

Justorum animæ

William Byrd (c.1540-1623)

Superius [Soprano]
Medius [Soprano]
Contratenor [Alto]
Tenor [Tenor]
Bassus [Bass]

Ju - sto - rum a - ni - mæ in ma - nu De -
Ju - sto - rum a - ni - mæ in ma - nu
Ju - sto - rum a - ni - mæ in ma - nu De -
Ju - sto - rum a - ni - mæ in ma - nu De - i
Ju - sto - rum a - ni - mæ in ma - nu

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- - i sunt, et non tan - get il - los, et non tan - get
De - - i sunt, et non tan - get il - los, et non tan - get
- - i sunt, et non tan - get il - los, et non tan - get
sunt, De - i sunt, et non tan - get il - los tor - men - tum
De - i sunt, et non tan - get

il - los tor - men - tum mor - tis, tor - men - tum mor - tis:
il - los tor - men - tum mor - tis, tor - men - tum mor -
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il - los tor - men - tum mor - tis, tor - men - tum mor -

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vi - si sunt o - cu - lis, o - cu - lis in -

-tis: vi - si sunt o - cu - lis in - si - pi - en - ti - um mo -

-tis: vi - si sunt o - cu - lis in - si - pi - en - ti - um,

-tis: vi - si sunt o - cu - lis in - si - pi - en - ti - um

-tis: vi - si sunt o - cu - lis in - si - pi - en - ti - um mo -

- si - pi - en - ti - um mo - ri, mo -

- ri, in - si - pi - en - ti - um mo - ri, mo -

in - si - pi - en - ti - um mo - ri, mo -

mo - ri, mo - ri, in - si - pi - en - ti - um mo -

- ri, in - si - pi - en - ti - um mo -

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- ri: il - li au - tem sunt, il - li au - tem sunt il -

- ri: il - li au - tem sunt, il - li au - tem sunt in pa -

- ri: il - li au - tem sunt in

- ri: il - li au - tem sunt, il - li au - tem sunt in

- ri: il - li au - tem sunt in pa - ce, in pa - ce,

- li au - tem sunt in pa - ce, in pa - - -
 - ce, il - li au - tem sunt in pa - ce, in pa -
 pa - ce, il - li au - tem sunt in pa - ce, in
 pa - ce, il - li au - tem sunt in pa - - -
 il - li au - tem sunt in pa - ce,

- ce, in pa - - - ce, in pa - - - - - ce.
 - ce, in pa - ce, in pa - ce.
 pa - ce, in pa - - - - - ce.
 - ce, in pa - - - - - ce.
 in pa - - - ce, in pa - - - ce.

The souls of the just are in the hand of God, and the torment of death shall not touch them.
 They seemed in the eyes of the unwise to die: but they are in peace.

Source: William Byrd: *Gradualia, ac cantiones sacræ... Liber primus* (2nd edition, 1610), vol.1 no.31.

Text: Wisdom 3: 1-3

Liturgical function: All Saints, Mass:

Introit: Gaudeamus omnes
 Gradual & Alleluia: Timete Dominum
Offertory: Justorum animæ
 Communion: Beati mundo corde

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