

# AVE MARIS STELLA • Refrain by Fr. Antonin Lhoumeau (d. 1920) with chant verses sung according to a manuscript circa 1400AD • English translation by Fr. Adrian Fortescue (d. 1923)

REFRAIN : *Hail, star of the sea, / blessed mother of God / and ever virgin, / happy gate of heaven.*

♩ = 120

R L T S L T R D T L S L L L L S F M  
 A - ve ma - ris Stel - la, De - i Ma - ter  
R M M M M Fi S R M R F M R D  
 A - ve ma - ris Stel - la, De - i Ma - ter  
R R T R M T D D T L L  
 A - ve ma - ris Stel - la, De - i Ma - ter  
R L S R L L S F M R R  
 A - ve ma - ris Stel - la De - i Ma - ter

M F R F M S L L S R M S S F M R  
 al - ma, At-que sem-per Vir - go, Fe - lix cae - li por - ta.  
T L R R R R D Te D D R R D Te L  
 al - ma, At-que sem-per Vir - go, Fe - lix cae - li por - ta.  
S F L L M F S M L L S M Fi Fi  
 al - ma, At-que sem - per Vir - go Fe - lix cae - li por - ta.  
R R D Te L S S Te D D S S R R  
 al - ma, At - que sem - per Vir - go, Fe - lix cae - li por - ta.

2. Receiving that AVE  
from the mouth of  
Gabriel,  
establish us in peace,  
changing the name  
of «EVE» (EVA).

2. Su - mens il - lud A - ve Ga - bri - é - lis o - re,  
 Fun - da nos in pa - ce, Mu - tans He - vae no - men.

3. Loosen the chains of sinners, I give light to the blind, drive away our ills, obtain for us all good things.

3. Sol - ve\_\_ vin - cla\_\_ re - is,\_\_\_\_ Pro - fer lu - men cae - cis:  
Ma - la no - stra pel - le,\_\_\_\_ Bo - na cun - cta po - sce.

4. Show thyself a mother: I may he hear thy prayers who, born for us, I was willing to be thy Son.

4. Mon - stra te\_\_ es - se\_\_ ma - trem:\_\_\_\_ Su - mat per - te pre - ces,  
Qui pro no - bis na - tus,\_\_\_\_ Tu - lit es - se tu - us.

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5. Virgin above all others, I meeker than all, make us free from sin, I meek and pure.

5. Vir - go\_\_ sin - gu - lá - ris,\_\_\_\_ In - ter o - mnes mi - tis,  
Nos cul - pis so - lú - tos,\_\_\_\_ Mi - tes fac et ca - stos.

6. Obtain for us a pure life, I make safe our path, that seeing Jesus I we may ever rejoice with thee.

6. Vi - tam\_\_ prae - sta\_\_ pu - ram,\_\_\_\_ I - ter pa - ra tu tum:  
Ut vi - dén - tes Je - sum,\_\_\_\_ Sem - per col - lae - té - mur.

7. To God the Father be praise, I glory to Christ on high, honor to the Holy Ghost, I one in three.

7. Sit laus\_\_ De - o\_\_ Pa - tri,\_\_\_\_ Sum - mo Chri - sto de - cus,  
Spi - rí - tu - i San - cto,\_\_\_\_ Tri - bus ho - nor u - nus. A - men.