

28. Hail! Blessed Virgin Mary

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17th-century Italian carol
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SOPRANO ALTO

TENOR BASS

1. *Hail! Bless-ed Vir-gin Ma-ry!* For so when
2. *A-ve, a-ve Ma-ri-a!* To glad-den
3. *Arch-an-gels chant O-san-na,* And Ho-ly,

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he did meet thee, Spake migh-ty Ga-bri-el, And thus we greet—
priest and peo-ple, The an-ge-lus shall ring from ev'-ry stee-
Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Be-fore the In-fant born of thee, thou low—

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thee. Come weal, come woe, Our hymn shall nev-er va-ry.
- ple, To sound his Vir-gin-birth, Al-le-lu-i-a!
- ly, Aye-mai-den child of Jo-a-chim and An-na;

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Hail! Bless-ed Vir-gin Ma-ry! Hail! Bless-ed Vir-gin Ma-ry!
A-ve, a-ve Ma-ri-a!
Arch-an-gels chant O-san-na.