

Quelle est cette odeur agréable?

(E flat major)

trad. French

Moderato



Quelle est cette o - deur a - gré - a - ble,
Mais quelle é - cla - tan - te lu - miè - re

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Ber - gers, qui ra - vit tous nos sens? S'ex - ha - le -
Dans la nuit vient frap - per nos yeux! L'as - tre du

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t'il rien de sem - bla - ble Au mi - lieu des fleurs
jour, dans sa car - riè - re, Fût - il ja - mais si

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du prin - temps? Quelle est cette o - deur a - gré -
ra - dieux? Mais quelle é - cla - tan - te lu -

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miè - re Dans la nuit vient frap - per nos yeux!

Whence is that goodly fragrance flowing,
Stealing our senses all away?
Never the like did come a-blowing,
Shepherds, in flow'ry fields in May...

What is that light so brilliant, breaking
Here in the night across our eyes?
Never so bright, the day-star waking,
Started to climb the morning skies!...

Praise to the Lord of all creation,
Glory to God the fount of grace;
May peace abide in ev'ry nation,
Goodwill in men of ev'ry race...