

From: "In Rosa Vernat Lilium"
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from The Nativity Story

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IN ROSA VERNAT LILIUM

(from THE NATIVITY STORY)

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Slowly, with reverence ♩ = 66

Chord diagrams: F, Dm, Fsus, F, C

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Ro - sa, ver - nat lil - i - um

pedal simile

Chord diagrams: Dm, Bb, Fsus, F, C

flos in flor - e flor - e - scit

se - cun-dum De - i con - ci - li - um. ____

Ve - ra, ____ di - es di - e - scit.

Ex Lu - na ____ so - lis

e - mi - cat ra - di - um e -







lu - ce - scens; Et prae - se - pi -

pedal simile





um in - di - cat. _____ Stel - la _____

cresc. *f*





num - quam de - cre - scens. _____

cresc. *ff*

Lyrics with English translation:

In Rose, vernat lilium
Flos in flore florescit
Secundum Dei concilium.
Vera, dies diescit.

Ex Luna solis emicat
Radium elucescens;
Et praeseptum indicat.
Stella numquam decrescens

From the rose springs up the lily
Flower in flower flourishes
According to God's plan,
The true day dawns.

From the moon shines
The sun's brightening ray;
And the star that never dims
Points out the stable.