REQUIEM, Op. 9 Maurice Duruflé

1. Introit

Rest eternal grant them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them. To thee praise is due, O God, in Zion, and to thee vows are recited in Jerusalem. Hear my prayer; unto thee all flesh shall come. Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

2. Kyrie

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

3. Domine Jesu Christe

Lord Jesus Christ, King of Glory, deliver the souls of the dead from punishment in the inferno, and from the infernal lake. Deliver them from the mouth of the lion, lest the abyss swallow them up, lest they fall into the darkness. Sacrifices and prayers to thee, O Lord, we offer with praise. O receive them for the souls of those whom today we commemorate. Make them, O Lord, to pass from death to life, as thou of old hast promised Abraham and his seed.

4. Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts. The heavens and earth are filled with thy glory. Hosanna in the highest.

5. Pie Jesu

Merciful Lord Jesus, grant them rest, rest everlasting.

6. Agnus Dei

Lamb of God, who taketh away the sins of the world, Grant them eternal rest.

7. Lux aeterna

Let light eternal shine on them, O Lord, with thy saints forever, for thou art merciful. Rest eternal grant them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them.

8 Libera me

Deliver me, O Lord, from eternal death, on that fearful day when the heavens are moved and the earth, when thou shalt come to judge the world through fire. I am made to tremble and I fear, when the desolation shall come, and also wrath. That day, the day of wrath, calamity, and misery, that terrible and exceedingly bitter day. Rest eternal grant them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them.

9. In paradisum

May the angels lead you into paradise, may the martyrs receive you in your coming, and may they guide you into the holy city, Jerusalem. May the chorus of angels receive you and with Lazarus once poor may you have eternal rest.

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