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Judas Maccabäus : Oratorium

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Chor. Fall ward sein Loos

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Act 2.

CHORUS.

Allegro.

Violino I.

Violino II.

Viola.

Oboe I. II.

SOPRANO.

ALTO.

TENORE.

BASSO.

Continuo.

Allegro moderato.

Pianoforte.

H. W. 22.

The first system of the musical score features a piano accompaniment with a treble and bass clef. The treble clef part has a complex, flowing melody with many sixteenth and thirty-second notes. The bass clef part provides a steady harmonic foundation with chords and moving lines. Above the piano part are several vocal staves, including a soprano line and a bass line, which are currently empty, indicating that the vocalists have not yet entered.

The second system continues the piano accompaniment from the first system. The vocal staves remain empty, suggesting a period of instrumental introduction or a pause in the vocal line before the lyrics begin.

The third system marks the beginning of the vocal entry. The piano accompaniment continues. The vocal staves now contain lyrics in both English and German. The English lyrics are: "Falln is the foe, falln is the foe; so fall Thy foes, so fall Thy foes, oh Lord!". The German lyrics are: "Fall ward sein Loos! Fall ward sein Loos: so fällt dein Feind, so fällt dein Feind, o Herr!".

The fourth system shows the continuation of the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The vocal staves are filled with notes corresponding to the lyrics from the previous system.

H.W. 22.

Fall'n is the foe,
Fall ward sein Loos,

Fall'n is the foe;
Fall ward sein Loos:

Fall'n is the foe; so fall Thy foes,
Fall ward sein Loos: so fällt dein Feind,

fallin is the foe, fallin is the foe; so fall, so fall Thy
Fall ward sein Loos, Fall ward sein Loos: so fällt, so fällt dein

fall Thy foes, fallin is the foe; so fall
fällt dein Feind, Fall ward sein Loos: so

fallin is the foe,
Fall ward sein Loos,

ff *mf*

H. W. 22.

foes, oh Lord! falln is the foe, falln is the foe: so
 Feind, o Herr! fällt dein Feind, o Herr! Fall ward sein Loos, Fall ward sein Loos: so

fall Thy foes, oh Lord! falln is the foe, falln is the foe: so
 fällt dein Feind, o Herr! fällt dein Feind, o Herr! Fall ward sein Loos, Fall ward sein Loos: so

ff

fall Thy foes, oh Lord! where warlike Ju das wield his right eous
 fällt dein Feind, o Herr! wo Judas mächtig schwingt sein flam-mend

fällt dein Feind, so fällt dein Feind, o Herr!

fall Thy foes, so fall Thy foes, oh Lord!

fällt dein Feind, so fällt dein Feind, o Herr!

mf

H. W. 22.

sword, where war-like Ju - das wields his right - eous sword, his right - eous, right -
 Schwert, wo Ju - das mäch-tig schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert, sein flam - mend, flam -

where war-like Ju - das wields his right - eous sword, his right - eous sword,
 wo Ju - das mäch - - tig schwingt sein flam - - mend Schwert, sein flam - mend Schwert,

where war-like Ju - das
 wo Ju - das mäch - - tig

- eous, right - eous sword, where war-like Ju - das wields his right - eous sword, his right - eous
 - mend, flam - mend Schwert, wo Ju - das mäch-tig schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert, sein flam - mend

wields his right - eous sword, his right - eous, right - eous
 schwingt sein flam - - mend Schwert, sein flam - - mend, flam - - mend

where war-like Ju - das wields his right - eous, right - eous
 wo Ju - das mäch - - tig schwingt sein flam - - mend, flam - - mend

H. W. 22.

sword, his right.eous sword.
 Schwert, sein flam.mend Schwert.

where war-like Ju - das wields his right - eous
 wo Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt sein flam - mend

sword, his right.eous sword, his right.eous sword, where war-like Ju - das wields his right - eous
 Schwert, sein flam.mend Schwert, sein flam.mend Schwert, wo Ju - das mäch.tig schwingt sein flam - mend

sword,
 Schwert,

where war-like Ju - das wields his right - eous
 wo Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt sein flam - mend

Fall'n is the foe, where war-like Ju - das wields his right - eous
 Fall ward sein Loos, wo Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt sein flam - mend

sword.
 Schwert.

sword.
 Schwert.

sword.
 Schwert.

Fall'n is the foe; so fall Thy foes, oh Lord!
 Fall ward sein Loos: so fällt dein Feind, o Herr!

H.W.vv.

sword, his right eous sword. Falln is the foe, where
 Schwert, sein flam mend Schwert. Fall ward sein Loos, wo

right eous sword.
 flam mend Schwert.

fall Thy foes, oh Lord, so fall Thy foes, oh Lord! where war like Ju das
 fällt dein Feind, o Herr, so fällt dein Feind, o Herr! wo Ju das mäch tig

where war like Ju das wield his right eous
 wo Ju das mäch tig schwingt sein flam mend

war like Ju das wield his righteous sword. falln, falln, falln is the foe,
 Judas mäch tigschwingt sein flam end Schwert.

Falln is the foe, falln is the foe, Fall, Fall, Fall ward sein Loos,
 Fall ward sein Loos, Fall ward sein Loos,

wields his right eous sword. falln, falln, falln is the foe,
 schwingt sein flam mend Schwert.

sword. Falln is the foe, Fall, Fall, Fall ward sein Loos,
 Schwert. Fall ward sein Loos,

pp *f*

falln, falln is the foe, where war like Ju das wields his
 wo Ju das mächtig schwingt sein

Fall, Fall ward sein Loos,

falln, falln is the foe,

Fall, Fall ward sein Loos,

right eous sword, where war like Ju das wields his right eous sword, his right eous,
 flam mend Schwert, wo Ju das mächtig schwingt sein flam mend Schwert sein flam mend,

where war like Ju das wields his right eous sword, his right eous,
 wo Ju das mächtig schwingt sein flam mend Schwert sein flam mend,

H. W. 22.

right - eous sword, his right - eous sword.
flam - mend Schwert, sein flam - mend Schwert.

right - eous sword, where war - like Ju - das wields his right - eous
flam - mend Schwert, wo Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt sein flam - mend

where war - like Ju - das wields his right - eous
wo Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt sein flam - mend

Falln is the foe, wherewarlike Ju - das wields his
Fall ward sein Loos, wo Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt sein

where war - like Ju - das wields his right - eous sword, his
wo Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert, sein

sword, his right - eous sword. Falln is the foe,
Schwert, sein flam - mend Schwert. Fall ward sein Loos,

sword, his right - eous sword. Falln is the foe; so
Schwert, sein flam - mend Schwert. Fall ward sein Loos: so

right - eous sword, falln is the foe, where war - like Ju - das,
 flam - mend Schwert, Fall ward sein Loos, Schwert, wo Ju - das schwin - get,

right - eous, right - eous sword, sword, wo Ju - das schwin - get,
 flam - mend, flam - mend Schwert, Schwert, where war - like Ju - das,

where war - like Ju - das wields - his right - eous sword, where war - like Ju - das,
 wo Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt - sein flam - mend Schwert, wo Ju - das schwin - get,

fall Thy foes, oh Lord! falln is the foe, wo Ju - das schwin - get,
 fällt dein Feind, o Herr! Fall ward sein Loos,

war - like Ju - das wields, wields, wields his right - eous sword.
 Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt, schwingt, schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert.
 war - like Ju - das wields, wields, wields his right - eous sword.
 Ju - das mäch - tig schwingt, schwingt, schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert.

H. W. 22.

Fallh, falln, fallh is the foe; so
 Fall, Fall, Fall ward sein Loos: so
 Fallh, falln, falln is the foe; so
 Fall, Fall, Fall ward sein Loos: so

fall Thy foes, oh Lord, so fall Thy foes, oh Lord! where war-like Ju-das
 fällt dein Feind, o Herr, so fällt dein Feind, o Herr! wo Ju-das mächtig
 fall Thy foes, oh Lord, so fall Thy foes, oh Lord! where war-like Ju-das
 fällt dein Feind, o Herr, so fällt dein Feind, o Herr! wo Ju-das mächtig

wields his right - eous sword, where war - like Ju - das wields his right - eous sword.
 schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert, wo Ju - das mächtig schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert.

wields his right - eous sword, where war - like Ju - das wields his right - eous sword.
 schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert, wo Ju - das mächtig schwingt sein flam - mend Schwert.

un poco ritard.

ISRAELITISH MAN
 Israëlit.

Vic - to - rious he - ro! Fame shall tell, with her last breath, how A - pol - lo - nius fell, and
 Siegrei - cher Kriegs - held! ew - ger Ruhm ver - kün - det einst, wie A - pol - lo - nius fiel, wie

Continuo.

con 8va

all Sa - ma - ria fled, by thee pur - sued, through hills of car - nage and a sea of blood; while
 ganz Sa - ma - ria floh, von dir ver - folgt durch Lei - chen - hü - gel und ein Meer von Blut, da

thy re - sist - less prow - ess dealt a - round, with their own lea - der's sword, the death - ful wound. Thus,
 dein un - bünd' - ger Kriegs - muth mit dem Schwerte ih - res eig - nen Haupts sie tödt - lich traf. Und

too, the haugh - ty Se - ron, Sy - ria's boast, be - fore thee fell, with his un - num - ber'd host.
 auch der Frev - ler Se - ron, Sy - ria's Stolz, sank vor dir hin mit un - ge - zähl - tem Heer.