

Commissioned by Gothic Voices

Stond wel, moder, under rode

Words: 13th century English
Music: Andrew Smith, 2015

Freely; with expression $\text{♪} = 90$

Soprano (S):
Pt. 1: Stond wel, mo - der, un - der ro - de, bi - hold thi child wyth gla - de mo - de,
Pt. 2: Mo - der, if y dar the tel - le, yif y ne deye thu gost to hel - le, hi

Alto (A):
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Tenor (T):
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Bass (B):
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(3)
mo - der bli - the mit - tu be. Su - ne, quu may bli - the ston - den? hi
thole this ded for thi - ne sa - ke. Su - ne, thu best me so min - de ne

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(5)

se thin feet, hi se thin han - den, nail - ed to the hard - e tre.
with me nout, it is me kin - de that I for the sor - ye ma - ke.

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With a little more movement

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Mo - der, mo - der, do wey thi we - ping - e; hi
Mo - der, mo - der, mi - tarst thu mith leren wat

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thole this ded for man chil - - - - nes thing - e, for
pi - ne tholen that chil - - - - dre be - ren wat

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o - wen gil - te tho - li non. Sune, hi fe - le the de - de stun - de, the
 sor - we haven that child for - gon. Sune, y wot____ y kan the tel - len,
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swerd is at min her - te grun - de, that me by - hyt - te Sy - me - on.
 bute it be the pine____ of hel - le more sor - we ne____ woth y non.
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mf ————— —————
 Mo - - - der, te - - ren, it
 Mo - - - der, duel - - le, the
 mf
 8 Mo - der, reu up - on thu bern! thu wasse a - way tho blo - di te - ren, it
 Moder, y may no leng - er duelle, the time is cumen y fare to hel - le, the
 mf
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(18)

pp

don me wer - se than me ded, _____ wer - se than mi ded. _____
 thid - de day y rise up - on, the thrid - de rise up - on. _____

pp

8 don me wer - se than mi ded, it don me wer - se than mi ded. _____
 thrid - de day y rise up - on, the thrid - de day y rise up - on. _____

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 thrid - de day y rise up - on, the thrid - de day y rise up - on. _____

Slower, with yearning

(20) ***f***

Sune, hu mit - ti te - res wer - nen? Hy se tho blo - di flo - des her - nen huth
 Sune, y wy - le with the fun - den, y dey, i - wis, of thi - ne wun - den, so

f

Su - ne wer - nen se tho blo - di flo - des her - nen
 Su - ne fun - den dey, i - wis, of thi - ne wun - den

f

8 Su - ne wer - nen se tho blo - di flo - des her - nen
 Su - ne fun - den dey, i - wis, of thi - ne wun - den

f

Wer - - - - nen se tho blo - di flo - des her - nen
 Fun - - - - den dey, i - wis, of thi - ne wun - den

*Omit this bar in Pt. 2 and continue from bar 24 to the end***END PT. 1**

(22) ***mp***

of thin her - te to min fet. _____ Stond wel, mo - der, un - der ro - de.
 reu - ful ded was ne - ver non. _____

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Tempo primo

24 **f**

Wan he ros than fel the sor - we, the blis - se sprong the thrid - de mor - - we, wen

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26 **più f**

blis - se mo - der wer tho tho. Mo - der, for that il - ke blis - - se, bi -

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28 **p** **rit.**

sech ure God, ure sin-nes lis - se, thu be ure chel a - yen hure fo. A - men.

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