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A REQUIEM FOR GEORGE FLOYD

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Soprano Solo, SATB Chorus, and Piano or Chamber Orchestra

Narration by
RICHARD HEYDT

Narrator at the first performance
The Very Reverend David Bird

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From the Composer

America is a great country, but after so many years of discrimination, I can only hope that we will continue the progress which we have made during this past year. We are at a turning point, I believe, and all of us must do whatever we can to make America a better place.

—Henry Mollicone (1946–2022)

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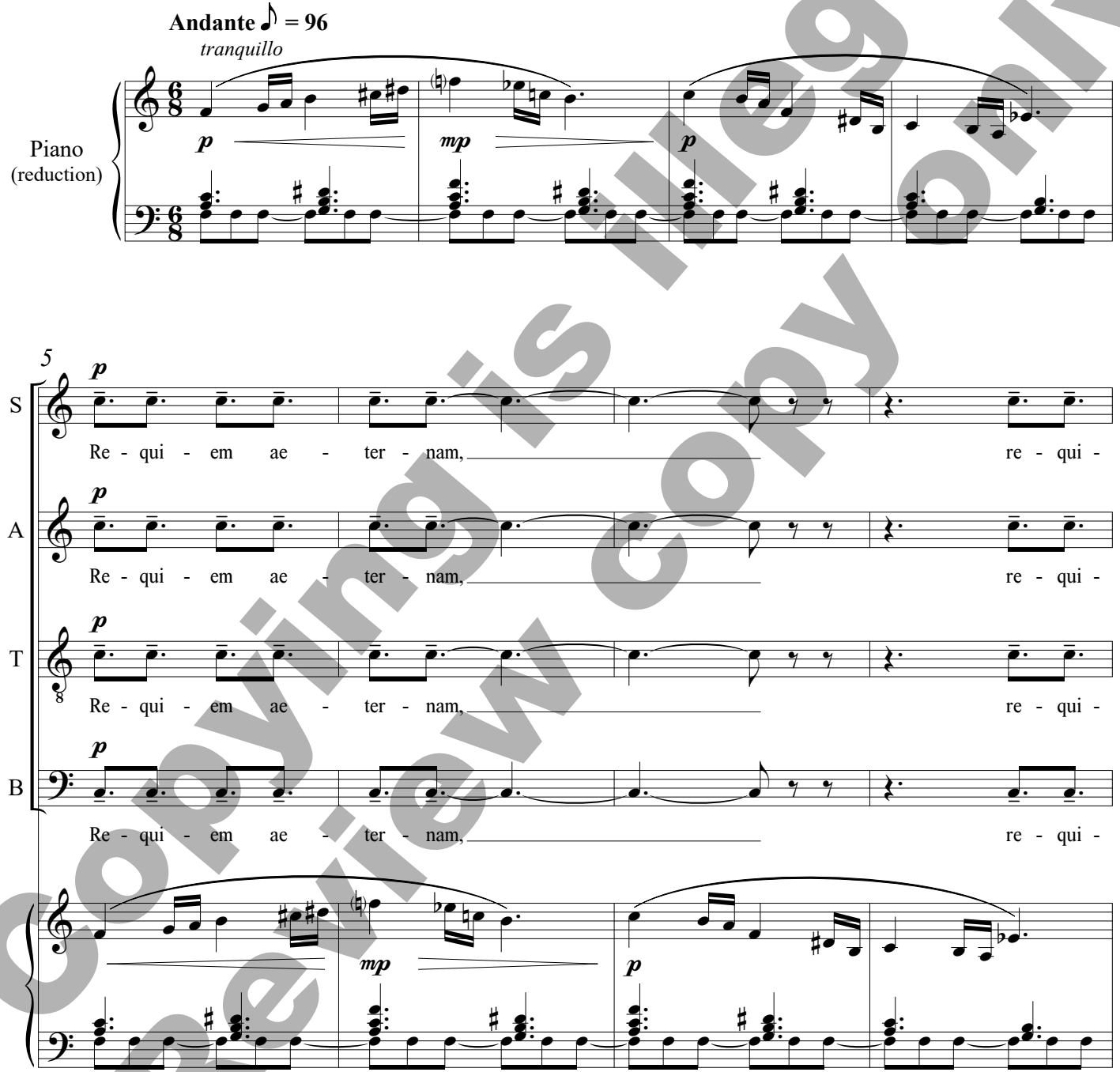

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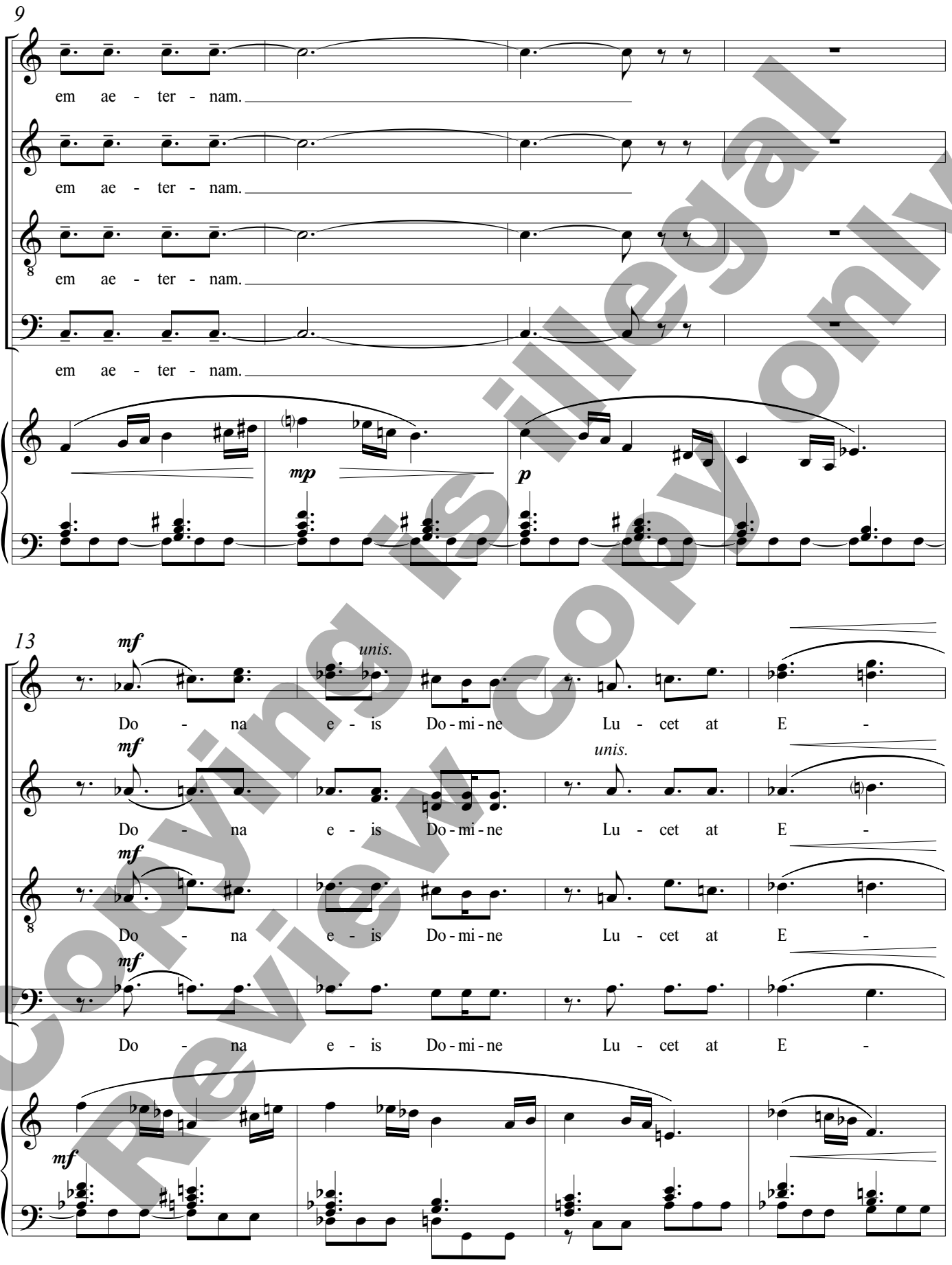

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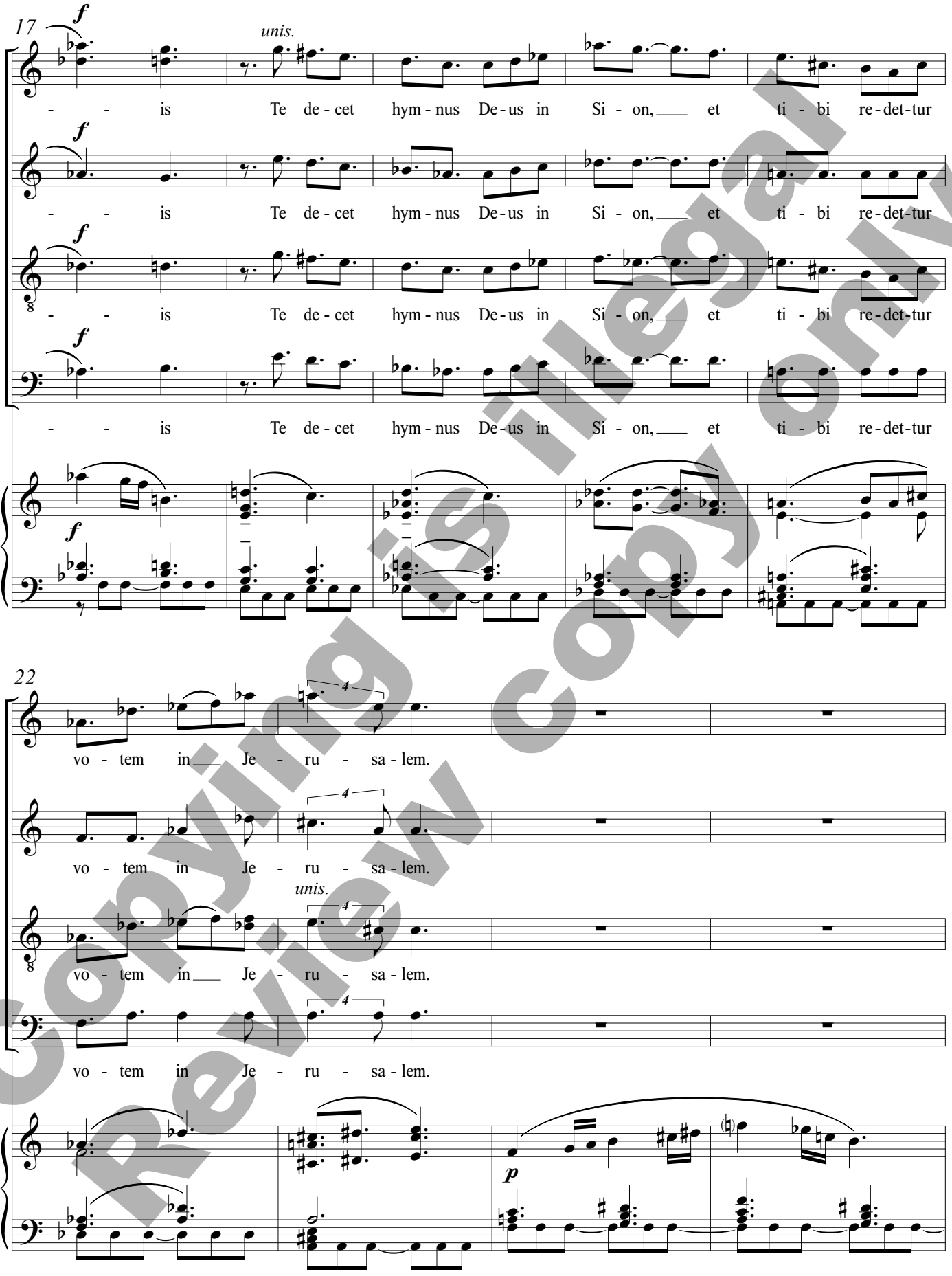

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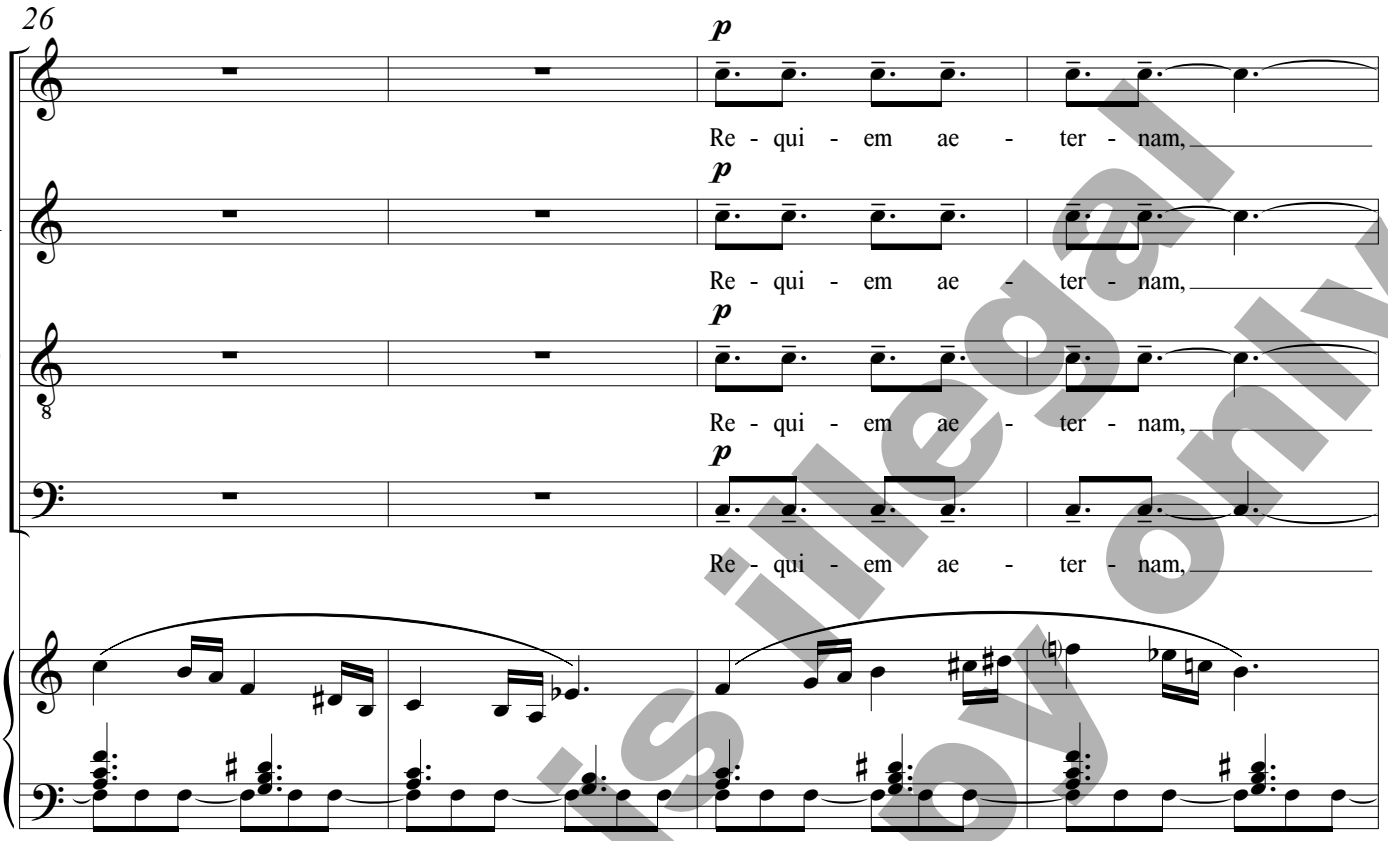

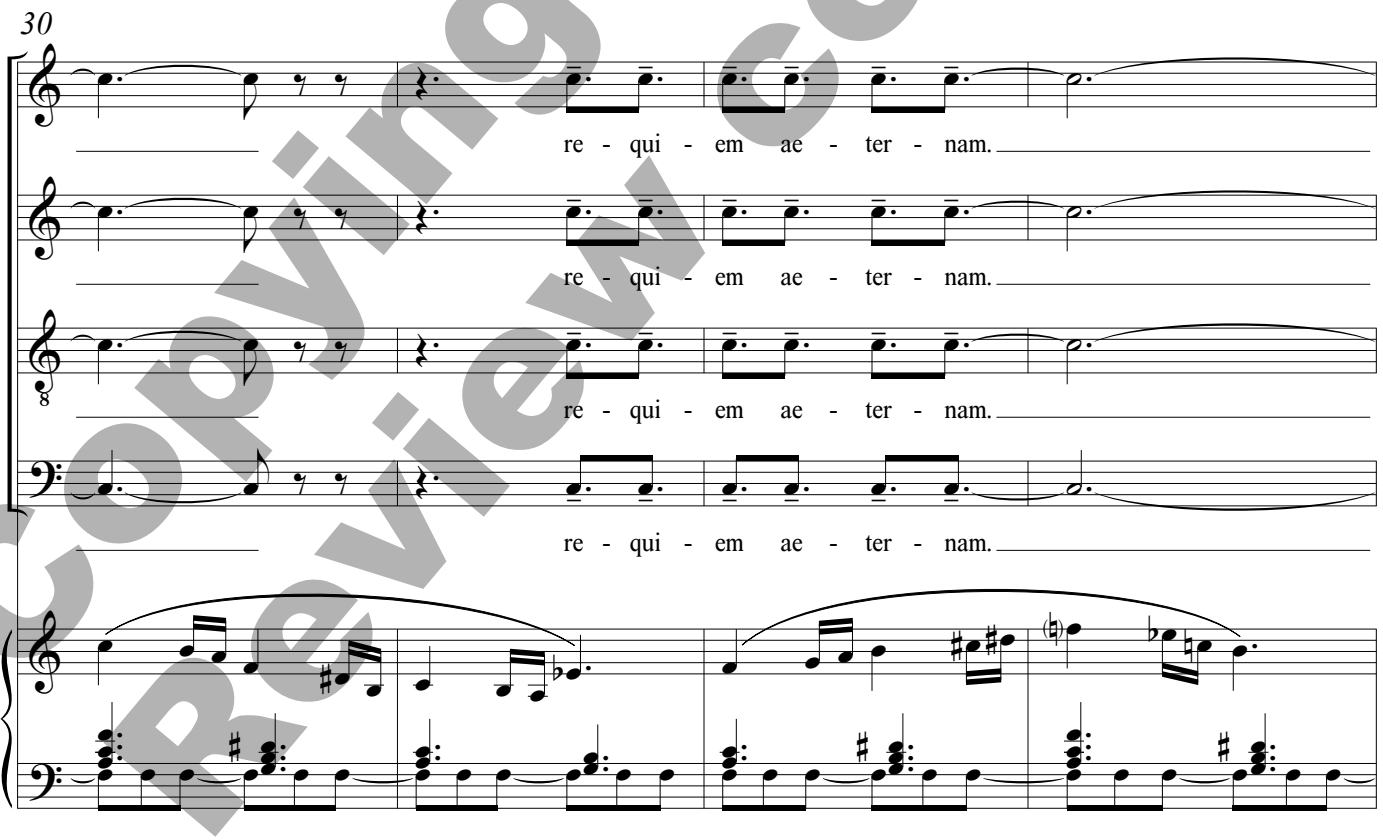

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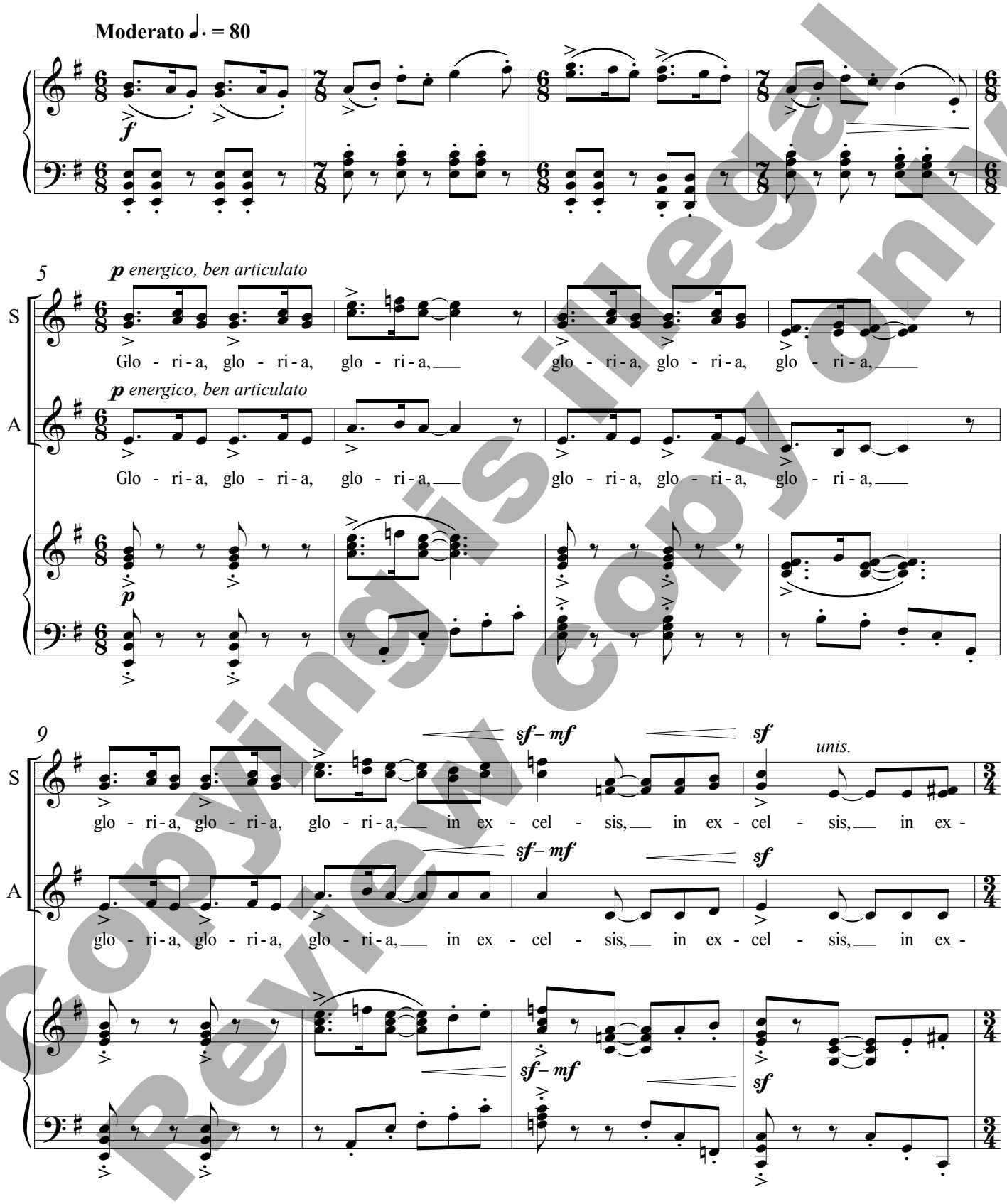

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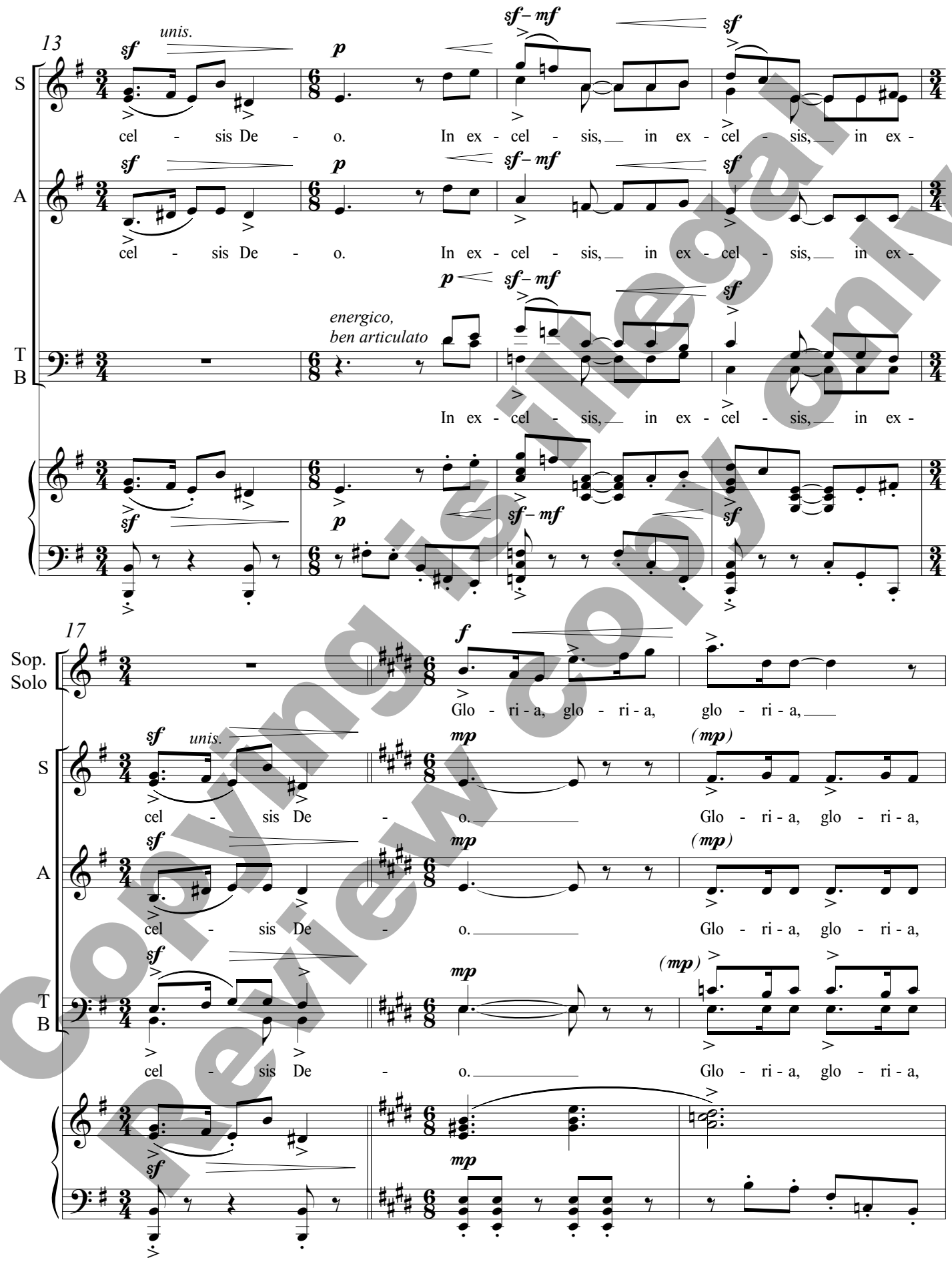

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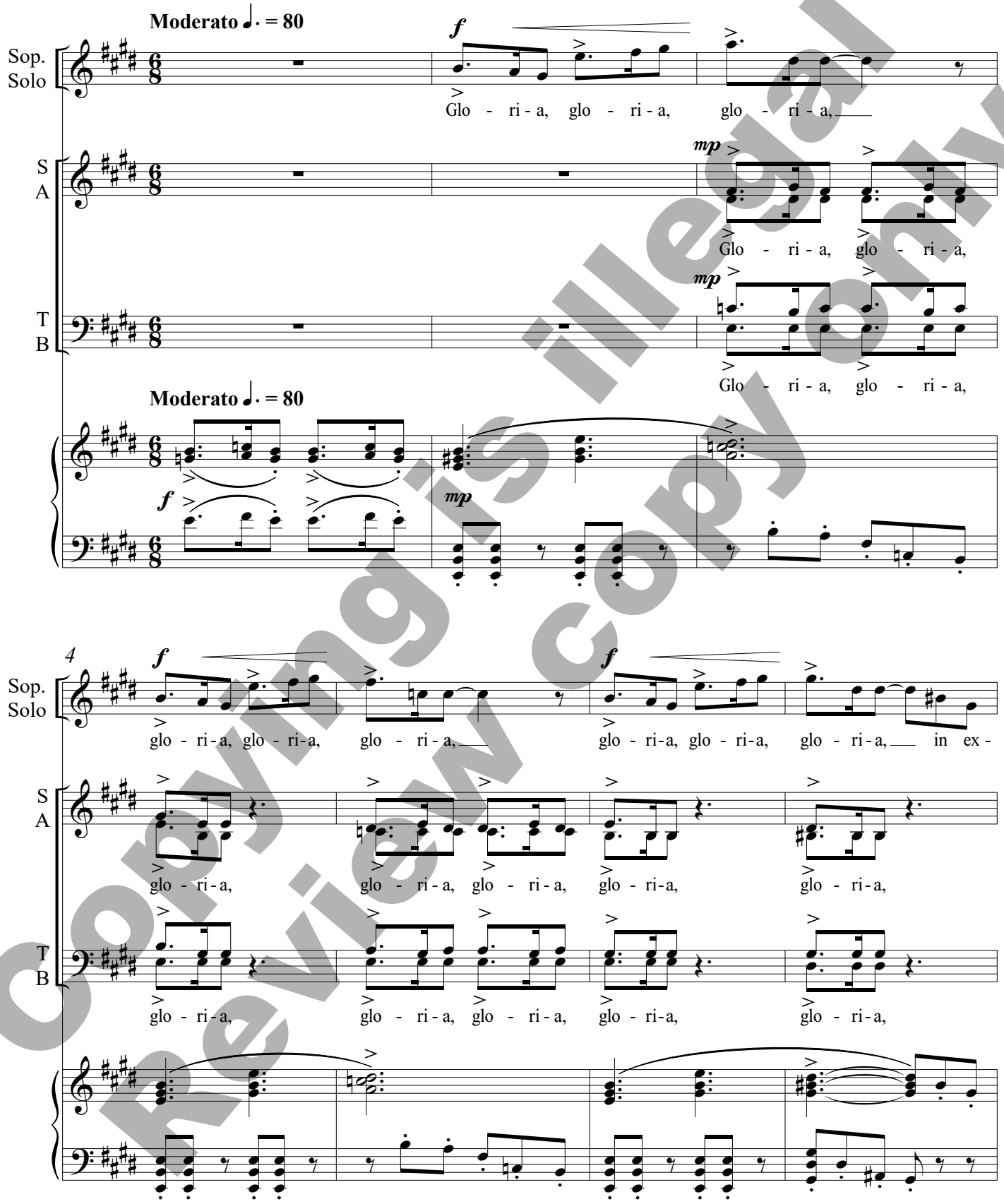

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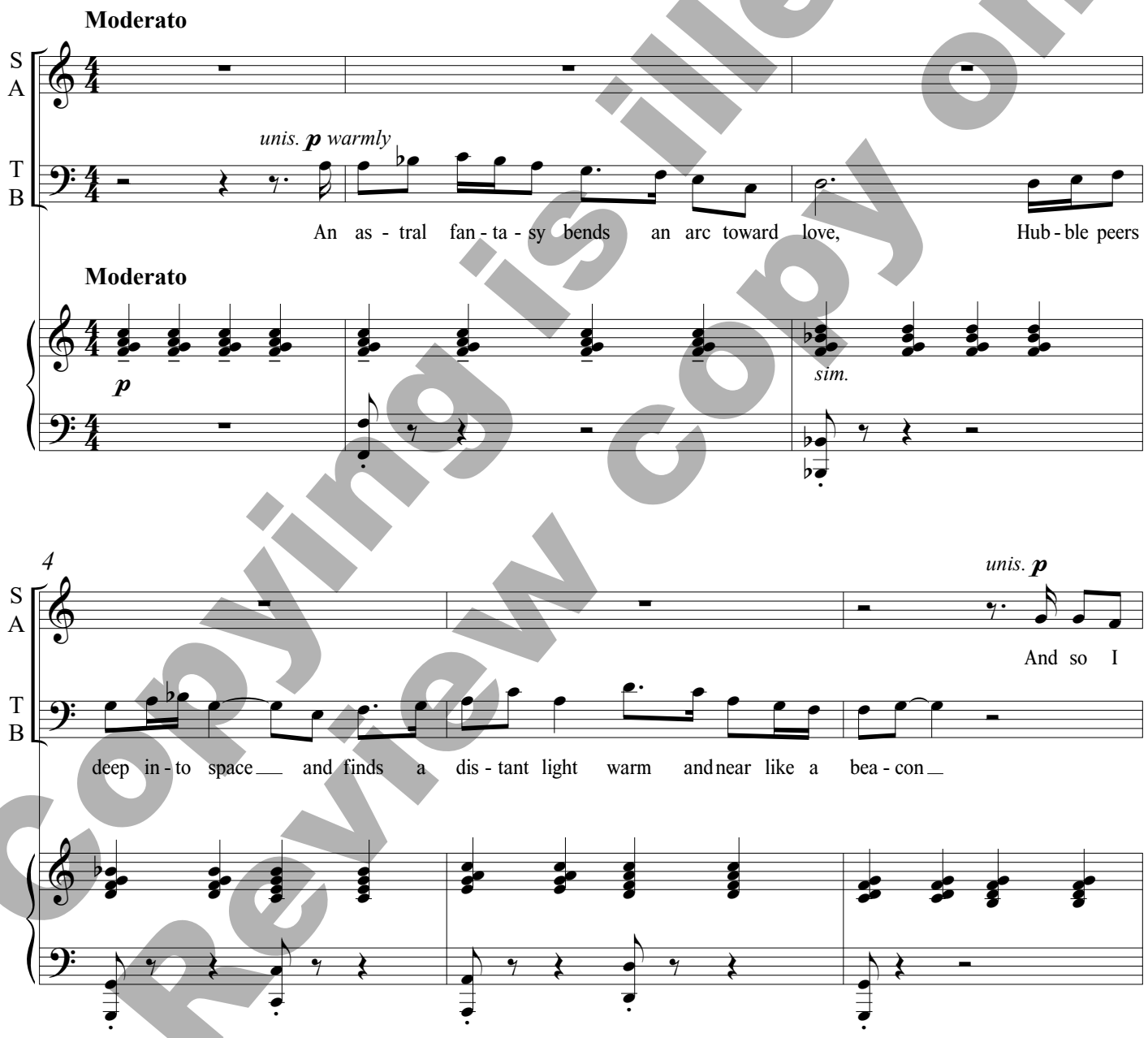
Narration

Let's envision the bright future ahead. If we find compassion for ourselves then we can extend compassion to others. Our capacity to care for our fellow humans of all races is as great as our imagination. When we imagine the immensity of the universe, of which we are but a small part, then it's possible to believe that our capacity for compassion and caring for each other has the space to grow without bound.

[begin "Star Born"]

Star Born



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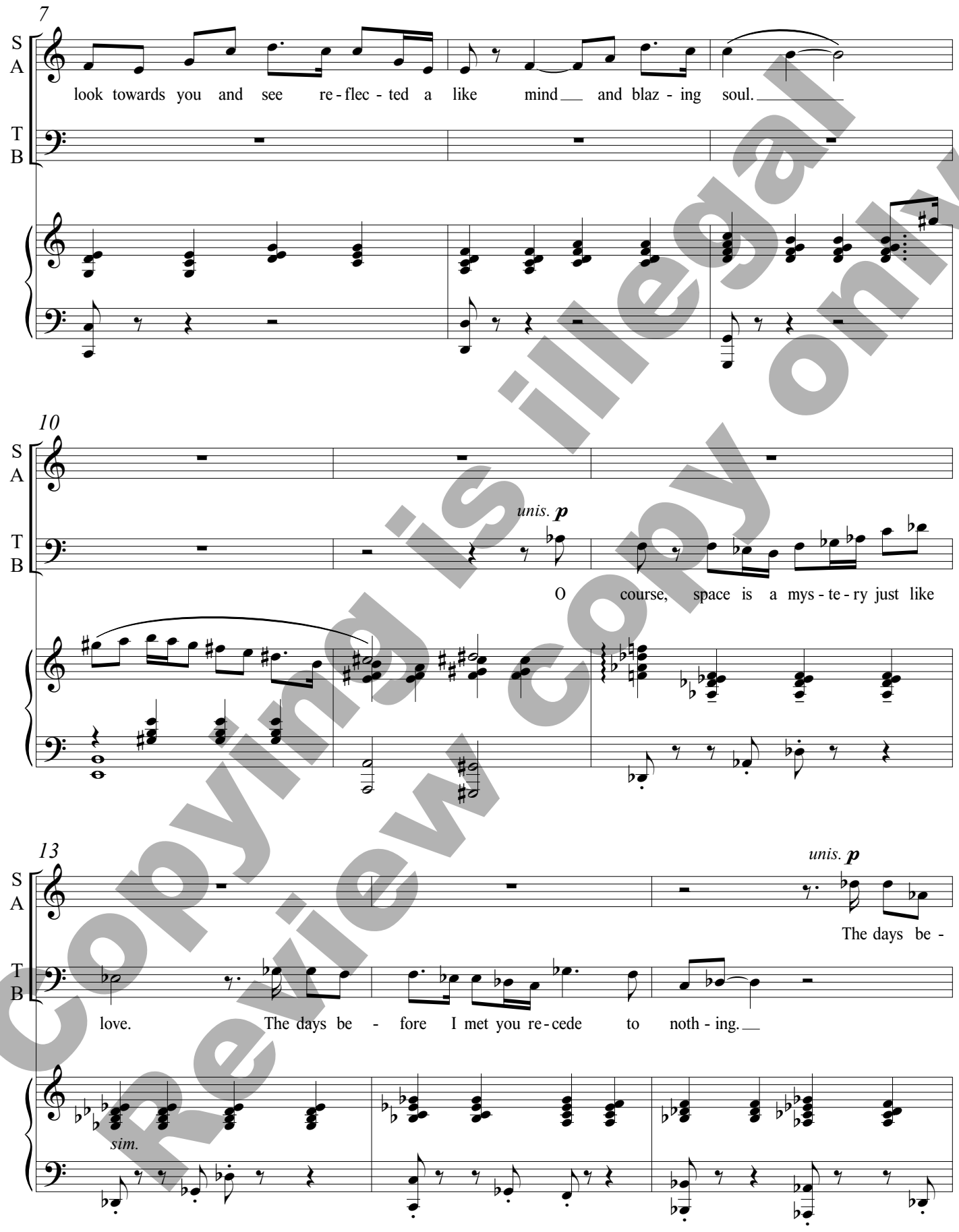

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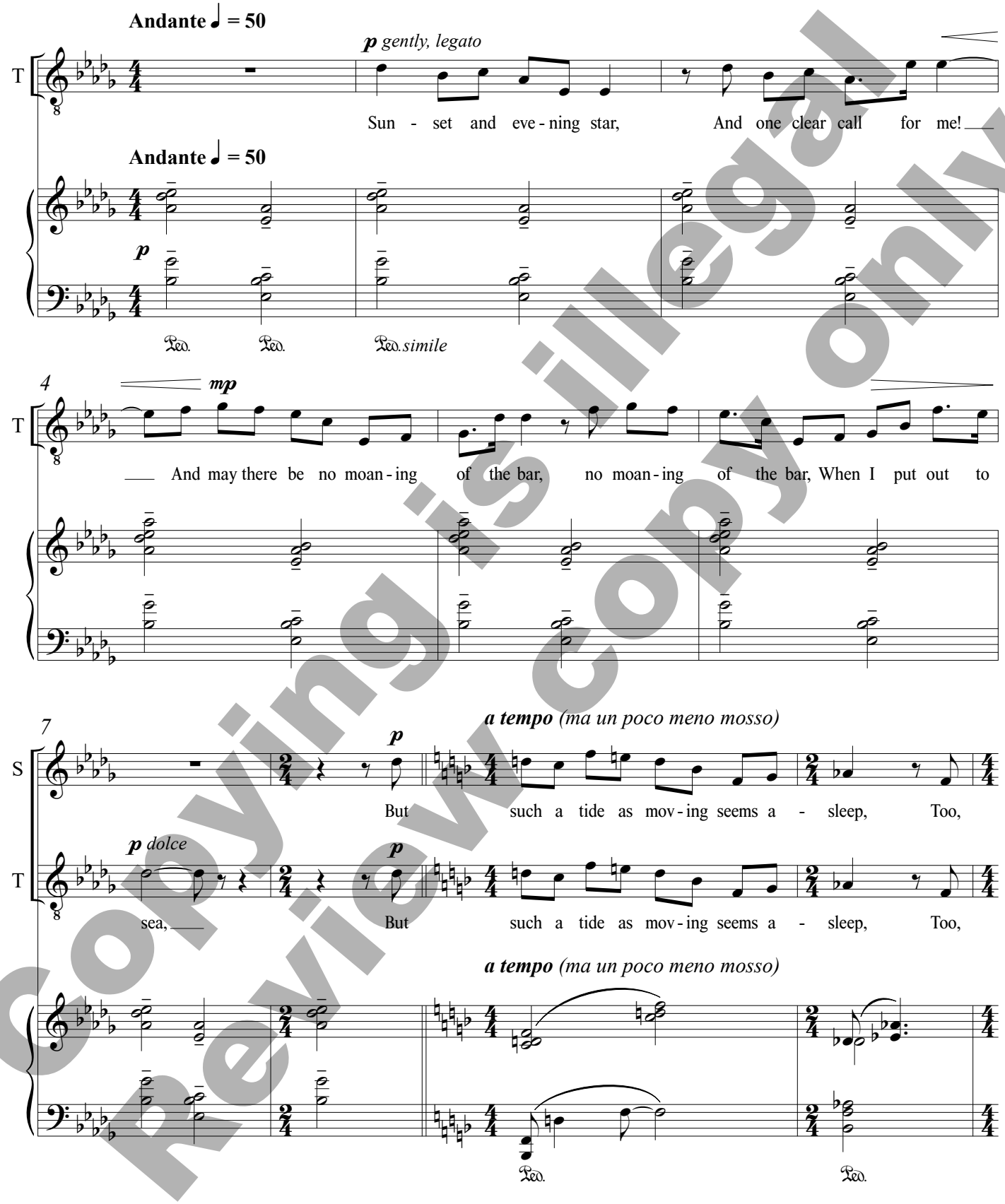

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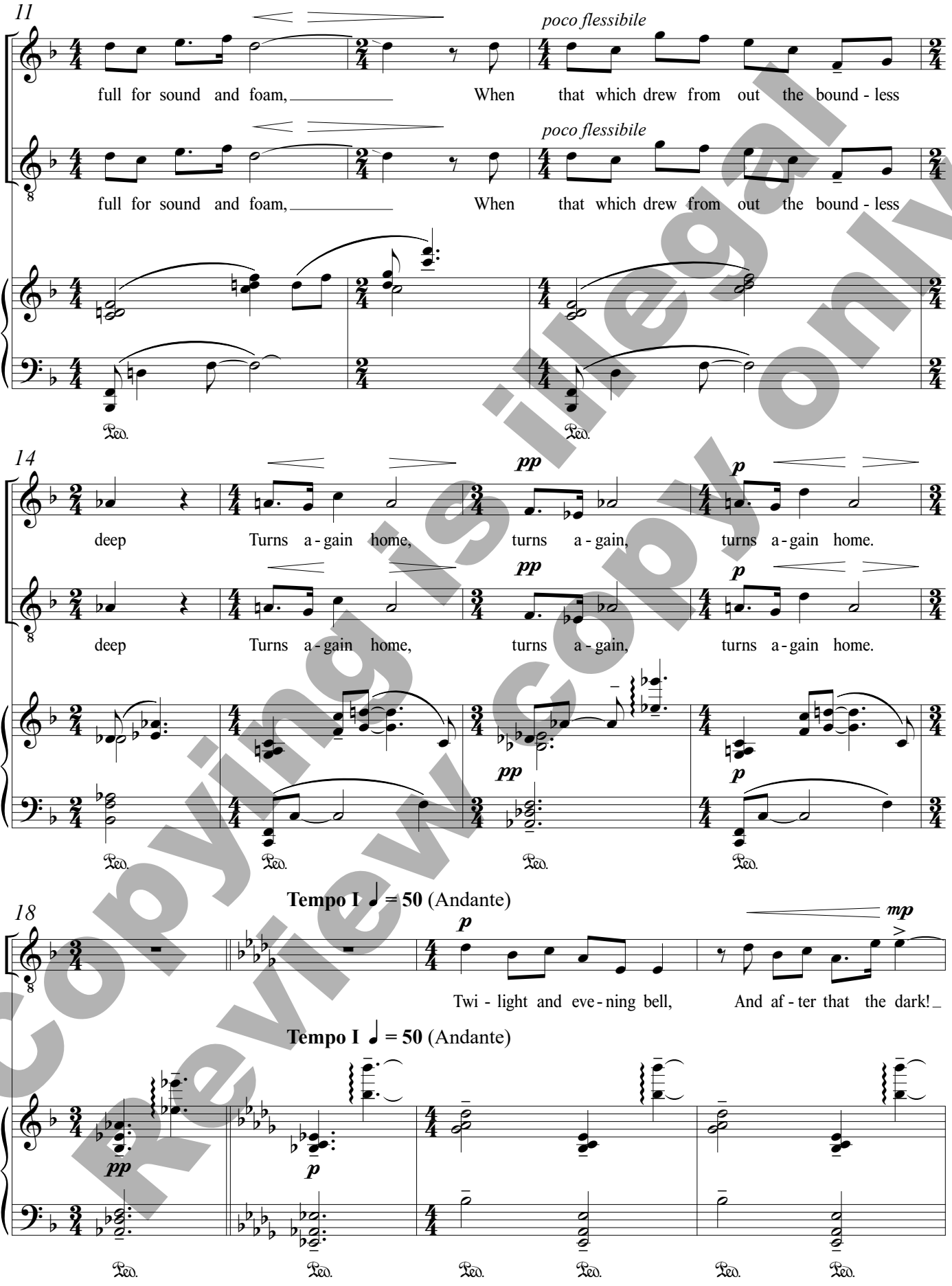

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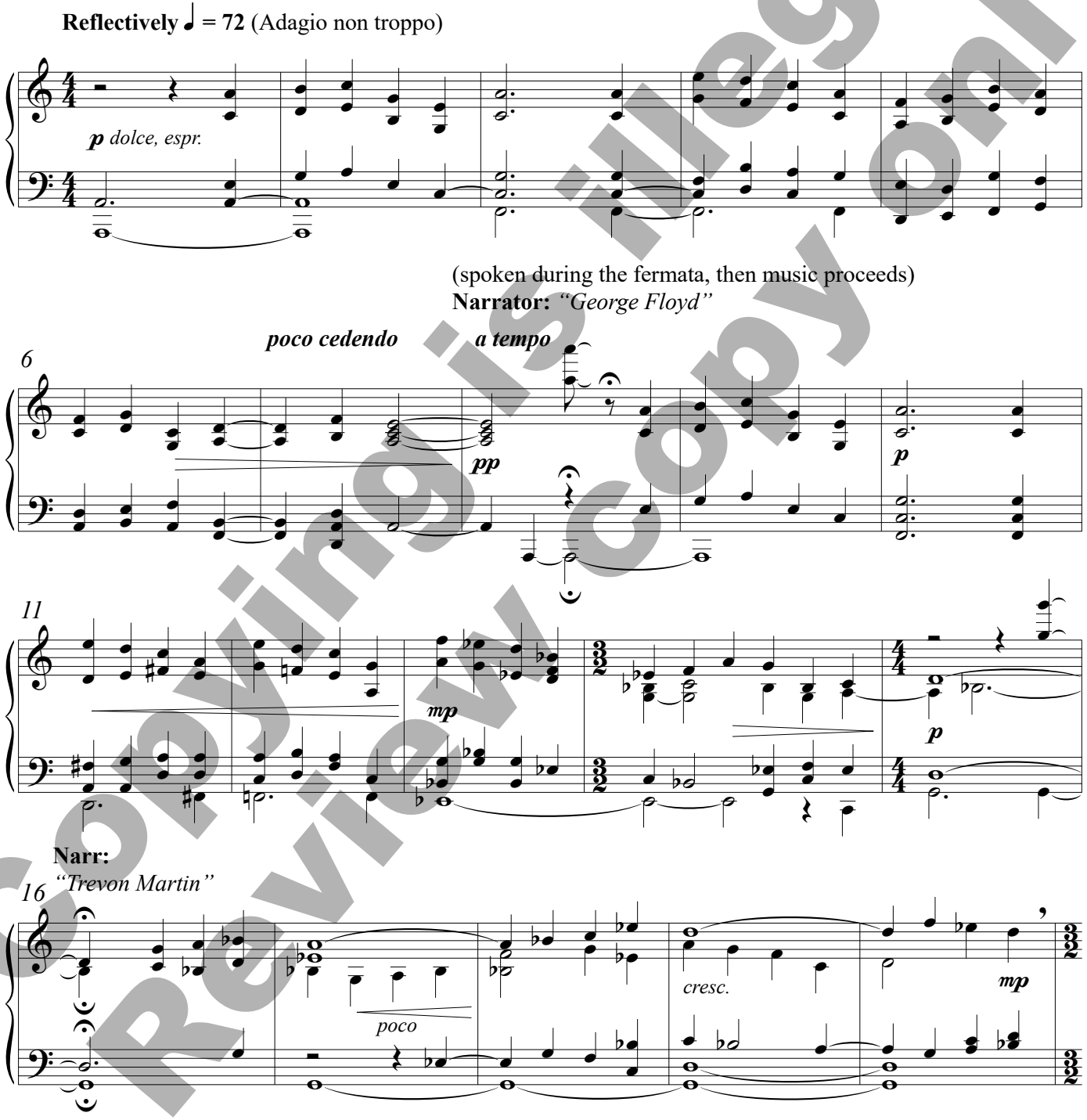
Narration

Many in our country have died needlessly and many have died simply for being the wrong color. We cannot name them all here today, but we can acknowledge some. Let's sing peace and speak the names of those who have perished in recent years.

[begin "Meditation (in memoriam"]

Meditation (in memoriam)



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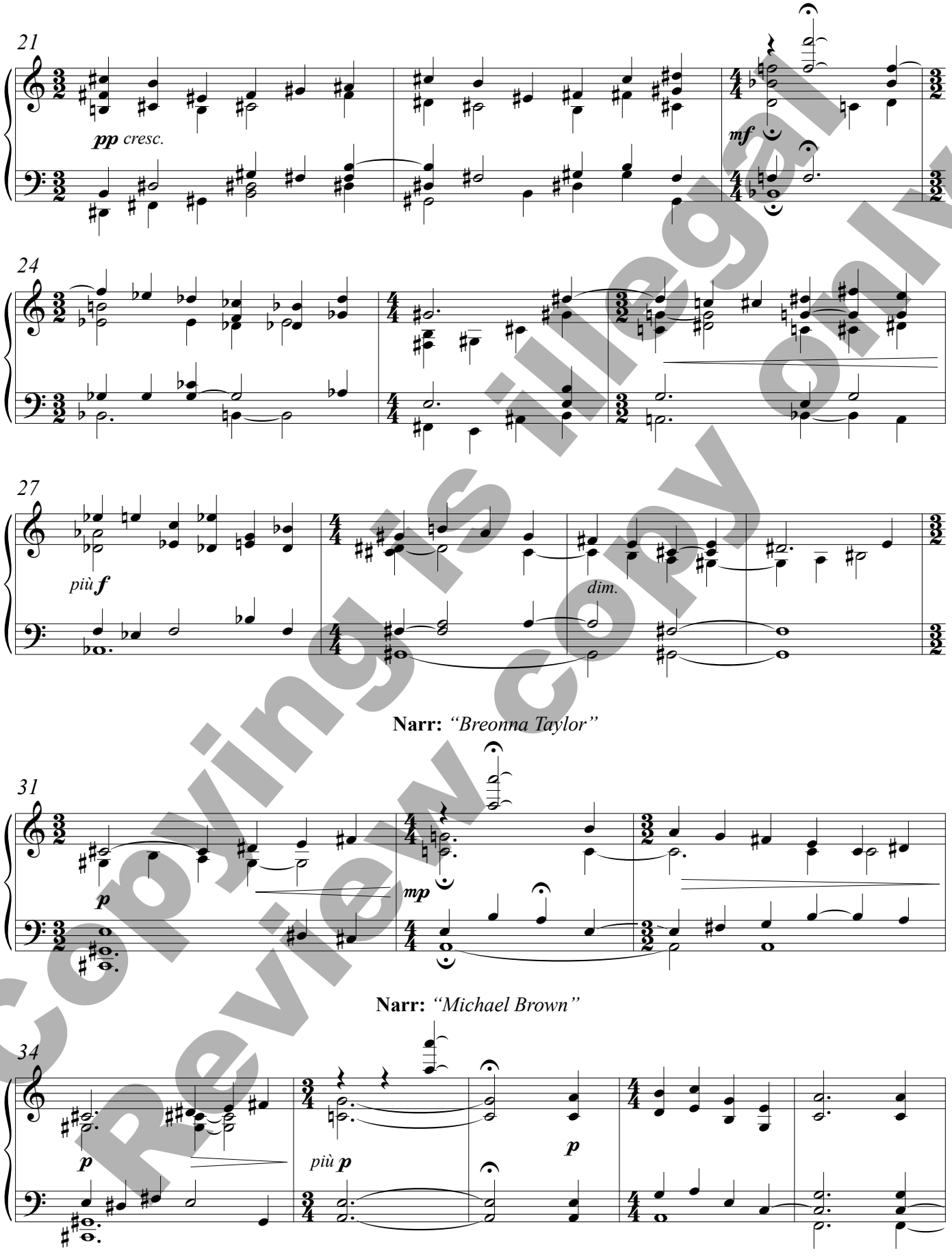
Narr: *"Jacob Blake"*



Narr: *"Breonna Taylor"*

Narr: *"Michael Brown"*

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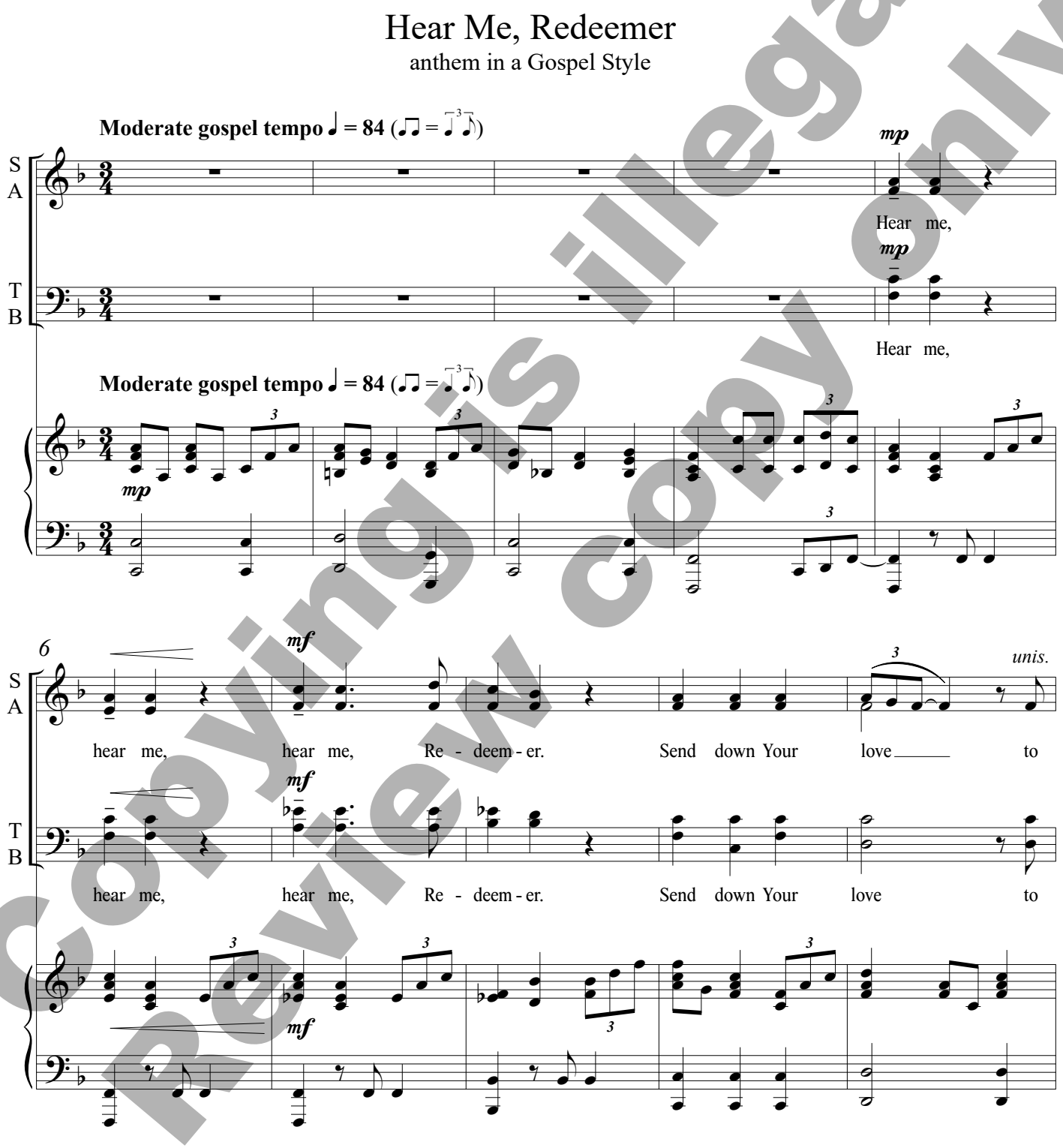
Narration

Though America's past rebounds with deeds that we are yet to fully acknowledge, let us never abandon hope that one day, soon, we will rejoice as one people.

[begin "Hear Me, Redeemer"]



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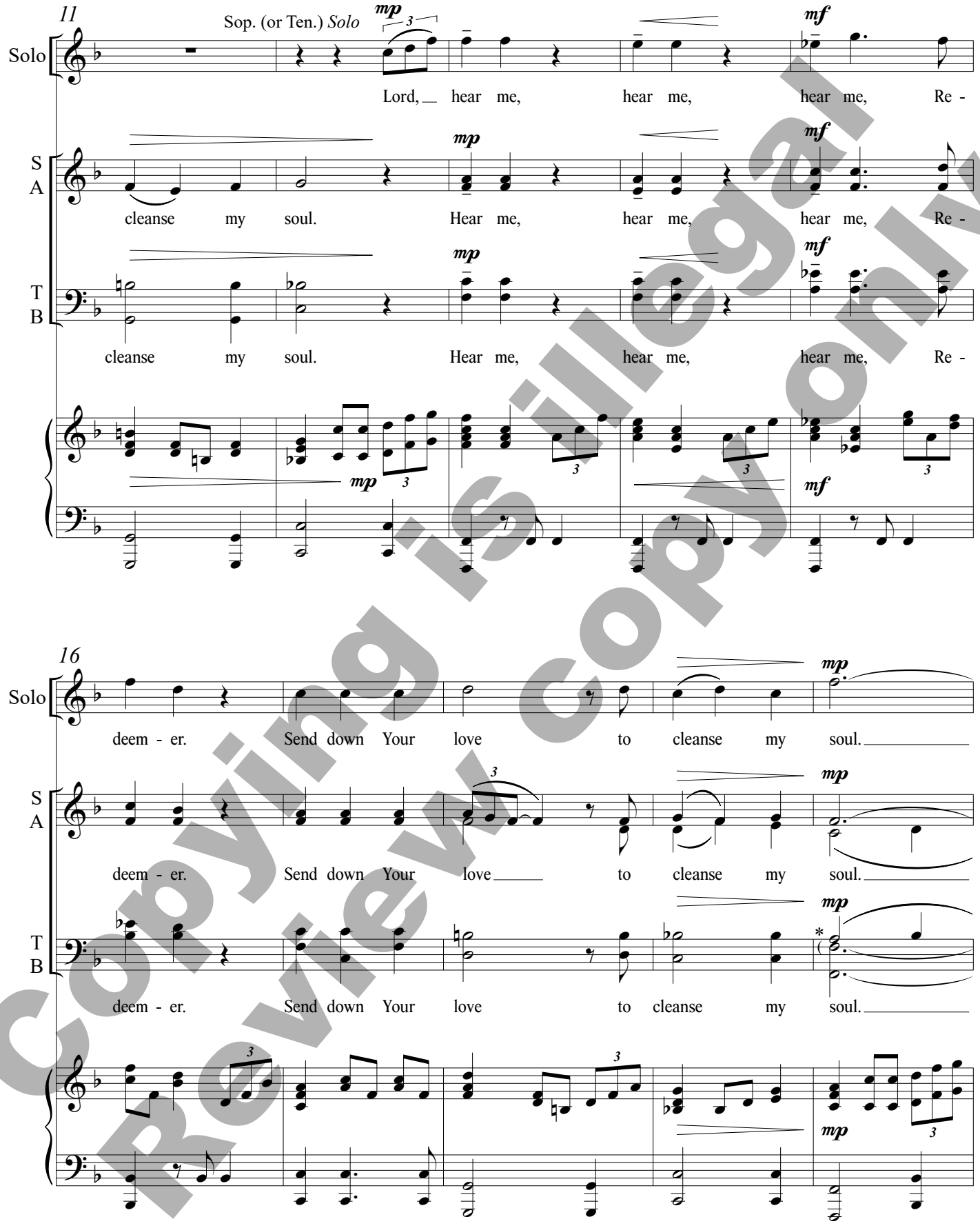

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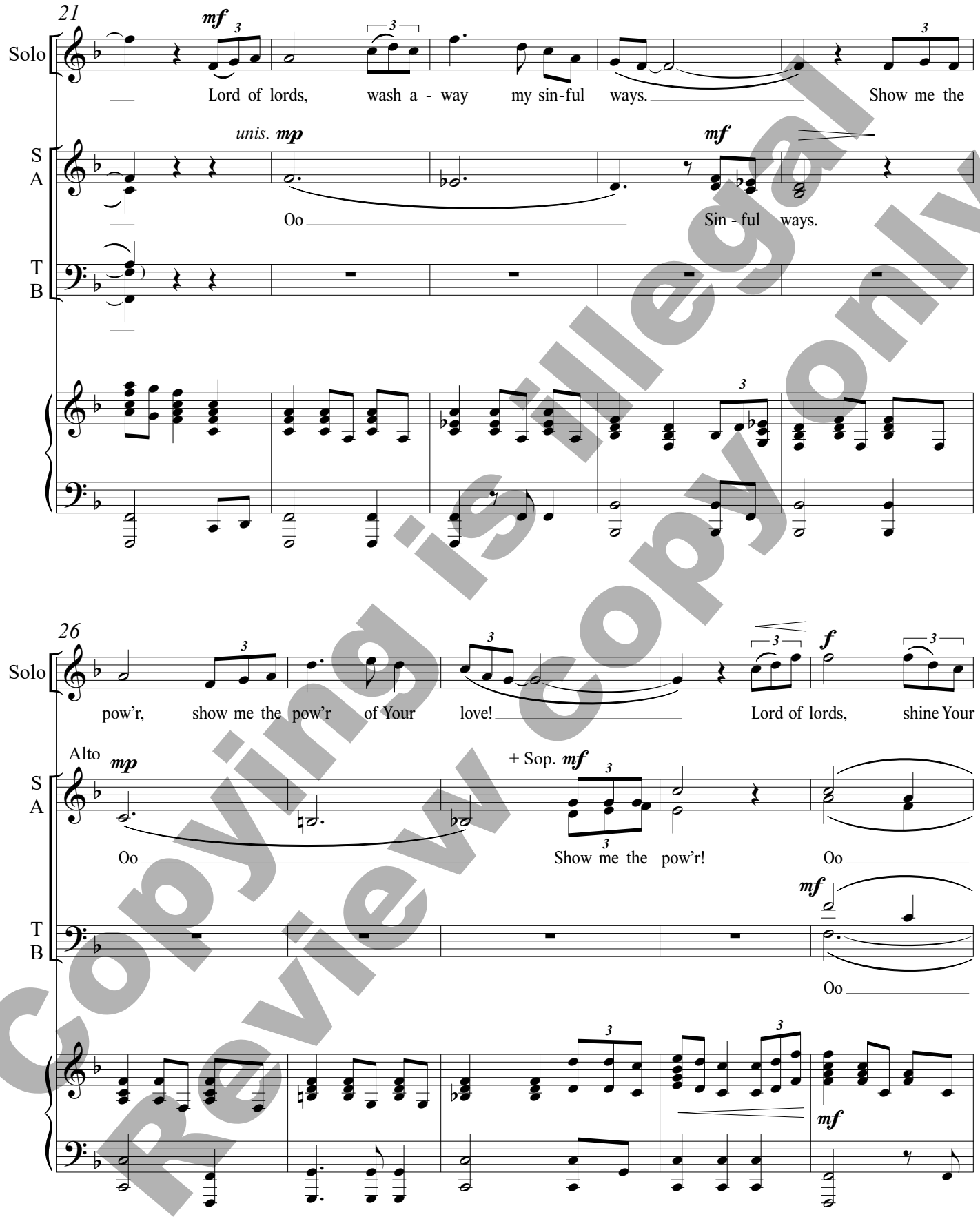

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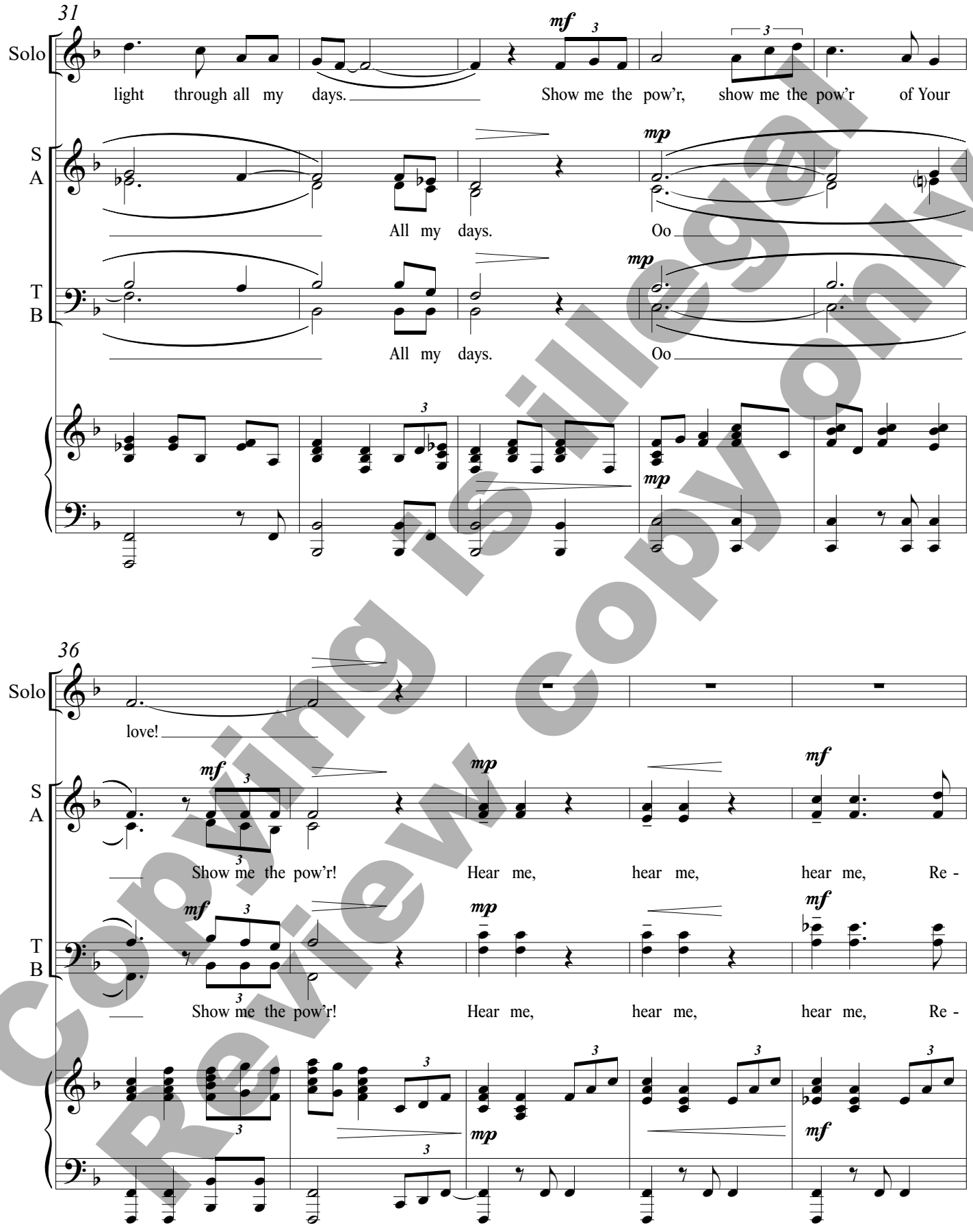

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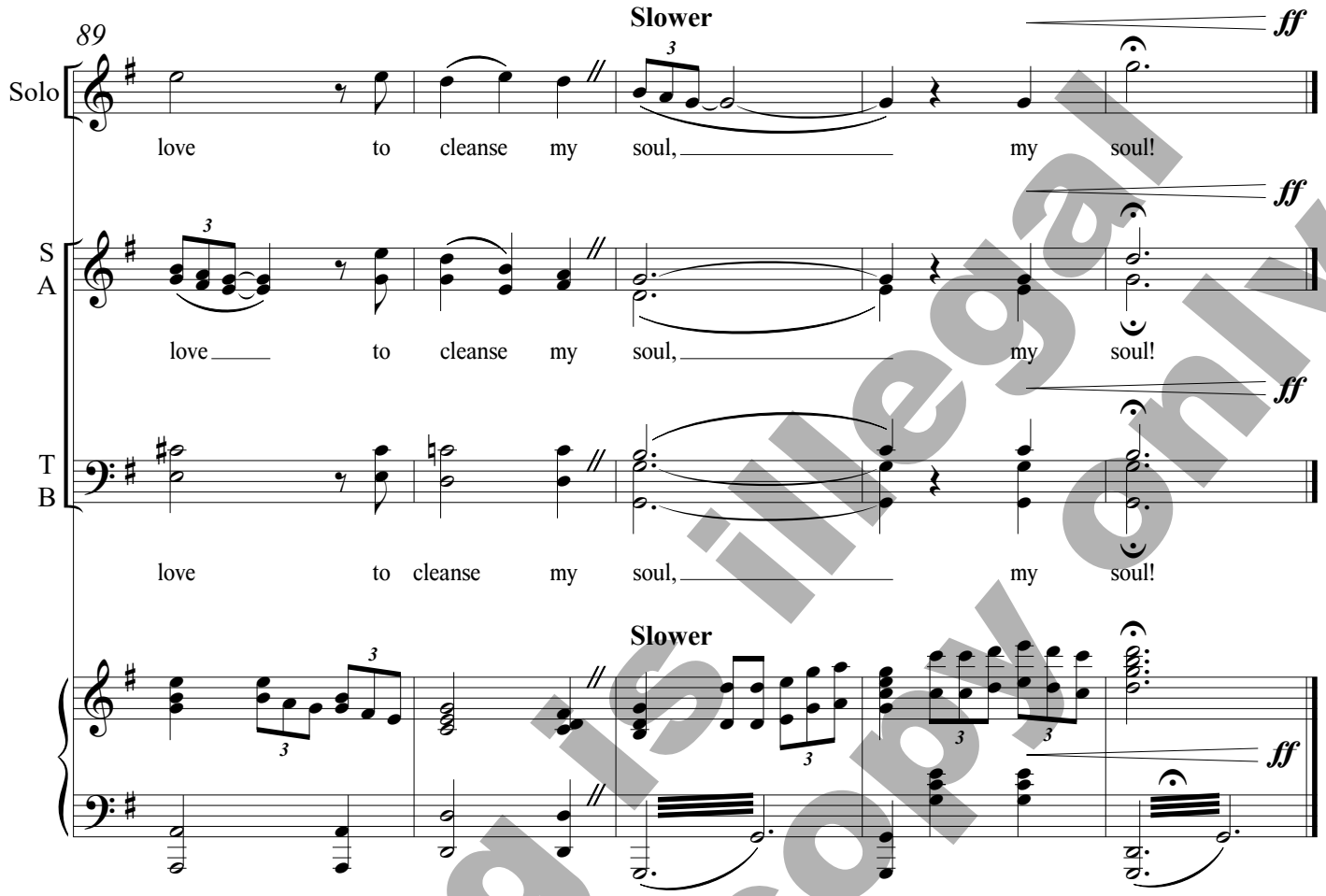

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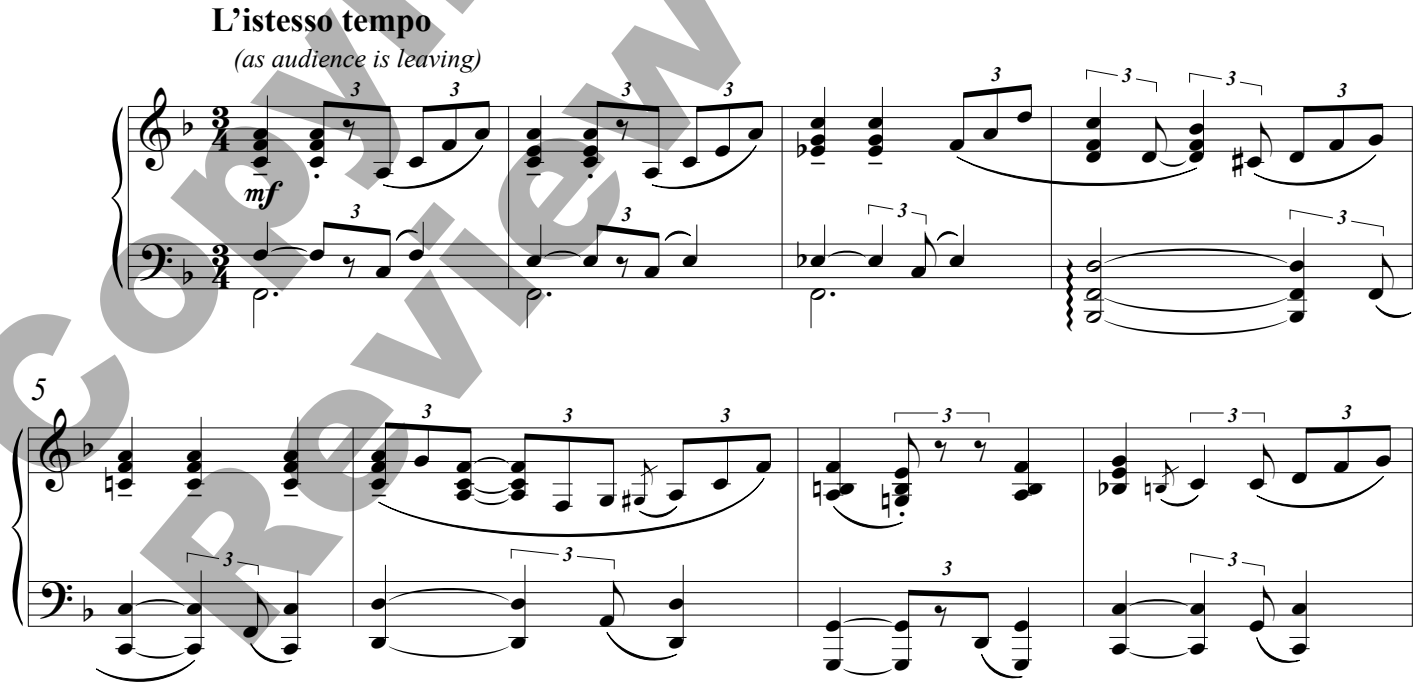

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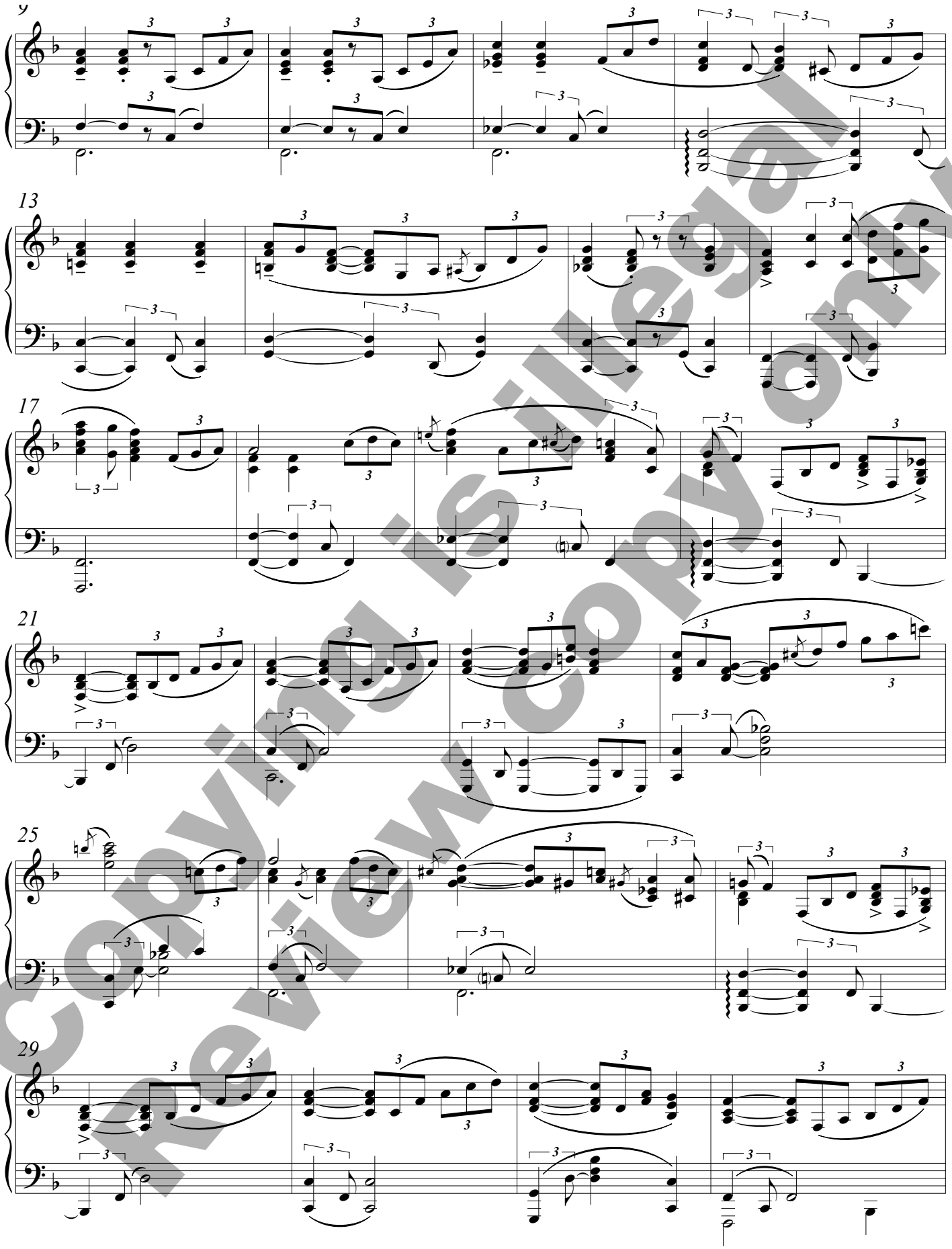

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