Ehre sei Gott

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Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (attrib.) 1562–1621











dem Soh - ne,









N.B. the indicated G naturals are sharp in the source.









Ehre sei Gott

Ehre sei Gott dem Vater, der uns erschaffen hat.

Ehre sei Gott dem Sohne, der uns erlöset hat.

Ehre sei Gott dem heiligen Geist, der uns geheiliget hat.

Ehre sei der hochgelobten Dreifaltigkeit, jetzt und in Ewigkeit.

Editorial comments

The piece is attributed to Sweelinck in Profe's *Geistlicher Concerten und Harmonien*, but this is questionable, and the work has not been included in Sweelincks *Opera Omnia* (1968). Here, the spelling has been modernized (sey \rightarrow sei, ietzt \rightarrow jetzt, Dreyfaltigkeit \rightarrow Dreifaltigkeit) and oblique strokes (/) have been replaced by comma's. An alternative text placement has been suggested in italics (original on second line) that removes some inconsistencies (e.g. "unzertheilten" in cantus 1, m. 42, "hat erschaffen" \rightarrow "erschaffen hat"), tries to ensure melodic imitations use the same text, and makes the text setting more homophonous, in particular in section openings ("Ehre sei Gott"). And so, needless to say, this is not a critical edition.

Corrections

m. 8 Alto g inserted on first beat — thanks, Andrea Friggi.

m. 11 Cantus 1, $c'' \rightarrow d''$

m. 22 Cantus 2, $c\#'' \rightarrow c''$.

m. 36 Tenor entrance one quarter later to match the soprano in m. 34.

m. 37 Swapped e' and c' in the tenor and altus because of the cadential pattern. Similar for cantus 1 and cantus 2 in m. 36.

mm. 40-41 Opted for g natural instead of the g sharp indicated in the source.

m. 53 Alto, $g' \rightarrow a'$.

m. 54 Alto last quarter $e' \rightarrow f'$

Sources

All parts are from the 1641 edition, published by Christoph Jacob (Breslau) and printed by Henning Köler in Leipzig. Two digitized version have been consulted: PL-Kj Mus.ant.pract. P 1395 (jbc.bj.uj.edu.pl/publication/294205) all parts D-KA Mus. Hs. 92 (digital.blb-karlsruhe.de/id/1071915) cantus 2, altus, bassus, and b.c.