

Ach, daß ich Wassers gnug hätte

Heinrich Bach
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The musical score consists of six staves of music. From top to bottom, the instruments are:

- Violino**: Treble clef, key signature of one sharp (F#). Measure 3 is shown.
- Viola da Gamba I**: Bass clef, key signature of one sharp (F#).
- Viola da Gamba II**: Bass clef, key signature of one sharp (F#).
- Viola da Gamba III**: Bass clef, key signature of two sharps (D#).
- Violone**: Bass clef, key signature of one sharp (F#).
- Alto**: Treble clef, key signature of one sharp (F#).

The vocal part is labeled "Ach".

Organo (Cembalo) and **Basso cont.** are shown at the bottom, with a basso continuo staff below them.

Measure numbers are indicated at the bottom of the page: #, #, 6, 5, 6, 5, #.

5

6

Ach, ach,
o, o,

5

(7)

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ach, ach, daß ich Was - - sers gnug,
had I but tears e - nough,
Was - - sers gnug, Was - - sers gnug hät - te in mei - nem
tears e - nough, tears e - nough, but tears e - nough in this

10

Musical score page 14. The vocal parts consist of soprano, alto, tenor, and bass. The piano part is on the bottom. The vocal parts sing in German, and the piano part provides harmonic support. Measure 14 concludes with a piano dynamic instruction.

Haup - te und mei - ne Au - gen Trä - nen-quel - len wä - ren, und mei - ne
 head of mine, and that mine eyes were springs of liv - ing wa - ter, and that mine

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Musical score page 18. The vocal parts continue their German lyrics, and the piano part maintains harmonic continuity. Measure 18 concludes with a piano dynamic instruction.

Au - gen Trä - nen-quel - len wä - ren,
 eyes were springs of liv - ing wa - ter,
 daß ich Tag und Nacht, Tag
 that by day and night, day

18

7 3 3 3 6

8

22

— und Nacht, Tag — und Nacht be - wei - nen könn-te mei - ne Sün - - - - de!
— and night, day — and night I might la - ment my great trans - gres - - - - sions.

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6 6 6 6 6 6 4
Fine

27

Mei - ne Sün - den ge - hen ü - ber mein Haupt.
For my sins are pass - ed o - ver my head.

Wie ei - ne schwe - re Last sind sie mir zu
And like a bur - den do all my sins weigh

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b b 6 6 6 6 6 6

4 3

Musical score page 32. The score consists of five staves. The top three staves are soprano, alto, and tenor voices. The bottom two staves are bass and piano. The vocal parts sing in German. The piano part shows harmonic progression with changes in key signature.

schwer hea - wor - den, vi - ly, dar - um where - fore wei - weep - ne ich I full so, sore, dar - um where - fore wei - where - fore weep -

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4 2 5 6 6 6 6 6 6 6

Musical score page 37. The score continues with five staves. The vocal parts sing in German. The piano part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

ne ich I full so, und mei - ne bei - den Au - gen flie - - -
I full sore, and there - fore both mine eyes do run -

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6 6 6 b #

41

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- Ben mit Was - ser,
down with wa - ter,

flie - - -
run - - -

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$\frac{6}{2}$ 8 b $\frac{6}{2}$ 8 3 $\frac{6}{2}$

45

- Ben, flie - - - Ben mit Was - ser.
down, run down with wa - ter.

Mei-nes Seuf - - -
and my sigh - - -

45

$\frac{6}{2}$ 8 5 6 4 \sharp 6 6 \sharp

- zens ist viel,
ing is great,

mei-nes Seufzens ist viel,
and my sigh-ing is great,

und mein Herz, mein Herz ist be-

trü - - bet, be - trü - - bet, denn der Herr, der Herr hat mich voll Jam - mers, voll
pres - - sed, op - pres - - sed, for the Lord hath stri - cken me will an - guish, with

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61

Musical score for measures 61-62. The score consists of five staves: Treble, Alto, Bass, Tenor, and Piano. The piano part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

Jam - mers, voll Jam - mers ge - macht
an - guish, with an - guish and woe

am Ta - ge sei - nes
in the day, the day of his

61

Musical score for measures 61-62. The score consists of five staves: Treble, Alto, Bass, Tenor, and Piano. The piano part features a prominent bass line with eighth-note patterns.

$\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$ $\frac{7}{4}$ $\frac{7}{4}$ $\frac{7}{4}$ $\frac{6}{4}$

67

Musical score for measures 67-68. The score consists of five staves: Treble, Alto, Bass, Tenor, and Piano. The piano part provides harmonic support with sustained notes and chords.

grimmi - gen Zorns,
vengeance and wrath,

grimmi - gen Zorns,
vengeance and wrath,

grimmi - gen Zorns,
vengeance and wrath,

sei-nes grimmi - gen Zorns.
of his vengeance and wrath.

67

Musical score for measures 67-68. The score consists of five staves: Treble, Alto, Bass, Tenor, and Piano. The piano part features a prominent bass line with eighth-note patterns.

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Da Capo