

BLESSED SACRAMENT

Ave Verum Corpus

Attrib. Pope Innocent VI (1282 - 1362)

Frederic Chopin (1810 - 1849)
arr. Matthew Johnson (b. 1985)

Largo

p *poco cresc.*

1. A - ve ve - rum Cor - pus na - tum de Ma - ri - a Vir - gi - ne:
2. Cu - jus la - tus per - fo - ra - tum flu - xit a - qua et san - gui - ne:

p legato *poco cresc.*

mp *dim.*

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Es - to no - bis prae - gu - sta - tum mor - tis in e - xam - mi - ne.

mp *dim.*

p *rall. e dim.* *pp*

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p *rall. e dim.* *pp*

Translation: Hail, true body born of the Virgin Mary, who truly suffered, sacrificed on the Cross for man, from whose pierced side water and blood flowed: be for us a foretaste [of the Heavenly banquet] in the trial of death.