

# O du fröhliche, o du selige

Weihnachtslied - Orginal 'O Sanctissima'

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The image shows a musical score for a guitar and voice. At the top, seven guitar chords are displayed: D, G, A, E7, A7, Bm, and F#m. Below these are two staves of music. The top staff is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two sharps. It consists of eight measures of lyrics: 'O du fröhliche, o du selige,' followed by 'gnaden- den- brin- gen- de Weih- nachts- zeit!' The bottom staff continues the lyrics: '1. Welt ging ver- losche- ren, Christ ward ge- bo- ren: 2. Christ ist er- schie- nen, uns zu ver- söh- nen: 3. Himm- li- sche Hee- re jauch- zen dir Eh- re:'. The music concludes with a final section of lyrics: 'Freu- e, freu- e dich, o Chris- ten- heit!'. The score is marked with measure numbers 1 through 16.