

Maria, Himmelskönigin Maria, Queen of Heaven

German lyrics: Traditional
English lyrics: Christopher Inman, © Helbling

Music: August Joseph Spaier (1821–1889),
Sechs Marien-Lieder, Marian hymn, p. 10/2

Moderato

Soprano (S) and Alto (A) lyrics:

1. Ma - ri - a, Him - mels - kö - ni - gin! sii sanf - te,
2. Ma - ri - a, heil' - ge__ Mut - ter mein! Kam - oohl hier ver -
3. O lass mich für - der__ bei - d - ein, in der - nen Schleier -
4. Und ruft der Va - ter__ mich Sü - ße, Sei - te,

1. Ma - ri - a, Heav - en's__ pur - e Queen! I - and - the -
2. Ma - ri - a, ho - ly__ moth - er - al! I - can I - feel a -
3. Keep me for ev - er__ by Thy si - le, let Thy veil en -
4. And when the Fa - ther__ er me, gen de moth - er,

Bass (T/B) lyrics:

1. Mitt - le - rin! Blick mild her - ab dein Kind, o schütz es du vor
2. las - sen sein? Wenn du nur mei - ne - ter bist, dann ü - ber - all mein'
3. hüll mich ein! O we - nie dein Kind von dir, es wär' ja sonst ver -
4. nimm mich auf! Führ mich Got - te - lich - tem Thron, führ mich zu dei - nem

1. mes - sen - ger! Look down with on Thy child, pro - tect - ing me 'gainst
2. ban - doned here? As The all I need, and ev' - ry - where shall
3. com - pass me! And send my child from Thee, for then I would be
4. come for me. Lead God's high, ra - diant throne, lead me to Thy be -

Piano (Bass) lyrics:

1. je - schutz - s du - vor je - der Sünd'.
2. Hei - mat ist - ber - all mein' Hei - mat ist.
3. lo - hie es wär' ja sonst ver - lo - ren hier.
4. lie - be führ mich zu dei - nem lie - ben Sohn.
 ry pro - tec - ing me 'gainst ev' - ry sin.
 oe my hor - and ev' - ry - where shall be - by home.
 tru lost, for them I would be tru - ly lost.
 n, lead to Thy be - lov - ed son.