

CANTIMUS DE AMORE

(We Sing of Love)

for S.A.T.B. voices and piano
with optional PianoTrax*

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Robustly (♩ = ca. 144)

PIANO

9 SOPRANO *f*
ALTO Can you hear our joy - ful song?
TENOR *f*
BASS

* Also available for S.A.B. (49854) and S.S.A. (49855).

PianoTrax 17 accompaniment CD available (51275). Visit alfred.com for digital scores and audio.

See page 16 for Latin pronunciation and translation.

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Can - ti - mus de a - mor e!

Can - ti - mus de a - mor e!

17

We sing of love, come sing a - long.

21

Can ti mus de a - mor e!

Can - ti - mus de a - mor e!

25

mf

Life is mov - ing to its fate.

mf

mf

29

mp

Take no time to hes - itate.

mp

mp

34

Love is now and can - not wait.

f

38

Can - ti - mus de a - mor - e!

Can - ti - mus de a - mor - e!

This system contains the first four measures of the piece. It features a vocal line in the upper staff and a piano accompaniment in the lower staff. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The lyrics are 'Can - ti - mus de a - mor - e!'.

42

This system contains measures 42 and 43. The vocal line consists of whole rests for both parts. The piano accompaniment continues with chords and moving lines in both staves.

45

This system contains measures 44 and 45. The vocal line consists of whole rests for both parts. The piano accompaniment continues with chords and moving lines in both staves.

This system contains the final four measures of the piece (measures 46-49). It features piano accompaniment in both staves, with chords and moving lines. The piece concludes with a final chord in the right hand.

49

mf

Let the rhy - thm move _____ your feet. Sal -

mf

Let the rhy - thm move your feet.

mf

53

ta - re pro gau - di - o.

f

Sal - ta - re pro gau - di - o.

f

57

mf

Danc - ing, sway - ing to _____ the beat. Sal -

mf

Danc - ing, sway - ing to the beat.

mf

61

f

ta - re pro gau - di - o.

Sal - ta - re pro gau - di - o.

f

65

mf

No way now to hold it in,

mf

mf

69

feel the en - er - gy with - in.

mp

mp

mp

74

mf

Let your danc - ing now be - gin. Sal -

mf

mf

78

f

ta - re pro gau - di - o.

f

Sal ta - re pro gau - di - o.

f

82

85 SOPRANO *mf* 86

We sing of love, we dance for joy,

ALTO *mf*

We sing of love, we dance for

TENOR *mf*

Sing of love, we dance for

BASS *mf*

We sing of love and we dance for

mf

89 *cresc.*

we live life ful - ly and we hun - ger for

cresc.

joy, live life ful - ly and hun - ger for

cresc.

joy, live life ful - ly and hun - ger for

cresc.

joy. We live life ful - ly and hun - ger for

cresc.

93 94 *f*

more. Sing of love, dance for

more. We sing, we dance,

more. Sing of love, dance for

more. Sing of love, dance for

97

joy, live life ful - ly and more.

live life ful - ly and more.

joy, live life ful - ly and hun - ger for more.

joy, live life ful - ly and hun - ger for more.

102

Ev - 'ry day is made to en - joy.

Ev - 'ry day is made to en - joy.

Ev - 'ry day is made to en - joy.

Ev - 'ry day is made to en - joy.

106

Plen e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

Plen e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

Plen e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

Plen e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

110

Heart and pas - sion to em - ploy.

Heart and pas - sion to em - ploy.

Heart and pas - sion to em - ploy.

Heart and pas - sion to em - ploy.

Piano accompaniment for system 110.

114

Plen e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

Plen e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

Plen e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

Plen e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

Piano accompaniment for system 114.

118

mf

Live each day whole - heart - ed - ly,

Live each day whole - heart - ed - ly,

Live each day whole - heart - ed - ly,

Live each day whole - heart - ed - ly,

mf

122

mp

sim - ple, lov - ing, and care free. En -

sim - ple, lov - ing, and care - free. En -

sim - ple, lov - ing, and care - free. En -

sim - ple, lov - ing, and care - free. En -

mp

127

f

joy - ing time be - fore it flees.

f

joy - ing time be - fore it flees.

f

joy - ing time be - fore it flees.

f

joy - ing time be - fore it flees.

f

131

mp

Plen - e vi - vi - mus vi - tam! Sal -

mp

Plen - e vi - vi - mus vi - tam! Sal -

mp

Plen - e vi - vi - mus vi - tam! Sal -

mp

Plen - e vi - vi - mus vi - tam! Sal -

mp

135

ta - re pro gau - di - o! Plen - e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

ta - re pro gau - di - o! Plen - e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

ta - re pro gau - di - o! Plen - e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

ta - re pro gau - di - o! Plen - e vi - vi - mus vi - tam!

139

mf Can - ti - mus de a - mor *f*

mf Can - ti - mus de a - mor *f*

mf Can - ti - mus de a - mor *f*

mf Can - ti - mus de a - mor *f*

142 *molto rit.* *ff*

e!

molto rit. *ff*

e, a - mor - e!

molto rit. *ff*

e, a - mor - e!

molto rit. *ff*

e!

molto rit. *ff*

LATIN PRONUNCIATION & TRANSLATION

Cantimus de amore!

kahn-tee-moos deh ah-maw-reh

We sing of love!

Saltare pro gaudio!

sahl-tah-reh praw gahoo-dee-aw

We dance for joy!

Plene vivimus vitam!

pleh-neh vee-vee-moos vee-tahm

We live life fully!