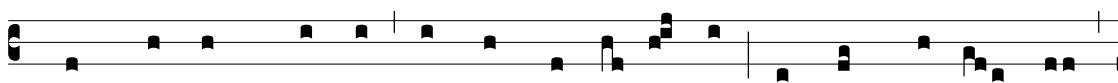


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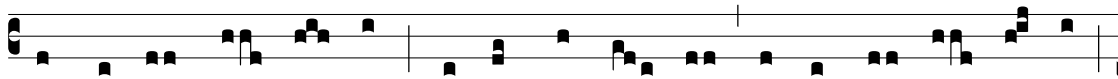
Cantigas de Santa Maria no. 406

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Transcribed by Philip M^cGrath¹



1. Ben vennas, Ma- yo, e con a- legri- a por en rogue- mos



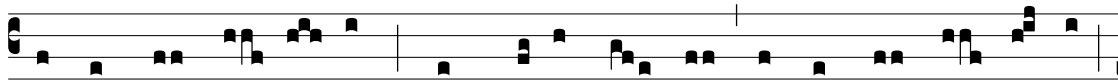
a Santa Ma- ri- a que a seu fil- lo rogue to- da- vi- a



que el nos guar- de d'err' e de fo- li- a. Ben vennas, Ma- yo.



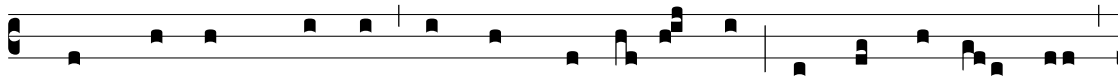
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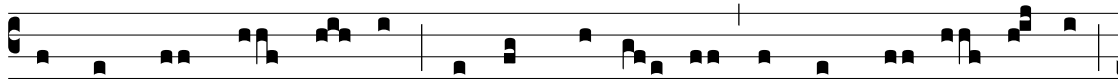
a de gran ver- tu- de que a De- us ro- gue que nos sempr' a- ju- de



contra o de- m' e de si nos es- cu- de. Ben vennas, Ma- yo.



3. Ben vennas, Ma- yo, e con le- alda- de por e rogue- mos



a de gran bon- da- de que sempre a- ja de nos pi- a- da- de



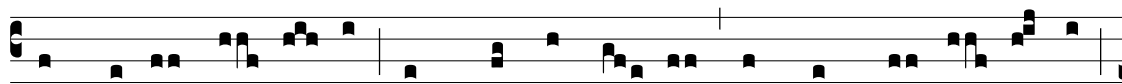
e que nos guar- de de toda malda- de. Ben vennas, Ma- yo.

¹The text and translation for selected verses are based on Stephen Parkinson, ed. & trans., *Alfonso X, the Learned, 'Cantigas de Santa Maria': An Anthology*, Critical Texts 40 (Cambridge, UK: Modern Humanities Research Association, 2015), 150–1.

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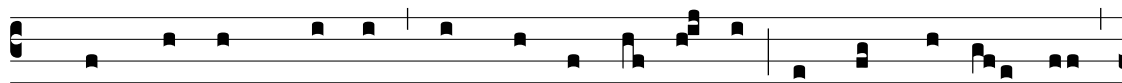
9. Ben vennas, Ma- yo, con mui- tos gã- a- dos e nos rogue- mos



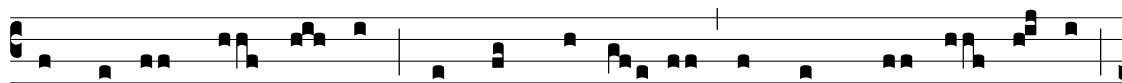
a que os pe- ca- dos faz que nos se- jan de Deus per- dõ- a- dos,



que de seu fil- lo nos faça pri- va- dos. Ben vennas, Ma- yo.



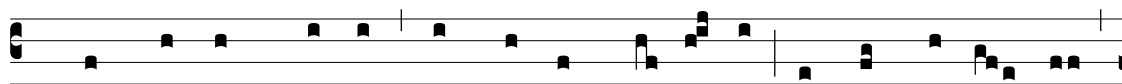
10. Ben vennas, Ma- yo, con bõ- o ve- rã- o e nos rogue- mos



a Virgen de chã- o que nos de- fenda d'ome mui vi- lã- o



e d'atrevud' e de torp' al- var- dã- o. Ben vennas, Ma- yo.



14. Ben vennas, Ma- yo, con bõ- os manja- res e nos rogue- mos



en nossos can- ta- res a santa Vir- gen, ant' os seus al- ta- res,



que nos de- fenda de grandes pes- ar- es. Ben vennas, Ma- yo.