

## Ave Regina cælorum (1582)

*Ave Regina cælorum! Ave Domina angelorum!  
Salve radix sancta, ex qua mundo lux est orta.*

*Gaude gloriosa, super omnes speciosa.  
Vale valde decora et pro nobis semper Christum exora.*

Hail, Queen of Heaven! Hail, Lady of Angels!  
Hail, holy root, from whom light has risen for the world.

Rejoice, glorious one, beautiful beyond all others.  
Farewell, fairest one, and always pray to Christ for us.

*Antiphon for Compline, assigned from 1569 to 1969 in the Roman Breviary  
for use from Candlemas until Wednesday of Holy Week*

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Soprano I  
Discantus

Soprano II  
Quinta Vox

Alto  
Altus

Tenor I  
Sexta Vox

Tenor II  
Tenor

Bass  
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