with a key signature of one sharp. The vocal parts are written on five-line staves. The lyrics are in Latin, with some words repeated across voices. Measure 105 begins with voice 1 singing "Te sum - ma De - us tri - ni - tas," followed by voices 2, 3, 4, and 5. Voice 2 continues with "Te, Te sum - ma De - us tri - ni - tas," followed by voices 3, 4, and 5. Voice 3 then sings "tas, Te sum - ma De - us tri - ni - tas, col - lau - det," followed by voices 4 and 5. Voice 4 then sings "ma De - us, De - us tri - ni - tas, col - lau - det," followed by voice 5. Voice 5 then sings "sum - ma De - us tri - ni - tas, col - lau - det." The score includes measure numbers 105 and 8, and a repeat sign with a 'C' above it.

Te sum - ma De - us tri - ni - tas, col - lau -

— Te, Te sum - ma De - us tri - — ni - tas, col - lau -

tas, Te sum - ma De - us tri - ni - tas, col - lau - det,

ma De - us, De - us tri - ni - tas, col - lau - det

sum - ma De - us tri - ni - tas, col - lau - det



124

A musical score for five voices, numbered 1 through 5 from top to bottom. The music is in common time, with a key signature of one sharp. The vocal parts are: 1. Tenor (C-clef), 2. Bass (F-clef), 3. Alto (C-clef), 4. Soprano (C-clef), and 5. Bass (F-clef). The lyrics are in Latin, with some words underlined. Measure 124 consists of two measures of music. The first measure contains the lyrics: "nis spi - ri - tus: \_\_\_\_\_ quos \_\_\_\_\_. ri - tus, \_\_\_\_\_ om - nis spi - - - - - ri -". The second measure continues with: "nis spi - ri - tus, col - lau - det om - nis spi - ri - tus: quos". The bass part (voice 5) begins in measure 125 with the lyrics: "spi - ri - tus, col - lau - det \_\_\_\_\_ om - nis spi - ri -". The bass part (voice 5) ends with a fermata over the note "ri - tus:".

8

nis spi - ri - tus, col - lau - det om - nis spi - ri -

col - lau - det om - nis spi - - - - - ri - tus:

133

— per cru - - cis mys - te - - ri - um, quos per cru -

tus: quos per cru - - cis, \_\_\_\_\_ quos

per \_\_\_\_\_ cru - cis, quos per cru - cis, quos per cru - cis

tus: quos per cru - - cis mys - te - - ri - um, quos per cru -

8

142

cis mys - te - ri - um, sal - vas, mys -  
per cru - cis mys - te - ri - um, quos \_\_\_\_\_ per cru -  
mys - te - ri - um, mys - te - ri - um, sal - vas, mys - te -  
8 quos \_\_\_\_\_ per cru - cis mys - te - ri - um,  
cis mys - te - ri - um, mys - te - ri - um,

150

A musical score for four voices (SATB) in G major. The vocal parts are arranged in four staves, each with a treble clef. The lyrics are written below the staves, corresponding to the musical phrases. The score consists of five systems of music, each starting with a different vocal part. The first system begins with the bass part, followed by the tenor, alto, and soprano. The second system begins with the soprano. The third system begins with the bass. The fourth system begins with the alto. The fifth system begins with the soprano. The music includes various note values such as eighth and sixteenth notes, rests, and dynamic markings like forte (f) and piano (p). The lyrics are in Latin and include words like "te", "ri", "um", "sal", "vas", "re", "ge", "cis", "mys", "ri", "um", "sal", "vas", "re", "ge", "per", "sæ", "cu", "la", and "per". The score is numbered 150 at the top left.

- - te - ri - um, sal - vas re - ge, re - ge  
cis mys - te - ri - um, sal - vas re - ge,  
- - ri - um, sal - vas, re - - - ge per sæ - cu - la, re - - ge per \_\_\_\_\_  
8 mys - te - ri - um, sal - vas re - - - ge per sæ - cu - la,  
- - - te - ri - um, sal - vas re - ge per sæ - cu - la,

159

per \_\_\_\_\_ sæ - cu - la, re - ge per sæ - - - cu - la.  
re - ge, re - ge per sæ - - - cu - la.  
- sæ - - - cu - la, re - ge per sæ - - cu - la.  
re - - - ge per sæ - cu - la.  
8 re - - - ge per sæ - cu - la.