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INFORMATION FOR TICKET HOLDERS

Please select seats at least ten minutes prior to the scheduled time of each performance. Please help us save paper by bringing your program back with you to each performance.

The audience is requested to refrain from using cameras or tape recorders during the concert. Please turn off pagers and cell phones, and open candies and lozenges only between pieces. Latecomers are requested to wait until an interval of applause before being seated.

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Dear Friends:

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We are pleased to present the featured work of Bach's *St. Matthew Passion* Part 1 and Part 2 in two concerts at 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Saturday. Most of the soloists will be familiar to regular Bach patrons. Christine Abraham, *mezzo-soprano*, Sanford Sylvan, *baritone*, Alan Bennett, *lyric tenor*, and Frederick Urrey, *tenor*, have all performed at the Bach Festival in recent years.

The Friday evening organ concert held at the United Methodist Church of Berea at 8:00 p.m. opens with Ullrich Böhme, *Organist, St. Thomas Church, Leipzig,* where Bach worked the last 27 years of his life. Böhme will perform J. S. Bach: *Partita diverse, BWV* 767, Prelude and Fugue in C Major; *BWV* 531 Prelude and Fugue in C Major; *BWV* 545 Sonata III in D minor, *BWV* 527 Toccata and Fugue in F Major, *BWV* 540, and selections by Kuhnau, Schneider, and J. C. Bach.

I also want to take this opportunity to extend special thanks to our patrons, guarantors and guests. Your continuing support keeps this exceptional musical tradition alive and growing. We are very grateful. This year we also welcome Conservatory alumni who are enjoying several special events this weekend.

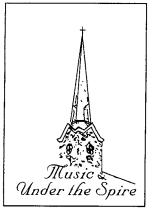
Finally, thanks go to everyone in our Baldwin-Wallace community whose excellent work leads to the continuing success of this Festival. I am thinking especially of our musicians and directors and the administrative staff of the Festival and Conservatory. They are wonderful and talented colleagues.

Again, thank you for coming. Enjoy this wonderful and inspiring music!

Very sincerely,

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As always, the Conservatory is in debt to many: The Festival and its program have been produced by Mel Unger and new Festival Coordinator, Mary Tuck; the Conservatory Women's Committee is hosting (delicious) post-performance receptions; *emeritus* professor Tony Lauria has recruited and trained the ushers, volunteers from across campus; the Berea merchants are supporting the Festival through their ads and promotions, and WCLV makes it possible for other listeners to "participate in" part of the Bach Festival by broadcasting the two-part performance of the *St. Matthew Passion*. The annual Bach Festival is truly a collaborative effort.

Your increased support during recent years provides welcome affirmation of the significance of the Festival and inspires our efforts for 2005 and beyond. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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THE BACH FESTIVAL ORGAN

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Rohrflöte 8' Holzgedackt 8' Subbass 16' Manual I to Pedal
Principal 4' Koppelflöte 4' Manual II to Pedal
Octave 2' Larigot 1 1/3' Manual II to Manual I

Manual compass: 56 notes

Pedal compass: 30 notes

Mechanical key and stop action

Casework and wooden pipes of oiled white oak

Manual naturals of cherry, sharps of grenadil

The purchase of the Bach Festival pipe organ in 1986 was made possible through the generosity of the Jackman Vodrey and William Wamelink families and the Conservatory Women's Committee. The organ is dedicated to the memory of William H. Vodrey III, a long-standing Bach Festival supporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackman S. Vodrey have endowed a fund for the purpose of ensuring the future maintenance of the organ. This fund has been established in the name of Mr. Jackman Vodrey's mother, Mrs. William H. (Evelyn) Vodrey III.

WILLIAM H. VODREY III.

William H. Vodrey III, noted historian and civic leader, was born in East Liverpool, Ohio, September 23, 1903. He graduated from East Liverpool High School in 1921, attended Mercersburg Academy, and then entered Princeton University. At Princeton he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa and was graduated Maxima cum Laude in 1926. He graduated from Harvard Law School in 1929.

Admitted to the Ohio Bar in 1929, he practiced law in East Liverpool for 50 years. He was named a "Fellow of the Ohio State Bar Association" shortly before his death on August 29, 1979.

His love and respect for the natural environment inspired and encouraged many others to share his goal of enlightening the public to the rich history of the East Liverpool area and its surrounding communities. He made notable contributions to the reforestation of thousands of acres around Fredericktown. He sponsored the preservation of many historic records and landmarks.

Long active in the various historical societies, both locally and on the state level, he served as President of the Ohio Historical Society 1965–67. The main floor of the Society's Museum of Ceramics in East Liverpool was named the "William H. Vodrey Gallery" in recognition of his work and financial support of the museum of the Ohio Historical Society.

He was a long-time supporter of the Baldwin-Wallace Bach Festival, almost from its inception in 1932, and deeply loved the music of Bach, above all other composers. This memorial from his children, Barbara Vodrey Wamelink of Gates Mills and Jackman Stroud Vodrey of East Liverpool, and their spouses, William K. Wamelink and Jane G. Vodrey, is to honor him and memorialize his love of all music and particularly that of Bach and the Conservatory.

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Quintadena 16' Prinzipal 8' Hohlflöte 8' Octav 4' Gemshorn 4' Octav 2' Mixtur V 1 1/3' Trompette 8'

III. BRUSTWERK (Swell) Rohrflöte 8'

Salizional 8'
Prinzipal 4'
Holzflöte 4'
Nasat 2 2/3'
Sifflöte 2'
Terz 1 3/5'
Octav 1'
Scharf II-III 2/3'
Trompette 8'
Tremulant

Key action: Mechanical (tracker)

Couplers:

Brustwerk to Hauptwerk Rückpositiv to Hauptwerk Brustwerk to Rückpositiv Hauptwerk to Pedal Brustwerk to Pedal Rückpositiv to Pedal

Couplers are operated by stopknobs and six reversible toe levers.

Compass: 56-note manuals, C-g"

32-note pedal clavier, C-g'

Tremulants: Brustwerk, adjustable

Rückpositiv, adjustable

I. RÜCKPOSITIV

Gedackt 8'
Prinzipal 4'
Spillflöte 4'
Sesquialtera II 2 2/3'
Octav 2'
Gedacktflöte 2'
Quinteflöte 1 1/3'
Zimbel III 1/2'
Cromhorne 8'
Tremulant

PEDAL

Prinzipal (2003) 16'
Subbass 16'
Prinzipal 8'
Rohrflöte 8'
Octav 4'
Mixtur V 2 2/3'
Posaune (Full Length Resonators 16') 16'

Trompette 8' Rohrschalmei 4'

Stop action: Electro-pneumatic, Six general mechanical setter combinatio operated by toe levers. General Cancel.

Wind supply: Separate hinged bellows for each manual division with "flexible" wind pressure. Schwimmer bellows for Pedal division.

Temperament: Mildly unequal.

Casework: Solid Oak, Fumed.

Facade: 80% burnished tin, 20% lead.

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Fugue in G Minor
Selected Chorales
March for the Ark
Sacri Concentus XXI
Cantate Domino
Overture to Berenice
Canzon Terza
Sonata Giovanni

Canzon per sonare No. 2 Canzon per sonare No. 3

Two pieces
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Two pieces

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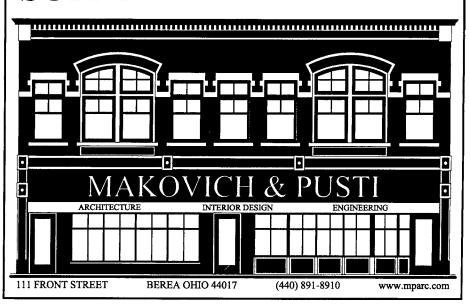
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OHIO BOYCHOIR is a community choir founded in 1974 by Alexander Musichuk. Formed around a passion for quality voices, combining musicianship and community pride, the choir has developed into one of Ohio's prized cultural assets.

After 30 years under the dedicated leadership of its' founder, Alexander Musichuk, Jon Simsic was named co-conductor of the Ohio BoyChoir at the beginning of this season. In January, he became the new conductor, and continues to maintain the high standards of this unique group. In addition to directing the Ohio BoyChoir, Mr. Simsic continues his activities as founder and conductor of Seraphim, an orchestra and chorus in Youngstown, Ohio.

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Soprano Ann Monoyios specializes in concert performances of opera, oratorio, chamber music, and in recitals of works from the Baroque and Classical periods. Most recently, she sang the title role in Handel's *Almira* with the Bremen Opera. She also sang the title role in Handel's *Deidamia* at the Handel Festival in Halle, the German-born composer's birthplace.

She has collaborated in concert in numerous international venues, including engagements at the Paris Opera with William Christie, with Les Arts Florissants in a production of Lully's *Atys*, with Jos van Immerseel in Antwerp in Handel's *Alcina*, and with Trevor Pinnock in a Lisbon performance of Purcell's *Fairy Queen*. In addition, she has

appeared at the Stavanger Cathedral in Norway, the New York Metropolitan Museum of Art, and the Tanglewood Festival. She has worked with world-renowned conductors such as Gustav Leonhardt, Frans Brueggen, Christopher Hogwood, John Eliot Gardiner, Philippe Herreweghe, Reinhard Goebel, and Nicholas McGegan.

Her discography includes recordings with Deutsche Grammonphon Archiv, Sony Vivarte, EMI, Deutsche Harmonia Mundi, Erato, and CBC. Her performance of Monteverdi's *Vespers of 1610* at the Church of San Marco in Venice with John Eliot Gardiner was recorded live for Deutsche Grammonphon. She has also recorded Bach's *St. Matthew Passion*, again with Gardiner, at Snape Maltings. She can be heard as soprano soloist in the Tafelmusik Orchestra recording of Haydn's sacred works for Sony Vivarte.



Mezzo-Soprano Christine Abraham, returning for a third appearance at the Baldwin-Wallace Bach Festival, lists performances this season as Bradamante in Handel's *Alcina* with Boston Baroque and as Sesto in Handel's *Giulio Cesare* with Utah Opera. She also appears this year with Chicago's Music of the Baroque, performing works of Monteverdi, and sings Bach's *St. Matthew Passion* with the Bach Choir of Bethlehem. Abraham has appeared with the Metropolitan Opera as Ida in *Die Fledermaus* as well as with the Toledo Opera as Despina in *Così fan Tutte*, with Opera Grand Rapids as Cherubino in *Le Nozze di Figaro*, with Boston Baroque as Minerva in *Il Ritorno d'Ulisse in Patria*, and with the Bard Festival as Mila in the North American

premiere of Janacek's *Osud*. She has sung baroque works with the Philadelphia Orchestra, Dallas Symphony, Bach Choir of Bethlehem, and the ProMusica Chamber Orchestra. She was a soloist in Bach's *St. John Passion*, *Christmas Oratorio*, and *Mass in B Minor* with the Bethlehem Bach Festival, and in Haydn's *Harmoniemesse* with the St. Louis Symphony and in Bach's *Christmas Oratorio* with the Phoenix Symphony.



Frederick Urrey, tenor, frequently performs works by J. S. Bach and other Baroque composers in distinguished venues in the United States and throughout the world. Returning to the Baldwin-Wallace Bach Festival for his tenth appearance, Urrey has also appeared as soloist with the Bach Choir of Bethlehem, the Washington Bach Consort, the Carmel Bach Festival, the Marlboro Music Festival, Les Violons du Roy of Quebec, and the Bach Societies of Vienna, Vancouver, Orleans, Louisville, and Kalamazoo. Among highlights of recent seasons he includes performances of Handel's Messiah in separate appearances with the Philadelphia Orchestra, the Handel and Haydn Society at Boston's Symphony Hall, and with Musica Sacra in Carnegie Hall. He has also appeared in the Mozart/Handel Messiah at the Kennedy Center under the

direction of Christopher Hogwood. Other performances include Handel's L'Allegro at Theatre Royal del Monnaie in Brussels; Rossini's Stabat Mater in Manila; Mozart's Die Entfurbrung aus dem Serail in Istanbul; Bach's St. Matthew Passion in Tokyo with the Japan Shinsei Symphony; Bach's Magnificat with the Bach Choir of London and with David Willcocks at Lincoln Center; and Bach's Mass in B minor with the Bach Choir of Bethlehem at the Bethlehem Bach Festival and at the Thomaskirche in Leipzig.

Urrey, whose recordings include ones with RCA/BMG, Harmonia Mundi, Telefunken-Decca, Newport Classic, Vox Classic, Koch International, and Albany labels, recently recorded a CD of English lute songs entitled "O Mistress Mine" with lutenist Ronn McFarlane. In addition he performed with the Bach Choir of Bethlehem in the 1998 release of the Mass in B minor. Both recordings are on the Dorian label.

He received a Doctor of Musical Arts degree from the Peabody Conservatory of Music and a Diploma in Lied and Oratorio with Distinction from the Hochschule für Musik und darstellende Kunst in Vienna. He is a member of the voice faculty of the Mason Gross School of the Arts of Rutgers University.



Lyric tenor **Alan Bennett**, currently on the vocal faculty of Indiana University in Bloomington, lists appearances this season with the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra performing music by Purcell, with the Calgary Philharmonic in Handel's *Messiah*, and with the Boulder Bach Festival in the *Christmas Oratorio*. He also debuts this spring with the Santa Rosa Symphony, Orchestra Seattle, and the San Francisco Bach Choir, in addition to his return to the Baldwin-Wallace Bach Festival, Violons du Roy, and the Carmel Bach Festival.

Bennet has performed with period instrument ensembles such as the Handel & Haydn Society, Tafelmusik, and Les Violons du Roy. He has sung at the Tanglewood Festival, Oregon Bach Festival,

Bethlehem Bach Festival, Bay Chamber Festival, Plymouth Music Festival, Le Rendez-vou Musicale de Laterriere in Quebec, and the Grand Tetons Music Festival; and with the Houston Masterworks Chorus, Oratorio Society of New York, Washington Choral Arts Society, Baltimore Choral Arts Society, Dartmouth Handel Society, Seattle Chamber Singers and the Bloomington Chamber Singers. He has also performed with the Cleveland Orchestra, Seattle Symphony, Kansas City Symphony, and the Philharmonia Baroque Orchestra. He has collaborated with conductors Christopher Hogwood, Bruno Weil, Helmuth Rilling, Nicholas McGegan, Paul Hillier, Bernard Labadie and the late Robert Shaw. Bennett has recorded for Harmonia Mundi USA, Nonesuch, Telarc and Focus Records.



Baritone Sanford Sylvan and his long-time collaborator, pianist David Breitman, have performed extensively throughout the United States and Europe, in major venues in London, New York, Washington, Boston, Philadelphia and San Francisco. Their recitals and recordings have earned exceptional praise from critics and audiences, including three Grammy nominations for Best Classical Vocal Performance.

Sylvan's festival appearances have include the Oregon Bach Festival under Helmuth Rilling, the Edinburgh, Tanglewood, Vienna, Holland, Schleswig-Holstein, and Ojai Festivals, as well as the Carmel Bach Festival and the New England Bach Festival (where he performs annually). As a chamber musician he has performed, toured and

recorded with the Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center, Music from Marlboro, Ensemble Sequentia, Emmanuel Music, and the Boston Symphony Chamber Players. His opera performances include leading roles in Mozart's *Le Nozze di Figaro*, *Don Giovanni*, and *Cosi fan Tutte* in venues such as the New York City Opera and the Glyndebourne Festival. Sylvan has become closely associated with the productions of renowned directors: Peter Sellars in works of John Adams, Mozart, and Stravinsky; Robert Wilson in Virgil Thomson's *Four Saints in Three Acts*; as well as Sir Peter Hall and Andrei Serban. In March 2004 he made his first appearance as Wotan in Wagner's *Die Walküre* in a condensed Christopher Alden production with the Eos Orchestra.

Mr. Sylvan has performed with many of the leading orchestras of the world including the New York Philharmonic, Boston Symphony, Cleveland Orchestra, Los Angeles Philharmonic, San Francisco Symphony, Minnesota Orchestra, Baltimore Symphony, St. Paul Chamber Orchestra, Royal Concertgebouworkest, London Symphony, the Tonhalle Orchestra of Zurich, Academy of Ancient Music, Melbourne Symphony, Australian Chamber Orchestra, and the NHK (Japanese Broadcasting Corporation) Symphony. Recent performances include debuts with the Leipzig Gewandhaus Orchestra under Herbert Blomstedt, the Minnesota Orchestra under Yakov Kreizburg, and the Kansas City Symphony, and Civic Orchestra of Chicago.



Baritone Christòpheren Nomura, a newcomer to the Baldwin-Wallace Bach Festival, has been a frequent performer with the Bach Choir of Bethlehem, the Carmel Bach Festival, the Handel & Haydn Society, the Boston Early Music Festival, Boston Baroque, and the Berkshire Choral Festival, as well as at Chamber Music Festivals including those at Santa Fe, Marlboro, Tanglewood, La Jolla, Spoleto, and the Chamber Music Society of Lincoln Center.

A performer with an affinity for Mozart, Nomura has sung the title role of *Don Giovanni* with the New Hampshire Music Festival and New York Chamber Symphony. He sang Papageno in *The Magic Flute* last season for his debut with the Lyric Opera of Kansas City.

He has appeared with the Boston Symphony, San Francisco Symphony, Minnesota Orchestra, the National Symphony Orchestra, Vancouver Symphony, the Boston Pops, Utah Symphony Orchestra, and the Memphis Symphony, and has worked under internationally renowned conductors such as Leonard Bernstein, Seiji Ozawa, James Conlon, Sergiu Comissiona, Roger Norrington, Christopher Hogwood, Ton Koopman, Andrew Parrott, and Martin Pearlman. He recently returned to the San Francisco Symphony in a program of Schubert and Bach conducted by Bruno Weil. This season he debuts with the Pacific Symphony Orchestra and the National Philharmonic.

Nomura's discography includes recordings on the Sony, Dorian, Teldec, London, Denon, TDK and L'oiseau Lyre labels. His recording of the Monteverdi *Vespers of 1610* on Telarc was nominated for a Grammy (Best Classical Ensemble Recording). Mr. Nomura is a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music and winner of the 1992 Young Concert Artists International Auditions as well as the Naumburg, United States Information Agency Music Ambassadors, and the Marilyn Horne Foundation competitions.



Ullrich Böhme has been Organist at St. Thomas Church (Thomaskirche) since 1985, following in the occupational footsteps of J. S. Bach, who served as Cantor of St. Thomas and as Director Musices for the Leipzig church for the final 27 years of his life. Born in 1956 in the Vogtland area of Saxony, Böhme became organist at Rothenkirchen when he was 13. Fascinated ever since by what he terms the "King of Instruments," he has studied with Hans Otto at the Dresden Church Music Academy and at the Leipzig Conservatory with Wolfgang Schetelich. After his studies he assumed the position of Cantor and Organist at the Church of the Holy Cross (Kreuzkirche) in Chemnitz.

Böhme's principal responsibilities at St. Thomas include solo organ performances at church services, and directing the venerable St. Thomas Boy Choir in concerts and regular evening choral services (Motetten) at St. Thomas Church, as well as playing continuo for cantatas, oratorios, and Passions. In 1989 he received the Critics' Prize of the Cultural Journalists of Leipzig. He has also made regular concert tours in Europe, North America, and Japan. He has made numerous recordings on compact disk with Philips Classics, Delta; and others for radio and television, in Germany and abroad.

Mr. Böhme is also interested in the restoration of old organs; most recently, he implemented the placing in St. Thomas Church of a replica made by Gerald Woehl of the Georg Christoph Stertzing organ that Bach knew in his hometown of Eisenach. The 60-stop Baroque-style instrument is a copy of the one Bach's uncle had built for St. George's Church in 1696–1707 and includes a feature for tuning to the "choir pitch" of Bach's day. Böhme also participated in the "Bach 2000 Festival," which was part of the Leipzig observation of the 250th anniversary of Bach's death. Böhme, since 1994 a professor at the Leipzig Conservatory of Music and Drama, teaches master classes in interpretation in Germany and abroad.

MUSIC DIRECTOR



DWIGHT OLTMAN, who celebrates his twenty-ninth season as Music Director of the Festival, has established a reputation as one of America's leading interpreters of the music of J. S. Bach. Career highlights include two concerts at Kennedy Center when the Festival was invited to appear in Washington, D.C. at the "Festival of Festivals." Another event receiving national acclaim was a telecast of Bach's *St. Matthew Passion* seen on 116 PBS stations. In past seasons, Professor Oltman has collaborated with an impressive array of distinguished American, Canadian, and European singers. This list includes artists such as Arleen Auger, Phyllis Bryn-Julson, Lorna Haywood, Lois Marshall, Henriette

Schellenberg, Ingeborg Danz, Jan DeGaetani, Catherine Robbin, Marietta Simpson, Derek Lee Ragin, Kurt Equiluz, Jon Humphrey, Karl Markus, Seth McCoy, Kevin McMillan, Thomas Paul,

Ruud van der Meer, and Richard Zeller. Adding further to the international dimensions of the Festival, Oltman has invited ensembles and instrumental artists, including Anner Bylsma, Frans Brueggen, Catherine Crozier, Peter Hurford, Sergiu Luca, Roberto Micconi, Paula Robison, Stanley Ritchie, Charles Treger, Elizabeth Wallfish, Quink, the New York Baroque Dance Company, and the Netherlands Chamber Orchestra. Throughout his years at Baldwin-Wallace College, Professor Oltman has maintained a busy professional conducting schedule. During twenty-four seasons as Music Director and Principal Conductor of the Cleveland Ballet, he conducted for the company in major cities including New York, Chicago, Atlanta, San Jose, Detroit, and at the prestigious Edinburgh Festival in Scotland. Founding Music Director of the Ohio Chamber Orchestra, he guided the development of the orchestra for twenty years. Currently Mr. Oltman is Music Director of Ballet San Jose of Silicon Valley and Music Director of the Cleveland Opera Orchestra. Guest conducting engagements have taken him to orchestras and festivals throughout the United States, in Canada, and in seven European countries. His honors have included a *Northern Ohio Live* award for the Bach Festival, an ASCAP award for the Ohio Chamber Orchestra, and a proclamation from Mayor Michael White for "Dwight Oltman Day in Cleveland."

CHORAL DIRECTOR



STUART RALEIGH is Professor of Music and Music Director of the Baldwin-Wallace College and Motet Choirs, both of which perform in the annual Bach Festivals. The conductor of various performances of operas and musicals produced by Baldwin-Wallace College and the Berea Summer Theatre, he has also served as a conductor for the Cleveland Opera Company, Lyric Opera Cleveland, and the Great Lakes Theatre Festival. A graduate of Syracuse University, Professor Raleigh was for a time Chorusmaster and Assistant Conductor of the Syracuse Symphony Orchestra and has also been a member (keyboard) of both the Cleveland Philharmonic and the Ohio Chamber Orchestras.

FESTIVAL BRASS DIRECTOR



JOHN BRNDIAR, Director of the Festival Brass, is also principal trumpet of The Cleveland Chamber Symphony, a member of the Cleveland Opera Orchestra, and one of the members of the Paragon Brass Quintet. From time to time he records and performs with The Cleveland Orchestra. An instructor of trumpet at the Baldwin-Wallace Conservatory, he holds the B.M.E. degree from Baldwin-Wallace College and a Master of Music degree from the Cleveland Institute of Music.



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ANTONIO VIVALDI Concerto for Two Violins in A Minor, RV 522

1678–1741 Lenora Leggatt, Violin

Wei-Shu Wang Co, Violin Dwight Oltman conducting

ANTONIO VIVALDI O qui coeli, RV 631

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J. S. BACH Cantata, BWV 40, Dazu ist erschienen der Sohn Gottes

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NOTES ON THE PROGRAM

by Melvin Unger

Called the "red-haired priest," Antonio Vivaldi (1678–1741) is famous today primarily for his 500+ concertos, many of which are characterized by great energy and rhythmic drive. The volatility so often associated with Vivaldi's music may have been the result of a "red-haired" temperament—the fact that his brothers were once arrested for brawling suggests it could have run in the family!

For much of his career Vivaldi worked as a music teacher and director at *Pio Ospedale della Pietà*, one of four Venetian institutions that provided schooling for hundreds of girls. Music was central to the curriculum, and Vivaldi wrote many of his works for concerts at the school. These concerts attracted visitors from all over Europe, and prompted donations to the school. A French diplomat, visiting in 1739, recounted his impressions of Vivaldi's all-girl orchestra:

The girls are educated at the expense of the state, and they are trained exclusively with the purpose of excelling in music. Thus, they sing like angels and play violin, flute, organ, oboe, cello, and bassoon; in short, no instrument, regardless of its size, frightens them. They live like nuns in a convent. All they do is perform concerts, generally in groups of about forty girls. I swear that there is nothing as pleasant as seeing a young and pretty nun, dressed all in white, with a flower over her ear, conducting the orchestra with all the gracefulness and precision imaginable. [Joseph Machlis]

While Vivaldi wrote much vocal music (including over fifty operas) he became famous throughout Europe as a composer of instrumental music with the release of his first collection of concertos, *L'Estro armonico*, Op. 3, published as two books in Amsterdam in 1711. Of this set of twelve concertos Michael Talbot writes,

While Venice was becoming acquainted with a new personality in the realm of opera, all Europe was reveling in the sounds of his first published set of concertos, *L'estro armonico*, op. 3—perhaps the most influential collection of instrumental works to appear during the whole of the eighteenth century.... The set was dedicated to Grand Prince Ferdinand of Tuscany (1663–1713)...a skilled and enthusiastic amateur musician, who bestowed his patronage on Alessandro and Domenico Scarlatti, Albinoni, Pasquini, and Handel, as well as Bartolomeo Cristofori, reputed inventor of the pianoforte.

J. S. Bach, too, admired Vivaldi's compositions, transcribing some of them for harpsichord or organ. Among the works he transcribed for organ is the concerto from L 'estro armonico (Op. 8) heard here (RV 522 = BWV 593).

While Vivaldi must have composed many motets (the terms of employment required at least two per month), only twelve survive (there are another eight motet-like pieces called "introductions"). All of the "motets" follow the common scheme of his time: Aria - Recitative - Aria - Alleluia. Three motets (among them O qui coeli terraeque serenitas for soprano, strings, and continuo) were apparently written while Vivaldi was in Rome during

the carnival seasons of 1723 and 1724. Since the vocal ranges for the three works are similar, they may well have been written for the same singer, perhaps a castrato appearing in one or more of three operas Vivaldi had written for a theater in Rome.

O qui coeli is a contemplative and even somewhat melancholy prayer in which the suppliant asks for deliverance from the delights of this world in view of eternal and heavenly matters. To depict the serenity of text "Vivaldi chooses the gentle E-flat major as his central key, and the abundant 'sighing' appoggiaturas in the first aria conjure up very well the ever-present blandishments of the world. The second aria, in C minor, uses the traditional lamento bass (a descent by chromatic steps from tonic to dominant)...to convey the wilting of a rose. In a final 'Alleluia' the soprano dissolves all the argument in an exultant display of virtuosity." [Talbot]

1. Aria

O qui coeli terraeque serenitas et fons lucis et arbiter es. Unde regis aeterna tua sidera; mitis considera nostra vota, clamores et spes.

2. Recitative

Fac ut sordescat tellus dum respicimus coelum; fac ut bona superna constanter diligamus et sperantes aeterna, quidquid caducum est odio habemus.

3. Aria

Rosa quae moritur, unda quae labitur, mundi delicias docent fugaces. Vix fronte amabili mulcent cum labili pede praetervolant larvae fallaces.

4. Alleluia

O thou who art the serenity of heaven and earth, the source and light and judge, from whence thou controllest the movements of the eternal stars, deign to consider kindly our prayers, cries, and hopes.

Make the earth seem unclean when we look to heaven; help us constantly cherish heavenly riches and, with our hopes fixed on eternal things, despise all that is transitory.

The rose that dies and the wave that subsides: such transient things characterize the pleasures of the world. Deceitful ghosts, they have scarcely begun to delight us when they fly past, fleet of foot.

Alleluia.

Bach's double choir motet *Komm, Jesu, komm* was, in all likelihood, originally commissioned and performed for a funeral in Leipzig. Using a familiar chorale text of the time, Bach creates an impressive work for double chorus; each line of the chorale's first stanza becomes the basis for one of six structural divisions, which are then followed by a simple hymn-like setting for four-part chorus of the chorale's second stanza.

It is interesting to note that when setting the six phrases of stanza one, Bach does not give each unit equal emphasis. Instead, he groups the phrases so that a progressive psychological development of four distinct moods is created. Thus we empathize with the suffering believer as he moves from a feeling of despair and resignation ("Komm, Jesu, komm, mein Leib is müde") to hope ("Komm, komm, ich will mich dir ergeben") to

buoyant joy ("Du bist der rechte Weg") to concluding serenity ("Drum schließ ich mich in deine Hände").

Stanza 1:

Komm, Jesu, komm,
mein Leib ist müde
die Kraft verschwindt
je mehr und mehr,
ich sehne mich nach deinem Friede;
der saure Weg wird mir zu schwer!
Komm, komm,
ich will mich dir ergeben,
Du bist der rechte Weg,
die Wahrheit und das Leben.

Stanza 2:

Drum schließ ich mich in deine Hände und sage, Welt, zu guter Nacht! Eilt gleich mein Lebenslauf zu Ende, ist doch der Geist wohl angebracht. Er soll bei seinem Schöpfer schweben, weil Jesus ist und bleibt der wahre Weg zum Leben.

Come, Jesu, come,
my body is weary.
My strength diminishes
day by day,
and I long for thy peace;
the bitter path grows too hard for me!
Come, come,
I yield myself to thee,
thou art the way,
the truth and the life.

Therefore I commit myself into thy hands and say, O world, a last good night! Even if my life is now soon ended, my soul is nevertheless ready. It shall wing its way to its Creator for Jesus is and remains the true way to life.

Bach's cantata, "Dazu ist erschienen der Sohn Gottes" was first performed on December 26, 1723, the first Christmas Bach was in Leipzig. Although the librettist is unknown, it seems clear that he or she was concerned more with the theological implications of the Christmas story than the details of the narrative. The Bible readings specified for the second day of Christmas were Titus 3:4–7 (The mercy of God appeared in Christ) and Luke 2:15–20 (The shepherds go to the manger). However, December 26 was also celebrated as the festival of St. Stephen the Martyr. For this reason some of the cantata's sentiments reflect the epistle and gospel readings for that festival: Acts 6:8–15; 7:54–60 (the martyrdom of Stephen) and Matthew 23:34–39 (Jesus' lament that Jerusalem killed the prophets sent to her).

The cantata's overall form is traditional in its flanking of two recitative-aria pairs of movements with openin chorus on a biblical text and closing chorale. Less usual is the insertion of two chorale texts within the body of the libretto.

Despite its short biblical text, the opening choral movement is of substantial proportions. To achieve the desired weight Bach set the text three times. It appears first in a concerto-like section, in which the orchestra (which includes pairs of horns and oboes in addition to the customary strings) is set against the chorus. Then the text is repeated in a fugue. Finally it appears a third time as the opening

texture returns. Noteworthy in each section are the extravagant melismas on the word "destroy."

1. Chorus

die Werke des Teufels zerstöre.

Dazu ist erschienen der Sohn Gottes, daß er For this purpose the Son of God appeared, that he might destroy the works of the devil.

A relatively modest recitative accompanied only by continuo (foundational bass and accompanying harmonies) follows. In the text, which contemplates the paradox of the incarnation, numerous metaphors for Jesus appear.

2. Tenor Recitative

Das Wort ward Fleisch und wohnet in der Welt. das Licht der Welt bestrahlt den Kreis der Erden. der große Gottessohn verläßt des Himmels Thron, and seiner Majestät gefällt. ein kleines Menschenkind zu werden. Bedenkt doch diesen Tausch. wer nur gedenken kann; der König wird ein Untertan, der Herr erscheinet als ein Knecht und wird dem menschlichen Geschlecht-O süßes Wort in aller Ohren!— Zu Trost und Heil geboren.

The Word becomes flesh and dwells in the world. The Light of the world illuminates the earth's circle. The great Son of God relinquishes heaven's throne, and it pleases his Majesty, to become a little child. Consider this exchange, whoever possesses thought: the king becomes a subject, the lord appears as a servant, and—O sweet word in everyone's ears! is born to bring comfort and salvation to the human race.

A corporate expression of faith, in the form of a simple four-part chorale, follows.

3. Chorale

Die Sünd macht Leid: Christus bringt Freud, weil er zu Trost in diese Welt ist kommen. Mit uns ist Gott nun in der Not: wer ist, der uns als Christen kann verdammen? Sin produces sorrow; Christ brings joy, because he has come into this world to bring comfort. God is now with us in our need: who can now condemn us as Christians?

In the next aria the bass develops the theme of Satan's destruction with an allusion to Genesis 3:15, where God informs the serpent in the Garden of Eden that the "woman's seed" will "crush his head." Addressed to Satan, the aria uses conventions of the contemporary "rage aria" (fast notes, fast tempo, wide leaps, etc.) to project an attitude of defiance.

4. Bass Aria

Höllische Schlange, wird dir nicht bange?

Der dir den Kopf als ein Sieger zerknickt,

ist nun geboren, und die verloren,

werden mit ewigem Frieden beglückt.

Infernal serpent, are you not afraid?

The one who crushes your head as victor,

is now born,

and those who are lost,

are now blessed with eternal peace.

In the alto aria, the strings accompany the voice with gently undulating arpeggios, to project a mood of comfort.

5. Alto Recitative

Die Schlange, so im Paradies auf alle Adamskinder das Gift der Seelen fallen ließ, bringt uns nicht mehr Gefahr; des Weibes Samen stellt sich dar, der Heiland ist ins Fleisch gekommen und hat ihr alles Gift benommen. Drum sei getrost!

Drum sei getrost! betrübter Sünder.

The Serpent, who in paradise did cause the soul's poison to fall upon all Adam's children, no longer poses danger; the Woman's seed appears, the Savior has come in the flesh, and has taken all its venom away. Therefore be of good cheer,

troubled sinners!

To give opportunity for corporate identification with the sentiments just expressed, another congregational hymn appears inserted after the aria.

6. Chorale

Schüttle deinen Kopf und sprich: Fleuch, du alte Schlange!
Was erneurst du deinen Stich, Machst mir angst und bange?
Ist dir doch der Kopf zerknickt, Und ich bin durchs Leiden Meines Heilands dir entrückt In den Saal der Freuden.

Shake your head and say: flee, ancient serpent!

Why do you try to renew your sting; making me fearful and anxious? For now your head is crushed, and, by the Passion of my Savior, I am snatched away and carried off

into the Hall of Delights.

For the tenor aria the librettist borrowed imagery from the Gospel for St. Stephen's day (also celebrated on December 26). There Jesus laments that he would have liked to gather the people of Jerusalem like a hen gathering her chicks in the face of a storm. The aria has an unusual accompaniment of two horns and two oboes (without strings), and is very demanding. Particularly striking are the long melismas for the tenor to portray the emotion-laden words "erfreuet" (rejoice) and "erschrecken" (frighten).

7. Tenor Aria

Christenkinder, freuet euch!
Wütet schon das Höllenreich,
will euch Satans Grimm erschrecken:
Jesus, der erretten kann,
nimmt sich seiner Küchlein an
und will sie mit Flügeln decken.

Christian children, rejoice!
Though the kingdom of hell rage,
though Satan's fury should frighten you,
Jesus, who is able to save,
gathers his little chicks to himself
and covers them with his wings.

A final, prayerful hymn stanza concludes the cantata.

8. Chorale

Jesu, nimm dich deiner Glieder ferner in Genaden an; schenke, was man bitten kann, zu erquicken deine Brüder: gib der ganzen Christenschar Frieden und ein selges Jahr! Freude, Freude über Freude! Christus wehret allem Leide. Wonne, Wonne, über Wonne! Er ist die Genadensonne.

Jesu, receive these thy members henceforth in grace; grant all that one might ask, to refresh your brethren: give the entire Christian throng peace and a blessed year! Joy, joy above joy! Christ wards off all sorrow. Bliss, bliss, above bliss! He is the sun of grace.

FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 2004

7:15–7:45 p.m. FESTIVAL BRASS CHOIR (Marting Hall Tower)

John Brndiar Conducting

8:00 p.m. SECOND CONCERT

ULLRICH BÖHME, Organist, St. Thomas Church, Leipzig

J. KUHNAU Toccata A Major

1660-1722

1642-1703

1702-1788

J. C. BACH Aria and Variation in A Minor

J. SCHNEIDER Prelude and Fugue in G Minor

J. S. BACH Partita diverse, *BWV* 767

1685–1750 Prelude and Fugue in C Major, BWV 531

Intermission

J. S. BACH Prelude and Fugue in C Major, *BWV* 545

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BACH IN LEIPZIG: THE CHURCHES OF ST. THOMAS AND ST. NICHOLAS

When Bach came to Leipzig from Cöthen in 1723 it was to assume the most prominent music position in a city of some twenty-five thousand people. It was a post with dual titles and roles. As director musices he was responsible for the musical activity of the city, above all for providing music in the main churches. As Cantor Bach was responsible for the music education of the boys enrolled at the St. Thomas School. For over a century the Leipzig post had usually been filled with candidates who were known as educators as well as musicians. Bach's predecessor, Johann Kuhnau (1660-1722) was a perfect example of such universality. A lawyer, mathematician, philosopher, novelist, and linguist (he was proficient in Italian, French, Hebrew, and Greek), Kuhnau became organist at St. Thomas in 1684, while still a law student at the University of Leipzig. In 1701, when the position of cantor became vacant, the forty-one-year-old Kuhanu was appointed within a matter of weeks. That same year a young Georg Philipp Telemann, who was then beginning his studies in law at the university, established a collegium musicum, which drew away some of Kuhnau's students. The newly established opera also drew gifted vocalists away from church duties and Kuhnau complained to the town council about the situation. Often ill, Kuhnau was insulted further two years later when the town council asked Telemann to succeed him if Kuhnau should die. Despite such difficulties in the face of Telemann's popularity, Kuhnau was greatly esteemed by some of his contemporaries, as the last of the "many-sided" Thomaskantors.

[The music critic Johann] Scheibe put him alongside Handel, Keiser and Telemann as one of the major German composers... and Mattheson, paying equal tribute to his musicianship and his erudition, claimed never to have known his like as composer, organist, chorus director and scholar. [Buelow]

When Kuhnau died in 1722 the council took their time finding a replacement. Their first choice, not surprisingly, was Telemann, who was then in Hamburg. When Telemann declined, using the offer instead to solidify his standing in Hamburg, the council pursued the candidacy of Christoph Graupner (1683–1760), a former student of St. Thomas and conductor of the Prince of Hesse's orchestra in Darmstadt. When the Landgrave refused to release him but increased his salary instead, the town council somewhat reluctantly decided to offer the position to J. S. Bach with the words, "Since we cannot get the best, we have to make do with mediocrity."

Unfair as this judgment may now seem, it is true that J. S. Bach did not yet have a wide reputation as a composer (particularly of church vocal works), nor did he have a university education. However, he was famous as an organist and the Bach name was well known, for many members of the extended Bach family had served or were then serving in various music positions in that part of Germany. Of the many fine Bach musicians, perhaps the most highly esteemed was Johann Christoph Bach (1642–1703), a first cousin of J. S. Bach's father, who spent much of his career in Eisenstadt (where J. S. Bach was born), serving as the court and town organist there. Sebastian himself called him a "profound composer" and performed several of his vocal works in Leipzig.

Bach's tenure in Leipzig began auspiciously on May 30, the first Sunday after Trinity, at St. Nicholas Church. For this occasion, and for the following Sunday at St. Thomas, Bach wrote two of his largest and most complex cantatas, *BWV* 75 and 76 (*Die Elenden sollen essen* and *Die Himmel erzählen die Ehre Gottes*). For the next several years he composed cantatas feverishly, often at a rate of one per week.

Bach's responsibilities included overseeing music in four principal Leipzig churches (St. Thomas, St. Nicolas, St. Matthew [The "New Church"], St. Peter) and any other musical events related to civic life, as well as supervising the musical training of the boys at the boarding school attached to St. Thomas. Musicians at his disposal included the students at the school and the professional town musicians. For additional musicians, Bach sometimes drew on university students as well.

Since only motets and chorales were sung in the New Church, and only chorales in St. Peter's, Bach relied on deputies to lead the music in these smaller churches while he himself alternated between St. Nicholas and St. Thomas, leading the performances of the weekly cantatas.

As an organist J. S. Bach already had an international reputation in 1723 when he arrived in Leipzig. His high standing as an organist remained undisputed throughout his life, and when he died his obituary stated,

We cannot be reproached if we are bold enough to persist in the claim that our Bach was the most prodigious organist and keyboard player that there has ever been. It may be that this or that famous man has accomplished much in polyphony on these instruments but was he for that reason as expert—with hands and feet together—as Bach was? Whosoever had the pleasure of hearing him and others, being not otherwise disposed by prejudice, will agree that this doubt is not unfounded. And whosoever looks at Bach's pieces for the organ and the keyboard, which he himself, as is universally known, performed with the greatest perfection, will likewise have nothing to say in contradiction of the above statement. [Reproduced in New Grove Dictionary II]

His great reputation as an organist notwithstanding, Bach was not responsible for playing the organ as cantor in Leipzig; each church had its own organist. One of these, Johann Schneider (1702–1788) became organist at St. Nicholas in 1730 and remained there until 1766. Lorenz Mizler, writing in 1747, noted that Schneider had been a pupil of J. S. Bach, and praised him highly as an organist: "His preludes on the organ are of such good taste that in this field, except for Mr. Bach... there is nothing better to be heard in Leipzig." Given Bach's undisputed reputation as organist however, he doubtlessly substituted for the organist from time to time. Many of Bach's organ works were composed before he arrived in Leipzig, the Weimar years had been particularly fruitful. Bach's Prelude and Fugue in C Major BWV 545 was probably written before 1708. He later revised it, probably sometime between 1712–17. The toccata and fugue in F Major BWV 540, on the other hand, is a later work, the toccata probably originating after 1712 and the fugue sometime before 1731.

SATURDAY, APRIL 24, 2004

3:15–3:45 p.m. FESTIVAL BRASS CHOIR (Marting Hall Tower) John Brndiar Conducting

4:00 p.m. THIRD CONCERT

J. S. Bach St. Matthew Passion, BWV 244 1685–1750 Part I

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THE ST. MATTHEW PASSION

For many years it was thought that the *St. Matthew Passion* was first performed in the 1729 Good Friday afternoon service at St. Thomas Church in Leipzig. More recent research has suggested a performance already two years earlier: April 11, 1727. As a general rule, performances of large-scale Passions were performed in alternate years at St. Thomas and St. Nicholas (the other principal church in Leipzig). Subsequent performances of the *St. Matthew Passion* included the one in 1729, a performance in 1736 for which the work was revised and new score and parts copied, and a further performance of the revised version around 1742.) After that the work lay neglected for decades. Then, in 1829, one hundred years after its assumed first performance, Felix Mendelssohn revived the work in a performance that sparked the Bach revival of the nineteenth century.

Bach conceived the *St. Matthew Passion* in two sections, to be performed during the Good Friday Vespers service, with the first part preceding the sermon, the second part following it. In spite of its length—it is the longest of Bach's works—the Passion represented only part of the service, which also included hymns, prayers, a motet, and the sermon. The service must have lasted for many hours!

The text for the St. Matthew Passion is drawn from three sources:

- 1. the Gospel of Matthew, chapters 26 & 27 (according to Luther's translation, used intact);
- 2. verses from hymns (chorales) commonly used in Leipzig churches;
- 3. devotional poetry commenting on the Passion narrative. Most of these texts originate with a book of poetry corresponding to the services of the church year, called *Sammlung erbaulicher Gedanken über und auf die gewöhnlichen Sonnund Feiertage*, published in 1725 in Leipzig by Christian Friedrich Henrici (pen name: Picander).

The *St. Matthew Passion* is an antiphonal work for double chorus and orchestra. The spatial element was apparently important to Bach's conception. The characters in the drama are represented by soloists, whom Bach assigned to particular choirs:

Choir I: Evangelist (tenor), Jesus (bass), Maid I (soprano), Maid II (soprano), Wife of Pilate (soprano), Judas (bass), Peter (bass), High Priest (bass), Pilate (bass), High Priests I & II (in No. 41c; basses)

Choir II: False Witness I (alto), False Witness II (tenor)

With the exception of Jesus, all characters presenting the Passion narrative sing in secco recitative—a style in which a solo vocal part with minimal accompaniment approximates the inflections of speech. For the most part, the Evangelist relates the story in an objective manner. Sometimes, however, he, too, reacts emotionally to the events. The story is told in all its details. The libretto omits nothing of the two biblical chapters (Matt. 26 & 27), including even those parts that might seem nonessential to the central Passion theme.

[This] means certainly that [Bach] intended every textual nuance, however immaterial it may appear, to be clearly emphasized in shaping the Evangelist part. Scenes such as the story of the Potters' Field or the description of the women standing at the foot of the cross must not be treated as peripheral. In addition to the descriptive function of the Evangelist there are moments where Bach involves him directly in the unfolding events.... The theatrical nature of these highly dramatic moments—such as Jesus' arrest in Gethsemane or his interrogation by Pilate, in which the other solo characters become involved as well [call for the full exploitation of] Bach's rhythmic and dynamic subtleties. [Rilling]

The story is presented at a leisurely pace. After each section of biblical narrative (sung by the Evangelist and other characters in the drama—including, at times, the crowd of bystanders, represented by one or both of the choruses) we hear several movements reflecting or commenting on the significance of the events just described: often a recitative in arioso (songlike) style follows, then an aria (a solo in which melodic characteristics predominate) transforms "the substance of the comment…into a prayer." [Rilling]

Because of its more leisurely pace and more reflective character than the *St. John Passion*, the *St. Matthew Passion* is not as tightly knit as the other work. Nevertheless, it too is basically symmetrical in form, with the soprano aria, "Aus Liebe will mein Heiland sterben," serving as the centerpiece of the arch. A further element of unity is provided by the cyclical use of the "Passion Chorale" tune ("O Sacred Head Now Wounded"): Nos. 15 (21), 17 (23), 44 (53), 54 (63), and 62 (72). It is also hinted at in Nos. 23 (29), 35 (41), 39 (47), and 57 (66).

Part I

The large-scale, chorale-based opening movement presents the listener with several levels of thought: on the most immediate level we hear an invitation to follow Christ on the path to his crucifixion ("Sehet ihn aus Lieb und Huld Holz zum Kreuz selber tragen"). Then, to explore the significance of the events Bach presents a dialogue between the two choruses, which serves "as a conversation between the Passion account and the hearing congregation." The accompanying chorale ("O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig") presents a third layer. This hymn is essentially a German setting of the liturgical Agnus Dei. With it we encounter the ecclesiastical level of "liturgically objectified confession," which reaches "its intended spiritual climax" with the words "Erbarm dich unser, o Jesu." The very opening words ("Kommt, ihr Töchter") are "derived in thought and content from the Song of Solomon" and introduce that plane of the work that is "of most personal expression and immediacy of expression...." [Rilling]

From a tonal perspective it is interesting to note that, while the movement as a whole is in a minor key, the chorale is in G major. That this was technically possible suggests that Bach advised Picander with regard to the libretto.

The most notable rhythmic feature of the movement is its meter: the lilting 12/8 pattern of the siciliano, a baroque dance with pastoral associations. Accentuated by a throbbing bass line (which does not move from its initial pitch for the first ten measures) the siciliano rhythm underscores the central theme of the work: it is the account of the sacrifice of the Lamb of God, the "Agnus Dei."

1. Double Chorus and Chorale

Kommt, ihr Töchter, helft mir klagen, sehet...

Wen?

...den Bräutigam,

seht ihn...

Wie?

...als wie ein Lamm!

Sehet...

Was?

...seht die Geduld,

seht...

Wohin?

...auf unsre Schuld:

sehet ihn aus Lieb und Huld

Holz zum Kreuze selber tragen! O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig

am Stamm des Kreuzes geschlachtet, allzeit erfunden geduldig, wiewohl du warest verachtet. All Sünd hast du getragen, sonst müßten wir verzagen.

Erbarm dich unser, o Jesu!

Come, you daughters, help me lament,

see...

Whom?

...the bridegroom,

see him...

How?

...as a Lamb.

See...

What?

... see his patience.

Look...

Where?

...upon our guilt;

see how, out of love and grace,

he himself bears the wood for a cross!

O Lamb of God, innocent, slaughtered upon the cross's beam. always found forbearing, although treated with scorn. All sin you have borne, else would we despair. Have mercy on us, O Jesus!

The Evangelist begins the story with Christ's own prophecy of his impending crucifixion. When Jesus sings, his words are accompanied by a "halo" of strings. The chorale that follows represents the first response of the listeners to the story: their agitation and anguish is reflected in Bach's choice of a high key and intense harmonies.

2. Recitative (Evangelist & Jesus)

er zu seinen Jüngern: Ihr wisset, daß nach said to his disciples, "You know that the zweien Tagen Ostern wird, und des Passover is two days hence, and the Son of Menschen Sohn wird überantwortet werden, Man will be delivered up to be crucified." daß er gekreuziget werde.

Da Jesus diese Rede vollendet hatte, sprach When Jesus had finished this discourse, he

3. Chorale Herzliebster Jesu, was hast du verbrochen, daß man ein solch scharf Urteil hat gesprochen? Was ist die Schuld. in was für Missetaten bist du geraten?

Beloved Jesus, what is your trespassing, that such a cruel judgment has been spoken? What is the guilt, into what sort of transgressions have you fallen?

4a. (4.) Recitative (Evangelist)

Da versammleten sich die Hohenpriester und Schriftgelehrten und die Ältesten im Volk in den Palast des Hohenpriesters, der da hieß Kaiphas; und hielten Rat, wie sie Jesum mit Listen griffen und töteten. Sie sprachen aber:

Then the high priests and the scribes and the elders of the people assembled in the palace of the high priest, whose name was Caiphas, and counseled there how they might take Jesus by craft and put him to death. But they

As the religious leaders, in plotting against Jesus, consider the possibility of uproar among the people, we can hear the excited tumult of the crowds coming into the city to celebrate the Passover.

4b. (5.) Chorus

ruhr werde im Volk.

Ja nicht auf das Fest, auf daß nicht ein Auf- But not during the feast, lest an uproar occur among the people.

Meanwhile, at the home of a disciple named Simon the leper, a woman anoints Jesus' head with perfume. When the disciples' disgusted response reveals a shortsighted and miserly mind set, Jesus affirms her, noting the symbolic significance of her action in view of his impending death and burial.

4c. (6.) Recitative (Evangelist)

Simonis des Aussätzigen, trat zu ihm ein Weib, die hatte ein Glas mit köstlichem Wasser und goß es auf sein Haupt, da er zu Tische saß. Da das seine Jünger sahen, wurden sie unwillig und sprachen:

Da nun Jesus war zu Bethanien, im Hause Now when Jesus was in Bethany, in the house of Simon the Leper, a woman came to him; she had a bottle of precious liquid, which she poured on his head as he sat at table. When His disciples saw it they became indignant and said:

We hear the disciples' irritation and indignation as they chatter amongst one another. That Bach also viewed them as inflexibly self-righteous is evidenced by his use of strict imitation.

4d. (7.) Chorus

Wozu dienet dieser Unrat? Dieses Wasser hätte mögen teuer verkauft, und den Armen gegeben werden.

What is the point of this waste? This liquid could have been sold for a goodly sum, and the proceeds given to the poor.

4e. (8.) Recitative (Evangelist and Jesus)

Da das Jesus merkete, sprach er zu ihnen: Was bekümmert ihr das Weib? Sie hat ein gut Werk an mir getan. Ihr habet allezeit Armen bei euch, mich aber habt ihr nicht allezeit. Daß sie dies Wasser hat auf meinen Leib gegossen, hat sie getan, daß man mich begraben wird. Wahrlich, ich sage euch: Wo dies Evangelium geprediget wird in der ganzen Welt, da wird man auch sagen zu ihrem Gedächtnis, was sie getan hat.

When Jesus noticed this, he said to them, "Why do you bother the woman? She has done me a good deed. You will always have the poor among you, but you will not always have me. She has poured this liquid on my body for my burial. Truly, I say to you, wherever this Gospel shall be preached throughout the whole world, the thing this woman has done shall be spoken in her remembrance."

A second recitative, reflective rather than narrative in nature, follows Jesus' response. Here the alto soloist, representing the Christian believer, is accompanied by two transverse flutes, whose shared motive depicts the textual ideas of costly perfume and tears. In its chromatic depiction of weeping, the singer's line covers all twelve tones of the octave in the course of seven measures, a phenomenon not uncommon in Bach's settings of texts describing repentance and remorse.

5. (9.) Recitative (Contralto)

Du lieber Heiland du, wenn deine Jünger töricht streiten, daß dieses fromme Weib mit Salben deinen Leib zum Grabe will bereiten, so lasse mir inzwischen zu, von meiner Augen Tränenflüssen ein Wasser auf dein Haupt zu

The alto continu consciousness of harmonies set to resigned, benum to the preceding of the aural imagery is made explicit.

6. (10.) Aria (Contralto)

Buß und Reu knirscht das Sündenherz entzwei; daß die Tropfen meiner Zähren angenehme Spezerei, treuer Jesu, dir gebären. Dearest Savior,
if your disciples quarrel foolishly
because this pious woman
with ointment
would prepare your body for burial,
then let me meanwhile
pour a teary water
from my streaming eyes
our head!

n aria. The literary concepts of worked out in chromatic lines and rhythm, giving the movement a obbing figure ties this movement e the text speaks of tear droplets,

Penitence and remorse gnash the sinful heart asunder, so that the teardrops of my weeping become pleasant spices for you, dear Jesus. In complete contrast, we now encounter Judas, the epitome of the unfaithful disciple.

7. (11.) Recitative (Evangelist and Judas)

Da ging hin der Zwölfen einer mit Namen Judas Ischarioth zu den Hohenpriestern und sprach: Was wollt ihr mir geben? Ich will ihn euch verraten. Und sie boten ihm er Gelegenheit, daß er ihn verriete.

Then one of the twelve, whose name was Judas Iscariot, went to the high priests and said, "What will you give me? I will betray him to you." And they offered him thirty dreißig Silberlinge. Und von dem an suchte pieces of silver. And from then on he sought opportunity to betray him.

The droplet-sobbing motive returns in the soprano aria, "Blute nur." This aria is linked to the former movement also in its quasi-dance rhythm and its flute instrumentation.

8. (12.) Aria (Soprano)

Blute nur, du liebes Herz! Ach! ein Kind, das du erzogen, das an deiner Brust gesogen, droht den Pfleger zu ermorden, denn es ist zur Schlange worden.

Bleed, beloved heart! Ah, a child whom you raised, that suckled at your breast, threatens to murder the nourisher. because it has turned into a serpent.

The narrator now begins to relate the events of the Feast of Unleavened Bread, a celebration of Israel's deliverance from Egypt that began with the Passover meal on the fourteenth day of the first month (Abib = Nisan) and continued for seven days.

9a. (13.) Recitative (Evangelist)

Aber am ersten Tage der süßen Brot traten Now on the first day of unleavened bread die Jünger zu Jesu, und sprachen zu ihm:

the disciples came to Jesus, and said to him:

The following chorus is relatively straightforward, with melodic lines that meander in opposite directions suggesting the "serene, uncomplicated deportment of the disciples" [Rilling] as they wonder where to have the ceremonial meal with Jesus. The fact that Bach employed exactly fourteen measures for this exchange (recitative and chorus) suggests that he may have wanted to symbolize the fact that it was the fourteenth day of the month.

9b. (14.) Chorus

Osterlamm zu essen?"

Where would you have us Wo willst du, daß wir dir bereiten, das preparations for you to eat the Passover lamb?

9c, d, e. (15.) Recitative (Evangelist and Jesus) and Chorus

Er sprach: Gehet hin in die Stadt zu einem und sprecht zu ihm: Der Meister läßt dir sagen: Meine Zeit ist hier, ich will bei dir die Ostern halten mit meinen Jüngern. Und die Jünger täten, wie ihnen Jesus befohlen hatte, und bereiteten das Osterlamm, Und am Abend satzte er sich zu Tische mit den Zwölfen. Und da sie aßen, sprach er: Wahrlich, ich sage euch: Einer unter euch wird mich verraten. Und sie wurden sehr betrübt und huben an, ein jeglicher unter ihnen, und sagten zu ihm: Herr, bin ichs?

He said, "Go into the city, to a certain man, and say to him: The master bids us tell you, 'My time has come; I wish to hold the Passover at your house with my disciples." And the disciples did as Jesus had instructed them and prepared the Passover lamb. And in the evening he seated himself at table with the twelve. And as they ate, he said, "Truly I say to you, one of you will betray me." And they were deeply troubled, and each one began to say to him, "Lord, is it 19"

During the course of the meal Jesus abruptly states that one of them will betray him. The disciples show agitated disbelief, asking, "Lord, is it !?" Before Jesus can answer, the congregation responds, admitting its guilt.

10. (16.) Chorale Ich bins, ich sollte büßen, an Händen und an Füßen gebunden in der Höll. Die Geißeln und die Banden und was du ausgestanden, das hat verdienet meine Seel.

'Tis I who should atone, bound hand and foot in hell. The scourges and the shackles, and all that you endured my soul has deserved.

Despite the disciples' agitation, Jesus' response is calm, his manner serene, even when Judas echoes the others' question hypocritically. As he plays the host, Jesus offers a lyrical reinterpretation of the symbolic meaning of the bread and wine: they are henceforth to be understood as the elements of a new covenant. At this point in Bach's musical setting, recitative gives way to arioso, a more song-like style in which the rhythm is regular and the vocal part somewhat melismatic (i.e., text syllables are given two or more notes each).

11. (17.) Recitative (Evangelist, Jesus, Judas)

Hand mit mir in die Schüssel tauchet, der wird mich verraten. Des Menschen Sohn gehet zwar dahin, wie von ihm geschrieben stehet: doch wehe dem Menschen, durch welchen des Menschen Sohn verraten wird! Es wäre ihm besser, daß derselbige Mensch noch nie geboren wäre. Da antwortete Judas, der ihn verriet, und sprach: Bin ichs

Er antwortete und sprach: Der mit der He answered and said, "He who dips his hand with me in the dish will betray me. The Son of Man indeed goes his forth, as has been written of him, but woe to the person by whom the Son of Man shall be betrayed! For him it were better if he had never been born." Then Judas, who betrayed him, answered and said, "Is it I, rabbi?" He said to him, "You are saying it." But as they Rabbi? Er sprach zu ihm: Du sagests. Da sie aber aßen, nahm Jesus das Brot, dankete, und brachs, und gabs den Jüngern und sprach: Nehmet, esset, das ist mein Leib. Und er nahm den Kelch und dankete, gab ihnen den und sprach: Trinket alle daraus; das ist mein Blut des neuen Testaments, welches vergossen wird für viele zur Vergebung der Sünden. Ich sage euch: Ich werde von nun an nicht mehr von diesem Gewächs des Weinstocks trinken bis an den Tag, da ichs neu trinken werde mit euch in meines Vaters Reich.

were eating, Jesus took the bread, gave thanks, broke it, and gave it to the disciples and said, "Take, eat, this is my body." And he took the cup, and giving thanks, he gave it to them saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this is my blood of the new testament, which is being be shed for many, in remission of sins. I say to you, from henceforth I will no longer drink of this fruit of the vine, until the day when I drink it anew with you in my Father's kingdom."

An accompanied recitative of great personal emotion and expression follows. The individual disciple (who also represents the contemporary believer) is torn with sadness at the prospect of Jesus' departure yet is gradually comforted by the pledge of the new covenant made in the Lord's Supper. The movement ends with an allusion to the parallel account in the Gospel of John: "Now before the feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart out of this world to the Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end."

12. (18.) Recitative (Soprano)

Wiewohl mein Herz in Tränen schwimmt, daß Jesus von mir Abschied nimmt, so macht mich doch sein Testament erfreut: Sein Fleisch und Blut, o Kostbarkeit, vermacht er mir in meine Hände. Wie er es auf der Welt mit denen Seinen nicht böse können meinen, so liebt er sie bis an das Ende.

Although my heart is awash with tears because Jesus takes leave of me, yet I am gladdened by his testament: his flesh and blood, O precious gift, he bequeaths into my hands. As he can never be ill disposed toward those who are his own on earth, so he loves them to the end.

Recalling musical motives from the Last Supper scene in oboes d'amore and bass instruments, the soprano aria contemplates the eucharistic elements of Christ's body and blood in a playful prayer addressed to the heavenly bridegroom.

13. (19.) Aria (Soprano)

Ich will dir mein Herze schenken, senke dich, mein Heil, hinein. Ich will mich in dir versenken; ist dir gleich die Welt zu klein, ei so sollst du mir allein mehr als Welt und Himmel sein.

I want to give you my heart, sink into it, O my salvation. I want to submerge myself in you; though this earth be too small for you, you alone shall be more than earth and heaven to me. After two movements of introspection, the narrator resumes the story. The recitative is rich with text-painting: rising lines in the string parts portray the group's ascent of the Mount of Olives as well as Jesus' coming resurrection, and rapid staccato notes accompany Jesus' warning that the disciples will abandon him, scattering like sheep.

14. (20.) Recitative (Evangelist and Jesus)

Und da sie den Lobgesang gesprochen hatten, gingen sie hinaus an den Ölberg. Da sprach Jesus zu ihnen: In dieser Nacht werdet ihr euch alle ärgern an mir. Denn es stehet geschrieben: Ich werde den Hirten schlagen, und die Schafe der Herde werden sich zerstreuen. Wenn ich aber auferstehe, will ich vor euch hingehen in Galiläam.

And when they had said the hymn of praise, they went out to the Mount of Olives. Then said Jesus to them, "This night you shall all be offended because of me. For it is written, 'I will smite the shepherd, and the sheep of the flock shall be scattered.' But when I rise again, I will go before you into Galilee."

Responding to Jesus' prediction that all will abandon him as sheep abandon a shepherd who has been struck down, the congregation sings a prayer to Christ the Good Shepherd. The tune is that of the "Passion Chorale;" it appears another four times in the course of the work.

15. (21.) Chorale

Erkenne mich, mein Hüter, mein Hirte nimm, mich an! Von dir, Quell aller Güter, ist mir viel Guts getan. Dein Mund hat mich gelabet mit Milch und süßer Kost, dein Geist hat mich begabet mit mancher Himmelslust.

Acknowledge me, my guardian, my shepherd, accept me!
From you, O source of every blessing, much good has come to me.
Your mouth has nourished me with milk and sweet fare; your spirit has brought me many a heavenly pleasure.

16. (22.) Recitative (Evangelist, Peter, Jesus)

Petrus aber antwortete und sprach zu ihm: Wenn sie auch alle sich an dir ärgerten, so will ich doch mich nimmermehr ärgern. Jesus sprach zu ihm: Wahrlich, ich sage dir: in dieser Nacht, ehe der Hahn krähet, wirst du mich dreimal verleugnen. Petrus sprach zu ihm: Und wenn ich mit dir sterben müßte, so will ich dich nicht verleugnen. Desgleichen sagten auch alle Jünger.

But Peter answered and said to him, "Though all be offended because of you, yet will I, Lord, never be offended." Jesus said to him, "Truly I say to you, this very night, before the cock crows, you will deny me three times." Peter said to him, "Though I should have to die with you, I will never deny you." And all the disciples said likewise.

After Peter's assertion that he will never deny Christ, the congregation asserts its own commitment to faithfulness in a repetition of the hymn just sung—but now in

a key one semitone lower, giving it a sense of growing uncertainty and even foreboding. This is the second appearance of the "Passion Chorale."

17. (23.) Chorale

Ich will hier bei dir stehen: verachte mich doch nicht! Von dir will ich nicht gehen, wenn dir dein Herze bricht. Wenn dein Herz wird erblassen im letzen Todesstoß. alsdenn will ich dich fassen in meinen Arm und Schoß.

I want to stand here by you, do not despise me! I will not leave you when your heart is broken. When your heart turns pale in the last throes of death. then I will hold you in my arms and bosom.

As Jesus enters the spiritual and mental agonies of Gethsemane, the Evangelist can no longer remain dispassionate. He abandons syllabic presentation for a more heartfelt melismatic one on the words, "[he]...began to grieve and despair." When Jesus sings, "My soul is grieved to the point of death," the depth of his emotional distress is revealed in the strings, which play a "quaking" figure of pulsed eighth notes.

18. (24.) Recitative (Evangelist and Jesus)

in den Tod, bleibet hie und wachet mit mir. keep watch with me."

Da kam Jesus mit ihnen zu einem Hofe, der Then Jesus came with them to a place called hieß Gethsemane, und sprach zu seinen Gethsemane, and said to his disciples, "Sit Jüngern: Setzet euch hie, bis daß ich dort here while I go yonder and pray." And he hingehe, und bete. Und nahm zu sich took with him Peter and the two sons of Petrum und die zween Söhne Zebedäi, und Zebedee, and began to grieve and despair. fing an zu trauern und zu zagen. Da sprach Then Jesus said to them, "My soul is Jesus zu ihnen: Meine Seele ist betrübt bis grieved to the point of death; stay here and

While the tenor soloist and orchestra of Choir I agonize over Christ's predicament in animated musical gestures (e.g. the "quaking" figure of the bass instruments), Choir II recognizes its own guilt in a somber chorale. Because Bach assigned the next two solos to the tenor of Choir I (whether or not they are sung by the Evangelist in modern performance) we are left with the impression that the narrator has continued to sing, abandoning his objective role for a more personal involvement. The hymn sung by Choir II amplifies the text of the recitative—not vice versa, which is more usually the case in movements combining recitative and chorale.

19. (25.) Recitative (Tenor) and Chorus

(Chorale) O Schmerz! hier zittert das gequälte Herz; wie sinkt es hin, wie bleicht sein Angesicht!

O anguish! Here the tormented heart trembles; how it sinks, how his face pales!

Was ist die Ursach aller solcher Plagen?

Der Richter führt ihn vor Gericht. Da ist kein Trost, kein Helfer nicht.

Ach, meine Sünden haben dich geschlagen;

Er leidet alle Höllenqualen, er soll vor fremden Raub bezahlen.

> ich, ach Herr Jesu, habe dies verschuldet, was du erduldet.

Ach, könnte meine Liebe dir, mein Heil, dein Zittern und dein Zagen vermindern oder helfen tragen, wie gerne blieb ich hier!

What is the cause of all these torments? The judge leads him to judgment. There is no comfort, no one to help.

> Ah, my sins have struck you;

Ah, Lord Jesus

He suffers all the torments of hell, he must pay for others' plundering.

mine is the blame. for what you have suffered. Ah, if only my love for you, my Savior, could diminish or help bear your trembling and your fear, how gladly I would stay here!

The tenor aria commences with the opposing concepts of "waking" and "sleeping." The soloist states his determination to keep watch through the night with his Lord, while the chorus sings that by keeping vigil with Christ "sins fall asleep." Bach accentuates the antithesis of the implied theological paradox with various musical means including held notes to suggest "determined waking" and two-note sighing figures and a continuously soft choral dynamic to portray "falling asleep."

20. (26.) Aria (Tenor) and Chorus (Chorale)

Ich will bei meinem Jesu wachen,

So schlafen unsre Sünden ein.

Meinen Tod büßet seine Seelennot: sein Trauren machet mich voll Freuden.

Drum muß uns sein verdienstlich Leiden recht bitter und doch süße sein.

I will keep watch with my Jesus, Then all our sins will fall asleep. His soul's distress atones my death; his sorrow brings me gladness.

> Thus must his meritorious suffering for us be bitter and yet sweet.

21. (27.) Recitative (Evangelist and Jesus)

Und ging hin ein wenig, fiel nieder auf sein And he went a little farther, fell down upon Angesicht und betete und sprach: Mein his face and prayed, and said, "My Father if Vater, ists möglich, so gehe dieser Kelch it is possible, let this cup pass from me, yet von mir: doch nicht wie ich will, sondern not as I will, but as you will." wie du willt.

The theological paradox is explored further by the bass soloist: Christ's willingness to bow to his Father's will (depicted by descending arpeggios in the strings) raises believers from their fallen state to a renewed state of grace with the Father (here the musical figure is suddenly inverted).

22. (28.) Recitative (Bass)

Der Heiland fällt
vor seinem Vater nieder;
dadurch erhebt er mich und alle
von unserm Falle
hinauf zu Gottes Gnade wieder.
Er ist bereit, den Kelch,
des Todes Bitterkeit zu trinken,
in welchen Sünden dieser Welt
gegossen sind
und häßlich stinken,
weil es dem lieben Gott gefällt.

The Savior falls down before his Father; thereby he raises me, and all, from our fall up to God's grace again. He is prepared to drink the bitter cup of death, into which the sins of this world have been poured, and which stink awfully, because our dear God has willed it so.

In the bass aria that follows, the cross and cup of Christ's suffering reappear as symbols of submission. The believer expresses willingness to emulate Jesus' submissive example by embracing "Kreuz und Becher." Perhaps not coincidentally Bach sets these words with a chromatic melodic figure that spells his name in reverse: H-C-A-B (according to German nomenclature B is B-flat; H is B-natural). On two occasions Bach also subtly incorporates the opening notes of the chorale "O sacred head now wounded" into the instrumental bass line.

23. (29.) Aria (Bass)

Gerne will ich mich bequemen, Kreuz und Becher anzunehmen, trink ich doch dem Heiland nach. Denn sein Mund, der mit Milch und Honig fließet, hat den Grund und des Leidens herbe Schmach durch den ersten Trunk versüßet. Gladly will I submit myself to taking up cross and cup, drinking as my Savior did. For his mouth, with milk and honey flowing, have sweetened the dregs and bitter disgrace of suffering by taking the first drink.

24. (30.) Recitative (Evangelist and Jesus)

Und er kam zu seinen Jüngern und fand sie schlafend und sprach zu ihnen: Könnet ihr denn nicht eine Stunde mir mir wachen? Wachet und betet, daß ihr nicht in Anfechtung fallet! Der Geist ist willig, aber das Fleisch ist schwach. Zum andernmal ging er hin, betete und sprach: Mein Vater, ists nicht möglich, daß dieser Kelch von mir gehe, ich trinke ihn denn, so geschehe dein Wille.

And he came to his disciples and found them sleeping and said to them, "Can you not keep watch with me for one hour? Watch and pray that you may not fall into temptation! The spirit is willing but the flesh is weak." He went away again, prayed, and said, "My Father, if it is not possible that this cup pass from me unless I drink it, then let your will be done."

Upon Jesus' repeated words of submission, the choruses take up his words and generalize them.

25. (31.) Chorale Was mein Gott will, das gscheh allzeit, sein Will, der ist der beste. Zu helfen den' er ist bereit, die an ihn gläuben feste. Er hilft aus Not. der fromme Gott, und züchtiget mit Maßen. Wer Gott vertraut, fest auf ihn baut, den will er nicht verlassen.

Whatever my God wills, may that always come to pass; his will is best. He is ready to help those who believe firmly in him. He delivers from trouble, this good God, and chastens in moderation. Whoever trusts in God. and builds on him firmly, will not be forsaken by him.

The next events unfold rapidly. To maintain dramatic momentum the librettist does not interrupt the biblical account again until after Jesus' betrayal and capture. As Jesus announces the imminent event, more and more sharped notes appear in the music, perhaps intended by Bach to symbolize the coming crucifixion (in German the sharp sign is called Kreuz, also the word for "cross").

26. (32.) Recitative (Evangelist, Jesus, Judas)

Und er kam und fand sie aber schlafend, und ihre Augen waren voll Schlafs. Und er ließ sie und ging abermal hin und betete zum drittenmal und redete dieselbigen Worte. Da kam er zu seinen Jüngern und sprach zu ihnen: Ach! wollt ihr nun schlafen und ruhen? Siehe, die Stunde ist hie, daß des Menschen Sohn in der Sünder Hände überantwortet wird. Stehet auf, lasset uns gehen; siehe, er ist da, der mich verrät. Und als er noch redete, siehe, da kam Judas, der Zwölfen einer, und mit ihm eine große Schar mit Schwertern und mit Stangen von den Hohenpriestern und Ältesten des Volks. Und der Verräter hatte ihnen ein Zeichen gegeben und gesagt: "Welchen ich küssen werde, der ists, den greifet!" Und alsbald trat er zu Jesu und sprach: Gegrüßet seist du, Rabbi! und küssete ihn. Jesus aber sprach zu ihm: Mein Freund! warum bist du kommen? Da traten sie hinzu und legten die Jesus and seized him." Hände an Jesum und griffen ihn.

And he came and found them sleeping, and their eyes were heavy with sleep. And he left them, and went again, and prayed for the third time, saying the same words. Then he came to his disciples and said to them, "Ah, do you now want to sleep and rest? See, the hour is here for the Son of Man to be delivered into the hands of sinners. Rise up, let us be going; see, the one who betrays me is here." And as he was still speaking, lo, Judas, who was one of the twelve, came, and with him a large crowd, with swords and with staves, from the high priests and the elders of the people. And the traitor had given them a sign saying, "The one whom I shall kiss is he, seize him!" And he immediately came to Jesus and said, "Hail, Rabbi!" and kissed him. But Jesus said to him, "My friend, why have you come?" Then they came and laid their hands on

After Jesus is betrayed and captured, the soloists look on in disbelief, while the chorus interjects with outbursts protesting his capture. The physical act of leading Jesus away is reflected in the imitative writing of the vocal and wind parts, one line imitating the other at a time interval of one or two measures. The benumbed reaction of the soloists is reflected in Bach's musical texture, which lacks the usual foundation of a bass line. The movement concludes with a fiery call for thunder and lightening to destroy the betrayer. The question is not simply rhetorical: a grand pause signals that the sympathetic bystanders expect a response. When heaven is silent, the call to avenge the injustice is extended to the very abyss of hell. Perhaps to show the ultimately positive outcome of these events, Bach sets the final word, "Blut," with a radiant E major chord.

27a, b. (33.) Duet (Soprano and Contralto) and Chorus

So ist mein Jesus nun gefangen. Lasst ihn, haltet, bindet nicht! Mond und Licht

ist vor Schmerzen untergangen, weil mein Jesus ist gefangen.

Lasst ihn, haltet, bindet nicht! Sie führen ihn, er ist gebunden.

> Sind Blitze, sind Donner in Wolken verschwunden? Eröffne den feurigen Abgrund, o Hölle, zertrümmre, verderbe,

verschlinge, zerschelle, mit plötzlicher Wut den falschen Verräter,

das mördrische Blut!

Thus my Jesus has now been taken.

Leave him! Halt! Do not bind him!

Moon and light

have set in anguish,

because my Jesus has been taken.

Leave him! Halt! Do not bind him! They lead him; he is bound.

Have lightning, have thunder vanished in the clouds?

Open your fiery abyss,

O hell.

crush, destroy,

devour, shatter,

with sudden rage,

the false-hearted traitor, the murderous blood!

One of the disciples (listeners in Bach's day would have known from a parallel Gospel account that it was the always impetuous Peter) decides to take action. But Jesus remains calm and submissive, and the disciples flee in confusion.

28. (34.) Recitative (Evangelist and Jesus)

Und siehe, einer aus denen, die mit Jesu waren, rekkete die Hand aus, und schlug des Hohenpriesters Knecht und hieb ihm ein Ohr ab. Da sprach Jesus zu ihm: Stekke dein Schwert an seinen Ort: denn wer das Schwert nimmt, der soll durchs Schwert umkommen. Oder meinest du, daß ich nicht könnte meinen Vater bitten, daß er mir zuschickte mehr denn zwölf Legion Engel? Wie würde aber die Schrift erfüllet? Es muß also gehen. Zu der Stund sprach Jesus zu den Scharen: Ihr seid ausgegangen, als zu

And lo, one of those who were with Jesus, stretched out his hand and struck the high priest's servant, cutting off his ear. Then said Jesus to him, "Put your sword in its place, for whoever takes the sword will perish by the sword. Or do you think that I could not ask my Father to send me more than twelve legions of angels? But how, then, would scripture be fulfilled? It must be so." At that hour Jesus said to the crowds, "You have gone out as if against a murderer, with swords and with staves, to einem Mörder, mit Schwerten und mit catch me; yet I sat with you daily and taught Stangen, mich zu fahen; bin ich doch täglich bei euch gesessen und habe gelehret im Tempel, und ihr habt mich nicht gegriffen. Aber das ist alles geschehen, daß erfüllet würden die Schriften der Propheten. Da verließen ihn alle Jünger, und flohen.

in the temple, and you did not lay hold of me." But all of this has occurred to fulfill the scriptures of the prophets." Then all the disciples forsook him and fled.

To close Part I Bach chose to reuse a chorale-based movement from the second version of his *St. John Passion*. This complex hymn setting for chorus and orchestra balances the opening movement of the work: both are calls to lamentation. Here it is a universal call to repentance in view of the voluntary incarnation and Passion of Christ, a fitting bridge to the sermon, which occurred at this point in Bach's day. The primary musical gesture is a sighing figure, which appears in all accompanying parts while the soprano presents the hymn tune.

29. (35.) Chorus

O Mensch, bewein dein Sünde groß, darum Christus seins Vaters Schoß äußert und kam auf Erden; von einer Jungfrau rein und zart für uns er hie geboren ward, er wollt der Mittler werden. Den Toten er das Leben gab und legt darbei all Krankheit ab, bis sich die Zeit herdrange, daß er für uns geopfert würd, trüg unsrer Sünden schwere Bürd wohl an dem Kreuze lange.

O man, your grievous sin bemoan, for which Christ left his Father's bosom and came to earth.

Of a virgin pure and tender, he was born for us here; he wanted to become the mediator.

To the dead he gave life, and therewith put away all sickness, until the time appointed, when he would be sacrificed for us, bearing our sins' heavy burden on the cross.

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^{*}Sings also Peter, Pilate, and Judas

Part II

With Jesus captured, Part II begins with a movement of great textual contrast: while the alto soloist of Chorus I agonizes over the capture of her closest friend, utilizing the rhythm of the sarabande (a dance of moderate speed in triple, characterized by a secondary accent on beat 2), onlookers (played by Choir II) ask innocently where her lover has gone, using words from the Song of Solomon and the lighter rhythm of the courtly minuet.

30. (36.) Aria (Alto) and Chorus

Ach, nun ist mein Jesus hin! Wo ist denn dein Freund hingegangen, o du Schönste unter den Weibern? Ist es möglich, kann ich schauen? Wo hat sich dein Freund hingewandt? Ach! mein Lamm in Tigerklauen, Ach! wo ist mein Jesus hin? So wollen wir mit dir ihn suchen. Ach! was soll ich der Seele sagen, wenn sie mich wird ängstlich fragen? Ach! wo ist mein Jesus hin?

Ah, now my Jesus is gone! Where then has your beloved gone, O fairest among women? Is it possible, can I see it? Where has your beloved taken himself? Ah, my lamb in tiger's claws! Ah, where has my Jesus gone? We will go with you to seek him. Ah, what shall I say to the soul when it asks me anxiously? Ah, where has my Jesus gone?

The next scene shows Jesus before the religious high council. His enemies try to find cause to sentence him to death but find none.

31. (37.) Recitative (Evangelist)

Die aber Jesum gegriffen hatten, führeten But those who had apprehended Jesus led ihn zu dem Hohenpriester Kaiphas, dahin die Schriftgelehrten und Ältesten sich versammelt hatten. Petrus aber folgete ihm nach von ferne bis in den Palast des Hohenpriesters und ging hinein und satzte sich bei die Knechte, auf daß er sähe, wo es hinaus wollte. Die Hohenpriester aber und Ältesten und der ganze Rat suchten falsche Zeugnis wider Jesum, auf daß sie ihn töteten, und put him to death, but they found none. funden keines.

him to the high priest, Caiaphas, where the scribes and elder had assembled. But Peter followed him at a distance as far as the high priest's palace, went inside, and sat down with the servants, to see how all this would end. The high priests, however, and the elders, and the entire council sought false testimony against Jesus, so that they could

In the following chorale the chorus contemplates its own experiences with treacherous foes. The range is high and the harmony intense.

32. (38.) Chorale Mir hat die Welt trüglich gericht' mit Lügen und mit falschem Gdicht, viel Netz und heimlich Strikke. Herr, nimm mein wahr in dieser Gfahr,

bhüt mich für falschen Tükken.

The world has judged me falsely with lies and deceitful inventions, many traps and secret snares. Lord, protect me in this danger, shelter me from deceitful wiles.

Finally the collaborators remember a statement of Jesus that can be used against him, and bring forward two prepared witnesses. In contrast to the poised demeanor of Jesus, the two seem flustered, singing in a much higher range, and at a much quicker pace. Mosaic law required accusers to present at least two witnesses, and now the second man, in his excitement, interrupts his partner with his own statement, which is almost note-for-note identical, suggesting it has been rehearsed beforehand.

33. (39.) Recitative (Evangelist, False Witnesses, High Priest)

Und wiewohl viel falsche Zeugen herzutraten, funden sie doch keins. Zuletzt traten herzu zween falsche Zeugen und sprachen: Er hat gesagt: Ich kann den Tempel Gottes abbrechen und in dreien Tagen denselben bauen. Und der Hohepriester stund auf und sprach zu ihm: Antwortest du nichts zu dem, das diese wider dich zeugen? Aber Jesus schwieg stille.

And although many false witnesses came forward, they still found none. Finally two false witnesses came forward and said, "He has said, "I can destroy the temple of God and rebuild the same in three days." And the high priest stood up and said to him, "Will you not answer any of the testimony these are bringing against you?" But Jesus remained silent.

A recitative for tenor follows. The accompanying instruments play repeated chords in monotonous fashion, suggesting Jesus' determination to suffer in silence. The exact number of chords in ten measures is 39—perhaps intended as a numerical allusion to Psalm 39:10: "I will bridle my mouth, so long as the wicked are in my presence...! was dumb and silent...."

34. (40.) Recitative (Tenor)

Mein Jesus schweigt zu falschen Lügen stille, um uns damit zu zeigen, daß sein Erbarmens voller Wille vor uns zum Leiden sei geneigt, und daß wir in dergleichen Pein ihm sollen ähnlich sein und in Verfolgung stille schweigen. My Jesus does not answer the false lies, to show us thereby that, full of mercy, his will is surrendered to suffer for us, and that we, when in similar distress, are to be like him, and remain silent in persecution.

The tenor aria is built on two contrasting musical ideas, which arise directly from the literary images in the first text phrase. A jabbing bass line played by the viola da gamba (which is continually repeated, giving the movement as a whole the character of a passacaglia) reflects the words, "falsche Zungen stechen." On the other hand, sustained notes and figures are used to depict "patient endurance" ("Geduld"). Hidden in the bass line, and not easily heard, are the notes to the chorale "O Sacred Head Now Wounded."

35. (41.) Aria (Tenor)

Geduld, wenn mich falsche Zungen stechen. Leid ich wider meine Schuld Schimpf und Spott, ei, so mag der liebe Gott meines Herzens Unschuld rächen.

Patience, when false tongues sting me; if, guiltless, I suffer insult and scorn. ah, then may the dear God avenge my heart's innocence.

As Jesus faces the High Priest, the question that will ultimately prove his undoing is asked: "Are you the Christ?" When Jesus answers affirmatively, he is accused of blasphemy. In the polyphonic texture that follows we hear the priests in growing numbers denounce him as worthy of death.

36a, b, c. (42.) Recitative (Evangelist, High Priest, Jesus) and Chorus

Und der Hohepriester antwortete und And the high priest answered and said to sprach zu ihm: Ich beschwöre dich bei dem lebendigen Gott, daß du uns sagest, ob du seiest Christus, der Sohn Gottes? Jesus sprach zu ihm: Du sagests. Doch sage ich euch: Von nun an wirds geschehen, daß ihr sehen werdet des Menschen Sohn sitzen zur Rechten der Kraft und kommen in den Wolken des Himmels. Da zerriß der Hohepriester seine Kleider und sprach: Er hat Gott gelästert, was dürfen wir weiter Zeugnis? Siehe, itzt habt ihr seine Gotteslästerung gehöret. Was dünket euch? Sie antworteten und sprachen: Er ist des Todes schuldig!

him, "I adjure you by the living God that you tell us whether you are the Christ, the Son of God." Jesus said to him, "You are saying it. But I say to you, from now on you will see the Son of Man sitting at the right hand of power, and come in the clouds of heaven." Then the high priest tore his clothes and said, "He has blasphemed, what need we further witness? See, now you have heard his blasphemy. What do you think?" They answered and said, "He is guilty of death!"

Circling around him, his captors first mock, then brutalize Jesus.

36c, d. (43.) Recitative (Evangelist) and Chorus

schlugen ihn mit Fäusten. Etliche aber fists. A few, however, hit him in the face schlugen ihn ins Angesicht und sprachen: and said, "Prophesy, Christ, who was it that Weissage uns, Christe, wer ists, der dich hit you?" schlug?

Da speieten sie aus in sein Angesicht und Then they spat in his face and hit him with

The congregation responds immediately with disbelief and sorrow. The joint between the two movements is seamless, the hymn beginning with the same chord (F major) that ended the preceding chorus.

37. (44.) Chorale Wer hat dich so geschlagen, mein Heil, und dich mit Plagen so übel zugericht'? Du bist ja nicht ein Sünder wie wir und unsre Kinder: von Missetaten weißt du nicht.

Who struck you in this way, my Salvation; and with torment treated you so badly? For you are no sinner like us and our children: you know nothing of evildoing.

Now Peter comes to his time of testing. As Jesus had predicted, Peter denies him.

38a, b. (45.) Recitative (Evangelist, First Maid, Second Maid, Peter)

Petrus aber saß draußen im Palast; und es trat zu ihm eine Magd und sprach: Und du warest auch mit dem Jesu aus Galiläa. Er leugnete aber vor ihnen allen und sprach: Ich weiß nicht, was du sagest. Als er aber zur Tür hinausging, sahe ihn eine andere und sprach zu denen, die da waren: Dieser war auch mit dem Jesu von Nazareth. Und er leugnete abermal und schwur dazu: Ich kenne des Menschen nicht. Und über eine kleine Weile traten hinzu, die da stunden, auch einer von denen; denn deine Sprache of them, for your speech betrays you." verrät dich.

But Peter sat outside in the palace, and a maid approached him and said: "And you were also with that Jesus of Galilee." But he denied it before them all and said, "I do not know what you are saying." But as he was going out the door another maid saw him and said to those who were there, "This one was also with that Jesus of Nazareth." And he denied it again and swore, "I do not know the man." And after a little while those who were standing there approached und sprachen zu Petro: Wahrlich, du bist and said to Peter, "Truly, you are also one

Becoming ever more vehement, Peter finally swears his denial. Bach highlights this last false statement with a "harmonic mistake": a parallel fifth between the vocal line (see the G# appoggiatura) and the instrumental bass. Abandoning dispassionate narration, the Evangelist describes Peter's subsequent tears of remorse in a musical passage of unforgettable pathos.

38c. (46.) Recitative (Evangelist and Peter)

Da hub er an, sich zu verfluchen und zu schwören: Ich kenne des Menschen nicht. Und alsbald krähete der Hahn. Da dachte Petrus an die Worte Jesu, da er zu ihm sagte: Ehe der Hahn krähen wird, wirst du mich dreimal verleugnen. Und er ging heraus und weinete bitterlich.

Then he began to call curses down on himself and to swear, "I do not know the man." And immediately the cock crowed. Then Peter remembered the words of Jesus. when he had said to him, "Before the cock crows you will deny me three times. And he went out, and wept bitterly.

Peter's remorse and the descending figure used to depict his weeping serves as the basis for the following alto aria, a movement of profound sadness, and a major meditative stopping point in the Passion. The words "erbarme dich mein Gott" remind us of the chorale in the very opening movement. However, while the plea for mercy was ecclesiastically objective there, it is now personal and subjective. A further level of commentary is provided by the instrumental bass, into whose line is embedded the opening phrase of the "Passion Chorale."

39. (47.) Aria (Alto)

Erbarme dich, mein Gott, um meiner Zähren willen! Schaue hier, Herz und Auge weint vor dir bitterlich. Erbarme dich, mein Gott, um meiner Zähren willen.

Have mercy, my God, for my tears' sake! Look here, heart and eye weep bitterly before you. Have mercy, my God, for my tears' sake.

Identifying with Peter's failure, the choruses (representing the listening congregation) now join in a hymn of corporate confession.

40. (48.) Chorale

Bin ich gleich von dir gewichen, stell ich mich doch wieder ein; hat uns doch dein Sohn verglichen durch sein Angst und Todespein. Ich verleugne nicht die Schuld; aber deine Gnad und Huld ist viel größer als die Sünde, die ich stets in mir befinde.

Although I have strayed from you, I now return.

For indeed your Son has reconciled us through his anguish and pain of death. I do not deny the guilt, but your grace and kindness, is far greater than the sin which I ever find in me.

With Peter's denial scene concluded we come now to Judas's change of heart. Seeing Jesus handed over to the Roman authorities, he realizes that Jesus will be executed. In two recitatives comprising a total of thirty measures, we hear him return the thirty pieces of silver to the priests.

41a, b. (49.) Recitative (Evangelist and Judas) and Chorus

Des Morgens aber hielten alle Hohenpriester und die Ältesten des Volks einen Rat über Jesum, daß sie ihn töteten. Und bunden ihn, führeten ihn hin und überantworteten ihn dem Landpfleger Pontio Pilato. Da das sahe Judas, der ihn verraten hatte, daß er verdammt war zum Tode, gereuete es ihn, und brachte herwieder die dreißig Silberlinge den Hohenpriestern und Ältesten und sprach: Ich habe übel getan,

In the morning, however, all the high priests and elders of the people held council concerning Jesus, to put him to death. And they bound him, led him away, and handed him over to the governor, Pontius Pilate. When Judas, who had betrayed him, saw that he was condemned to death, he was remorseful, and he returned the thirty pieces of silver pieces to the high priests and elders, saying, "I have done evil, for I have

sprachen: Was gehet uns das an? Da siehe is that to us? That is your concern." du zu!

daß ich unschuldig Blut verraten habe. Sie betrayed innocent blood." They said, "What

While Judas commits suicide in despair, the two high priests consider appropriate ways of handling the "blood money."

41c. (50.) Recitative (Evangelist, First

Priest, Second Priest)

Und er warf die Silberlinge in den Tempel, hub sich davon, ging hin, und erhängete sich selbst. Aber die Hohenpriester nahmen die Silberlinge und sprachen: Es taugt nicht, daß wir sie in den Gotteskasten legen, denn es ist Blutgeld.

And he cast the silver pieces into the temple, and turned away, went forth, and hanged himself. But the high priests took the silver pieces and said, "It is not proper for us to put them in the treasury, for they are blood money."

In the following concerto-like aria, the bass solist protests these events while the strings play emphatic, syncopated "throwing" figures, and a solo violin flings out wild configurations symbolizing the sound of the silver pieces scattering across the temple floor. [Rilling]

42. (**51.**) **Aria** (Bass)

Gebt mir meinen Jesum wieder! Seht, das Geld. den Mörderlohn. wirft euch der verlorne Sohn zu den Füßen nieder! Gebt mir meinen Jesum wieder! Give me back my Jesus! Look, the money, the murderer's payment, that lost son flings at your feet! Give me back my Jesus!

After appropriate consultation the religious leaders come to a decision about the money. In an attempt to show how all these events were divinely foreordained, the Evangelist quotes a passage from the book of Jeremiah. Then, to maintain dramatic momentum the story moves on directly to the governor's interrogation of Jesus.

43. (52.) Recitative (Evangelist, Pilate, Jesus)

Sie hielten aber einen Rat und kauften einen Töpfersakker darum zum Begräbnis der Pilger. Daher ist derselbige Acker genennet der Blutakker bis auf den heutigen Tag. Da ist erfüllet, das gesagt ist durch den Propheten Jeremias, da er spricht: "Sie haben genommen dreißig Silberlinge, damit bezahlet ward der Verkaufte, welchen sie

But they took counsel among themselves, and bought a potter's field, for the burial of pilgrims. For that reason the field has been known as "the Field of Blood" to this day. Thus was fulfilled what is said by the prophet Jeremiah, who says, "They have taken thirty silver pieces, the price of the one who was sold, whom they bought from kauften von den Kindern Israel, und haben the children of Israel, and have given them

sie gegeben um einen Töpfersakker, als mir der Herr befohlen hat." Jesus aber stund vor dem Landpfleger; und der Landpfleger fragte ihn und sprach: Bist du der Juden König? Jesus aber sprach zu ihm: Du sagests. Und da er verklagt war von den Hohenpriestern und Ältesten, antwortete er nichts. Da sprach Pilatus zu ihm: Hörest du nicht, wie hart sie dich verklagen? Und er antwortete ihm nicht auf ein Wort, also, daß the governor marveled greatly. sich auch der Landpfleger sehr verwunderte.

for a potter's field, as the Lord instructed me." But Jesus stood before the governor, and the governor asked him, "Are you the king of the Jews?" Jesus said to him, "You are saying it." And when the high priests and elders accused him, he answered nothing. Then Pilate said to him, "Do you not hear how hard they are accusing you?" And he answered not a word, so that even

The choirs (responding for the congregation) now sing their determination to maintain faith in face of these events. The tune is familiar; it is the "Passion Chorale," appearing for the third time.

44. (53.) Chorale Befiehl du deine Wege Und was dein Herze kränkt der allertreusten Pflege des, der den Himmel lenkt. Der Wolken, Luft und Winden gibt Wege, Lauf und Bahn, der wird auch Wege finden, da dein Fuß gehen kann.

Entrust your ways and whatever grieves your heart, to the ever faithful care of him who guides the heavens. He who gives the clouds, air, and winds their paths, course, and track, will also find ways on which your feet may walk.

Though Pilate hopes to release Jesus, the crowd unexpectedly cries for Barabbas instead. The chord Bach uses at this point (a D # diminished seventh chord) is not only harmonically unexpected but also (for the time period) harshly dissonant. When Pilate asks what shall be done with Jesus, the agitated mob calls for his crucifixion in jagged melodic lines that incorporate many sharped notes (German: Kreuz = sharp or cross), cross figures, and dissonant intervals.

45a, b. (54.) Recitative (Evangelist, Pilate, Pilate's Wife) and Chorus

Auf das Fest aber hatte der Landpfleger Now the governor had the custom of vor andern, der

Gewohnheit, dem Volk einen Gefangenen releasing a prisoner during the festival, loszugeben, welchen sie wollten. Er hatte whomever the people might choose. At that aber zu der Zeit einen Gefangenen, einen time he had a notable prisoner named hieß Barabbas. And when they had gathered, Barrabas. Und da sie versammlet waren, Pilate said to them, "Whom do you want for sprach Pilatus zu ihnen: Welchen wollet ihr, me to release to you: Barabbas or Jesus, of daß ich euch losgebe? Barrabam oder whom it is said he is the Christ?" For he Jesum, von dem gesaget wird, er sei knew full well that they had delivered him Christus? Denn er wußte wohl, daß sie ihn up out of envy. And as he sat in the

aus Neid überantwortet hatten. Und da er judgment seat, his wife sent word to him, auf dem Richtstuhl saß, schikkete sein Weib zu ihm und ließ ihm sagen: Habe du nichts zu schaffen mit diesem Gerechten; ich habe heute viel erlitten im Traum von seinetwegen! Aber die Hohenpriester und die Ältesten überredeten das Volk, daß sie um Barrabas bitten sollten, und Jesum umbrächten. Da antwortete nun der Landpfleger und sprach zu ihnen: Welchen wollt ihr unter diesen zweien, den ich euch soll losgeben? Sie sprachen: Barrabam! Pilatus sprach zu ihnen: Was soll ich denn machen mit Jesu, von dem gesagt wird, er sei Christus? Sie sprachen alle: Laß ihn kreuzigen!

saying, "Have nothing to do with this man; I have suffered much this day in a dream because of him." But the high priests and the elders persuaded the people to ask for Barabbas and to have Jesus killed. Then the governor answered and said to them, "Which of these two do you want me to release to you?" They said, "Barabbas!" Pilate said to them, "What shall I then do with Jesus, who is said to be Christ?" They all said, "Let him be crucified!"

Removing themselves somewhat from the immediate scene, the choirs ponder the theological significance of this perversion of justice in language that recalls the earlier theme of the Good Shepherd.

46. (55.) Chorale Wie wunderbarlich ist doch diese Strafe! **Der gute Hirte** leidet für die Schafe, die Schuld bezahlt der Herre, der Gerechte, für seine Knechte.

How wonderfully strange is this punishment! The good shepherd suffers for the sheep; The lord, the righteous one, pays the debt for his servants.

47. (56.) Recitative (Evangelist and Pilate)

Der Landpfleger sagte: Was hat er denn The governor said, "What wrong has he Übels getan?

done then?"

When Pilate asks what crime Jesus has committed, the soprano answers even before the Evangelist can respond, recounting his many good deeds. The mood, reinforced by the accompanying oboes da caccia, is one of pastoral tranquility.

48. (57.) Recitative (Soprano)

Er hat uns allen wohlgetan, den Blinden gab er das Gesicht, die Lahmen macht' er gehend, er sagt' uns seines Vaters Wort, er trieb die Teufel fort. Betrübte hat er aufgericht', er nahm die Sünder auf und an. Sonst hat mein Jesus nichts getan. He has done good to us all, the blind he gave their sight, the lame he made to walk, he proclaimed his Father's word to us, he drove out demons. the dejected he raised up, he received and accepted sinners, otherwise my Jesus has done nothing.

The soprano aria that follows is the architectural centerpiece of the entire work. Two striking musical features are the absence of a continuo bass and the frequent intrusion of fermatas (pauses). It is as if the soloist is benumbed in a private, disembodied state of shock and disbelief. The presence of the flute and oboes da caccia provide a pastoral ambience; now however, Jesus is no longer pictured as shepherd but as innocent lamb.

49. (58.) Aria (Soprano)

Aus Liebe will mein Heiland sterben, von einer Sünde, weiß er nichts, daß das ewige Verderben und die Strafe des Gerichts nicht auf meiner Seele bliebe. Out of love my Lord is dying, of sin he knows nothing, so that eternal perdition and the punishment of judgment should not remain upon my soul.

Again the crowd calls for crucifixion. The music is the same as before but transposed up one tone, intensifying the effect. When Pilate sees he is getting nowhere, he yields to the mob.

50a, **b**, **c**, **d**, **e**. **(59.) Recitative** (Evangelist and Pilate) and Chorus

Sie schrieen aber noch mehr, und sprachen: Laß ihn kreuzigen! Da aber Pilatus sahe, daß er nichts schaffete, sondern daß ein viel größer Getümmel ward, nahm er Wasser und wusch die Hände vor dem Volk und sprach: Ich bin unschuldig an dem Blut dieses Gerechten, sehet ihr zu. Da antwortete das ganze Volk und sprach: Sein Blut komme über uns und unsre Kinder. Da gab er ihnen Barrabam los: aber Jesus ließ er geißeln und überantwortete ihn, daß er gekreuziget würde.

But they cried out even more and said, "Let him be crucified!" Now when Pilate saw that he was accomplishing nothing, but rather that the tumult was getting much greater, he took water and washed his hands before the people and said, "I am innocent of the blood of this righteous person; you see to it." Then all the people answered and said, "His blood be on us and on our children." Then he released Barabbas to them; but he had Jesus scourged, and delivered him over to be crucified.

Greatly agitated, the alto soloist pleads for mercy, while the scourging of Jesus is symbolized in the strings of the orchestra.

51. (60.) Recitative (Alto)

Erbarm es Gott!
Hier steht der Heiland angebunden.
O Geißelung, o Schläg, o Wunden!
Ihr Henker, haltet ein!
Erweichet euch der Seelen Schmerz,
der Anblick solches Jammers nicht?
Ach ja! ihr habt ein Herz,
das muß der Martersäule gleich
und noch viel härter sein.
Erbarmt euch, haltet ein!

May God have mercy!
Here the Savior stands, bound.
O scourging, O blows, O wounds!
You tormentors, stop!
Does the sight of such agony of soul, such misery, not soften you?
Ah yes, you have a heart; it must be like a whipping post, but even much harder.
Have pity, stop!

Desperate yet helpless to provide aid, the onlooker expresses her great sadness in an emotionally charged aria. The scourging figure of the previous movement continues here in a slower rhythm, while wavelike figures suggest the flowing of tears and blood. The aria's considerable length serves the important dramatic function of providing a pause between the trial scene and the crucifixion scene.

52. (61.) Aria (Alto)

Können Tränen meiner Wangen nichts erlangen. o, so nehmt mein Herz hinein! Aber laßt es bei den Fluten. wenn die Wunden milde bluten, auch die Opferschale sein!

If the tears on my cheeks can achieve nothing. oh, then take my heart! But for the streams that flow when your wounds bleed tenderly, let it also be the altar chalice!

In the crucifixion scene the choruses play the part of the Roman soldiers, who mock and taunt Jesus from all sides.

53a, b. (62.) Recitative (Evangelist) and Chorus

pflegers Jesum zu sich in das Richthaus und sammleten über ihn die ganze Schar und zogen ihn aus, und legeten ihm einen Purpurmantel an und flochten eine dornene Krone und satzten sie auf sein Haupt und ein Rohr in seine rechte Hand und beugeten sprachen: Gegrüßet seist du, Jüdenkönig! Und speieten ihn an und nahmen das Rohr his head with it. und schlugen damit sein Haupt.

Da nahmen die Kriegsknechte des Land- Then the governor's soldiers took Jesus with them into the judgment hall and gathered the entire band around him, stripped off his clothes and put a purple/scarlet? robe on him, and wove a crown of thorns and put it on his head, and a reed in his right hand, and bowed the knee before him and mocked die Knie vor ihm, und spotteten ihn und him, saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" And spat on him, and took the reed, and struck

The blows to Jesus' head provides the immediate thematic connection to the hymn that follows. Torn between reverent awe and distress for the suffering Christ, the choirs (representing the congregation) meditate on the mistreatment of Jesus with familiar stanzas of the "Passion Chorale." The hymn tune appears here for the fourth time, and in its highest key. Perhaps Bach meant to draw attention to these two stanzas (with their emphasis on Jesus' wounds); certainly Bach's five-fold use of the tune throughout the course of the work suggests the possibility of a symbolic reference to the five stigmata.

54. (63.) Chorale O Haupt voll Blut und Wunden, voll Schmerz und voller Hohn, o Haupt, zu Spott gebunden, mit einer Dornenkron.

O head covered with blood and wounds, heaped with pain and scorn, O head, for mocking bound with a crown of thorns.

o Haupt, sonst schön gezieret mit höchster Ehr und Zier, jetzt aber hoch schimpfieret, gegrüßet seist du mir!

Du edles Angesichte, dafür sonst schrickt und scheut das große Weltgewichte, wie bist du so bespeit; wie bist du so erbleichet! Wer hat dein Augenlicht, dem sonst kein Licht nicht gleichet, so schändlich zugericht'?

O head, once beautifully adorned, with highest honor and decoration but now highly reviled, Let me greet you!

O countenance so noble, before which the whole world otherwise shrinks in fear and awe, how you are spat upon; how pale you have grown! Who mistreated the light of your eyes, which no other light can equal, so shamefully?

55. (64.) Recitative (Evangelist)

ihm den Mantel aus und zogen ihm seine Kleider an und führeten ihn hin, daß sie ihn kreuzigten. Und indem sie hinausgingen, funden sie einen Menschen von Kvrene mit Namen Simon; den zwungen sie, daß er ihm compelled to carry his cross for him. sein Kreuz trug.

Und da sie ihn verspottet hatten, zogen sie And after they had mocked him, they took the robe off him, and dressed him in his own clothes, and led him to be crucified. And as they were going out they found a man from Cyrene by the name of Simon; him they

In the following reflective recitative the bass soloist generalizes the previous text in a meditation on the theological significance of cross-bearing.

56. (65.) Recitative (Bass)

Ja freilich will in uns das Fleisch und Blut zum Kreuz gezwungen sein; je mehr es unsrer Seele gut, je herber geht es ein.

Yea, truly must our flesh and blood be compelled to bear the cross; the better it is for our soul, the more bitter it is to bear.

The theme of personal cross-bearing reappears in the aria, which, after the arias "Erbarme dich" and "Aus Liebe," is the "third major stopping point on the way of Christ to the cross.... The speaker...wishes to relieve Jesus of the cross, though requesting the aid of Jesus for his own burden, understood at a second level as the cross of one's personal fate." [Rilling] As in the tenor aria "Geduld," Bach embeds the notes of the opening phrase of "O Sacred Head Now Wounded" in the instrumental bass line, which like No. 35 (41) features the viola da gamba in a halting, jabbing rhythm.

57. (66.) Aria (Bass)

Komm, süßes Kreuz, so will ich sagen, mein Jesu, gib es immer her! Wird mir mein Leiden einst zu schwer, so hilfst du mir es selber tragen.

Come, sweet cross, so will I say, my Jesus, give it ever to me! If my suffering ever becomes too great, you yourself will help me bear it.

A long yet relatively straightforward recitative describes the crucifixion itself. Sharps (= Kreuz) appear everywhere in the music. Passersby mockingly repeat one of Jesus' statements that (along with others) had been interpreted by his accusers as a claim to divinity and so led to his ultimate undoing. The religious leaders similarly mock him with his own record. As if to suggest that all standing there are unanimous about the nature of the issue in question, Bach has the chorus end with a forceful unison passage (the only one in the entire Passion) on the words "He said, I am God's Son,"

58a. (67.) Recitative (Evangelist) and Chorus

Und da sie an die Stätte kamen mit Namen Golgatha, das ist verdeutschet Schädelstätt, gaben sie ihm Essig zu trinken mit Gallen vermischet: und da ers schmekkete, wollte ers nicht trinken. Da sie ihn aber gekreuziget hatten, teilten sie seine Kleider und wurfen das Los darum, auf daß erfüllet würde, das gesagt ist durch den Propheten: "Sie haben meine Kleider unter sich geteilet, und über mein Gewand haben sie das Los geworfen." Und sie saßen allda, und hüteten sein. Und oben zu seinen Häupten hefteten sie die Ursach seines Todes beschrieben, nämlich: "Dies ist Jesus, der Juden König." Und da wurden zween Mörder mit ihm gekreuziget, einer zur Rechten und einer zur Linken. Die aber vorübergingen, lästerten ihn und schüttelten ihre Köpfe und sprachen: Der du den Tempel Gottes zerbrichst und bauest ihn in dreien Tagen, hilf dir selber! Bist du Gottes Sohn, so steig herab vom Kreuz! Desgleichen auch die Hohenpriester spotteten sein samt den Schriftgelehrten und Ältesten und sprachen: Andern hat er geholfen und kann ihm selber nicht helfen. Ist er der König Israel, so steige er nun vom Kreuz, so wollen wir ihm glauben. Er hat Gott vertrauet, der erlöse ihn nun, lüstets ihn: denn er hat gesagt: Ich bin Gottes Sohn.

And when they came to the place called Golgotha (which may be translated, "Place of the Skull") they gave him vinegar to drink mixed with gall; and when he tasted it he did not want to drink it. Now when they had crucified him they divided his garments and cast lots for them, so that what is said by the prophets might be fulfilled: "They have divided my garments among them, and for my raiment they have cast lots." And they sat down there and kept watch over him. And above his head they fastened the reason for his death, namely, "This is Jesus, the King of the Jews! And two murderers were crucified with him, one to the right and one to the left. But those who passed by reviled him and wagged their heads, saying, "You who destroy the temple of God and build it in three days, help yourself! If you are God's son, then step down from the cross!" In the same way the high priests also mocked him, with the scribes and elders, saying, "He helped others and can not help himself. If he is the king of Israel, let him step down from the cross; then we will believe him. He trusted in God; let him deliver him now if he will. for he said, "I am God's son."

58b. (68.) Recitative (Evangelist)

Mörder, die mit ihm gekreuziget waren.

Desgleichen schmäheten ihn auch die In the same way the murderers, who were crucified with him, also reviled him.

Using intimate language reminiscent of the Song of Solomon, the alto soloist sings her sorrow, while pondering the paradox inherent in the crucifixion: to save others he could not save himself. The unique instrumentation (2 oboes da caccia and pizzicato cello) contribute a warm color to the lamentation.

59. (69.) Recitative (Alto)

Ach Golgatha, unselges Golgatha!
Der Herr der Herrlichkeit muß
schimpflich hier verderben,
der Segen und das Heil der Welt
wird als ein Fluch ans Kreuz gestellt.
Der Schöpfer Himmels und der Erden
soll Erd und Luft entzogen werden.
Die Unschuld muß hier
schuldig sterben,
das gehet meiner Seele nah;
Ach Golgatha, unselges Golgatha!

Ah Golgotha, accursed Golgotha!
the Lord of Glory must
perish here in disgrace;
the Blessing and Salvation of the world
is put on the cross like a curse.
The creator of heaven and earth
is deprived of earth and air.
Innocence must here
die guilty;
this cut me to the quick.
Ah Golgotha, accursed Golgotha!

As usual, reflection continues in an aria—here a tender, comforting movement, in whose dialogue (between soloist and chorus) onlookers are encouraged to find solace and redemption in the outstretched arms of the crucified one. The text alludes to Jesus' lament in Matthew 23:37 that he had often wanted to gather the "children of Jerusalem" like a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but they had been unwilling, an allusion also found in Cantata 40. Two oboes da caccia, sounding parallel thirds and sixths, play the role of the little chicks.

60. (70.) Aria (Alto) and Chorus

Sehet, Jesus hat die Hand, uns zu fassen, ausgespannt, kommt!

Wohin?

...in Jesu Armen, sucht Erlösung, nehmt Erbarmen. Suchet!

Wo?

...in Jesu Armen. Lebet, sterbet, ruhet hier, ihr verlaßnen Küchlein ihr. Bleibet...

Wo?

...in Jesu Armen.

Look, Jesus has stretched out his hand to clasp us, Come!

Where?

...into Jesus' arms seek redemption, receive mercy. Seek!

Where?

...in Jesus' arms. Live, die, rest here, you forsaken little chicks,

stay...

Where?

...in Jesus' arms.

As the moment of death approaches, Jesus cries out—a desperate prayer asking why God has forsaken him. Here the "halo of strings" that usually accompanies his speech is conspicuously and symbolically absent. Meanwhile, some bystanders, more interested in eschatology than another's suffering, conjecture that he is calling Elijah, whose return had been foretold.

61a, b, c, d. (71.) Recitative (Evangelist and Jesus) and Chorus

Und von der sechsten Stunde an war eine Finsternis über das ganze Land bis zu der neunten Stunde. Und um die neunte Stunde schriee Jesus laut und sprach: Eli, Eli, lama, lama, asabthani? Das ist: Mein Gott, mein Gott, warum hast du mich verlassen? Etliche aber, die da stunden, da sie das höreten, sprachen sie: Der rufet dem Elias! Und bald lief einer unter ihnen, nahm einen Schwamm und füllete ihn mit Essig und stekkte ihn auf ein Rohr und tränkete ihn. Die andern aber sprachen: Halt! laß sehen, ob Elias komme und ihm helfe? Aber Jesus schriee abermal laut, und verschied.

And from the sixth hour onward darkness came over the entire land, until the ninth hour. And at the ninth hour Jesus cried loudly, and said, "Eli, Eli, lama, lama, sabachthani!" That is, "My God, my God, why then have you forsaken me?" But when some of those standing there heard it, they said, "He calling Elijah!" is immediately one of them ran, took a sponge and filled it with vinegar, and fastened it upon a reed, and gave him to drink. But the others said, "Wait! Let us see whether Elijah will come and help him." But Jesus cried loudly a second time, and expired.

Considering Christ's dying cry, the chorus now sings the "Passion Chorale" tune for the fifth and final time, praying not to be forsaken by the crucified one in the hour of death. Bach's harmonization is more chromatic this time, increasing the hymn's subjective focus and expressive effectiveness.

62. (72.) Chorale

Wenn ich einmal soll scheiden, so scheide nicht von mir, wenn ich den Tod soll leiden, so tritt du denn herfür! Wenn mir am allerbängsten wird um das Herze sein, so reiß mich aus den Ängsten kraft deiner Angst und Pein!

When I one day shall depart, then part not from me.
When I must suffer death, then come to my side.
When I am most afraid in my heart, then save me from those fears by virtue of your fear and pain.

Supernatural events follow Jesus' death. The tearing of the temple curtain and the earthquake are vividly depicted in the continuo bass. In his excitement, the Evangelist swoops to a high B b three times. As the centurion and soldiers observe the supernatural phenomena, faith begins to dawn, and they confess their realization in an awestruck creedal statement. Without pause we are told next of the women who also where there, and Joseph, who asks for Jesus' body.

63a, b. (73.) Recitative (Evangelist) and Chorus

Und siehe da, der Vorhang im Tempel zerriß in zwei Stück von obenan bis untenaus. Und die Erde erbebete, und die Felsen zerrissen, und die Gräber täten sich auf, und stunden auf viel Leiber der Heiligen, die da schliefen, und gingen aus den

And behold, the veil of the temple tore in two pieces, from top to bottom. And the earth shook, and the rocks were split, and the graves opened, and there rose up many bodies of the saints who were sleeping, who went out of their graves after his

Gräbern nach seiner Auferstehung und kamen in die heilige Stadt und erschienen vielen. Aber der Hauptmann und die bei ihm waren und bewahreten Jesum, da sie sahen das Erdbeben und was da geschah, erschraken sie sehr und sprachen: Wahrlich, dieser ist Gottes Sohn gewesen. Und es waren viel Weiber da, die von ferne zusahen, die da waren nachgefolget aus Galiäa, und hatten ihm gedienet, unter welchen war Maria Magdalena, und Maria, die Mutter Jacobi und Joses, und die Mutter der Kinder Zebedäi. Am Abend aber kam ein reicher Mann von Arimathia, der hieß Joseph, welcher auch ein Jünger Jesu war, der ging zu Pilato, und bat ihn um den Leichnam Jesu. Da befahl Pilatus, man sollte ihm ihn geben.

resurrection and came into the holy city, appearing to many. But when the captain and those who were with him keeping watch over Jesus saw the earthquake and the things that happened, they were terrified and said, "Truly this was the Son of God." And many women were there, watching from afar, who had followed from Galilee, and had ministered to him, among whom was Mary Magdalene and Mary, the mother of James and of Joseph, and the mother of Zebedee's children. But in the evening, there came a wealthy man from Arimathaea, by the name of Joseph, who was also one of Jesus' disciples; he went to Pilate and asked for the body of Jesus. Then Pilate ordered that it be given to him.

Following the narrator's reference to the events of that evening, the bass soloist contemplates evening as a time of conclusion, reviewing other nocturnal biblical stories of closure, and the significance of receiving Jesus' body in the Eucharist. "Peace" and "rest" are symbolized by held notes in the instrumental bass, while restlessness is expressed in the trembling of the violins and the harmony, which changes continually.

64. (74.) Recitative (Bass)

Am Abend, da es kühle war, ward Adams Fallen offenbar; am Abend drükket ihn der Heiland nieder. Am Abend kam die Taube wieder und trug ein Ölblatt in dem Munde. O schöne Zeit! O Abendstunde! Der Friedensschluß ist nun mit Gott gemacht, denn Jesus hat sein Kreuz vollbracht. Sein Leichnam kömmt zur Ruh, ach! liebe Seele, bitte du, geh, lasse dir den toten Jesum schenken, o heilsames, o köstlichs Angedenken!

In the evening, when it was cool,
Adam's fall was made manifest;
in the evening
the Savior overwhelmed it.
In the evening the dove returned
with an olive leaf in her bill.
O lovely time! O evening hour!
Peace with God
has now been made,
for Jesus has accomplished his cross.
His body comes to rest.
Ah, dear soul, ask,
go, let them give you the dead Jesus,
O salutary,
O precious remembrance!

Set in the relative major key of the foregoing movement, and employing the lilting rhythm of the siciliano (a pastoral dance), the bass aria continues with the literary idea of rest, joyfully describing the peace and certainty of salvation through mystic union with Jesus.

65. (75.) Aria (Bass)

Mache dich, mein Herze, rein, ich will Jesum selbst begraben. Denn er soll nunmehr in mir für und für seine süße Ruhe haben.
Welt, geh aus, laß Jesum ein!

My heart, purify yourself; I want to bury Jesus myself. For henceforth he shall find in me for ever and ever, his sweet rest. World, begone, let Jesus in!

After Jesus is buried, the religious leaders come en masse to Pilate. For their utterance Bach employs all forces: both choirs and both orchestras. The resulting aggressiveness contrasts sharply with the meditative tone of the surrounding movements. When the leaders tell of Jesus' promise to rise from the dead after three days, their lines rise imitatively, beginning from lowest voices to highest.

66a. (76.) Recitative (Evangelist) and Chorus

Und Joseph nahm den Leib und wikkelte ihn in ein rein Leinwand und legte ihn in sein eigen neu Grab, welches er hatte lassen in einen Fels hauen, und wälzete einen großen Stein vor die Tür des Grabes, und ging davon. Es war aber allda Maria Magdalena und die andere Maria, die satzten sich gegen das Grab. Des andern Tages, der da folget nach dem Rüsttage, kamen die Hohenpriester und Pharisäer sämtlich zu Pilato, und sprachen: Herr, wir haben gedacht, daß dieser Verführer sprach, da er noch lebete: Ich will nach dreien Tagen wieder auferstehen. Darum befiehl, daß man das Grab verwahre bis an den dritten Tag, auf daß nicht seine Jünger kommen und stehlen ihn und sagen zu dem Volk: Er ist auferstanden von den Toten, und werde der letzte Betrug ärger denn der erste! Pilatus sprach zu ihnen: Da habt ihr die Hüter; gehet hin und verwahrets, wie ihrs wisset! Sie gingen hin und verwahreten das Grab mit Hütern, und versiegelten den Stein

And Joseph took the body and wrapped it in a clean linen cloth and laid it in his own new tomb, which he had hewn out of the rock, and rolled a large stone in front of the door of the tomb, and went away. But Mary Magdalene and the other Mary were there; they seated themselves opposite the grave. The next day (the one following the day of preparation) the high priests and Pharisees together came to Pilate and said, "Sir, we remember that while he was still living this deceiver said, 'I will rise after three days.' Therefore command that the grave be secured until the third day, so that his disciples do not come and steal him and say to the people, 'He has arisen from the dead,' and the last deception be worse than the first!" Pilate said to them, "There you have watchmen, go and make it as secure as you know how." They went forth, and secured the tomb with watchmen, and sealed the stone.

In a recitative involving both choirs and orchestras, the voices of Chorus I in successive ascending order (B, T, A, S) offer subjective expressions of contrition and farewell at the grave, while Chorus II responds with a corporate statement of farewell.

67. (77.) Recitative (Solo Voices) and Chorus

Nun ist der Herr zur Ruh gebracht.
Mein Jesu, gute Nacht!
Die Müh ist aus,
die unsre Sünden ihm gemacht.
Mein Jesus, gute Nacht!
O selige Gebeine,

O selige Gebeine, seht, wie ich euch mit Buß und Reu beweine, daß euch mein Fall in solche Not gebracht!

Mein Jesu, gute Nacht! Habt lebenslang vor euer Leiden tausend Dank, daß ihr mein Seelenheil so wert geacht'.

Mein Jesu, gute Nacht!

Now the Lord is laid to rest.

My Jesus, good night!
The travail,
which our sins made for him, is over.

My Jesus, good night!
O blessed limbs,
see, how I weep for you
in penitence and remorse,
that my fall
brought you such trouble!

My Jesus, good night!
May you have, my whole life long,
for your suffering,
a thousandfold thanks,

because you valued my soul's salvation

so highly.

My Jesus, good night!

The Passion ends with a massive double chorus completing the literary idea of rest and peace. The movement has a "heavy, solemn, primary section...distinguished by the doubly echoed 'ruhe sanfte – sanfte ruh' [statements] and...a middle section [that] points away from the grave to the meaning of Christ's death. [The] theological and expressive high point is the triple echo of 'Höchstvergnügt schlummern da die Augen ein." [Rilling]

68. (78.) Chorus

Wit setzen uns mit Tränen nieder und rufen dir im Grabe zu:
Ruhe sanfte, sanfte ruh!
Ruht, ihr ausgesognen Glieder!
Ruhet sanfte, ruhet wohl!
Euer Grab und Leichenstein soll dem ängstlichen Gewissen ein bequemes Ruhekissen und der Seelen Ruhstatt sein.
Höchst vergnügt, schlummern da die Augen ein.

We seat ourselves with tears, and call to you in the tomb: rest gently, gently rest!
Rest, you exhausted limbs!
Rest gently, rest well!
Your grave and tombstone shall be for the uneasy conscience, a comfortable pillow of rest and a place for the soul to rest.
There, in utter delight, our eyes shall fall asleep.

REPERTORY

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- BWV 245 Johannespassion, 1937, 1941, 1948, 1952, 1956, 1960, 1964, 1968, 1972, 1976, 1980, 1984, 1990, 1994, 1998, 2002.
- BWV 248 Weihnachts-Oratorium, 1938, 1942, 1949, 1953, 1957, 1961, 1965, 1969, 1973, 1977, 1981, 1986, 1991, 1995, 1999, 2003.
- BWV 244 Matthäuspassion, 1939, 1950, 1954, 1958, 1962, 1966, 1970, 1974, 1978, 1982, 1987, 1992, 1996, 2000, 2004.
- BWV 243 Magnificat in D-Dur, 1933, 1934, 1937, 1939, 1943, 1945, 1946, 1950, 1957, 1962, 1968, 1976, 1984,1996.
- BWV 249 Oster-Oratorium, 1962, 1990.

Motets

- BWV 225 Singet dem Herrn ein neues Lied. 1940, 1950, 1957, 1963, 1971, 1976, 1982, 1991, 1996, 1999.
- BWV 226 Der Geist hilft unsrer Schwachheit auf, 1937, 1949, 1956, 1962, 1968, 1977, 1985, 1992, 1997, 2003.
- BWV 227 Jesu, meine Freude, 1934, 1939, 1943, 1951, 1955, 1960, 1966, 1969, 1975, 1981, 1988, 1995, 2001.
- BWV 228 Fürchte dich nicht, ich bin bei dir, 1936, 1947, 1952, 1958, 1964, 1972, 1979, 1995, 2002.
- BWV 229 Komm, Jesu, komm, 1941, 1949, 1954, 1961, 1967, 1973, 1992, 1993, 1999, 2004.
- BWV 230 Lobet den Herrn, alle Heiden, 1938, 1942, 1952, 1959, 1965, 1970, 1974, 1980, 1986, 1994, 1998, 2003.
- BWV Anh. 159 Ich lasse dich nicht, 1938, 1947, 1953, 1984, 1990.

Cantatas

- Cantata, BWV 1 Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern, 1937, 1953.
- Cantata, BWV 4 Christ lag in Todesbanden, 1940, 1944, 1948, 1952, 1965, 2000.
- Cantata, BWV 6 Bleib' bei uns, denn es will Abend werden, 1938, 1948.
- Cantata, BWV 8 Liebster Gott, wann werd ich sterben, 1946.
- Cantata, BWV 11 Lobet Gott in seinen Reichen (Ascension Oratorio), 1942, 2002.
- Cantata, BWV 12 Weinen, Klagen, Sorgen, Zagen, 1955.
- Cantata, BWV 15 Denn du wirst meine Seele nicht in der Hölle lassen, 1954.
- Cantata, BWV 19 Es erhub sich ein Streit, 1941.
- Cantata, BWV 21 Ich hatte viel Bekümmernis, 1952, 1967, 1991.
- Cantata, BWV 23 Du wahrer Gott und Davids Sohn, 1937.
- Cantata, *BWV* 27 Wer weiss, wie nahe mir mein Ende, 1958.
- Cantata, BWV 29 Wir danken dir Gott, wir danken dir, 1966.
- Cantata, BWV 30 Freue dich, erlöste Schar, 1966.
- Cantata, BWV 31 Der Himmel lacht, die Erde jubilieret, 1948, 2000.
- Cantata, BWV 32 Leibster Jesu, mein Verlangen, 1993.
- Cantata, BWV 34 O ewiges Feuer, o Ursprung der Liebe, 1941, 1982.
- Cantata, BWV 36 Schwingt freudig euch empor, 1953.
- Cantata, BWV 39 Brich dem Hungrigen dein Brot, 1944.
- Cantata, BWV 40 Dazu ist erschienen der Sohn Gottes, 2004.
- Cantata, BWV 43 Gott fähret auf mit Jauchzen, 1959, 1970.
- Cantata, BWV 44 Sie werden euch in den Bann tun, 1955.
- Cantata, BWV 50 Nun ist das Heil und die Kraft, 1936, 1938, 1942, 1945, 1952, 1957, 1959, 1964, 1998.
- Cantata, BWV 51 Jauchzet Gott in allen Landen, 1950, 1957, 1959, 1967, 1972, 1978.
- Cantata, BWV 52 Falsche Welt, dir trau' ich nicht, 1951.
- Cantata, BWV 53 Schlage doch gewünschte Stunde, 1934, 1956, 1968, 1972.
- Cantata, BWV 54 Widerstehe doch der Sünde, 1938.
- Cantata, BWV 55 Ich armer Mensch, ich Sündenknecht, 1934, 1947, 1977.
- Cantata, BWV 56 Ich will den Kreuzstab gerne tragen, 1936, 1946, 1972,1980, 1989.
- Cantata, BWV 57 Selig ist der Mann, 1953.
- Cantata, BWV 58 Ach Gott, wie manches Herzeleid, 1986.
- Cantata, BWV 61 Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland, 1940, 1982.
- Cantata, BWV 63 Christen, ätzet diesen Tag, 1949, 1988.
- Cantata, BWV 65 Sie werden aus Saba alle kommen, 1963.
- Cantata, BWV 66 Erfreut euch, ihr Herzen, 1948.

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Cantata, BWV 67	Halt im Gedächtnis Jesum Christ, 1948.
Cantata, BWV 68	Also hat Gott die Welt geliebt, 1936, 1969.
Cantata, BWV 70	Wachet, betet, seid bereit allezeit, 1950.
Cantata, BWV 71	Gott ist mein König, 1950.
Cantata, BWV 75	Die Elenden sollen essen, 1971.
Cantata, BWV 78	Jesu, der du meine Seele, 1956, 1977, 1995.
Cantata, BWV 79	Gott, der Herr, ist Sonn' und Schild, 1943, 1965.
Cantata, BWV 80	Ein feste Burg ist unser Gott, 1933, 1938, 1947, 1978, 1998.
Cantata, BWV 81	Jesus schläft, was soll ich hoffen, 1941, 1945.
Cantata, BWV 82	Ich habe genug, 1937, 1951, 1958, 1970, 1976, 1982, 1992.
Cantata, BWV 92	Ich hab in Gottes Herz und Sinn, 1973.
Cantata, BWV 93	Wer nur den lieben Gott lässt walten, 1944.
Cantata, BWV 95	Christus, der ist mein Leben, 1952.
Cantata, BWV 102	Herr, deine Augen sehen nach dem Glauben, 1945.
Cantata, BWV 104	Du Hirte Israel, höre, 1942, 1948.
Cantata, BWV 106	Gottes Zeit ist die allerbeste Zeit, 1933, 1941, 1971.
Cantata, BWV 110	Unser Mund sei voll Lachens, 1949, 1954, 1987.
Cantata, BWV 112	Der Herr ist mein getreuer Hirt, 1943.
Cantata, BWV 116	Du Friedefürst, Herr Jesu Christ, 1954.
Cantata, BWV 118	O Jesu Christ, mein's Lebens Licht, 1940, 1950.
Cantata, BWV 130	Herr Gott, dich loben alle wir, 1980.
Cantata, BWV 131	Aus der Tiefe rufe ich, Herr, zu dir, 1957.
Cantata, BWV 137	Lobe den Herren, den mächtigen König der Ehren, 1934.
Cantata, BWV 140	Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme, 1934, 1935, 1945, 1983, 2003.
Cantata, BWV 142	Uns ist ein Kind geboren, 1949.
Cantata, BWV 147	Herz und Mund und Tat und Leben, 1981.
Cantata, BWV 148	Bringet dem Herrn Ehre seines Namens, 1993.
Cantata, BWV 149	Man singet mit Freuden vom Sieg, 1947.
Cantata, BWV 158	Der Friede sei mit dir, 1939, 1963, 1977, 1985.
Cantata, BWV 159	Sehet, wir geh'n hinauf gen Jerusalem, 1940.
Cantata, BWV 160	Ich weiss, dass mein Erlöser lebt, 1948, 1952.*
Cantata, BWV 161	Komm, du süsse Todesstunde, 1969.
Cantata, BWV 169	Gott soll allein mein Herze haben, 1981.
Cantata, BWV 170	Vergnügte Ruh', beliebte Seelenlust, 1983.
Cantata, BWV 171	Gott, wie dein Name, so ist auch dein Ruhm, 1963. Erschallet, ihr Lieder, erklinget, ihr Saiten, 1994.
Cantata, BWV 172 Cantata, BWV 174	Ich liebe den Höchsten von ganzem Gemüte, 1985.
Cantata, BWV 174 Cantata, BWV 180	Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele, 1945, 1989.
Cantata, BWV 182	Himmelskönig, sei willkommen, 1974, 1987.
Cantata, BWV 183	Sie werden euch in den Bann tun, 1981.
Cantata, BWV 187	Es wartet alles auf dich, 1979.
Cantata, BWV 189	Meine Seele rühmt und preist, 1960.
Cantata, BWV 191	Gloria in excelsis Deo, 1958.
Cantata, BWV 198	Lass Fürstin, lass noch einen Strahl, 1964.
Cantata, BWV 199	Mein Herze schwimmt im Blut, 1987.
Cantata, BWV 201	Geschwinde, geschwinde, ihr wirbelnden Winde, 1965, 1980.
Cantata, BWV 202	Weichet nur, betrübte Schatten, 1947, 1965, 1977, 1983, 2001.
Cantata, BWV 203	Amore traditore, 1942, 1955, 1968.
Cantata, BWV 205	Zerreisset, zersprenget, zertrümmert die Gruft, 1961.
Cantata, BWV 208	Was mir behagt, ist nur die muntre Jagd (the "Hunting Cantata"), 1997.
Cantata, BWV 209	Non sa che sia dolore, 1935, 1979.
Cantata, BWV 210	O holder Tag, erwünschte Zeit, 1964, 1983.
Cantata, BWV 211	Schweigt stille, plaudert nicht, 1933, 1944, 1947, 1958, 1982, 1999.
Cantata, BWV 212	Mer hahn en neue Oberkeet, 1937, 1944, 1958, 1984.
Cantata, BWV 213	Lasst uns sorgen, lasst uns wachen, 1986.

^{*} Bach research now attributes this cantata to G.P. Telemann.

Sacred Songs

Auf, auf! mein Herz, mit Freuden, BWV 441, 1943, 1959.

Bist du bei mir, BWV 508, 1934, 1970.

Die bittre Leidenszeit beginnet abermal, BWV 450, 1944.

Brich entzwei, mein armes Herze, BWV 444, 1941.

Das walt' mein Gott, BWV 520, 1944.

Dir, dir, Jehova, will ich singen, BWV 452, 1939, 1954, 1959, 1970.

Eins ist Not, BWV 453, 1956.

Es ist nun aus mit meinem Leben, BWV 457, 1935, 1968.

Es ist vollbracht! BWV 458, 1941.

Gedenke doch, mein Geist zurücke, BWV 509, 1937, 1954, 1968, 1970.

Gib dich zufrieden und sei stille, BWV 510, 1936, 1968.

Die goldne Sonne, BWV 451, 1940.

Gott lebet noch, BWV 461, 1939, 1943.

Ich habe genug, BWV 82, 1970.

Ich halte treulich still, BWV 466, 1941.

Ich lass dich nicht, BWV 467, 1959.

Ich steh' an deiner Krippen hier, BWV 469, 1956.

Jesu, meines Glaubens Zier, BWV 472, 1959.

Jesus, unser Trost und Leben, BWV 475 1944.

Komm, süsser Tod, BWV 478, 1935, 1959.

Kommt, Seelen, dieser Tag, BWV 479, 1936, 1944, 1954.

Der lieben Sonne Licht und Pracht, BWV 446, 1939.

Liebster Herr Jesu, BWV 484, 1940.

Liebster Immanuel, BWV 485, 1968.

Mein Jesu, dem die Seraphinen, BWV 486, 1935.

Mein Jesu, was für Seelenweh, BWV 487, 1954.

Meine Seele, lass es gehen, BWV 552, 1937.

Nur mein Jesus ist mein Leben, BWV 490, 1956.

O finstre Nacht, wann wirst du doch vergehen, BWV 492, 1968.

O Jesulein süss, O Jesulein mild, BWV 493, 1940, 1943, 1959, 1968.

So oft ich meine Tabakspfeife, BWV 515, 1937.

Steh' ich bei meinem Gott, BWV 503, 1936.

Vergiss mein nicht, mein allerliebster Gott, BWV 505, 1934, 1968.

Warum betrübst du dich, BWV 516, 1954, 1970.

Wie wohl ist mir, BWV 517, 1970.

Willst du dein Herz mir schenken, BWV 518, 1934.

Excerpts from Larger Works

Four Choruses from Mass in B Minor, BWV 232, 1934.

Kyrie and Gloria from Mass in B Minor, BWV 232, 1946.

Five numbers from the original version of the St. John Passion, BWV 245, 1941, 1948:

Chorus: O Man, Bewail Thy Grievous Sin

Tenor aria: Destroy Me Now, Ye Rocky Crags and Spires

Bass aria with chorale: Heaven Open, World Be Shaken

Tenor aria: Be Not So Much Distressed

Chorus: Lamb of God, Our Saviour

Three Wedding Chorales, 1943.

Four Passion Chorales from St. Matthew Passion, BWV 244, 1948.

Three Easter Chorales, 1948.

Chorale from Cantata BWV 130, 1943.

Chorale from Cantata BWV 137, 1943.

Chorale: Allein zu dir, Herr Jesu Christ, BWV 260, 1992.

Chorale: Ich steh an deiner Krippen hier, BWV 248/59, 1992.

Chorale: Wer Gott vertraut, BWV 443, 1992.

Three Choruses from the original E-flat version of the Magnificat, BWV 243, 1943:

- 1. From Heaven Above to Earth I Come
- 2. Rejoice and Sing with Might
- 3. Gloria in excelsis Deo

Chorale: Befiehl du deine Wege, BWV 270, 1992.

Chorale: Nun ruhen alle Walder, BWV 392, 1992.

Chorale: Christ lag in Todesbanden, BWV 227, 1992.

Aria: Ah Tarry Yet, My Dearest Saviour from Cantata BWV 11, 1934.

Aria: Bekennen will ich seinen Namen, a lost cantata, 1937.

Aria: Bete, bete aber auch dabei, from Cantata BWV 115: Mache dich, mein Geist bereit, 1994.

Aria di G{i}ovannini from the second (1725) Notebook of Anna Magdalena Bach, BWV 518, 1970.

Aria: Have Mercy, Lord on Me from St. Matthew Passion, BWV 244, 1935.

Aria: Wenn die Frühlingslüfte streichen, from the "Wedding Cantata," BWV 202, 1998.

Reconstructed aria: Wo soll ich fliehen hin, 1938.

Duet: We Hasten With Eager Yet Faltering Footsteps from Cantata BWV 78, 1944.

Trio for women's voices: Thus, Then, the Law from the Motet: Jesu, Priceless Treasure, BWV 227, 1944.

Trio for women's voices: Suscepit Israel from Magnificat in D, BWV 243, 1944.

Sheep May Safely Graze from Cantata BWV 208, 1962.

Sinfonia from Cantata BWV 42, 1980, 1990.

Instrumental Works

Concertos and Works for Orchestra

Die Kunst der Fuge, BWV 1080, 1950, 1951, 1956, 1960, 1968. Incomplete 1941, 1945.

Overture in C Major, BWV 1066, 1936, 1939, 1953, 1990.

Overture in B Minor, BWV 1067, 1933, 1941, 1955, 1973, 1989.

Overture in D Major, BWV 1068, 1934, 1941, 1950, 1961, 1970, 1972, 1988, 2000. (Air only, 1935).

Overture in D Major, BWV 1069, 1935, 1938, 1952, 1966.

Six Brandenburg Concertos:

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Pavan — Thomas Morley Heartes Ease — Elizabethan Branle — J.B. Besardus

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Quen a virgen

Como poden per sas culpas

Le moi de May Chanson de quete

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