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Blessed Virgin Mary  
**SALVE MATER MISERICORDIAE**  
 DOM POTHIER  
 (A. P. B.)

Ancient hymn of the Carmelites

Refrain. Sál - ve Má - ter mi - se - ri - cór - di - ae Má -

ter Dé - i et Má - ter vé - ni - ae. Má - ter spé -

i et Má - ter grá - ti - ae Má - ter plé -

na Sán - ctae lae - tí - ti - ae, O Ma - rí - a.

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1. Sál - ve dé - cus hu - má - ni gé - ne - ris, Sál -  
 2. Sál - ve fé - lix Vír - go pu - ér - pe - ra Nam

ve Vír - go Dí - gni - or cáe - te - ris, Quae Vír - gi -  
 qui sé - det in Pá - tris dex - te - ra, Cae - lum ré -

nes ó - mnes trans - gré - de - ris, Et al - tí -  
 gens tér - ram et ae - the - ra In - tra tú -

us sé - des in sú - pe - ris, O Ma - rí - a.  
 a se cláu - sit ví - sce - ra. O Ma - rí - a

Repeat "Salve Mater" after each verse.

3. Te creávit Páter ingénitus  
 Obumbrávit te Unigénitus,  
 Fecundávit te Sánctus Spíritus  
 Tu es fácta tóta divínitus.  
 O María. Refrain: Salve Mater

4. Esto Máter, nóstrum solátium;  
 Nóstrum ésto, tu Vírgo gáudium;  
 Et nos tandem post hoc exsílium,  
 Láetos júnge chóris caeléstium.  
 O María. Refrain: Salve Mater

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Salve, Mater Misericordiae

Ancient Hymn of the Carmelites

Mode 5

Harmonized by A.P. Bragers

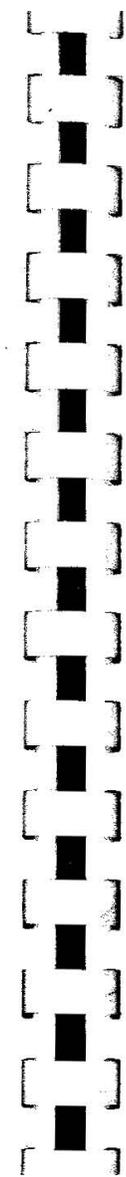
Refrain: Sál-ve Má-ter mi-se-ri-cór-di-ae, Má-ter Dé-i et Má-ter vé-ni-ae.

Má-ter spé-i et Má-ter grá-ti-ae Má-ter plé-na Sán-ctae lae-tí-ti-ae, O Ma-rí-a!

1. Sál-ve dé-cus hu-má-ni gé-ne-ris, Sál-ve Vir-go Dí-gni-or cé-te-ris, Quae

Vir-gi-nes ó-mnes trans-gré-de-ris Et ál-ti-us sé-des in sú-pe-ris, O Ma-rí-a!

Repeat: Salve.....



2.  
Sálve Félix Virgo puerpera:  
Nam qui sedet in Patris dextera,  
Caelum regens, terram et aethera,  
Intra tua se clausit viscera, O Maria!  
Salve.....

4.  
Te creavit Deus mirabilem,  
Te respexit ancillam humilem,  
Te quaesivit sponsam amabilem,  
Tibi numquam fecit consimilem, O Maria!  
Salve.....

3.  
Te creavit Pater ingenuus,  
Obumbravit te Unigenitus,  
Fecundavit te Sanctus Spiritus,  
Tu es facta tota divinitus, O Maria!  
Salve.....

5.  
Te beatam laudare cupiunt  
Omnes justii, sed non sufficiunt;  
Multas laudes de te concipiunt,  
Sed in illis prorsus deficiunt, O Maria!  
Salve.....

6.  
Esto Mater, nostram solatium  
Nostrum esto, tu Virgo, gaudium;  
Et nos tandem post hoc exsilium,  
Laetos junge choris caelestium, O Maria!  
Salve.....

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