

Bach, Kantate BWV 78

A musical score for Bach's Cantata BWV 78, featuring three staves of music with lyrics in German. The score consists of three systems of music, each with a treble clef, a bass clef, and a basso continuo clef. The key signature changes throughout the piece, indicated by various sharps and flats. The lyrics are written below the notes, corresponding to the vocal parts.

The first system starts with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are:

Ach! ich bin ein Kind der Sün - den, ach! ich ir - re weit und

The second system starts with a key signature of one sharp (F-sharp). The lyrics are:

breit. Der Sün - den Aus - satz, so an mir zu fin - den, ver -

The third system starts with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are:

lässt mich nicht in die - ser Sterb - lich - keit. Mein Wil - le trach - tet nur nach

Accompaniment figures are shown above the basso continuo staff, including chords such as 6, 4, 3, 7, 5, 6, 4, 2, and 5.

8 Bö-sem. Der Geist zwar spricht: ach! wer wird mich erlösen?

6 4 2

8 A-ber, Fleisch und Blut zu zwin-gen, und das Gu-te zu voll-

6 4 2

8 brin-gen, ist ü-ber al-le mei-ne Kraft. Will ich den

6

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wür-de, und lie-fre sie dir, Je-su, seuf-zend ein. Rech-ne

6 6 7 6
4 4 5
2 2

nicht die Mis-se-that, die dich, Herr, er-zür - - - -

6 6 7 6
4 4 5
2

- - - - - net hat!

6 6 7 6
5 4 5