

# Videntes stellam

From *Sacrae cantiones* (Nuremberg 1562)

**Orlando di Lasso** (1532-1594)

Transposed down a tone;  
Original note values halved

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Part I:

The wise men, seeing the star, rejoiced with great joy; and entering the house, they found the child with Mary his mother and, falling down, worshipped him.

Part II

And having opened their treasures, they offered unto him gifts: gold, frankincense and myrrh.

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## Part I: Videntes stellam Magi gavisi sunt



2 4

Soprano I  
Vi - den - tes stel - lam Ma - - - - -

Soprano II  
Vi - - - den - tes stel - - - lam Ma -

Alto  
Vi - - - den - tes stel - - -

Tenor  
Vi - den - tes stel - - lam Ma - - - - gi, ga - vi - si sunt,

Bass

6 8 10

S I  
- - - - gi, ga - - - - vi - - - - si sunt, ga - vi - - - si

S II  
- - - - - gi, ga - - - - vi - - - - si sunt, ga -

A  
-lam Ma - - - gi, ga - - - - - vi - - - - si sunt, ga - vi - si - - sunt,

T  
vi - - - den - - - - tes stel - lam Ma - - - - - gi, ga -

B  
Vi - - - - den - tes stel - - - lam Ma - - - - - - - - - gi,