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# Flos Carmeli

Flos Carmeli,  
vitis florigera,  
splendor caeli,  
virgo puerpera  
singularis.

Mater mitis  
sed viri nescia  
Carmelitis  
esto propitia  
stella maris.

Flower of Carmel,  
Tall vine blossom laden;  
Splendor of heaven,  
Childbearing yet maiden.  
None equals thee.

Mother so tender,  
Who no man didst know,  
On Carmel's children  
Thy favors bestow.  
Star of the Sea.

*Flos Carmeli was used by the Carmelites as the sequence for the Feast of St. Simon Stock, and, since 1663, for the Feast of Our Lady of Mt Carmel.  
It also appears in an ancient metrical office of Carmel as an antiphon and responsory.*

# Flos Carmeli

**words**

ascribed to St. Simon Stock (ca 1165 - 1265)

**music**

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$\text{♩} = 80$

SOPRANO

ALTO

TENOR

BASS

*p*

Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu-er-pe-ra,

Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu-er-pe-ra,

Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu-er-pe-ra,

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Flos car-me

*p*

Flos Car-me - li, Car-me - li,

Flos Car-me - li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge - ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu-er-pe - ra,

Flos Car-me - li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge - ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu-er-pe - ra,

Flos Car-me - li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge - ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu-er-pe - ra,

9 li, vi - - tis flo - ri - ge

vi - - tis flo - ri - ge - ra, splen - dor cae -

Flos Car me - li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu-er-pe - ra,

Flos Car me - li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu-er-pe - ra,

Flos Car me - li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu-er-pe - ra,

13 ra, unis.

- li, vi-tis flo-ri-ge-ra, vir-go pu-er-pe-ra,

Flos Car-me-li, splen-dor cae li,

Flos Car-me-li, splen-dor cae li,

Flos Car-me-li, splen-dor cae li,

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vi-tis flo-ri - ge - ra, vir-go pu-er - pe -

Flos Car-me - li, splen-dor cae - li,

Flos Car-me - li, splen-dor cae - li,

Flos Car-me - li, splen-dor cae - li,

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-ra, *mf* Flos Car-me

*mf* Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu-er - pe - ra,

*mf* Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu-er - pe - ra,

*mf* Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu-er - pe - ra,

25 *mf* Flos car-me - li,  
 li, vi - - - tis flo - ri-ge-

Flos Car me - li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge - ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu er - pe-ra,  
 Flos Car me - li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge - ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu er - pe-ra,  
 Flos Car me - li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge - ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu er - pe-ra,

29 *rit.* *p* ♩ = 50  
 ra, sin-gu - la - ris. Ma-ter mi - tis, sed  
 sin-gu - la - ris. Ma-ter mi - tis, sed  
 sin-gu - la - ris. Ma-ter mi - tis, sed vi - ri ne-  
 sin-gu - la - ris. Ma-ter mi - tis, sed vi - ri ne-

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vi - ri ne - sci - a, Car - me - li - tis,

vi - ri ne - sci - a, Car - me - li - tis,

sci - a, Car - me - li - tis, es - to pro -

sci - a, Car - me - li - tis, es - to pro -

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es - to pro - bi - ti - a, stel - la ma - - -

es - to pro - bi - ti - a, stel - la ma - - - ris.

bi - ti - a, stel - la ma - - - ris.

bi - ti - a, stel - la ma - - - ris.

48 ♩ = 80

*p* ris. *p* vi - - - tis\_

*p* Flos Car-me -

*p* Flos Car me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge-ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu - er - pe - ra,

*p* Flos Car me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge-ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu - er - pe - ra,

*p* Flos Car me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge-ra, splen-dor cae - li, vir-go pu - er - pe - ra,

52 flo - ri-ge - ra vir - - -

li splen - - - dor cae -

Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu - er - pe - ra,

Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu - er - pe - ra,

Flos Car-me-li, vi-tis flo-ri - ge-ra, splen-dor cae-li, vir-go pu - er - pe - ra,

## Più mosso

56 go pu - er - pe - ra,

-li

Flos Car - me-li, vi - tis flo - ri - ge - ra, sin - gu - la - ris,

Flos Car - me-li, vi - tis flo - ri - ge - ra, sin - gu - la - ris, sin - gu - la - ris,

Flos Car - me-li, vi - tis flo - ri - ge - ra, sin - gu - la - ris, sin - gu - la - ris,

60 *mp* *ff* *rit.*

sin - gu - la - ris, sin - gu - la - ris, A - - - men.

sin - gu - la - ris, sin - gu - la - ris, A - - - men.

sin - gu - la - ris, sin - gu - la - ris, A - - - men.

sin - gu - la - ris, sin - gu - la - ris, A - - - men.