

# AVE MARIA

Anton Bruckner (1824–1896)  
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**Andante** ♩ = ca. 72

The score is in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of three systems of music. The first system (measures 1-5) features a vocal line with two staves (S1 and S2) and piano accompaniment (A). The lyrics are: "A - ve Ma - rí - a, grá - ti - a ple - na, Dó - mi - nus Dó - mi - nus". The piano accompaniment consists of chords in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The second system (measures 6-10) features a vocal line with two staves (S1 and S2) and piano accompaniment (T and B). The lyrics are: "te - cum, be - ne - dí - cta tu in mu - li - é - ri - bus, te - cum, be - ne - dí - cta tu in mu - li - é - ri - bus, et be - ne - et be - ne -". The piano accompaniment includes a tenor part (T) and a bass part (B). The third system (measures 11-15) features a vocal line with two staves (S1 and S2) and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "dí - ctus fru - ctus ven - tris tu - i, Je - sus, dí - ctus fru - ctus ven - tris tu - i, Je - sus,". The piano accompaniment includes a tenor part (T) and a bass part (B). The tempo is marked "Andante" with a quarter note equal to approximately 72 beats per minute. Dynamics include *p* (piano), *f* (forte), *pp* (pianissimo), and *mp* (mezzo-piano). The marking *dolce* (dolce) is used for the final phrase.

**S1** *p* A - ve Ma - rí - a, grá - ti - a ple - na, Dó - mi - nus  
 Dó - mi - nus

**S2** *p* A - ve Ma - rí - a, grá - ti - a ple - na, Dó - mi - nus  
 Dó - mi - nus

**A** A - ve Ma - rí - a, grá - ti - a ple - na, Dó - mi - nus

**6** *f* te - cum, be - ne - dí - cta tu in mu - li - é - ri - bus,  
*f* te - cum, be - ne - dí - cta tu in mu - li - é - ri - bus,

**T** *pp* et be - ne -

**B** *pp* et be - ne -

**11** *mp* dí - ctus fru - ctus ven - tris tu - i, Je - sus,  
*mp* dí - ctus fru - ctus ven - tris tu - i, Je - sus,

*dolce* *mp* dí - ctus fru - ctus ven - tris tu - i, Je - sus,  
*dolce* *mp* dí - ctus fru - ctus ven - tris tu - i, Je - sus,