

A Kalmus Classic Edition

Johann Sebastian
BACH

CANTATA No. 208
WAS MIR BEHAGT,
IST NUR DIE MUNTRE JAGD

(BWV 208)

for Two Sopranos, Tenor and Bass Soli,
Chorus and Orchestra with German text
and English text in preface

CHORAL SCORE

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zum Geburtstage
des Herzogs Christian zu Sachsen-Weissenfels
„Was mir behagt, ist nur die muntre Jagd“

Recitativo
Diana (Soprano)

Joh. Seb. Bach (BWV 208)

Was mir behagt, ist nur die muntre Jagd! Eh' noch Aurora
The mer-ry chase, the hunt, is my de-light! Be-fore Au-ro-ra's

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pranget, eh' sie sich an den Himmelwagt, hat dieser Pfeil
face in splen-dor bright has ban-ished night, my trust-y dart

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Adagio (♩ = 56).

Presto (♩ = 92).

— schon an - ge - neh - me Beut' er - lan - get, schon an - ge -
has sped to find its no - ble quar - ry, has sped to

cresc. poco a poco