

54. Jesu, dulcis memoria

(Jesu, sweet are those thoughts of thee)

Office hymn for the Feast of the Holy Name
attributed to St Bernard of Clairvaux (12th cent.)
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attributed to
T. L. de VICTORIA (1548–1611)

Cantus

SOPRANO

Je - su, dul - cis me - mo -
Je - su, sweet are those thoughts

Altus

ALTO

Je - su, dul - cis me - mo -
Je - su, sweet are those thoughts

Tenor

TENOR

Je - su, dul - cis me - mo -
Je - su, sweet are those thoughts

Bassus

BASS

Je - su, dul - cis are me -
Je - su, sweet are those

Andante

(for rehearsal only)

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- ri - a, Dans ve - ra, ve - ra cor - di
of thee Which fill our hearts, which fill our

- ri - a, Dans ve - ra cor - di gau -
of thee Which fill our hearts, fill our

- ri - a, Dans ve - ra cor - di
of thee Which fill our hearts most

- mo - ri - a, Dans ve - ra cor - di gau - di -
thoughts of thee Which fill our hearts most joy - ful -

cresc.

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gau - di - a, gau - di - a;
 hearts most joy - ful - ly, most joy - ful - ly;

— hearts most joy - ful - ly, joy - ful - ly;

gau - di - a, cor - di gau - di - a;
 joy - ful - ly, most joy - ful - ly;

- a, ve - ra cor - di gau - di - a;
 - ly, fill our hearts most joy - ful - ly;

mf *dim.* *mp*

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Sed su - per mel et o - mni - a,
 Yet sweet - er far that bliss will be,

Sed su - per mel et o - mni - a, su -
 Yet sweet - er far that bliss will be, sweet -

Sed su - per mel et o - mni - a, su -
 Yet sweet - er far that bliss will be, sweet -

Sed su - per mel et o - mni - a,
 Yet sweet - er far that bliss will be,

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su - per mel et o - mni - a, E - jus dul - cis
sweet - er far that bliss will be Ev - er - more - thy

- - per mel et o - mni - a, E - jus dul -
- - er far that bliss will be Ev - er -

- per mel et o - mni - a, E - jus
- er far that bliss will be Ev - er -

et o - mni - a, E -
that bliss will be Ev -

dim. *p*

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prae - sen - ti - a, dul - cis prae - sen - ti - a.
face - to see, thy bless - ed face to see.

- cis prae - sen - ti - a, dul - cis prae - sen - ti - a.
- more thy face to see, thy bless - ed face to see.

dul - cis prae - sen - ti - a, dul - cis prae - sen - ti - a.
- more thy face to see, thy bless - ed face to see.

- jus dul - cis prae - sen - ti - a.
- er - more thy face - to see.

dim. *p*