

William Byrd  
c. 1539/40 - 1623

Deus, in  
Adjutorium

*ed. Michael Winter*

**for 6 voices, SATTBarB**

Reconstructed from the Baldwin Partbooks (Och MS.  
979 - 983)

*Deus, in adjutorium* is a lengthy setting of vulgate psalm 69 which does regrettably not service in complete form. It's somewhat surprising that Byrd never chose to publish this piece; it may be that it did not fit into the intended scheme for the six-part section of *Cantiones Sacrae II*. It also may be that the quality of this piece does not match the expert compositions found in his published works but this piece nevertheless contained elements of real compositional flair (partically in the final section of this piece).

This pieces has many characteristics that suggest it was written when Byrd had developed his craft as a composer. The careful use of texture throughout this piece illustrates the quality of the piece and the developing talent of this composer, especially when compared to some of the other lacunary works found in the Baldwin Partbooks. This piece must have had some popularity when written has the piece has copied in at least one other set of manuscripts however only the Contratenor II and Superius parts survive in this manuscript set.

## **Editorial Notes:**

**Source:** Baldwin Partbooks (Christ Church, Oxford, MS. 979-83); Tenor volume missing

**Text:** Italics indicate editorial text

**Note Values:** Original note values have been retained.

**Accidentals:** Large print accidentals before the note appear in the source. Small print accidentals above the note are editorial

**Recommended Performance Pitch:** As written although feel free to transpose at will

**Missing Tenor Part:** Tenor part has been editorially supplied

**Other notes:** Bar 32, Medius, there is no dot next to the A in the source.

Should you spot any errors, or would like a transposed version, please feel free to get in contact at [michael\\_winter1@outlook.com](mailto:michael_winter1@outlook.com)

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Musical score for *Deus, in Adjutorium* by William Byrd, featuring six voices:

- Superius:** Treble clef, common time. Notes: De, us, in, ad, ju, to, ri.
- Medius:** Treble clef, common time. Notes: De, us, in, ad, ju, to, ri, um, me.
- Contratenor I:** Treble clef, common time. Notes: De, us, in, ad, ju, to, ri.
- Contratenor II:** Treble clef, common time. Notes: De, us, in, ad, ju, to, ri, um, me, um, in.
- Tenor:** Treble clef, common time. Notes: De, us, in.
- Bassus:** Bass clef, common time. Notes: De, us, in.

Continuation of the musical score for *Deus, in Adjutorium* by William Byrd, featuring six voices:

- S.** Treble clef, common time. Notes: um, me, um, in, ten, de, de,
- M.** Treble clef, common time. Notes: um, in, ten, de, me, um, in, ten,
- Ct. I** Treble clef, common time. Notes: Me, um, in, ten, de, De,
- Ct. II** Treble clef, common time. Notes: ten, de, me, um, in,
- T.** Treble clef, common time. Notes: ad, ju, to, ri, um, me, um, in,
- B.** Bass clef, common time. Notes: De, us, in, ad, ju, to, ri,

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S. in - ten - de, in - ten - - -

M. - - - de, in - ten - - - de,

Ct. I 8 us in ad - ju - to - ri - um me - um in - ten -

Ct. II 8 ten - de, in - ten - de, in - ten - - - de,

T. 8 ten - - - te in - ten -

B. um me - - - um in - ten - - -

16

S. - - - de; Do - mi - ne, ad

M. in - ten - - de; Do - mi - ne, ad ad - ju - van - dum

Ct. I 8 - de; Do - mi - ne, ad ad - ju - van - dum me fe - sti -

Ct. II 8 in - ten - - de; Do - mi - ne, ad ad - ju - van - dum

T. 8 - de; Do - mi - ne, ad ad - ju - van - dum me fe - sti -

B. - - - de; Do - mi - ne, ad ad -

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S. ad - ju - van - dum me fe - sti - - - - -

M. me fe - sti - - - - -

Ct. I 8 na. fe - sti - - - - -

Ct. II 8 me fe - sti - - - na, fe - sti - - - - -

T. 8 na, fe - sti - - - - -

B. - ju - van - dum me fe - sti - - - - -

26

S. - na. Con - fun - dan - tur, et re - ve - - re -

M. - na. Con - fun - dan - tur, et re - ve - - re -

Ct. I 8 na. Con - fun - dan - tur,

Ct. II 8 na. Con - fun - dan - tur, et re - ve - - re - an -

T. 8 na. Con - fun - dan - tur, et re - ve - - re - an -

B. - na. Con - fun - dan - tur, et re - ve - - re -

31

S. an - - tur, qui quæ -

M. an - - tur, et re - ve - re - an - - tur,

Ct. I 8 et re - ve - re - - an - tur,

Ct. II 8 tur,

T. 8 - - tur, et re - ve - re - - an - - tur,

B. - re - an - tur, et re - ve - re - an - - tur,

36

S. runt a - ni-mam me - - am,

M. qui quæ - runt a - ni-mam me - - am,

Ct. I 8 qui quæ - runt a - ni-mam me - - am,

Ct. II 8 qui quæ - runt a - ni-mam me - - am,

T. 8 qui quæ - runt a - ni-mam me -

B. qui quæ - - runt



50

S. A - ver - tan - tur re - tror - - -

M. A - ver - tan - tur re - tror - sum,

Ct. I 8 A - ver - tan - tur re - tror - sum, a - ver - tan - tur

Ct. II 8 A - ver - tan - tur re - tror - sum, re - tror - - -

T. 8

B.

55

S. - sum, et e - ru - be - - - scant,

M. et e - ru - be - - - scant,

Ct. I 8 re - tror - sum, et e - ru - be - - -

Ct. II 8 - sum, et e - ru - be - - - scant, et e - ru -

T. 8 A - ver - tan - tur re - tror - sum,

B. 8 A - - - ver - tan - tur re - tror - sum, et e - ru -

60

S. et e - ru - be - scant,

M. et e - ru - be - scant, et e - ru - be -

Ct. I 8 - scant, et e - ru - be -

Ct. II 8 be - scant, et e - ru - be - scant,

T. 8 et e - ru - be -

B. be - scant, et e - ru - be -

65

S. qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma -

M. scant, qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma - la,

Ct. I 8 - scant, qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma - la,

Ct. II 8 — qui vo - lunt, qui vo -

T. 8 scant, qui vo - lunt mi - hi, ma - la, qui -

B. scant, qui vo - lunt mi - hi, qui vo - lunt

70

S. - la, qui vo - lunt mi -

M. qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma - la,

Ct. I 8 qui vo - lunt, qui vo - lunt mi - hi, ma - -

Ct. II 8 lunt mi - hi ma - - - la, qui vo - lunt mi -

T. 8 vo - lunt mi - hi ma - la,

B. mi - hi ma - - - la, qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma -

75

S. hi ma - - - la, qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma -

M. qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma - la, mi - hi ma -

Ct. I 8 - la, qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma - - - la;

Ct. II 8 - hi, qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma - la, ma - -

T. 8 qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma - - -

B. - la, qui vo - lunt mi - hi ma - -

10

S. - la; a - ver - tan - tur sta - - - tim, sta - - - tim,

M. - la; a - ver - tan - tur sta - - - tim,

Ct. I - - - - - a - ver - tan - tur sta - -

Ct. II - la; a - ver - tan - tur sta - - - - -

T. - la; a - - - - - ver - tan - tur

B. - la; - - - - -

85

S. a - ver - tan - tur sta - - - - - tim

M. ver - tan - tur sta - - - tim e - ru -

Ct. I - - - - - tim e - ru - be -

Ct. II tim, a - ver - tan - tur sta - - - - -

T. sta - - - - - tim e - -

B. - a - - - - - ver - tan - tur sta - - - tim

89

S. e - ru - be - scen - tes qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu -

M. be - scen - tes qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu -

Ct. I 8 scen - - tes qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu -

Ct. II 8 tim e - ru - be - scen - tes qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu -

T. 8 ru - - be - scen - tes qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu -

B. e - ru - be - scen - tes

94

S. - ge, eu - ge,

M. - ge, eu - ge, qui di - cunt

Ct. I 8 - ge, eu - ge, qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge,

Ct. II 8 qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, eu -

T. 8 - ge, eu - ge qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, qui

B. - - - qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge,

99

S. qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, qui

M. mi - hi, qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, qui di - cunt

Ct. I 8 qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, qui di - cunt

Ct. II 8 - ge, qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, qui di -

T. 8 di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge Eu - ge, qui di - cunt mi - hi:

B. qui di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, qui di - cunt

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S. di - cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge!

M. mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - - - ge!

Ct. I 8 mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, eu - ge!

Ct. II 8 cunt mi - hi: Eu - ge, eu - ge, eu - ge! —

T. 8 Eu - ge, eu - - - ge!

B. mi - hi: Eu - - - ge, eu - ge!

13

108

S. Ex - sul - tent et læ - ten - tur in te o - - -

M.

Ct. I Ex - sul - - tent et læ - ten - - tur in

Ct. II Ex - sul - - tent

T. Ex - sul - -

B.

113

S. mnes, læ - ten - tur in te

M.

Ct. I te o - - - - mnes, læ -

Ct. II et læ - ten - tur, læ - ten -

T. tent et læ - ten - tur in te o - - -

B. Ex - sul - - tent et læ - ten - -

14

117

S. o - mnes, læ - ten - tur in te

M.

Ct. I 8 ten - - tur in te o - mnes, in

Ct. II 8 tur in te o - mnes, in te o - mnes, in te o -

T. 8 - mnes, læ - ten - tur

B. tur, læ - ten - tur, læ - ten - -

121

S. o - mnes qui quæ - runt te,

M.

Ct. I 8 te o - - mnes qui quæ - runt te, qui

Ct. II 8 - mnes qui

T. 8 in te o - mnes qui quæ - runt te, qui

B. tur in te o - mnes qui

129

S. Et di - cant sem - - - per,  
M. Et di - cant sem - - -  
Ct. I  
Ct. II Et di - cant sem -  
T. Et di -  
B.

134

S. et di - cant sem - per: Ma - gni - fi -

M. per, et di - cant sem - per:

Ct. I Et di cant sem - per:

Ct. II per, sem - per, et di - cant sem -

T. cant sem - per, sem - per, et

B. Et di - cant sem - per, et di -

139

S. ce - tur Do - mi - nus, ma - gni - fi - ce - tur Do - mi - nus, Do -

M. — Ma - gni - fi - ce - tur Do - mi - nus, qui di - li - gunt

Ct. I Ma - gni - fi - ce - tur Do - mi - nus, ma -

Ct. II per, sem - per: Ma -

T. di - cent sem - per: Ma - gni - fi - ce - tur Do - mi -

B. cant sem - per: Ma - gni - fi - ce - tur Do - mi

144

S. mi-nus, ma - gni - fi -

M.

Ct. I gni - fi - ce - tur Do - - - nus, ma - gni - fi - ce - tur Do -

Ct. II gni - fi - ce - tur Do - - - - -

T. nus, ma - gni - fi - ce - tur Do - - - - - nus

B. nus, ma - gni - fi - ce - tur Do - - - - -

148

S. ce - tur Do - mi - nus, qui di - li - gunt sa - lu -

M. sa - lu - ta - re, sa - lu - ta - re,

Ct. I mi - nus, qui di - li - gunt sa - lu -

Ct. II mi - nus, qui di - li - gunt sa - lu - ta - re

T. qui di - li - gunt sa - lu -

B. mi - nus, qui di - li - gunt

153

S. ta - re tu - - - um, sa - lu - ta -

M. sa - lu - ta - re tu - - - um,

Ct. I 8 ta - re tu - um, sa - lu - ta - re tu - um, sa -

Ct. II 8 tu - - - um, sa - lu - ta - re tu -

T. 8 ta - re tu - um, sa - lu - ta - re tu -

B. sa - lu - ta - re tu -

158

S. re\_\_\_\_ tu - - - um, sa - lu -

M. sa - lu - ta - re, sa - lu - ta - re tu -

Ct. I 8 lu - ta - re tu - - -

Ct. II 8 um, sa - lu - ta - re tu -

T. 8 um, sa - lu - ta - re tu -

B. - - - um,

162

S. ta - - - re tu - - - - -

M. - - - - -

Ct. I um, sa - lu - ta - re tu - - - - -

Ct. II um, sa - lu - ta - re tu - - - - -

T. - - - - -

B. sa - lu - ta - re tu - - - - -

165

S. - - - - - um.

M. - - - - - um.

Ct. I - - - - - um.

Ct. II - - - - - um.

T. - - - - - um.

B. - - - - - um.

167

S. M. Ct. I Ct. II T. B.

E - go ve - ro e - ge - - nus, e - ge - - nus, e - ge -

E - go ver - ro e - ge - -

173

S. - ro e - ge - - - - nus et pau - per

M.

Ct. I 8 - - nus, e - ge - - - nus et pau - - - -

Ct. II 8 - - - -

T. 8 - nus, e - ge - - - nus et pa - - - -

B.

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S. sum, et pau - per sum; De -

M.

Ct. I 8 per sum; De - us ad - ju - va me, ad - ju - va

Ct. II 8

T. 8 sum; De - us ad - ju - va -

B.

183

S. us ad - ju - va me, De - us ad - ju - va me, De - us

M.

Ct. I 8 me, ad - ju - va me, De - us ad - ju - va me, De - us

Ct. II 8

T. 8 me, ad - ju - va me, De - - us ad - ju - va me, ad -

B.

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S. ad - ju - va me, ad - ju - va me, ad - ju - va me, ad - ju -

M.

Ct. I ad - ju - va me, ad - ju - va me, ad - ju - va me, ad -

Ct. II

T. ju - va me, ad - ju - va me, ad - ju - va me, ad - ju - va

B.

193

S. - - va me. Ad - ju - tor me - - us, ad - ju -

M. Ad - ju - tor me - - us, ad - ju - tor

Ct. I - ju - va me. Ad - ju - tor me - - us, ad - ju -

Ct. II Ad - ju - tor me - - us, ad -

T. me. Ad - ju - tor me - - us, ad -

B. Ad - ju - tor me - - us, ad - ju -

198

S. tor me - - - us  
M. me - - - us  
Ct. I 8 tor me - - - us et li -  
Ct. II 8 ju - tor me - us et li - be - ra - tor me - us  
T. 8 ju - tor me - us et li - be - ra - tor me -  
B. 8 tor me - us et li - be - ra - tor me - us

202

S. et li - be - ra - tor me -  
M. et li - be - ra - tor me - us es  
Ct. I 8 be - ra - tor me - us es tu, et li - be - ra - tor  
Ct. II 8 es tu, es tu, tu, et li -  
T. 8 us es tu, et li - be - ra - tor me -  
B. 8 es tu, es tu, tu,

206

S. us es \_\_\_\_\_ tu, et li - be - ra - tor me - - - us

M. tu, et li - be - ra - tor me - - - us

Ct. I 8 me - us, et li - be - ra - tor me - us es tu, et li -

Ct. II 8 be - ra - tor me - us es tu, et li - be - ra - tor

T. 8 - us es tu, et li - et

B. et li - be - ra - tor me - us es tu, et li - be -

211

S. es tu; Do - mi - ne, ne

M. es tu; es tu; Do - mi - ne, ne

Ct. I 8 be - ra - tor me - us es tu;

Ct. II 8 me - us es tu; me - us es tu; Do - mi - ne, ne

T. 8 li - be - ra - tor me - us es tu;

B. ra - tor me - us es tu;

216

S. mo - re - ris, Do - mi -

M. mo - re - ris, Do - mi - ne,

Ct. I 8 Do - mi - ne, ne mo - re - ris, Do -

Ct. II 8 mo - re - ris, Do - mi -

T. 8 Do - mi - ne, ne mo - re - ris, Do -

B. Do - mi - ne, ne mo - re - ris, Do -

221

S. ne, ne mo - re - ris, Do - mi - ne, ne mo - re -

M. ne mo - re - ris, ne mo - re - ris, Do - mi - ne, ne mo - re - ris,

Ct. I 8 - mi - ne, ne mo - re - ris, Do - mi - ne, ne mo -

Ct. II 8 ne, ne mo - re - ris, Do - mi - ne, ne mo -

T. 8 - mi - ne, ne mo - re - ris, Do - mi - ne, ne mo - re -

B. - mi - ne, ne mo - re - ris, Do - mi - ne, ne mo - re -

226

S. ne mo - re - ris,

M. ne mo - re - ris,

Ct. I ne mo - re - ris, ne mo - re - ris,

Ct. II re - ris, ne mo - re - ris,

T. ne mo - re - ris, ne mo - re - ris,

B. ris, ne mo - re - ris,

230

S. ne mo - re - ris.

M. ne mo - re - ris.

Ct. I ne mo - re - ris.

Ct. II ne mo - re - ris.

T. ne mo - re - ris.

B. ne mo - re - ris.