

# Kantate Nr. 40

am zweiten Weihnachtsfesttag

„Darzu ist erschienen der Sohn Gottes“

für Alt-, Tenor-, Baß-Solo, Chor und Orchester

Johann Sebastian Bach BWV 40  
herausgegeben von Eva-Maria Hodel

## 1. (Coro)

Corno (Horn) I  
in F

Corno (Horn) II  
in F

Oboe I

Oboe II

Violine I

Violine II

Viola

Sopran

Alt

Tenor

Baß

Basso continuo

The musical score is written for piano and consists of two systems of music. The first system includes six staves, and the second system includes five staves. The notation is complex, featuring various rhythmic values such as sixteenth and thirty-second notes, as well as rests. The bottom staff of the second system includes fingering numbers 6 and 5.

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The first system of the musical score consists of six staves. The top two staves are for the piano, and the bottom four are for the violin. The music is in a minor key and features a complex rhythmic pattern with many sixteenth notes.

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The second system of the musical score includes vocal lines. The lyrics are: "Dar - zu ist er-schie-nen,". The score shows the vocal parts for several voices, with the lyrics written below the notes.

The bottom staff of the second system is a bass line with figured bass notation. The figures are: 7, 6,  $\frac{6}{4}$   $\frac{2}{2}$ , 6,  $\frac{6}{4}$ ,  $\frac{5}{3}$ .