Salutations to the Dawn

A choral song cycle at the advent of the Third Millennium

I.

Text: Lao-tsu

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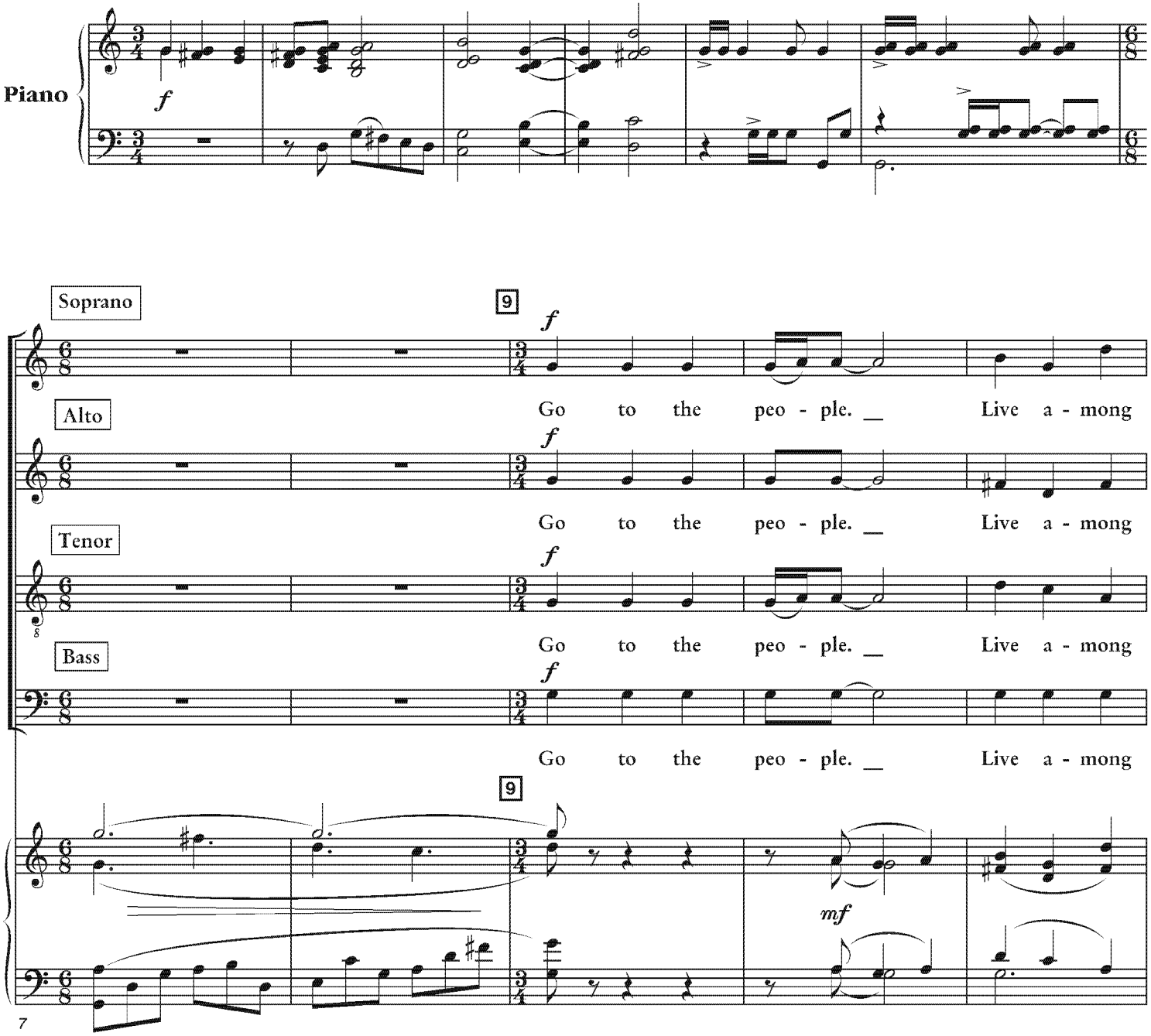
Briskly, with poise



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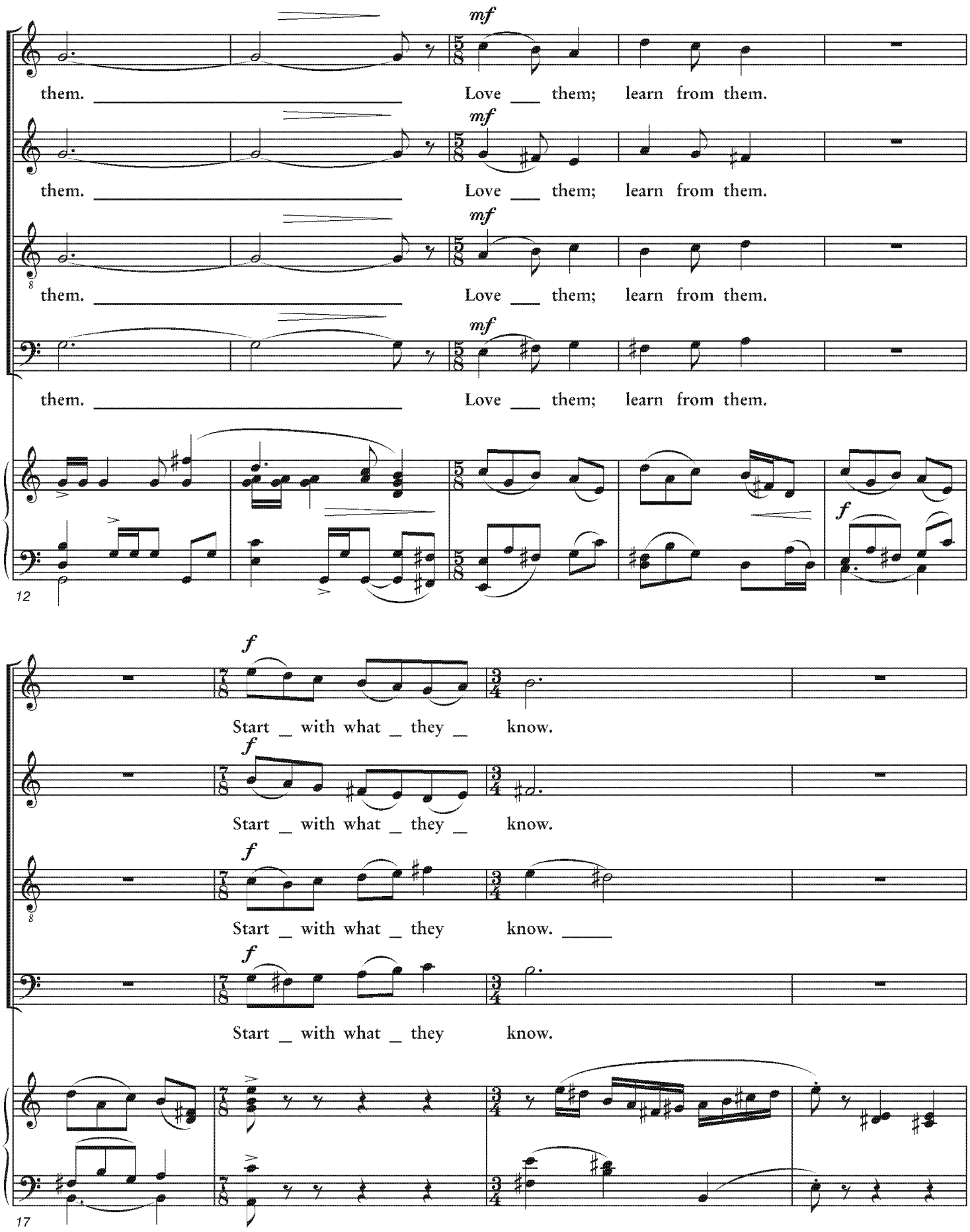
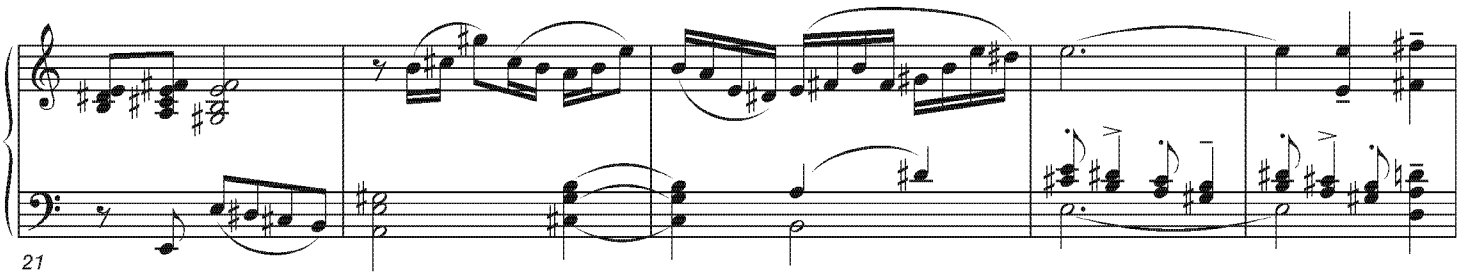

mf
them. Love them; learn from them.
mf
them. Love them; learn from them.
mf
them. Love them; learn from them.
mf
them. Love them; learn from them.
12
f
Start with what they know.
f
Start with what they know.
f
Start with what they know.
f
Start with what they know.
17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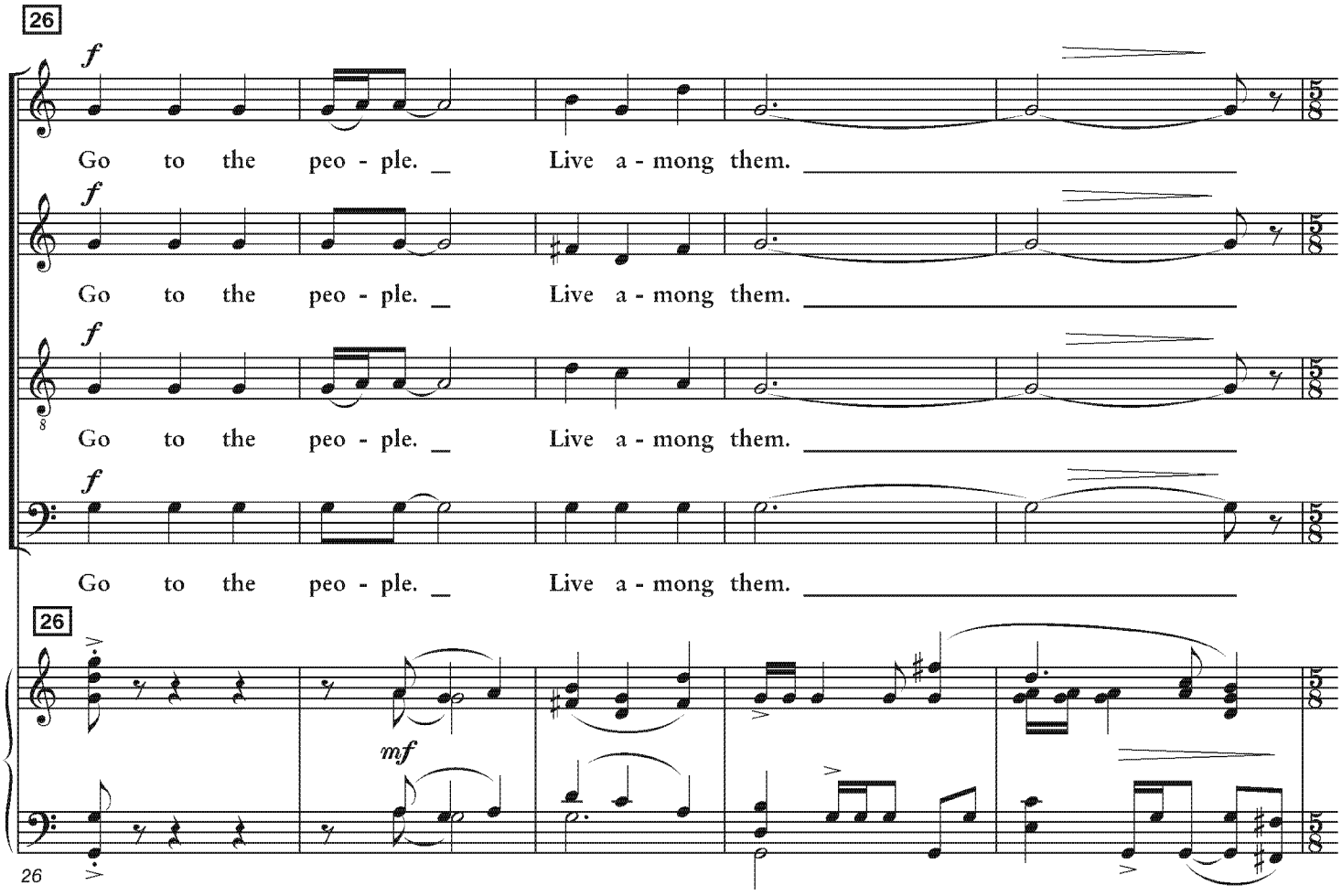
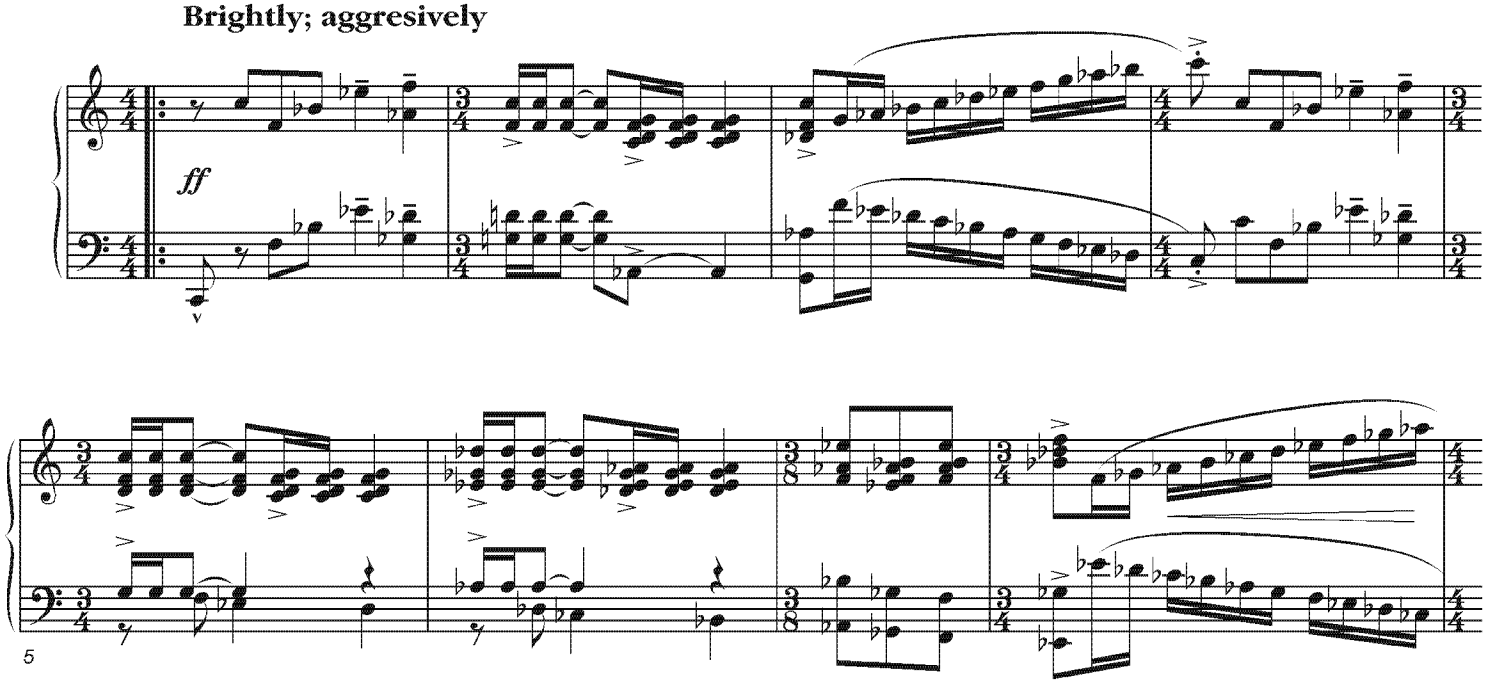
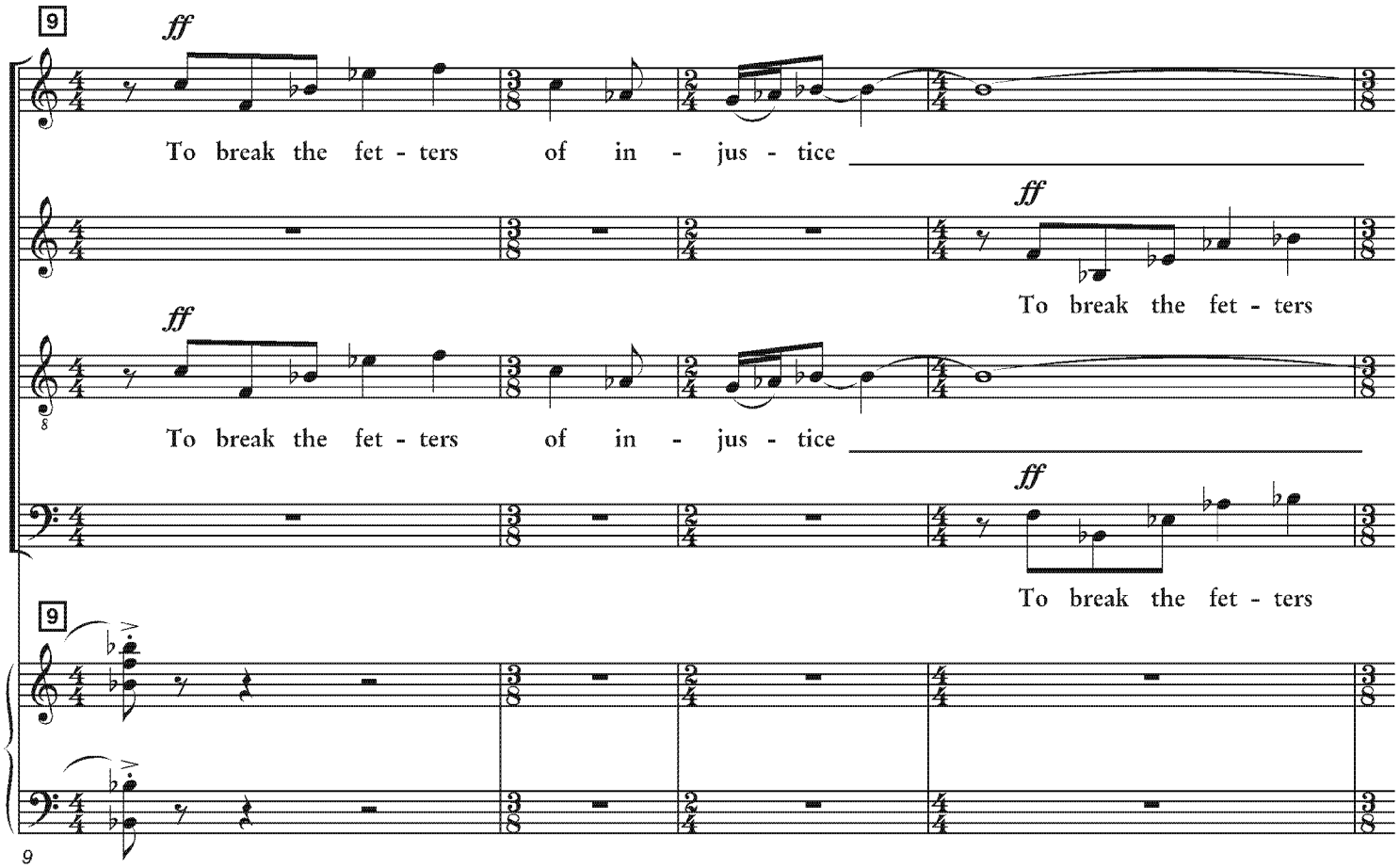

26
f
Go to the peo - ple. Live a - mong them.
f
Go to the peo - ple. Live a - mong them.
f
8
Go to the peo - ple. Live a - mong them.
f
Go to the peo - ple. Live a - mong them.
26
mf
26

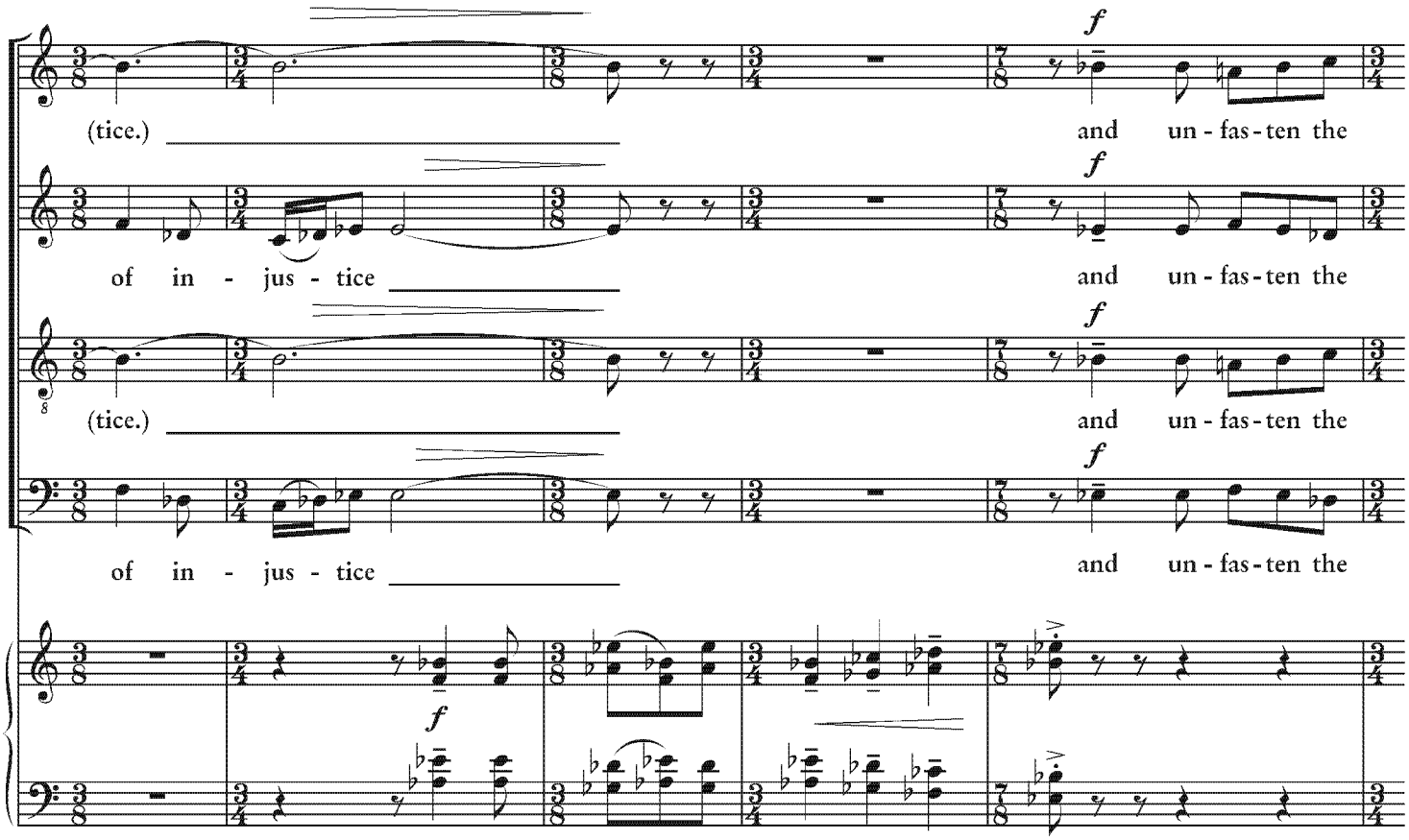
II.

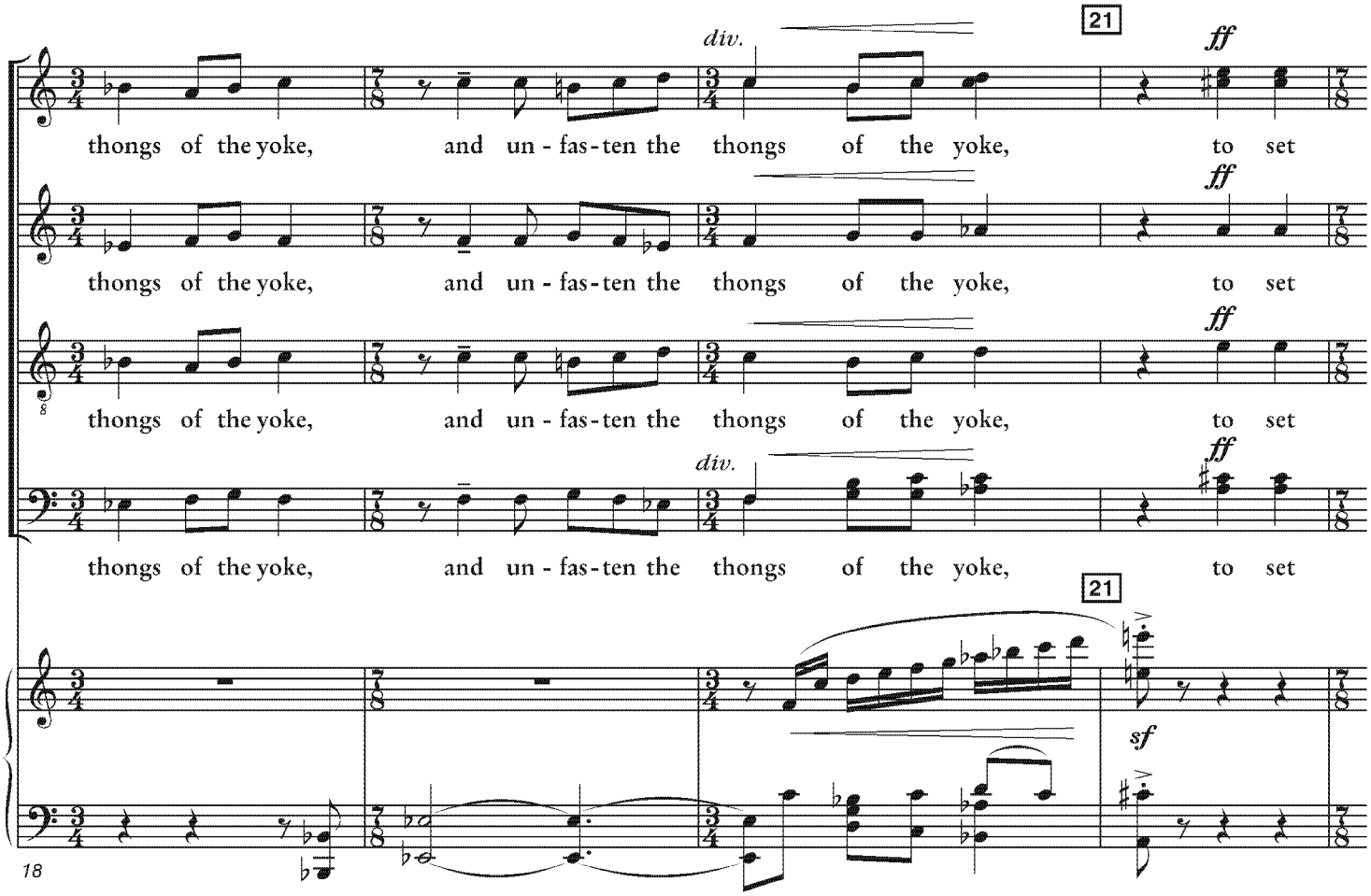
Text: Isiah 58 (paraphrase)

Brightly; aggresively






(tice.)
and un - fas - ten the
of in - jus - tice
and un - fas - ten the
(tice.)
and un - fas - ten the
of in - jus - tice
and un - fas - ten the
13


div.
21
thongs of the yoke, and un - fas - ten the thongs of the yoke, to set
thongs of the yoke, and un - fas - ten the thongs of the yoke, to set
thongs of the yoke, and un - fas - ten the thongs of the yoke, to set
div.
thongs of the yoke, and un - fas - ten the thongs of the yoke, to set
21
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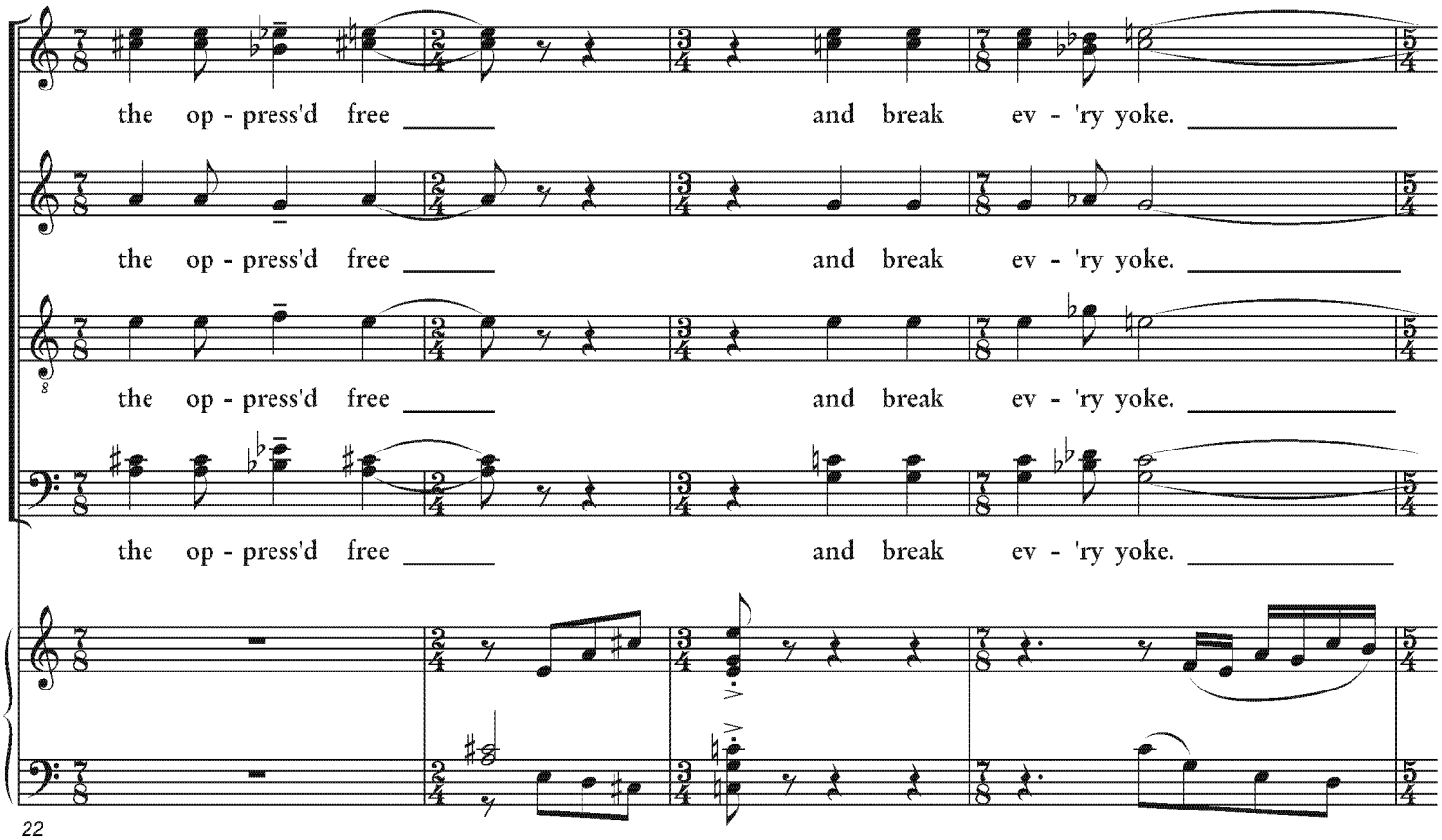
the op - press'd free and break ev - 'ry yoke.
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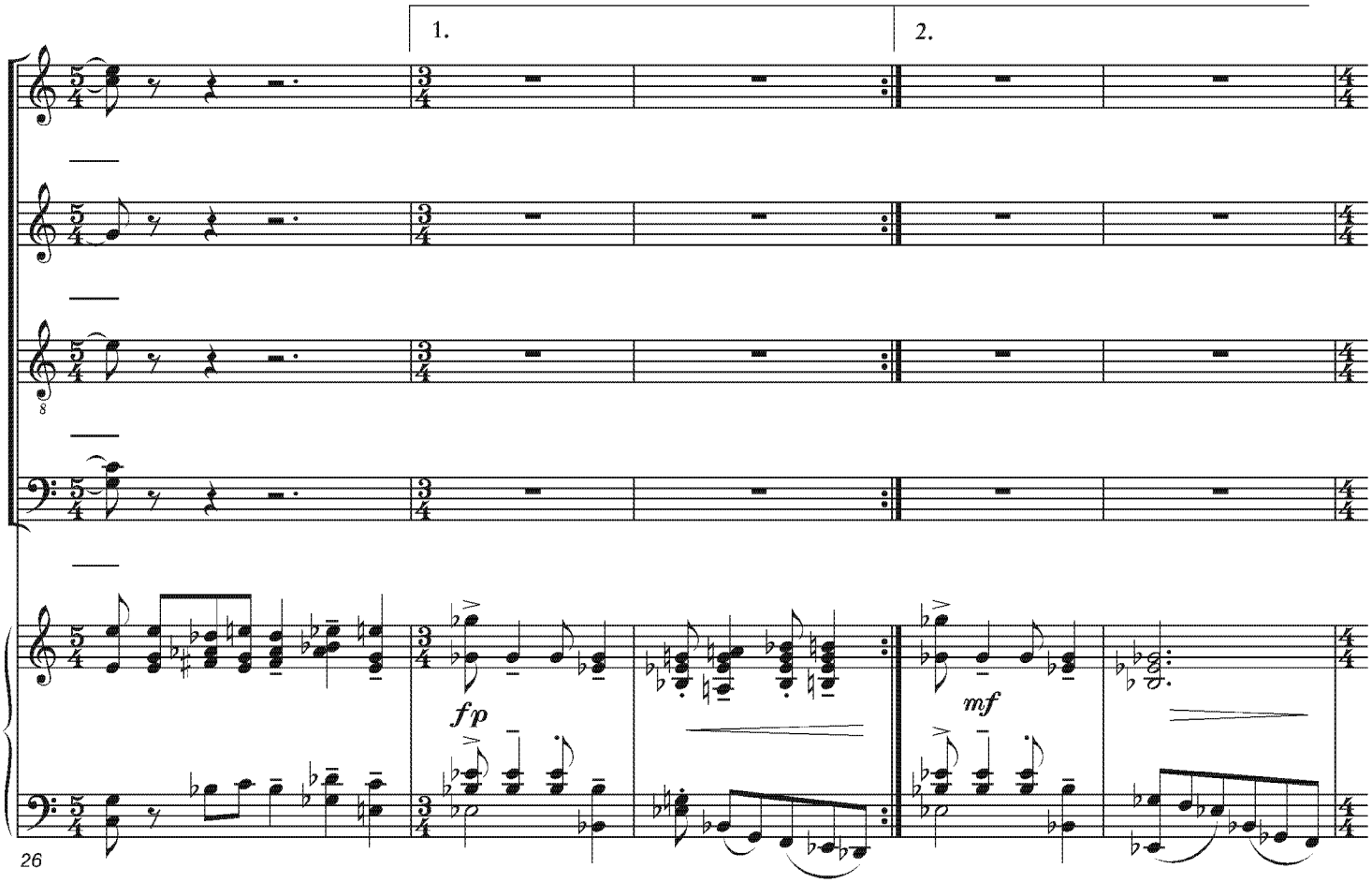
1.
2.
fp
mf
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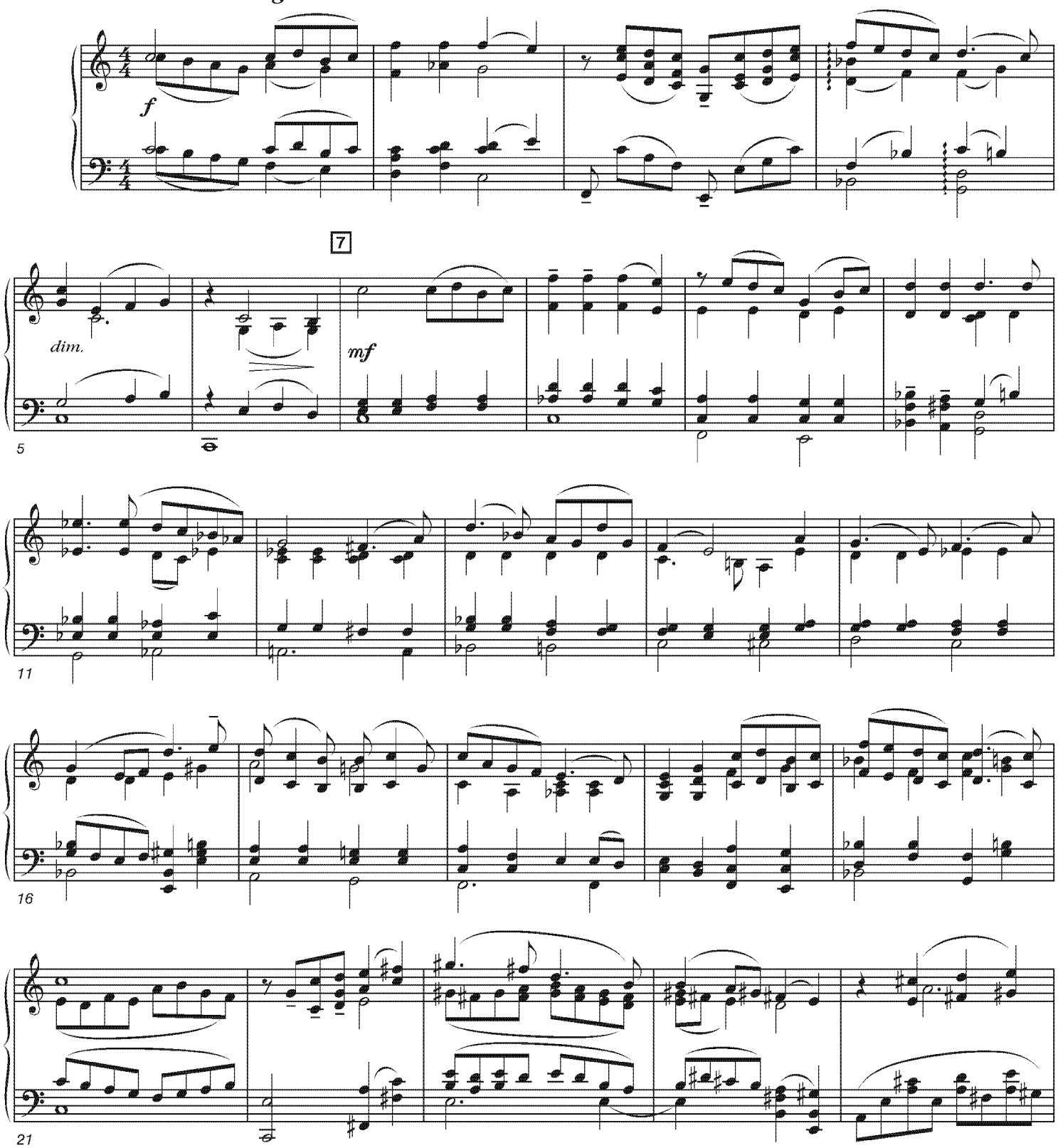
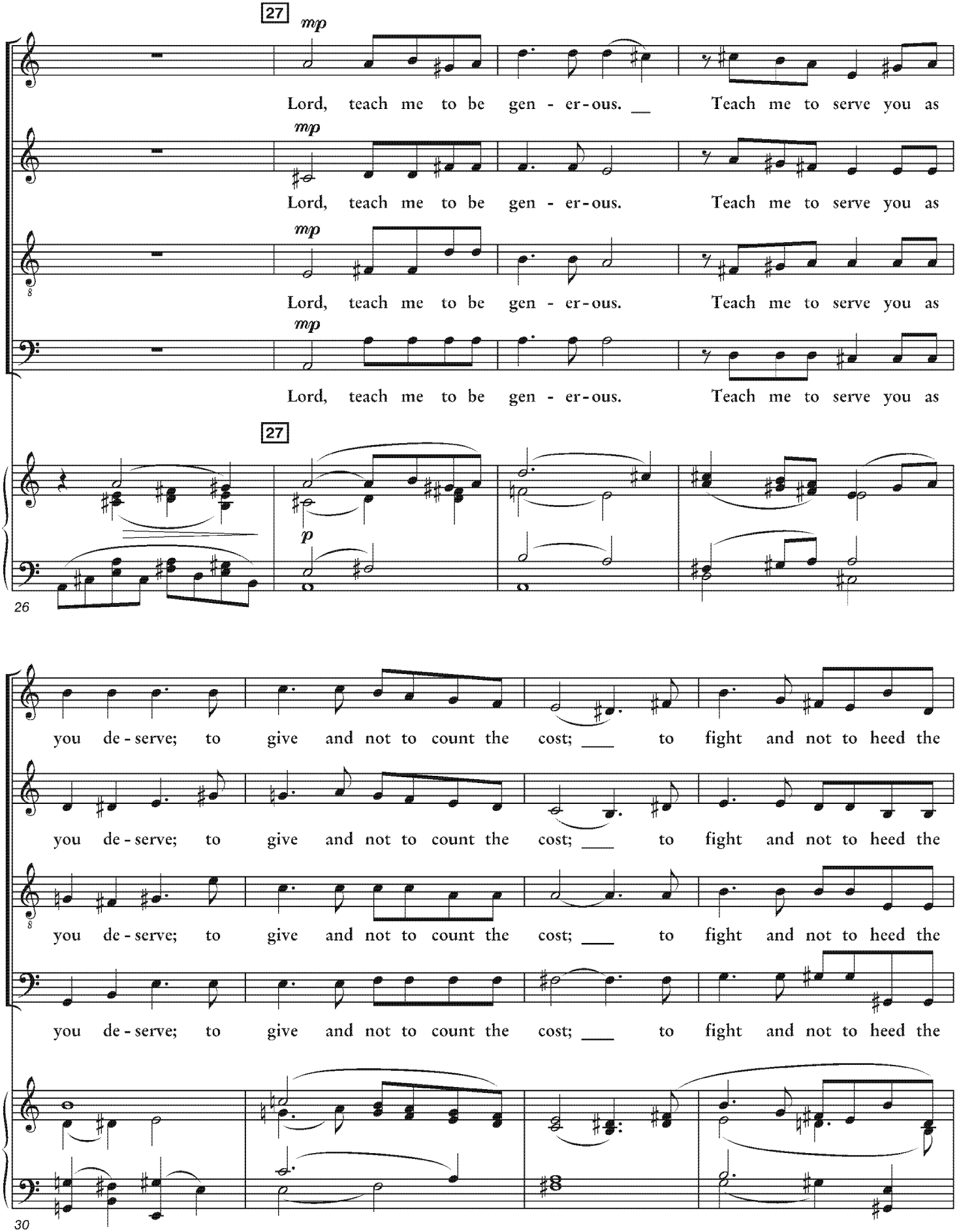
III.

Text: St. Ignatius of Loyola

With flowing motion

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mp
Lord, teach me to be gen - er - ous. Teach me to serve you as
mp
Lord, teach me to be gen - er - ous. Teach me to serve you as
mp
Lord, teach me to be gen - er - ous. Teach me to serve you as
mp
Lord, teach me to be gen - er - ous. Teach me to serve you as
27
p
26
you de - serve; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the
you de - serve; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the
you de - serve; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the
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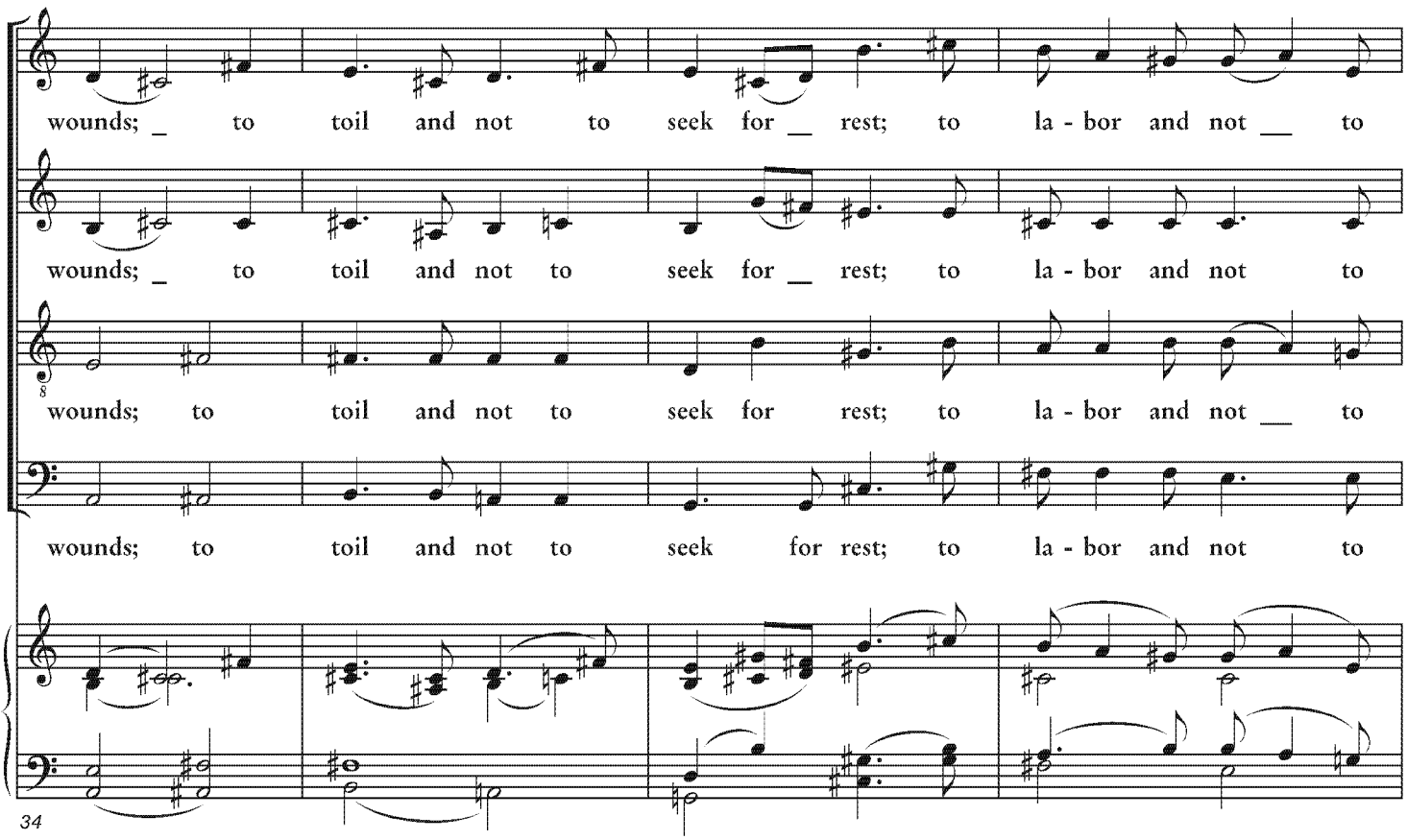
wounds; _ to toil and not to seek for __ rest; to la - bor and not __ to
wounds; _ to toil and not to seek for __ rest; to la - bor and not to
wounds; to toil and not to seek for rest; to la - bor and not __ to
wounds; to toil and not to seek for rest; to la - bor and not to
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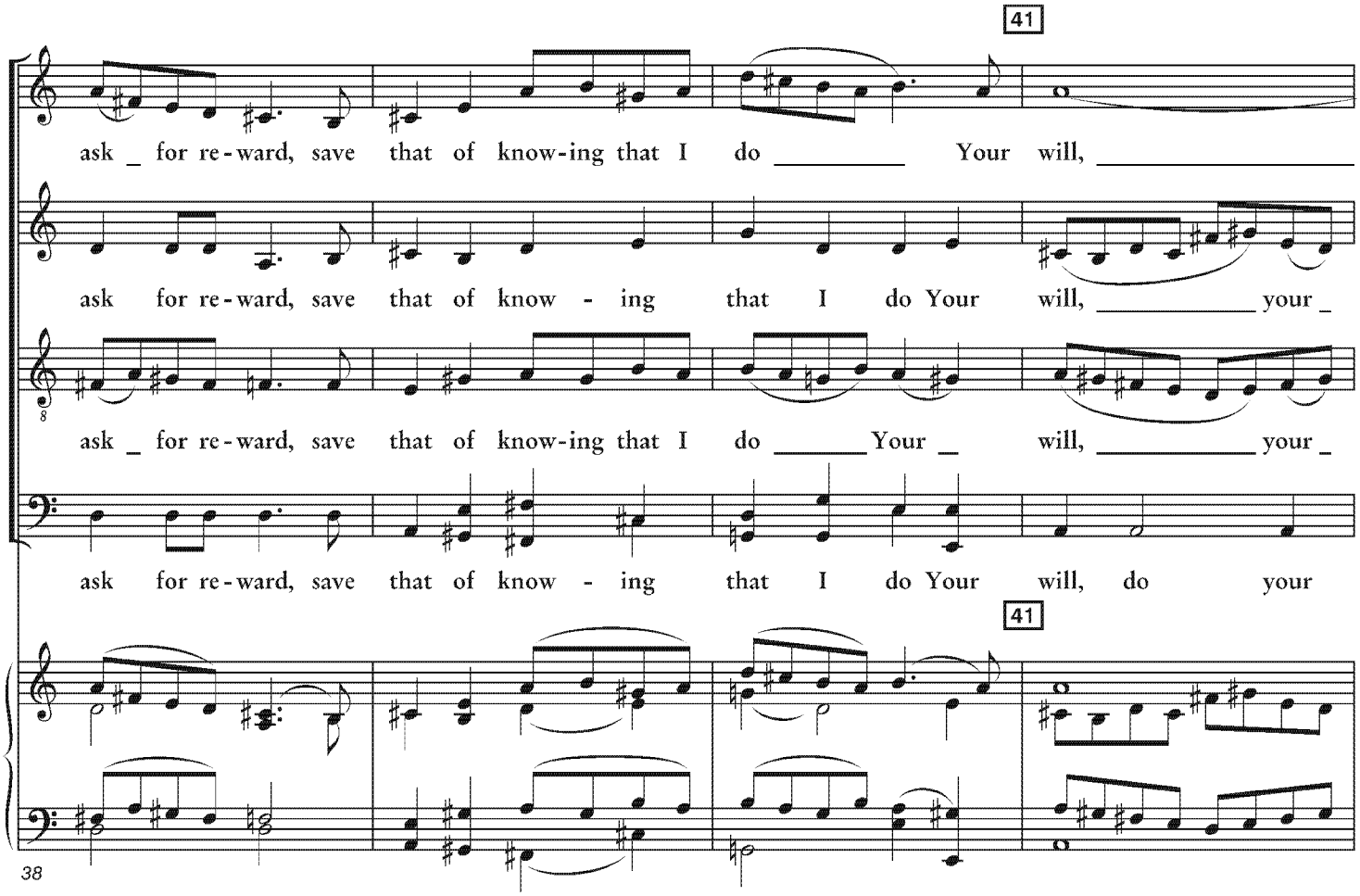
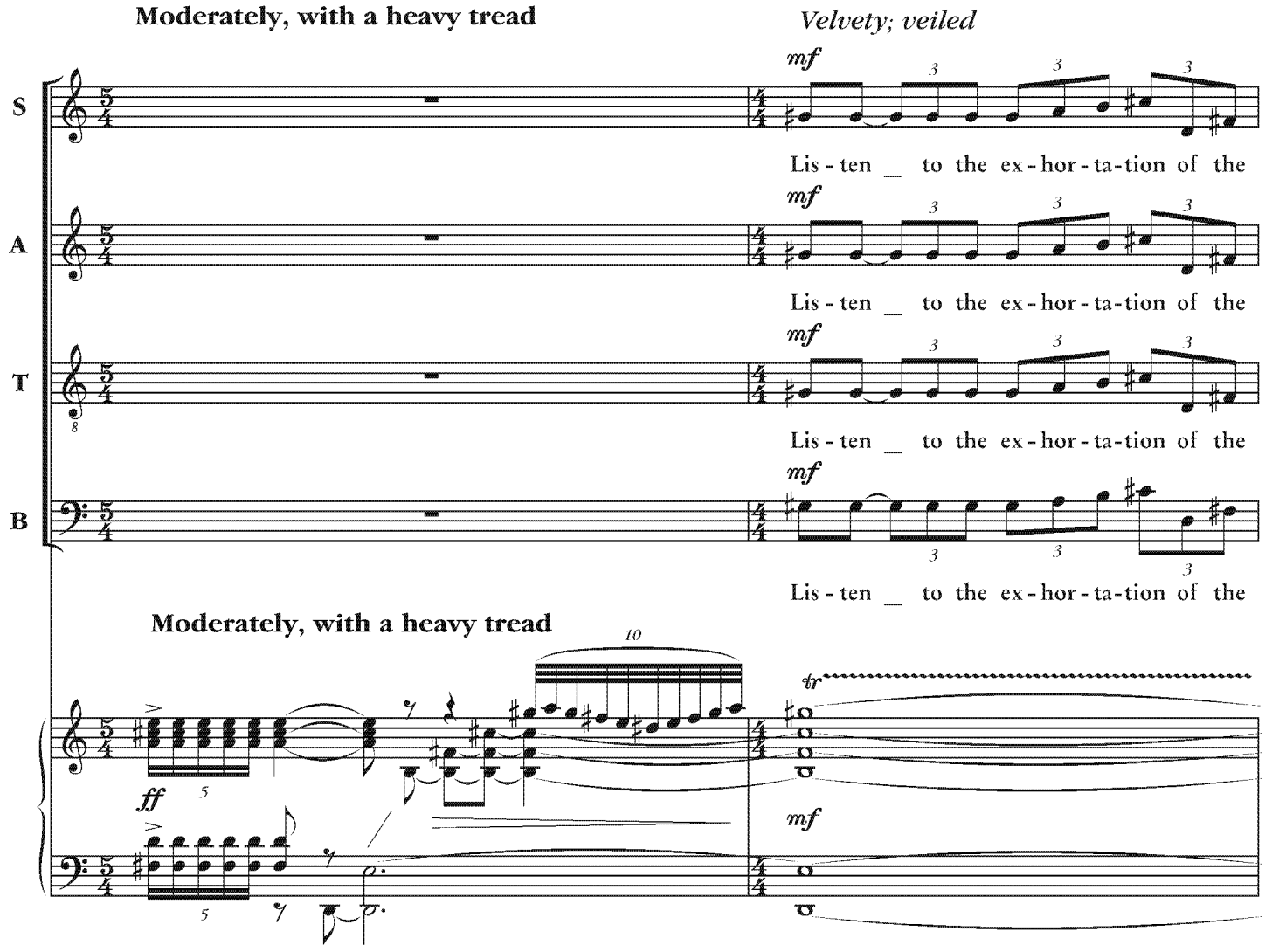
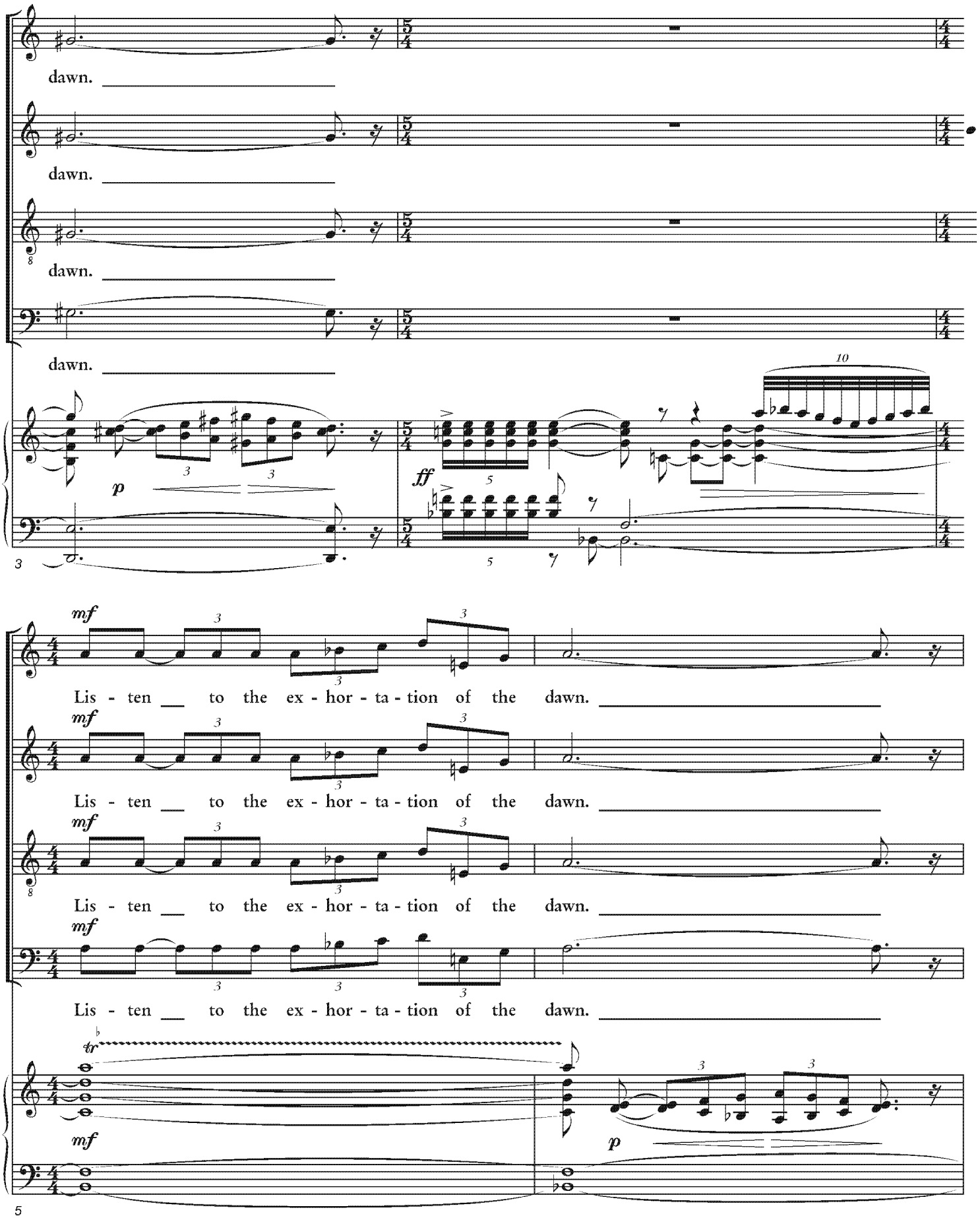

41
ask _ for re - ward, save that of know - ing that I do _____ Your will, _____
ask for re - ward, save that of know - ing that I do Your will, _____ your _
ask _ for re - ward, save that of know - ing that I do _____ Your _ will, _____ your _
ask for re - ward, save that of know - ing that I do Your will, do your
41
38

IV.

Text: Anonymous, from the Sanskrit




dawn.
dawn.
dawn.
dawn.
10
p
ff
mf
Lis - ten to the ex - hor - ta - tion of the dawn.
Lis - ten to the ex - hor - ta - tion of the dawn.
Lis - ten to the ex - hor - ta - tion of the dawn.
Lis - ten to the ex - hor - ta - tion of the dawn.
tr
mf
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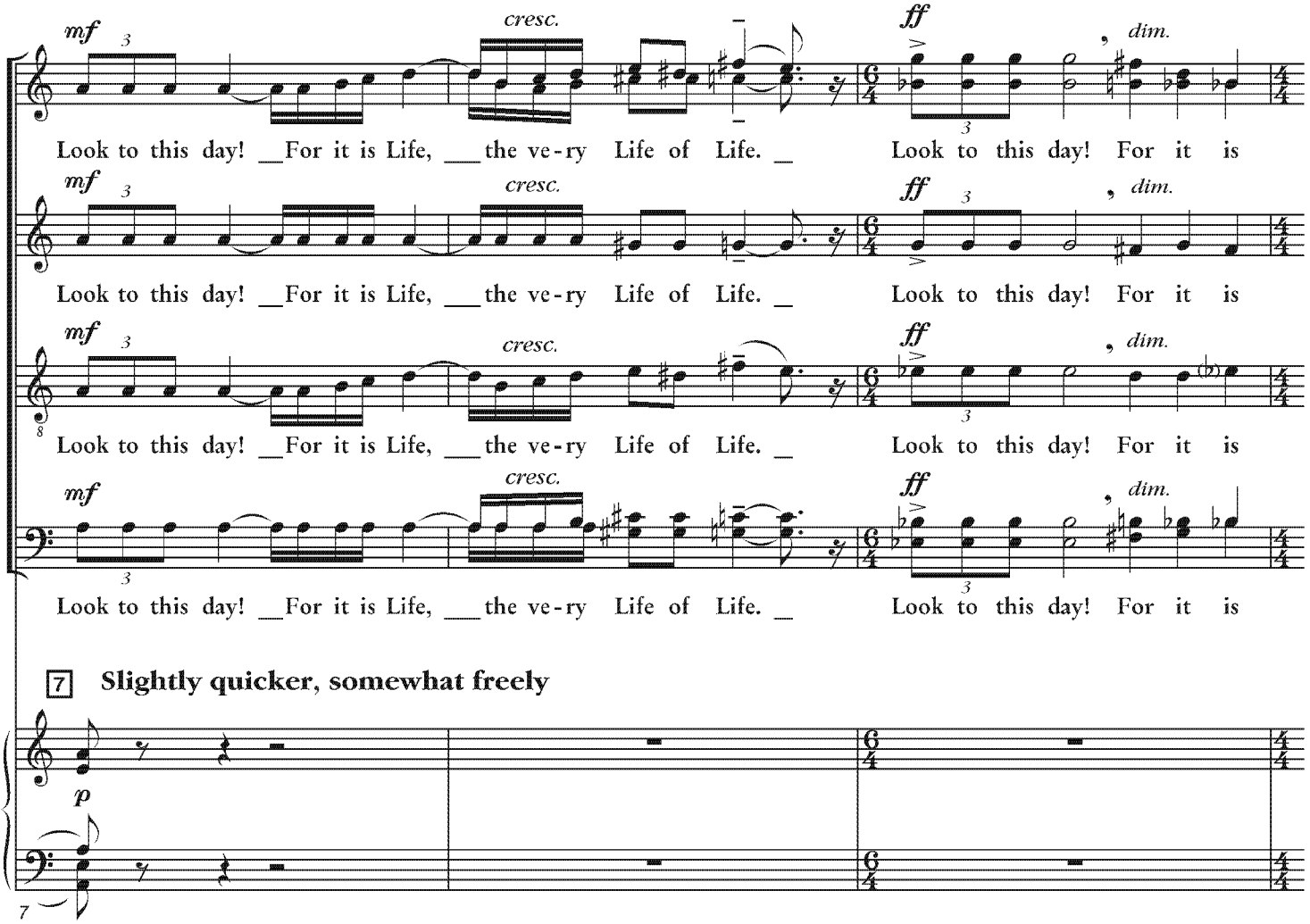
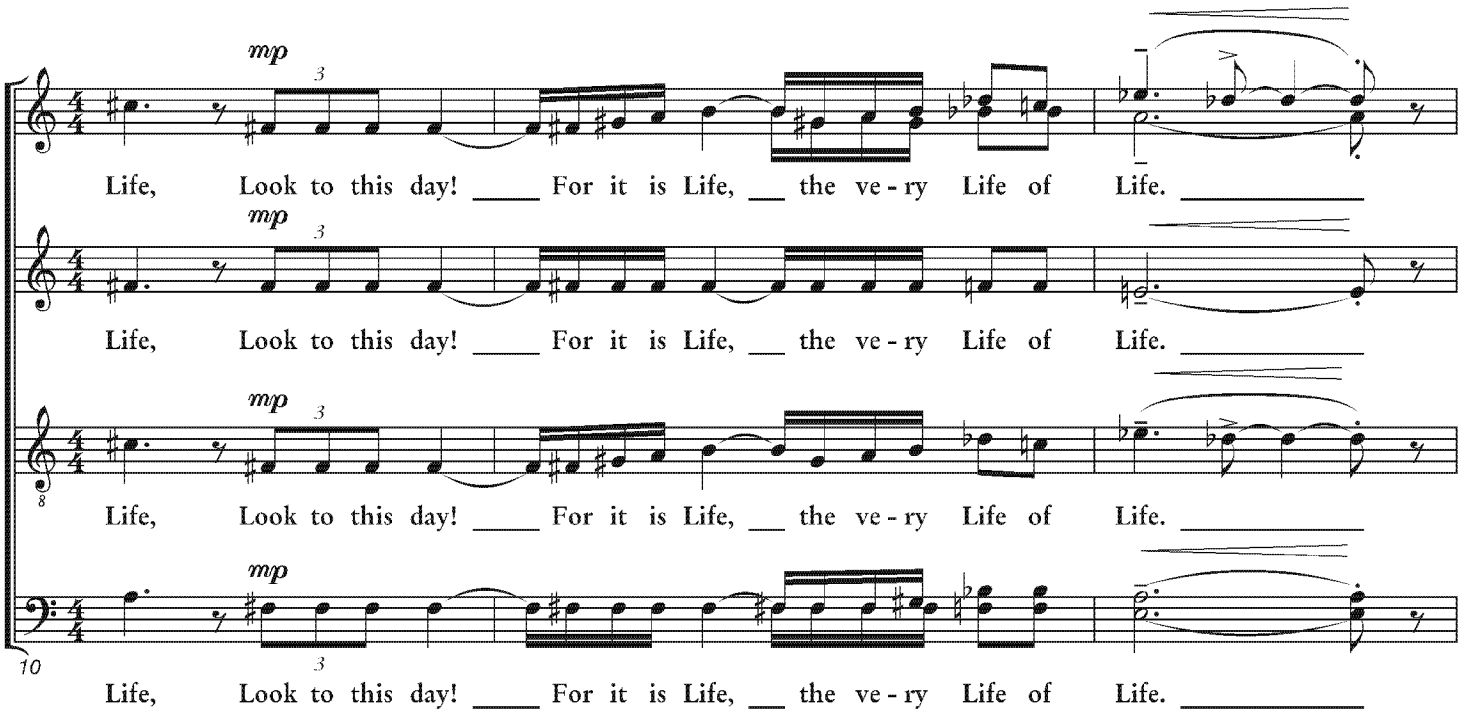
7 **Slightly quicker, somewhat freely**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