Latin Mass for Dummies

- 1) Latin Mass?
 - a) Ordinary Form
 - b) Extraordinary Form
- 2) Rites, Usages, and Forms
 - a) Major Rites
 - i) Roman Rite
 - ii) Antiochian Rite
 - iii) Alexandrian Rite
 - iv) Byzantine Rite
 - b) Forms of the Roman Rite
 - i) Ordinary
 - ii) Extraordinary
 - iii) Bragan
 - iv) Mozarabic
 - v) Ambrosian
 - vi) Dominican
 - vii) Carmelite
 - viii) Carthusian
 - ix) Anglican Use
- 3) History
 - a) Council of Trent
 - b) Vatican II
 - c) Ecclesia Dei
 - d) Summorum Pontificum
- 4) The Mass
 - a) Mass of the Catechumens
 - i) The Preparation
 - (1) Prayers at the Foot of the Altar
 - (2) Introit
 - (3) Kyrie
 - (4) Gloria
 - ii) The Instruction
 - (1) Collect
 - (2) Epistle
 - (3) Gradual
 - (4) Alleluia
 - (5) Gospel
 - (6) Credo
 - b) Mass of the Faithful
 - i) The Offertory
 - (1) which includes the Offertory antiphon, the offering of bread, the pouring of water and wine into the chalice, the offering of the chalice
 - (2) Lavabo
 - (3) Secret

- ii) The Consecration
 - (1) Preface
 - (2) Canon of the Mass
- c) Low Mass
- d) High Mass
- 5) Vestments
 - a) Amice
 - b) Alb
 - c) Cincture
 - d) Maniple
 - e) Stole
 - f) Chasuble
- 6) Gregorian Chant
 - a) Pope Gregory the Great
 - b) Polyphonic
- 7) FAQs
 - a) Participation
 - b) Fasting
 - c) Veils
 - d) What else?

WHEN TO KNEEL, STAND OR SIT AT LOW, HIGH, REQUIEM OR SOLEMN MASS

According to custom in American churches when there is no canonical choir, and no one to give a sign for standing, kneeling, etc., the following procedure may be observed:

PARTS OF THE MASS	Low	High
When Priest enters Sanctuary	st	st
Beginning of Mass	k	k
KYRIE *Stand, but sit when Priest sits	k	*
GLORIA	k	st^2
DOMINUS VOBISCUM COLLECTS	k	st
EPISTLE (Priest at right side)	k	S
DIES IRAE (at Mass for the Dead)	k	n
GOSPEL (Priest at left side)	st	st
CREDO	st	st ³
OFFERTORY (Oremus)	S	S
PREFACE	S	st
SANCTUS till COMMUNION	k	k
2nd ABLUTION (when Priest drinks from chalice second time)	S	S
DOMINUS VOBISCUM & POSTCOM.	S	st
ITE MISSA EST and BLESSING	k	k
LAST GOSPEL (Priest at left side)	st	st
PRAYERS AFTER LOW MASS	k	n
When Priest leaves Sanctuary	st	st