Circumdederunt me gemitus mortis

Toledo Cathedral, MS 21, fol. 34'-35 (1549)

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Circumdederunt me, me ge mitus mor 

mor tis, mor tis, mor tis, 

gemitus mor 

tis, do lo res in fer 

do lo res in fer ni 

cir cum 

tis, do lo res in fer ni 

tis, do lo res in fer ni 

tis, do lo res in fer ni
Circumdederunt me gemitus mortis;
dolores inferni circumdederunt me.
—Derived from Ps. 17: 5-6

The groans of death have surrounded me;
the sorrows of hell have surrounded me.

Text for Introit of Septuagesima Sunday.