

Derelinquat impius viam suam

Isaiah 55:7; Joel 2:13

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Superius

Discantus

Contratenor

Tenor

Bassus

De - re - lin - quat im - pi - us vi - am su - - - - am, vi -

De - re - lin - quat im - pi - us vi - am su - - - -

De - re - lin - quat im - pi - us vi -

De - re -

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De - re - lin - quat im - pi - us vi - am su - - - -

- am su - - - - am, de - re - lin - quat im - pi - us vi - am su - am, vi - am su - am, vi -

- am, vi - am su - am, de - re - lin - quat im - pi - us vi - am su - - - - am,

am su - - - - am, vi - am su - - - - am, vi - am su -

lin - quat im - pi - us vi - am su - - - - am, vi - am su - - - - am, vi -

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am, et vir i - ni - quus co - gi - ta - ti - o - nes su - as, et re - ver -

am su - am, et vir i - ni - quus co - gi - ta - ti - o - nes su - -

vi - am su - am, et vir i - ni - quus co - gi - ta - ti - o - nes su - -

- am, et vir i - ni - quus co - gi - ta - ti - o - nes su -

am su - am, et vir i - ni - quus co - gi - ta - ti - o - nes su -

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ta-tur ad Do - mi - num, et re-ver-ta - tur ad Do - mi-num et mi-se -
 as, et re-ver-ta - tur ad Do - mi - num et mi-se-re - bi -
 as, et re - ver - ta-tur ad Do - mi - num, et re-ver-ta - tur ad Do -
 as, et re-ver - ta - tur ad Do - mi - num, ad Do - mi -
 as, et re-ver - ta - tur ad Do - mi-num

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re - bi-tur e - jus, et mi - se-re - bi-tur e - jus, Qui - a
 tur e - - - jus, et mi-se - re - bi-tur e - jus, Qui -
 - mi - num et mi - se - re - bi-tur e - - - jus, et mi-se - re-bi-tur e - jus, Qui -
 num et mi - se - re - bi-tur e - - - jus, e - - - jus. Qui -
 et mi - se - re - bi-tur e - - - jus, e - - - jus. Qui -

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be-ni-gnus et mi-se-ri - cors_____ est, be-ni-gnus et mi - se - ri -
 a be - ni-gnus et mi - se-ri - cors_____ est, et mi-se - ri - cors_____ est, be-ni-gnus et mi-se-ri-cors,
 a be - ni-gnus et mi - se-ri - cors est, be-ni-gnus et mi - se -
 a be - ni-gnus et mi - se-ri - cors_____ est, et mi-se - ri - cors_____ est, be - ni-gnus et mi -
 a be - ni-gnus et mi - se-ri - cors_____ est, be - ni-gnus et mi -

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cors est, et prae-sta - bi-lis su-per ma-li - ti - a,
 mi-se-ri-cors est, et prae-sta - bi-lis su-per ma-li - ti - a, Do - mi-nus De - us
 ri - cors est, et prae-sta - bi-lis su-per ma-li - ti - a, et prae-sta - bi-lis su-per ma-li - ti - a,
 se-ri-cors est, et prae-sta - bi-lis su - per ma-li - ti - a, Do - mi-
 se-ri - cors est, et prae-sta - bi-lis su - per ma-li - ti - a, Do - mi-nus De -

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Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster,
 no - ster, Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster,
 Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster,
 nus De - us no - ster, Do - mi-nus De - us
 - us no - ster, Do - mi-nus De -

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Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster, Do -
 ster, De - us no - ster, Do - mi-nus De -
 Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster, De - us no -
 no - ster, De - us no - ster, Do - mi-nus De - us no -
 - us no - ster, Do - mi - nus

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The musical score consists of five staves. The first staff is a vocal line in G major, starting with a treble clef and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "- mi-nus De - us no - ster, Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster." The second staff is a vocal line in G major, starting with a treble clef and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "us no - ster, Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster." The third staff is a vocal line in G major, starting with a treble clef and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "ster, De - us no - ster, Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster." The fourth staff is a vocal line in G major, starting with a bass clef and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "ster, Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster, Do - mi-nus De - us no - ster." The fifth staff is a vocal line in G major, starting with a bass clef and a common time signature. The lyrics are: "De - us no - ster, De - us no - ster."

Derelinquat impius viam suam,
 et vir iniquus cogitationes suas,
 et revertatur ad Dominum et miserebitur ejus.
 Quia benignus et misericors est,
 et præstabilis super malitia,
 Dominus Deus noster.

Let the wicked forsake his way,
 and the unjust man his thoughts,
 and let him return to the Lord, and he will have mercy on him.
 For the Lord our God is gracious and merciful,
 and repenteth him of the evil,
 the Lord Our God.