

Lieber Gott

Dear God

for 2-part S.A. and/or T.B. Chorus and Piano*

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Vivace grazioso

ST

AB

Piano

p *leggiero*

S.A. only, first verse
T.B. only, second verse

6 *unis. p*

Lie - ber Gott, du weisst, wie oft be - reut ich hab,
Lie - ber Gott, du weisst, wie oft in stil - ler Nacht
Oh! Dear God you know how oft' I do re - gret
Oh! Dear God you know how in the si - lent night

p leggiero

* Tenors and basses will sing their parts in their own octave range (8vb).

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dass ich mei - nem Lieb - sten einst ein Küss - chen gab.
 ich in Lust und Leid an mei - nen Schatz ge - dacht.
that my love - ly sweet - heart one small kiss did get.
I re - mem - ber her(him) with plea - sure and with fright.

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Herz ge - bot, dass ich ihn küss - sen muss,
 Lieb ist süß, wenn bit - ter auch die Reu,
My poor heart led me to act as this.
Love is sweet, re - gret a bit - ter brew.