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TUBAL CAIN

BALLAD

FOR CHORUS AND ORCHESTRA

THE WORDS WRITTEN BY

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TUBAL CAIN.

I.

Old Tubal Cain was a man of might
In days when earth was young;
By the fierce red light of his furnace bright
The strokes of his hammer rung;
And he lifted high his brawny hand
On the iron glowing clear,
Till the sparks rushed out in scarlet showers
As he fashioned the sword and spear.
And he sang, "Hurrah for my handiwork!
Hurrah for the spear and sword!
Hurrah for the hand that shall wield them well,
For he shall be king and lord!"

II.

To Tubal Cain came many a sire,
As he wrought by his roaring fire,
And each one prayed for the strong steel blade
As the crown of his desire.
And he made them weapons, sharp and strong,
Till they shouted loud for glee,
And gave him gifts of pearls and gold,
And spoils of the forest free.
And they sang, "Hurrah for Tubal Cain,
Who hath given us strength anew!
Hurrah for the smith! Hurrah for the fire!
Hurrah for the metal true!"

III.

But a sudden change came o'er his heart
Ere the setting of the sun;
And Tubal Cain was filled with pain
For the evil he had done.
He saw that men with rage and heat
Made war upon their kind;
That the land was red with blood they shed
In their lust for carnage blind;
And he said, "Alas that I ever made,
Or that skill of mine should plan
The spear and sword for man, whose joy
Is to slay his fellow-man!"

IV.

And for many a day old Tubal Cain
Sat brooding o'er his woe,
And his hand forbore to smite the ore
And his furnace smouldered low.
But he rose at last with a cheerful face
And a bright courageous eye,
And bared his strong right arm for work
As the quick flames mounted high,
And he sang, "Hurrah for my handiwork!"—
And the red sparks lit the air,—
"Not alone for the blade was the bright steel made!"
And he fashioned the first ploughshare.

V.

And men, taught wisdom from the past,
In friendship joined their hands,
Hung the sword in the hall, the spear on the wall,
And ploughed the willing lands;
And sang, "Hurrah for Tubal Cain!
Our staunch good friend is he;
And for the ploughshare and the plough
To him our praise shall be!
But while oppression lifts its head,
Or a tyrant would be lord,
Though we may thank him for the plough
We'll not forget the sword!"

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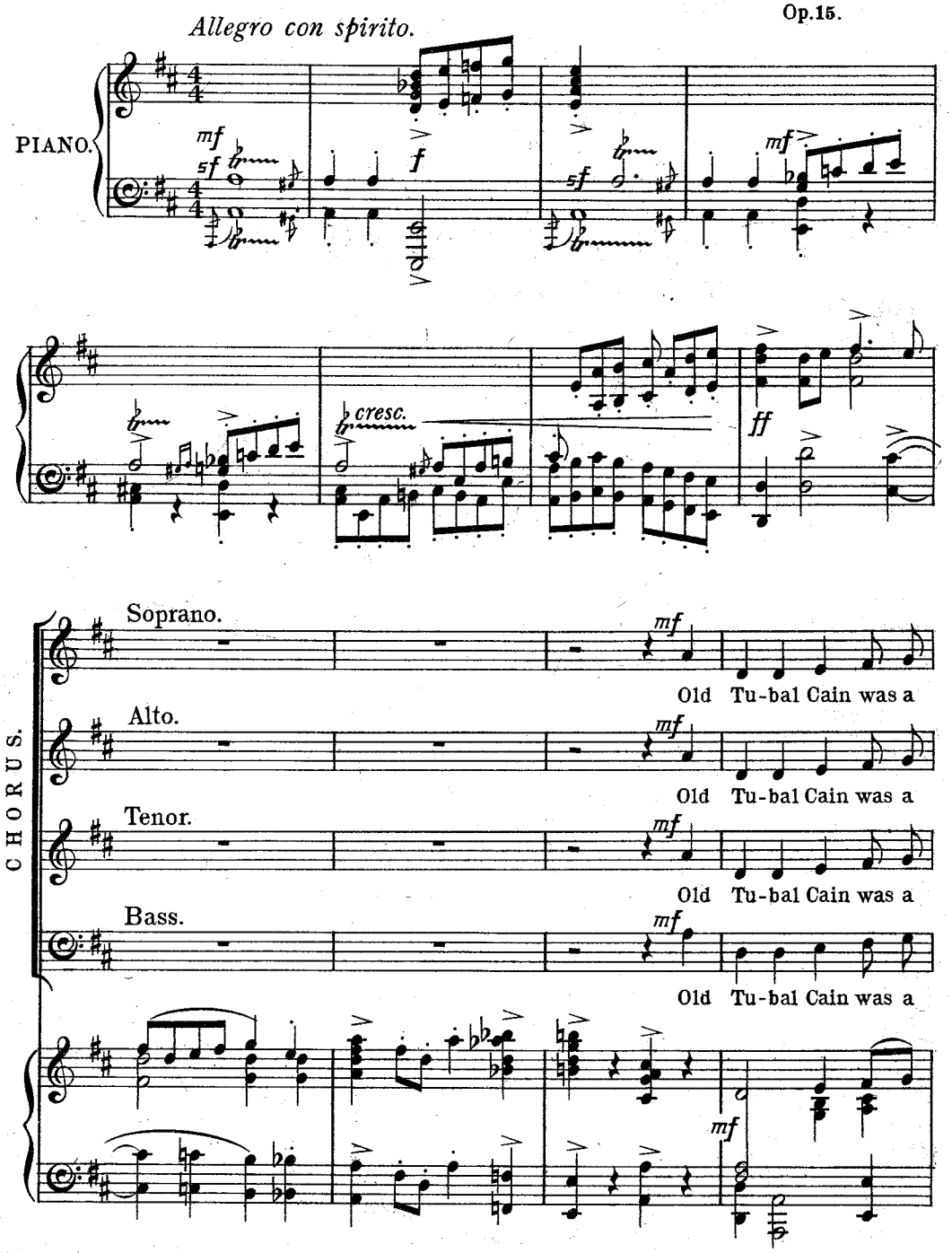

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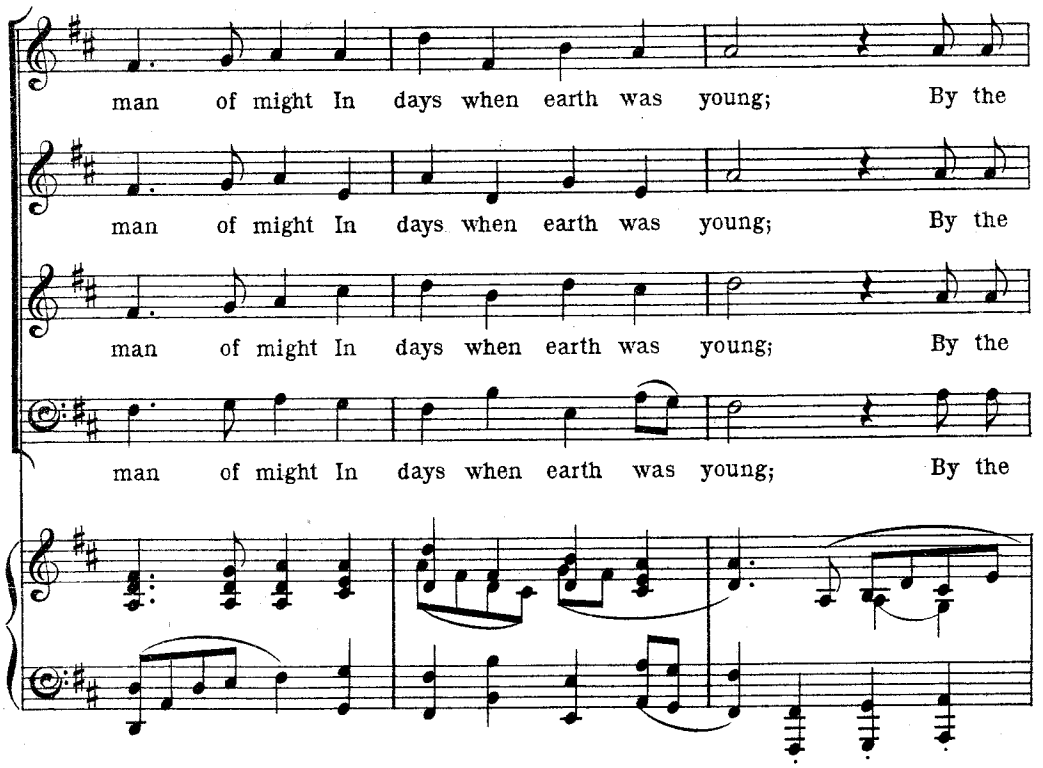
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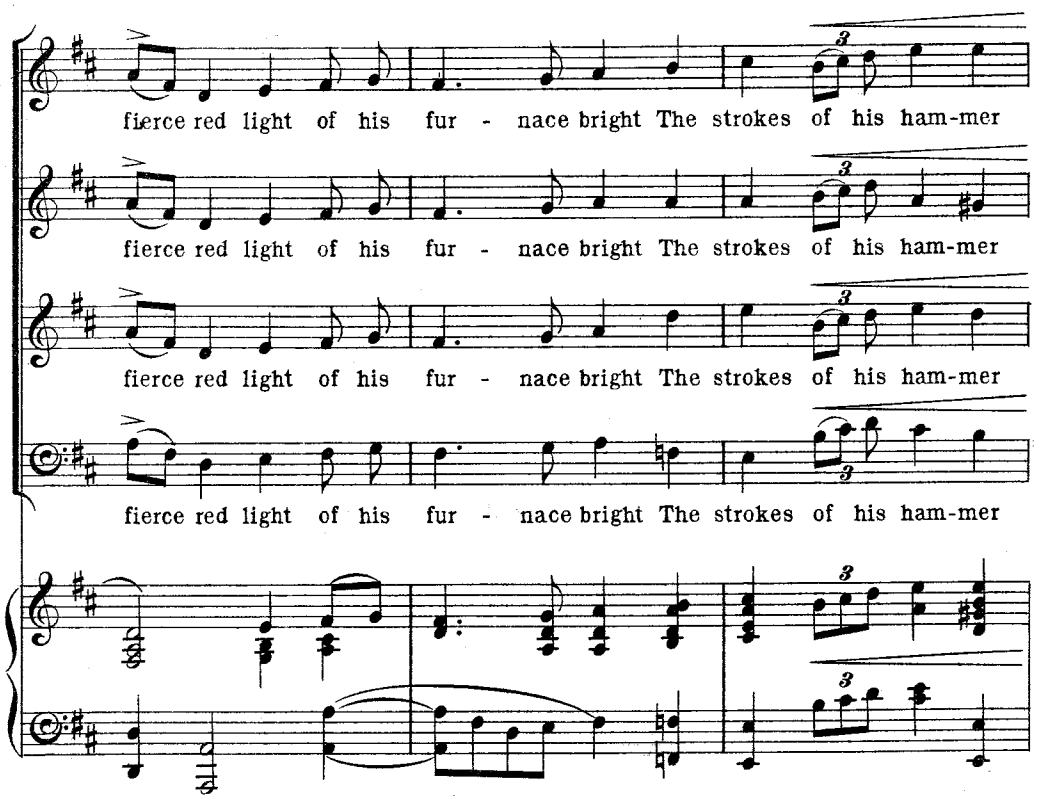
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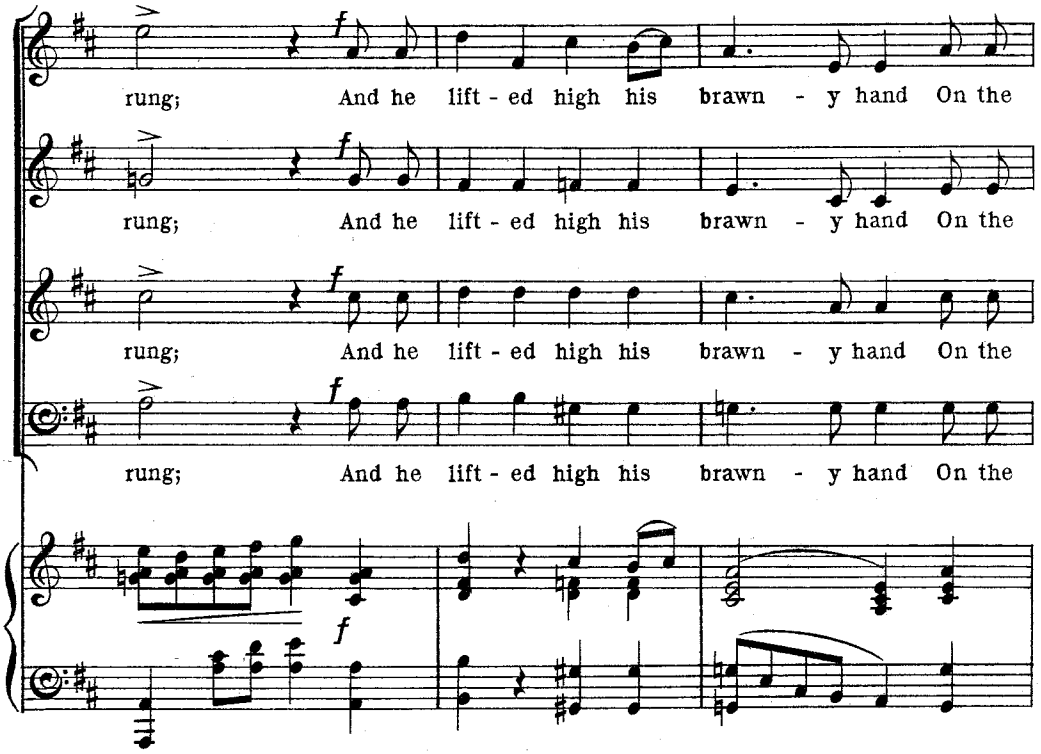
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rung; And he lift - ed high his brawn - y hand On the
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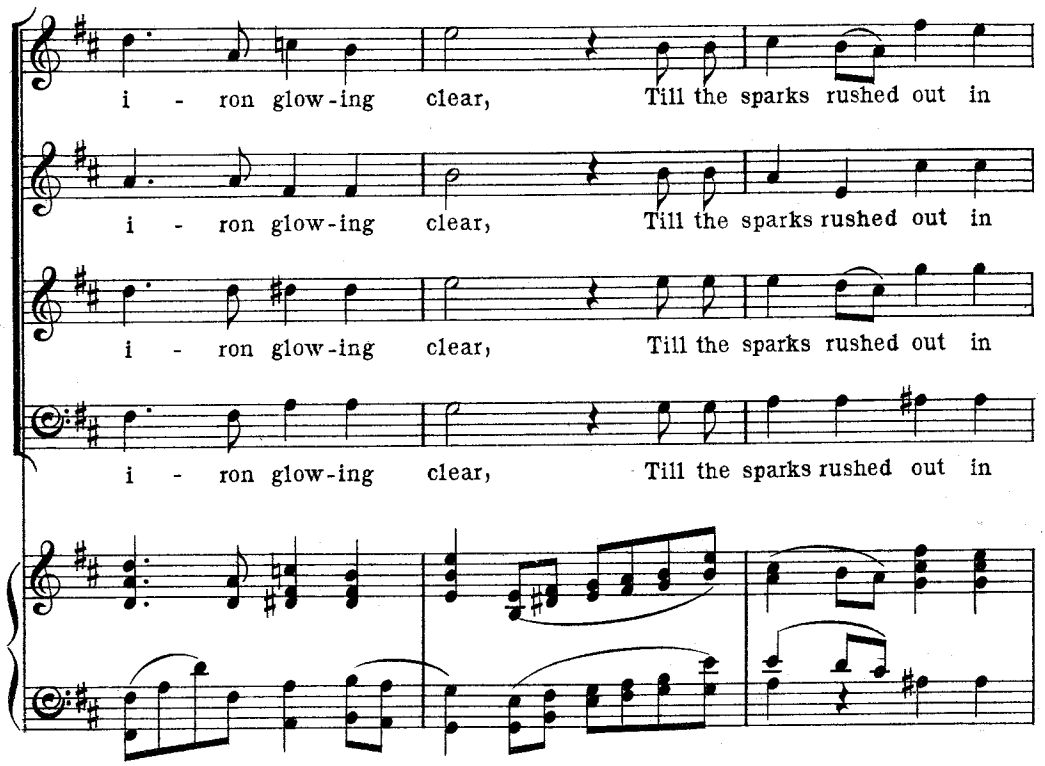
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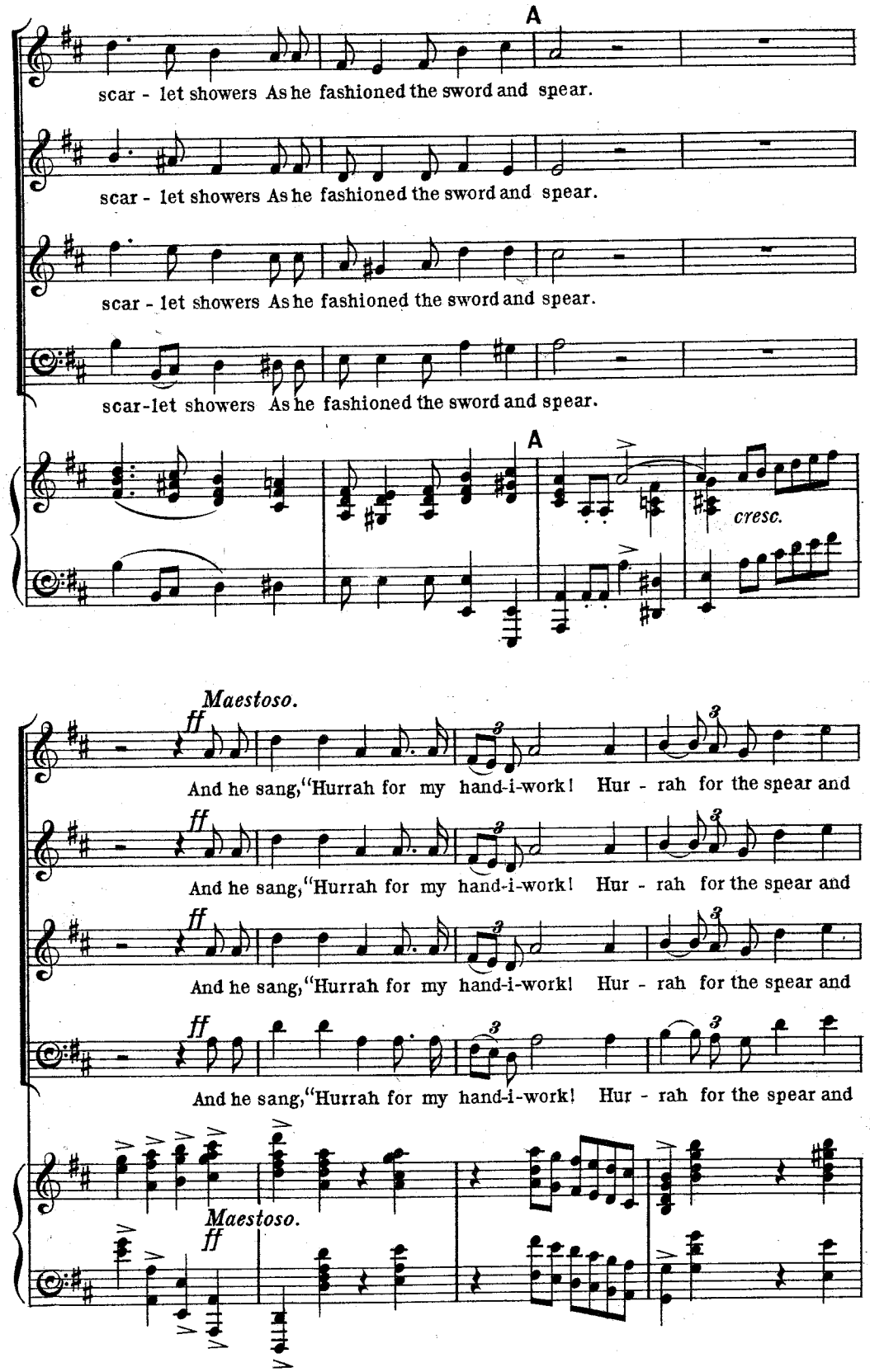
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scar-let showers As he fashioned the sword and spear.
A
cresc.
Maestoso.
ff
And he sang, "Hurrah for my hand-i-work! Hur - rah for the spear and
And he sang, "Hurrah for my hand-i-work! Hur - rah for the spear and
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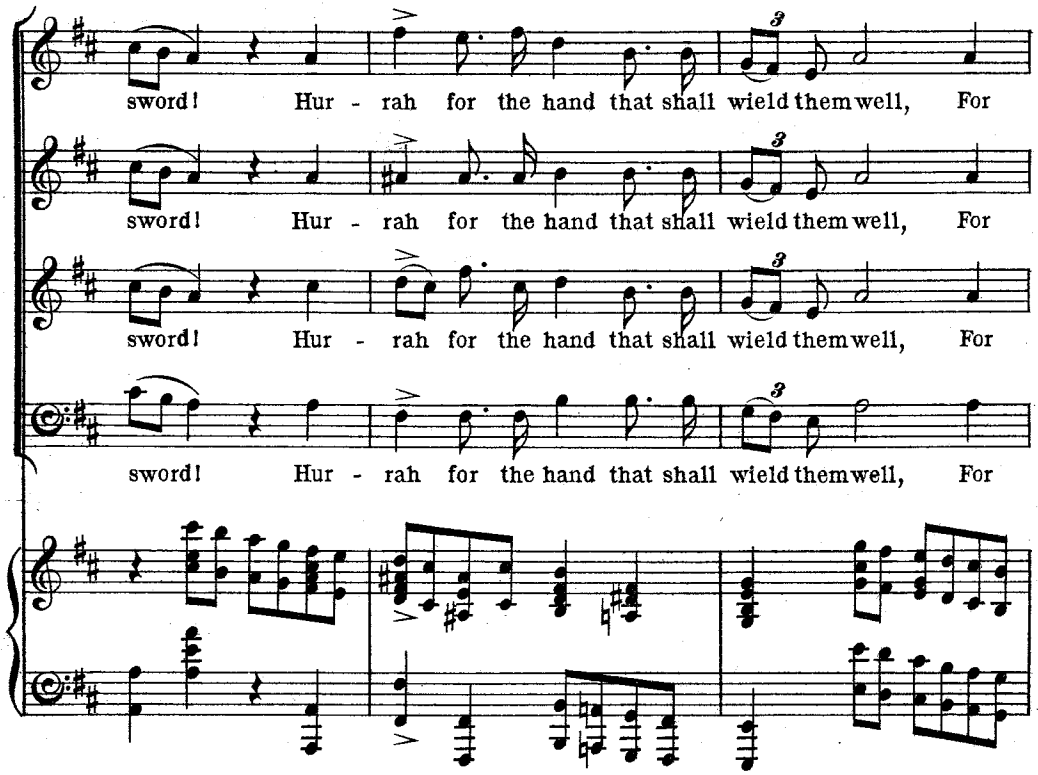
sword! Hur - rah for the hand that shall wield them well, For
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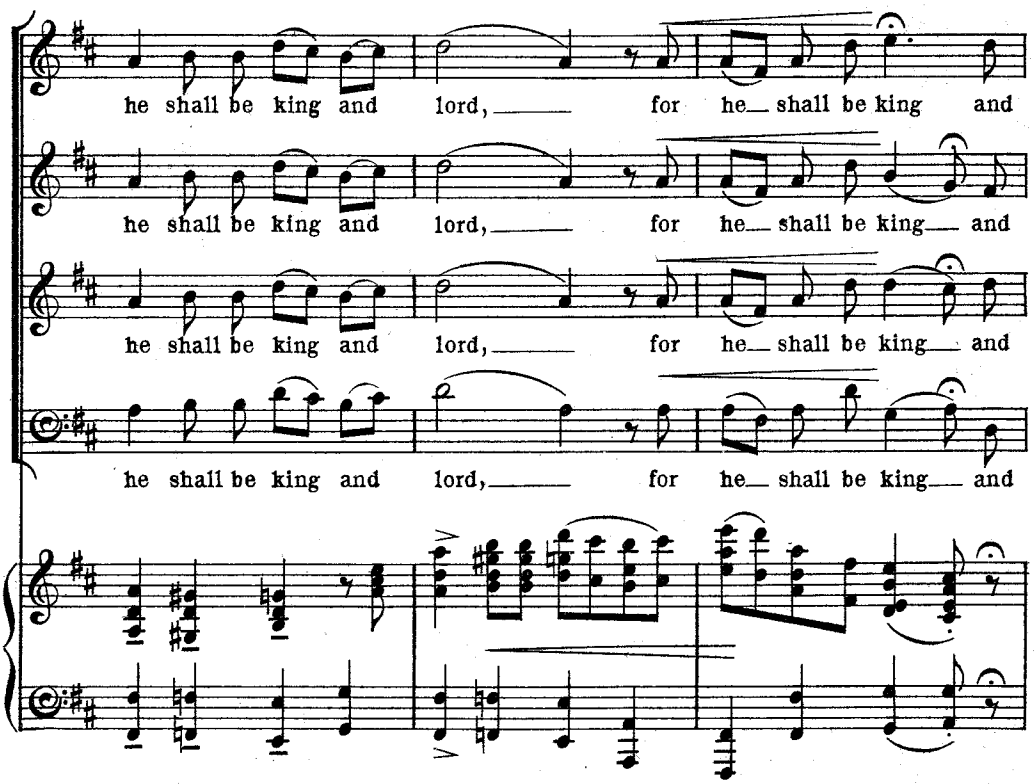
he shall be king and lord, for he shall be king and
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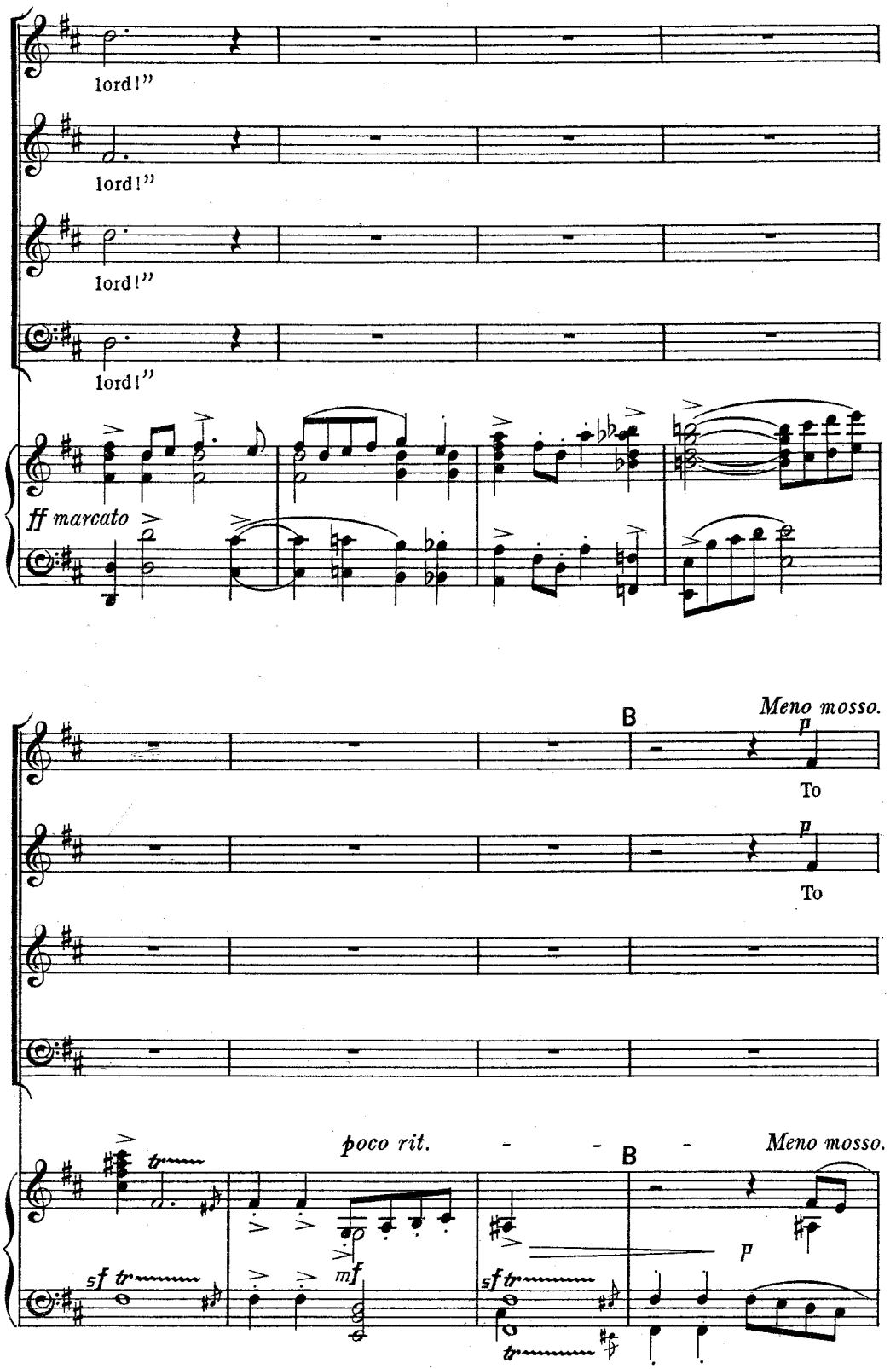
lord!"
lord!"
lord!"
lord!"
ff marcato
B
Meno mosso.
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To
poco rit.
B
Meno mosso.
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mf
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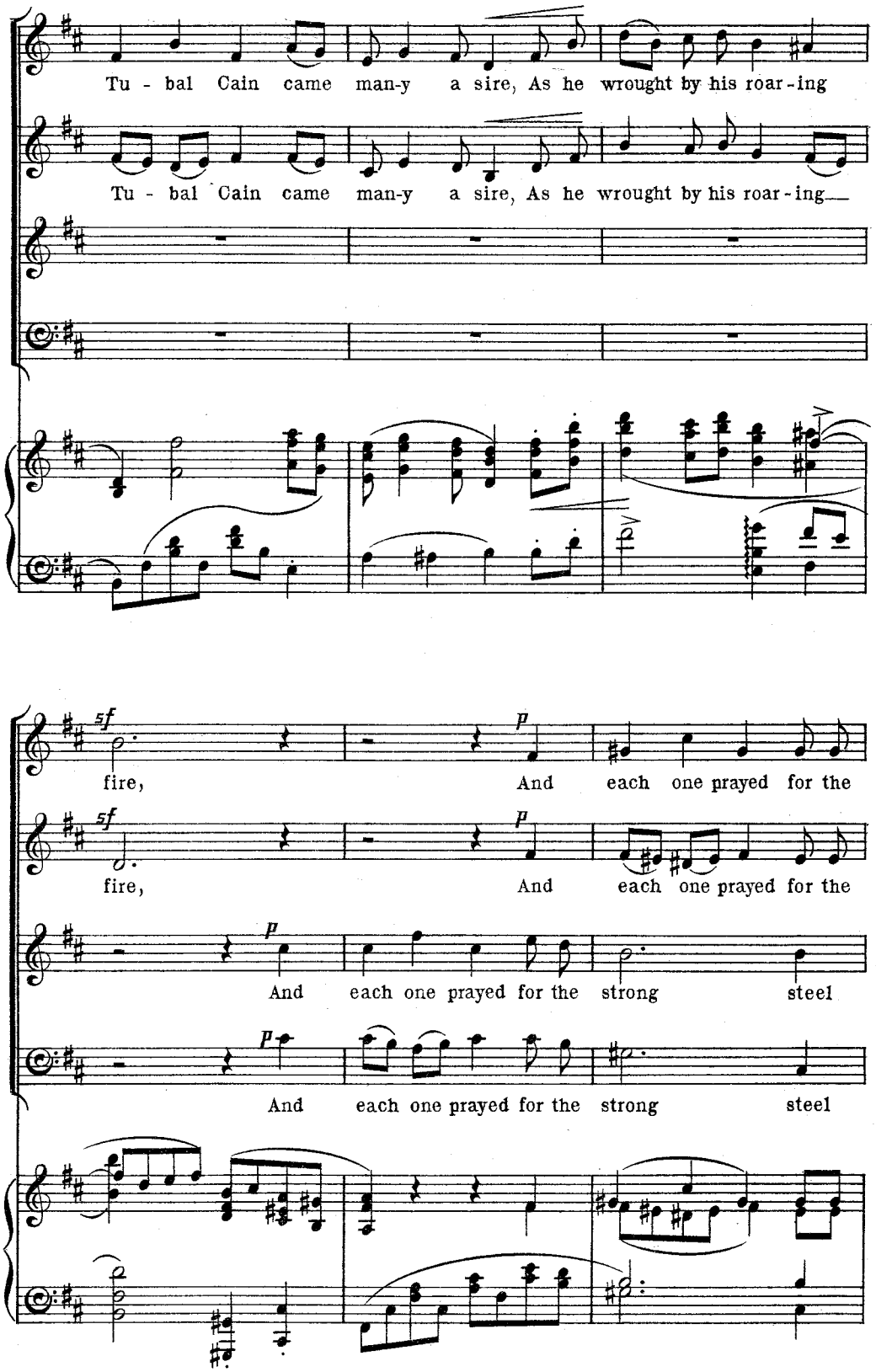
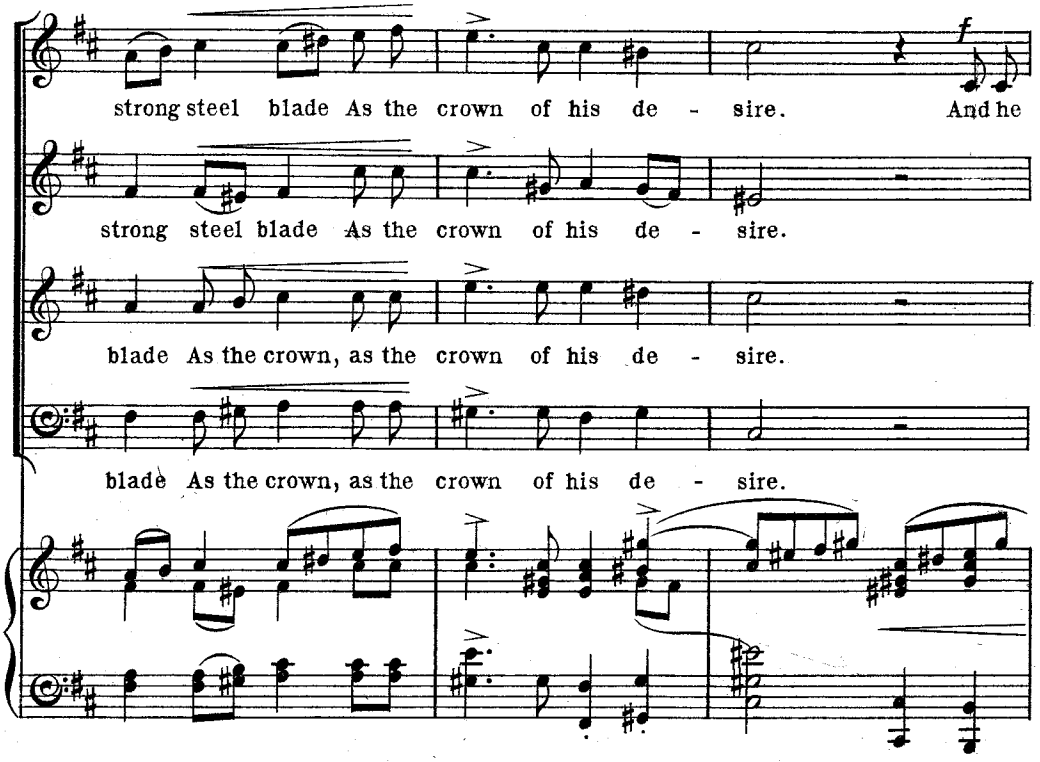

Tu - bal Cain came man-y a sire, As he wrought by his roar-ing
Tu - bal Cain came man-y a sire, As he wrought by his roar-ing
sf
fire,
p
And each one prayed for the
sf
fire,
p
And each one prayed for the
p
And each one prayed for the strong steel
p
And each one prayed for the strong steel


strong steel blade As the crown of his de - sire. And he
strong steel blade As the crown of his de - sire.
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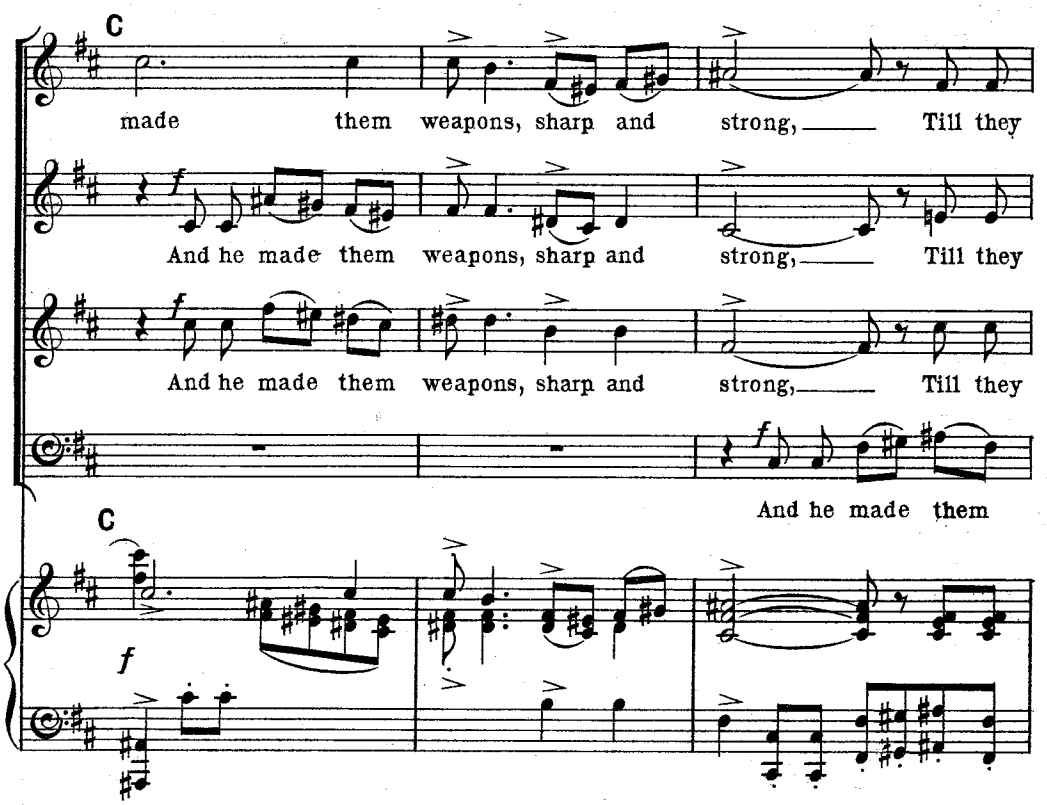
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made them weapons, sharp and strong, Till they
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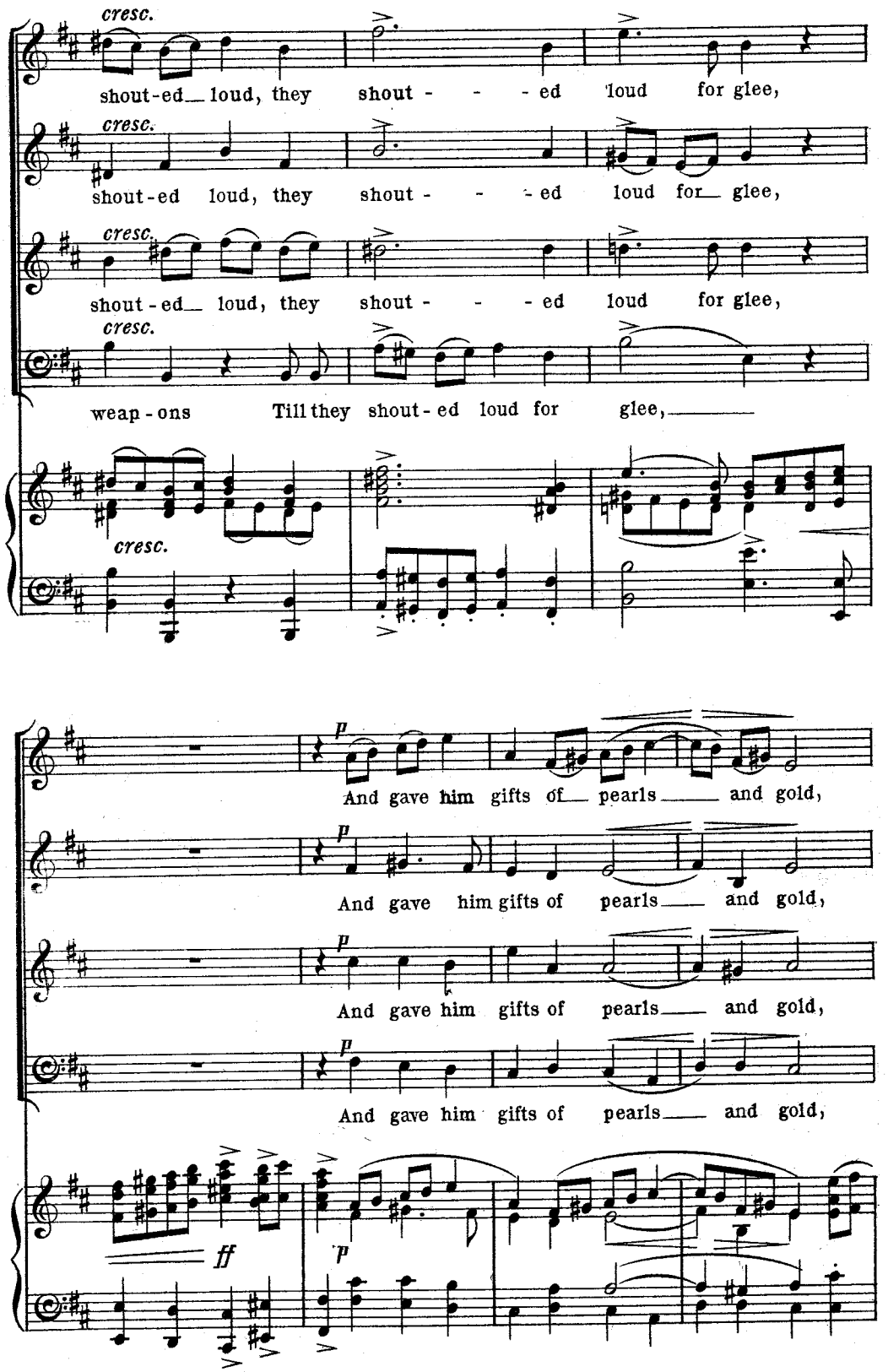
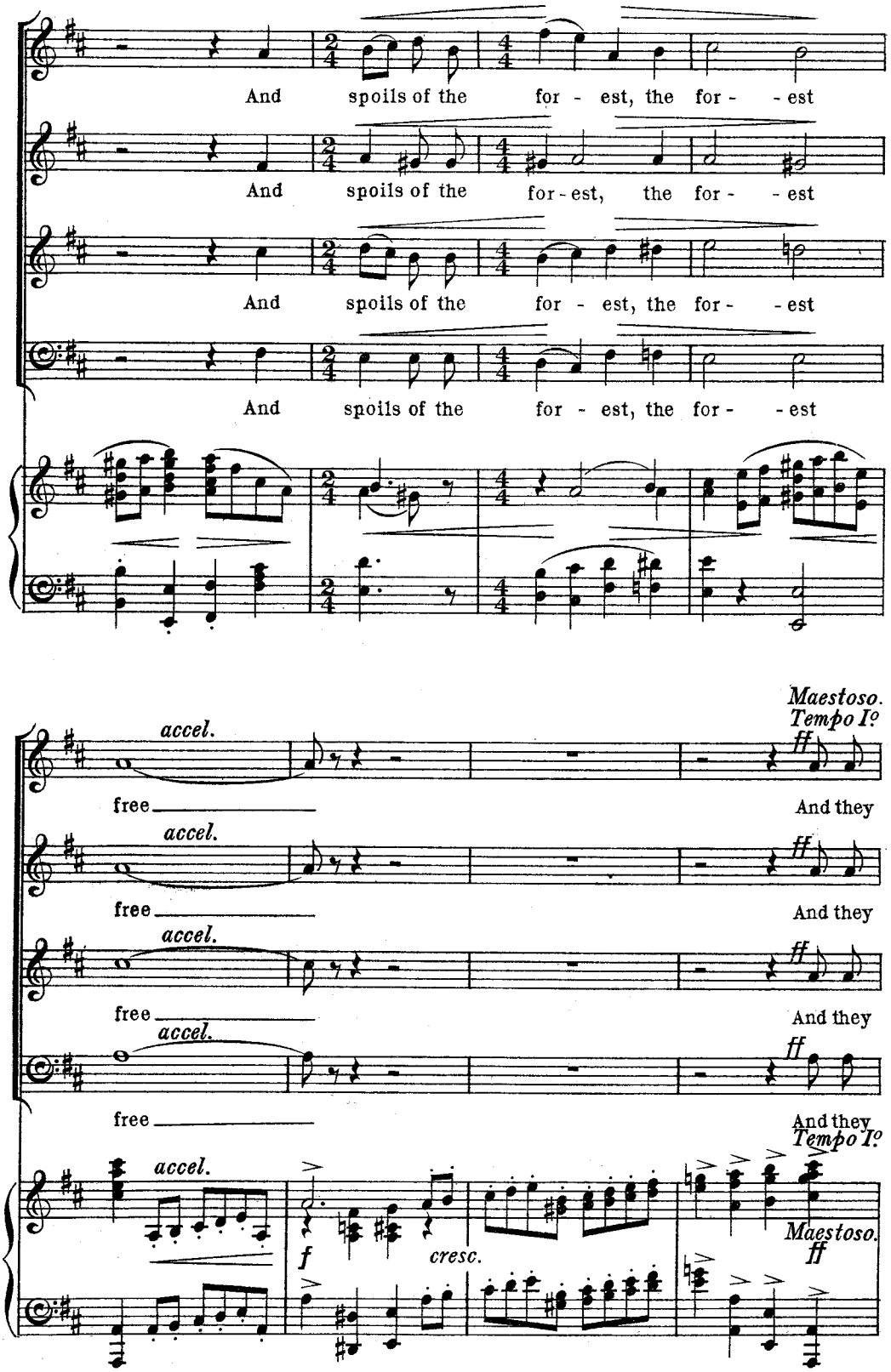

cresc.
shout-ed loud, they shout - - - ed loud for glee,
cresc.
shout-ed loud, they shout - - - ed loud for glee,
cresc.
shout-ed loud, they shout - - - ed loud for glee,
cresc.
weap-ons Till they shout-ed loud for glee,
cresc.
p
And gave him gifts of pearls and gold,
p
And gave him gifts of pearls and gold,
p
And gave him gifts of pearls and gold,
p
And gave him gifts of pearls and gold,
ff
p


And spoils of the for - est, the for - - est
And spoils of the for - est, the for - - est
And spoils of the for - est, the for - - est
And spoils of the for - est, the for - - est
accel.
free
Maestoso.
Tempo I°
ff
And they
accel.
free
And they
accel.
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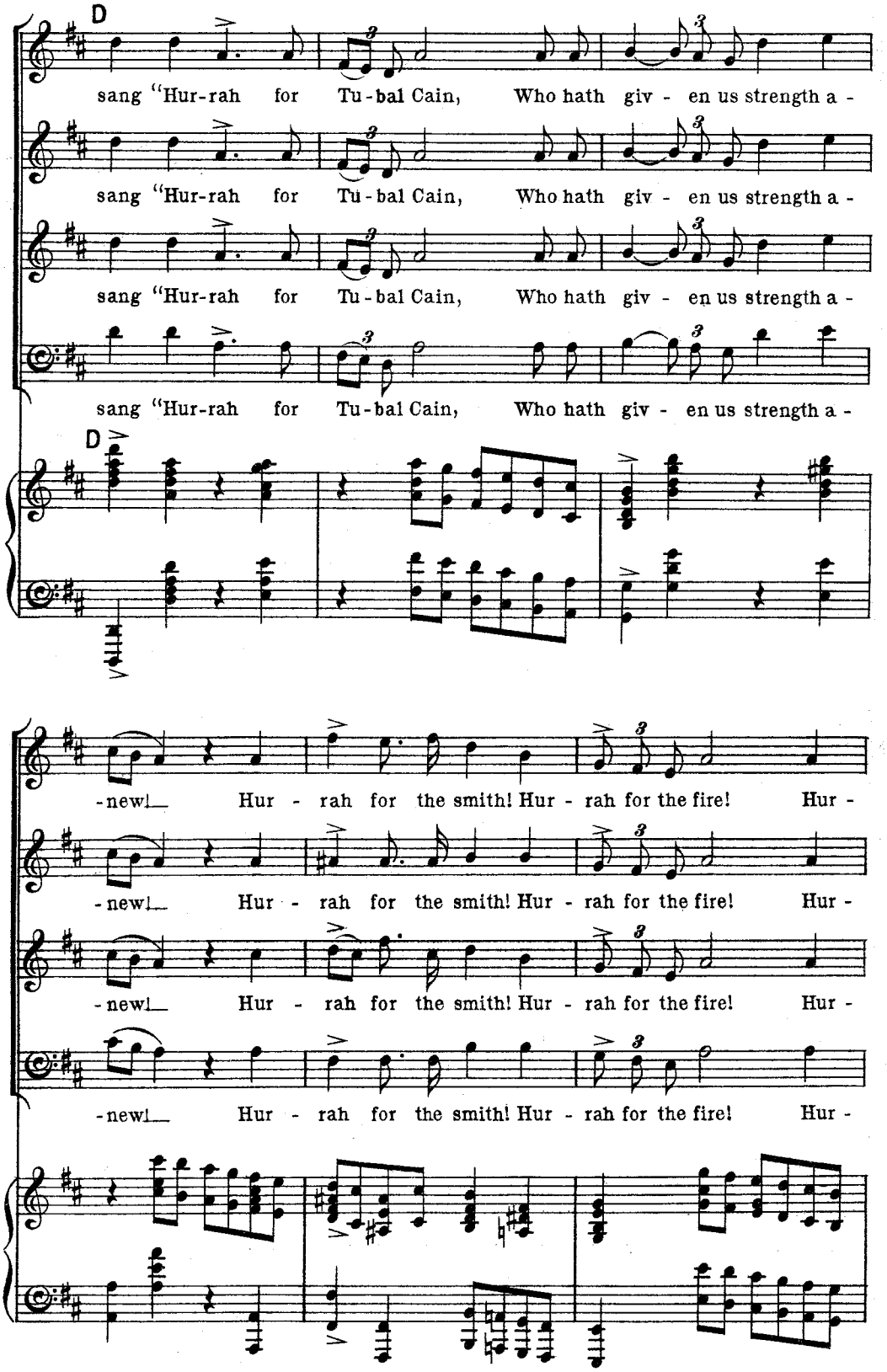
D
sang "Hur-rah for Tu-bal Cain, Who hath giv - en us strength a -
sang "Hur-rah for Tu-bal Cain, Who hath giv - en us strength a -
sang "Hur-rah for Tu-bal Cain, Who hath giv - en us strength a -
sang "Hur-rah for Tu-bal Cain, Who hath giv - en us strength a -
D
-new! Hur - rah for the smith! Hur - rah for the fire! Hur -
-new! Hur - rah for the smith! Hur - rah for the fire! Hur -
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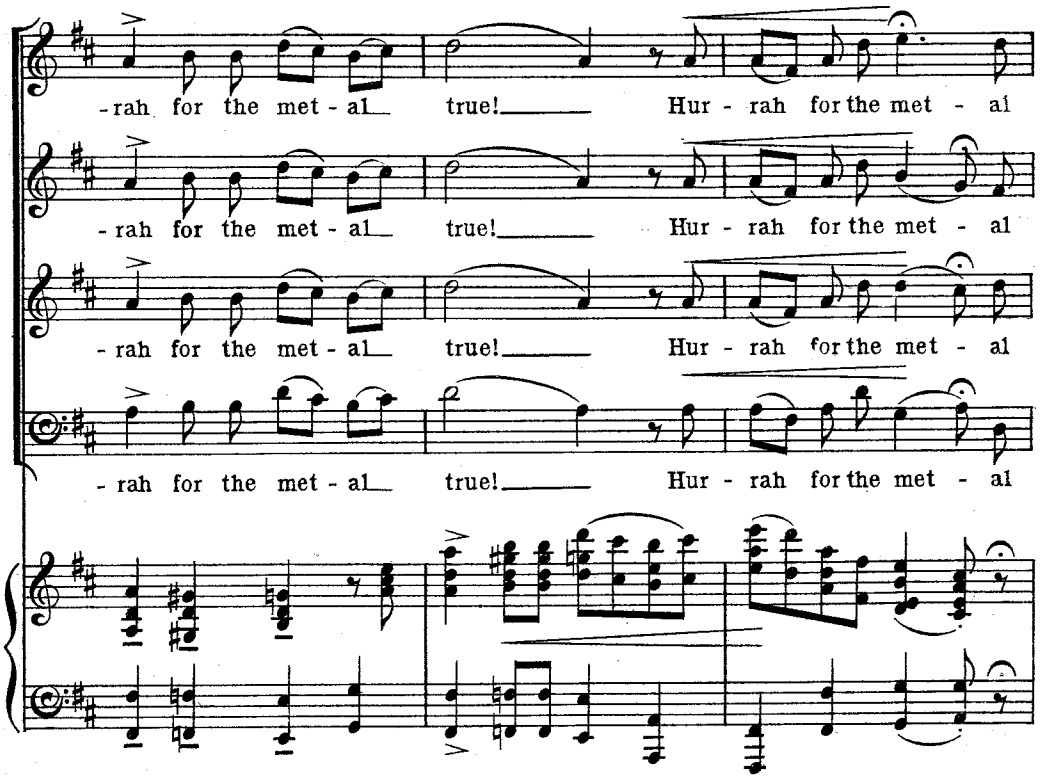
-rah for the met - al true! Hur - rah for the met - al
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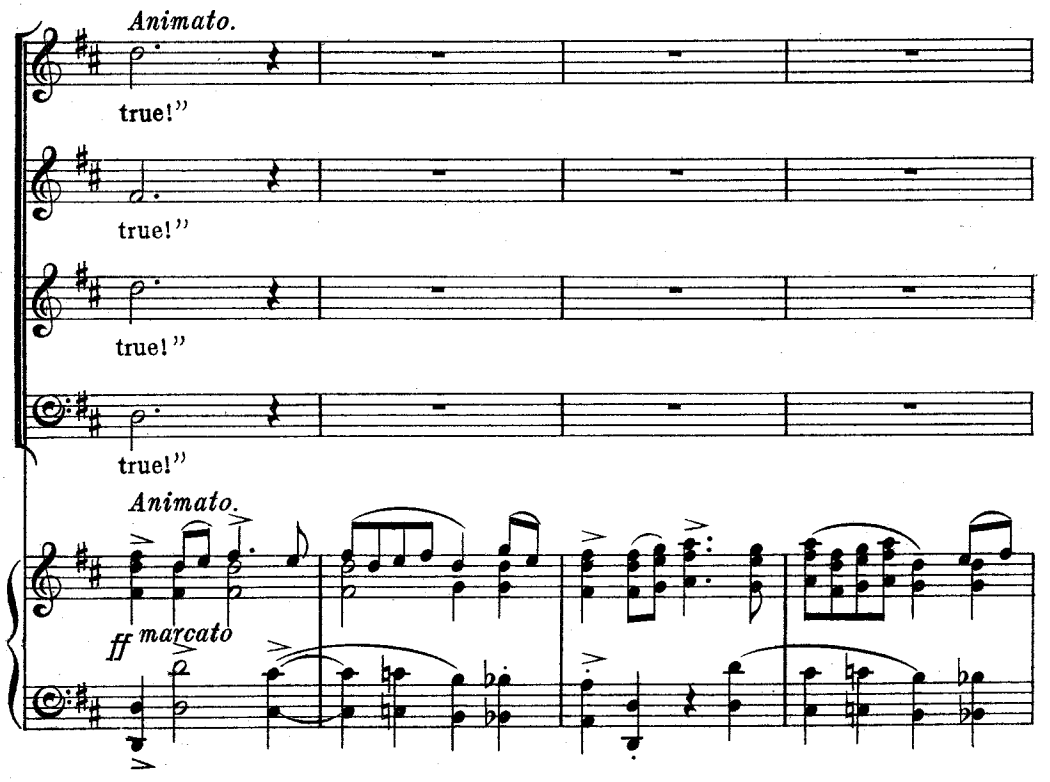
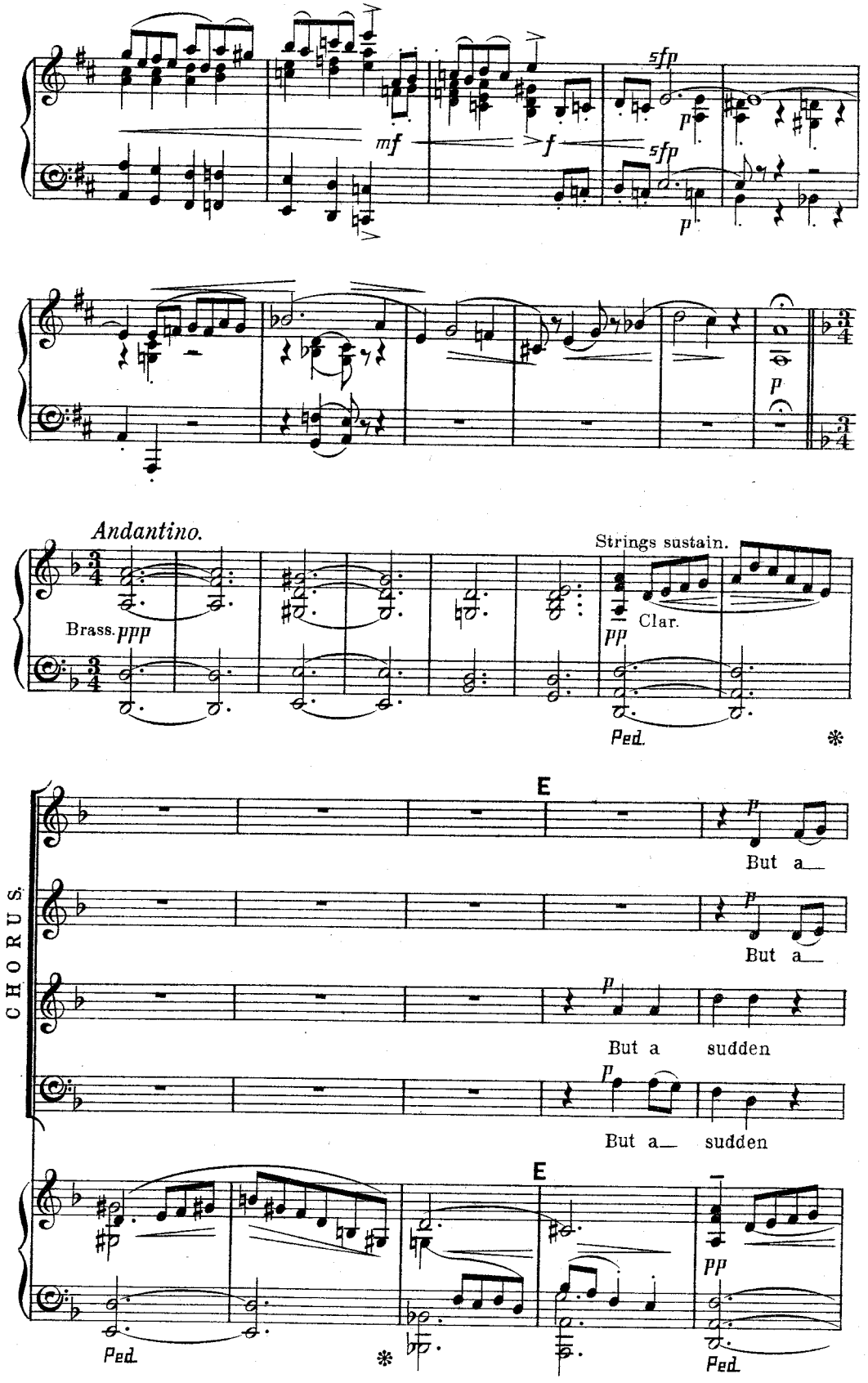
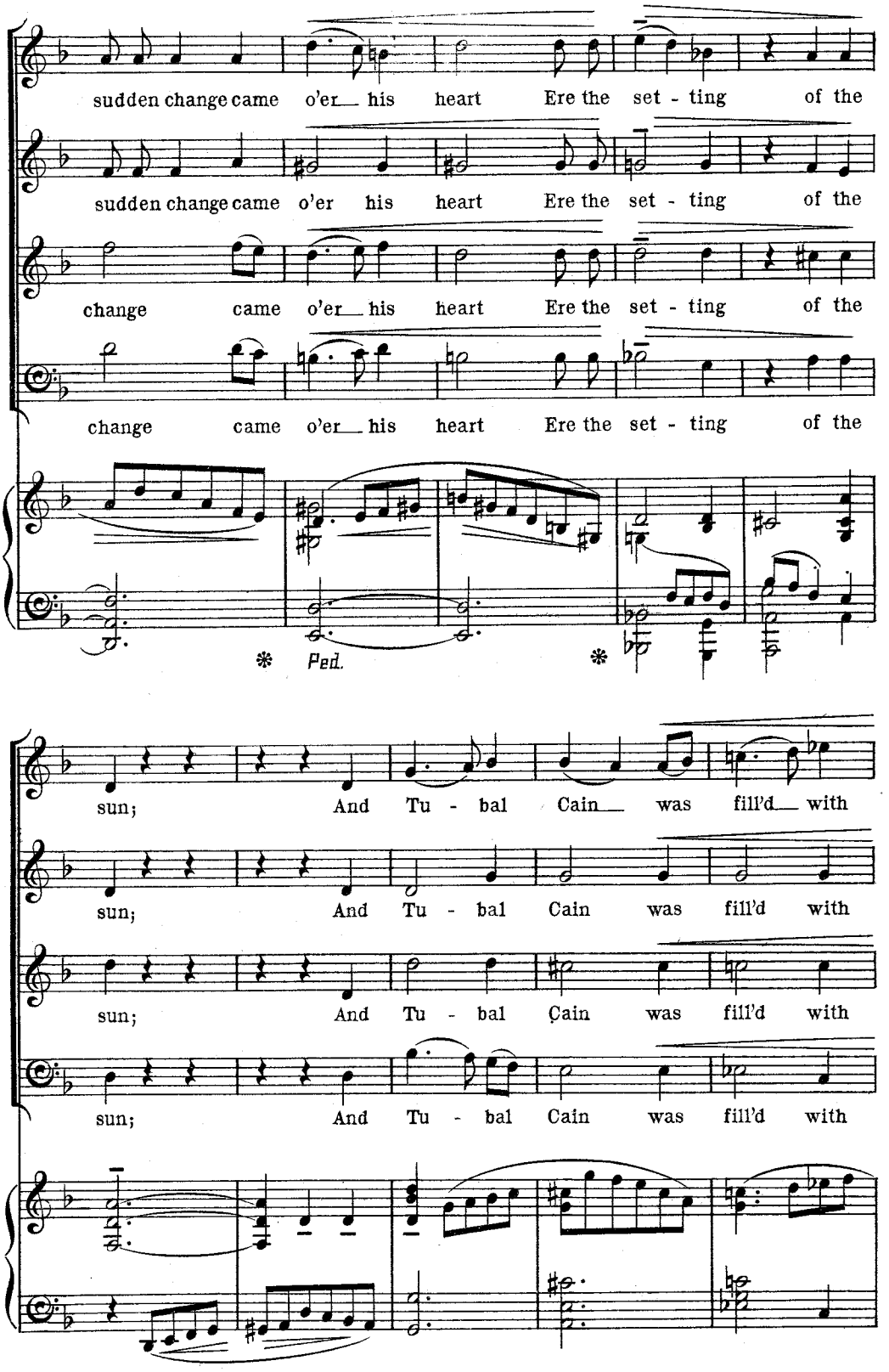
-rah for the met - al true! Hur - rah for the met - al


Animato.
true!"
true!"
true!"
true!"
Animato.
ff marcato


sfp
mf
f
sfp
p
p
Andantino.
Strings sustain.
Brass. ppp
pp
Clar.
Ped.
CHORUS.
E
But a
But a
But a sudden
But a sudden
E
pp
Ped.
Ped.


sudden change came o'er his heart Ere the set - ting of the
sudden change came o'er his heart Ere the set - ting of the
change came o'er his heart Ere the set - ting of the
change came o'er his heart Ere the set - ting of the
Ped.
sun; And Tu - bal Cain was fill'd with
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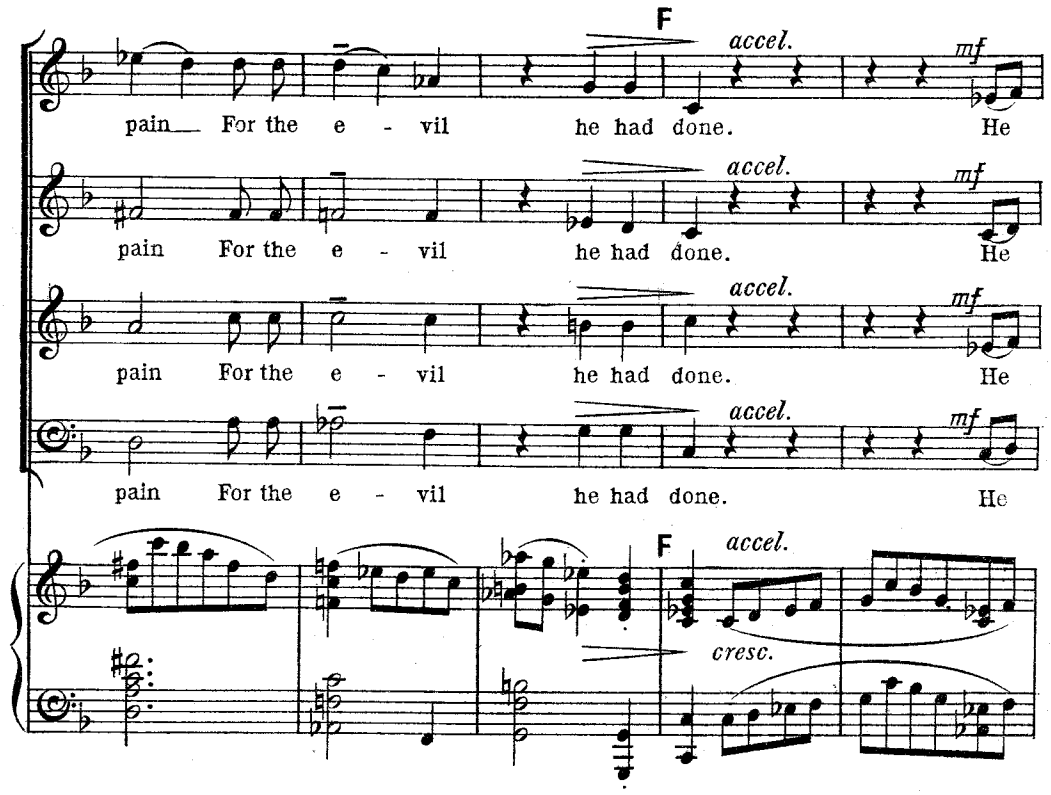
sun; And Tu - bal Cain was fill'd with


F
accel.
mf
pain For the e - vil he had done. He
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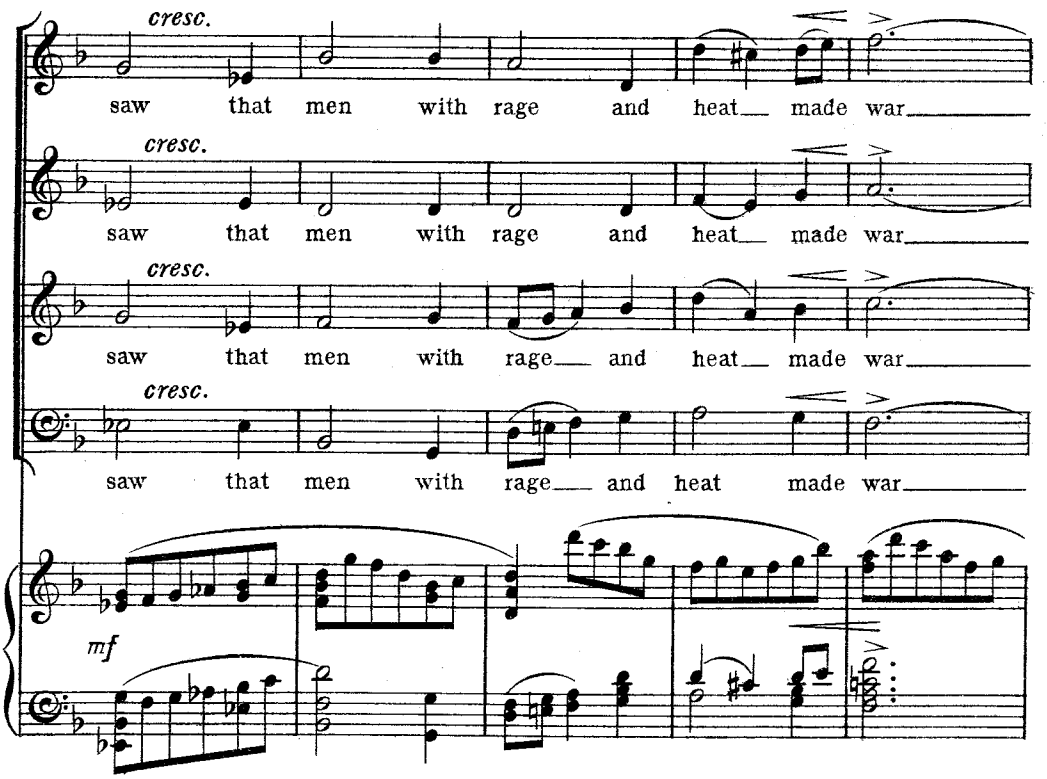
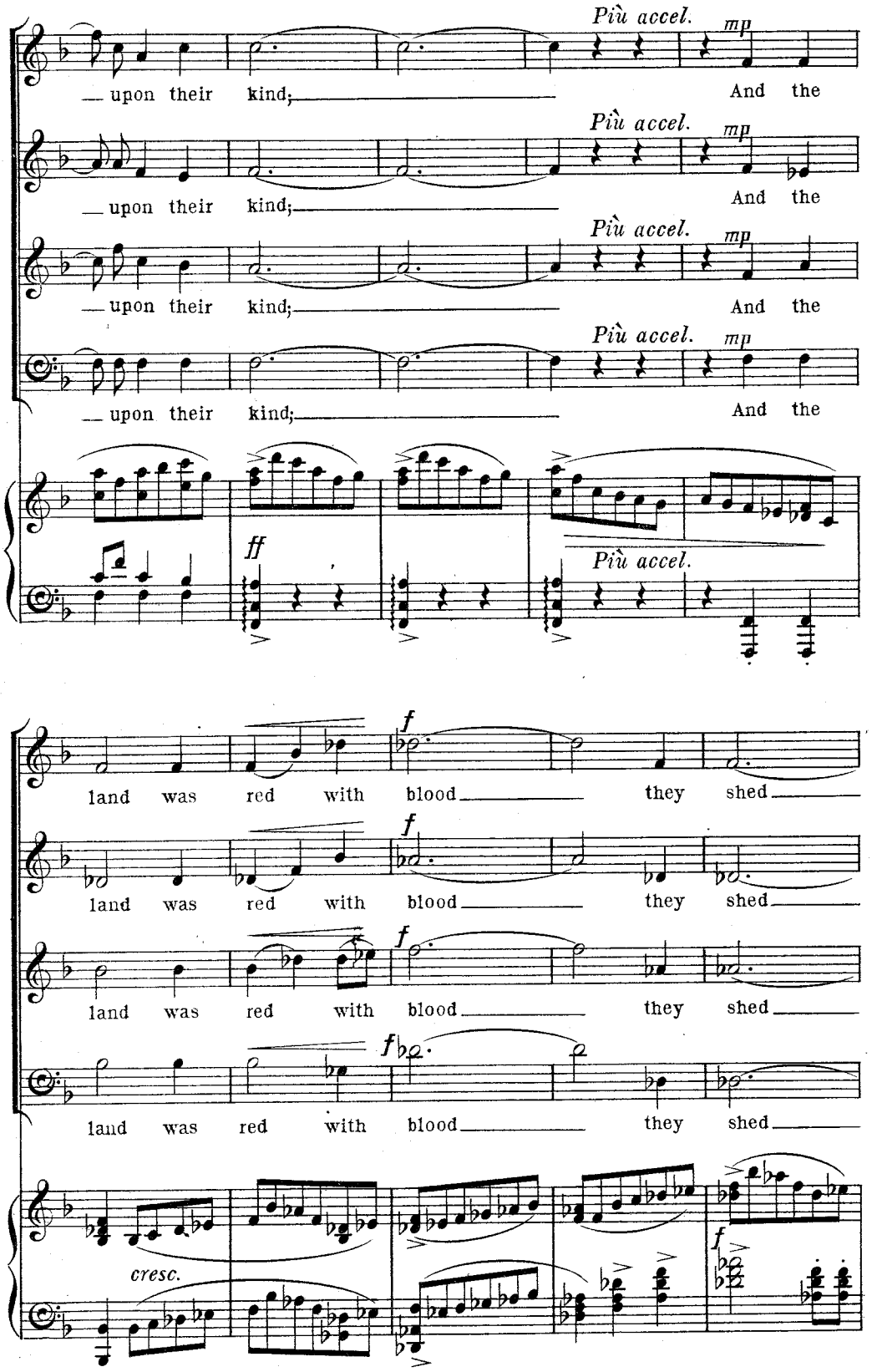
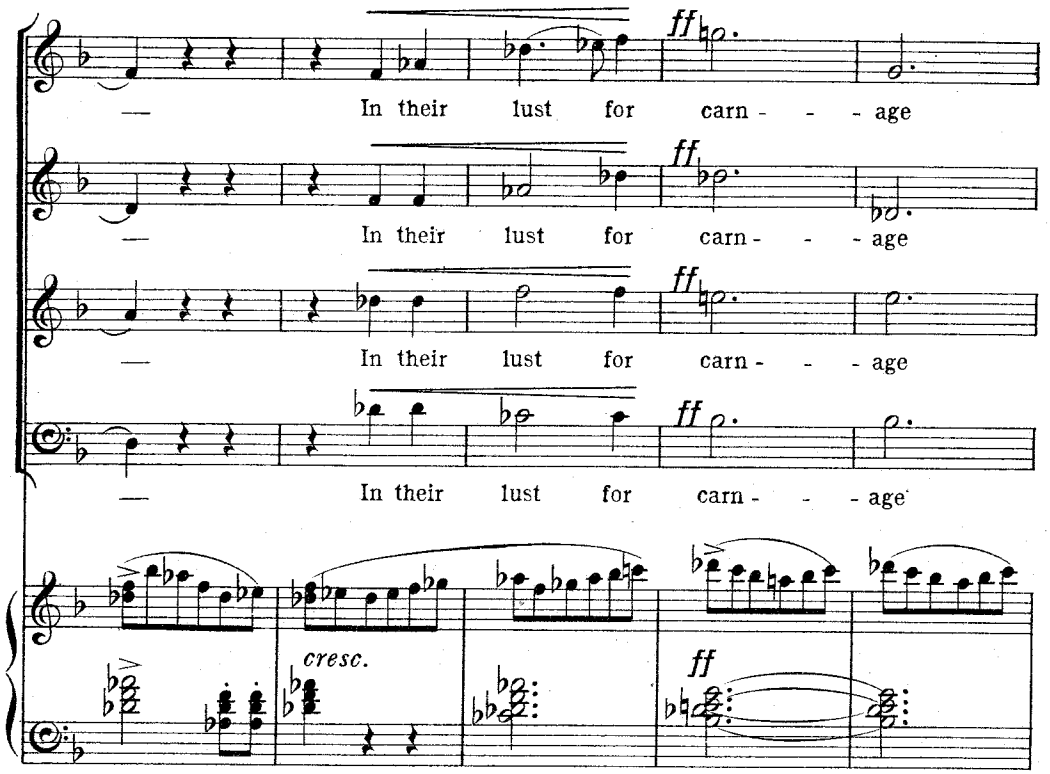
pain For the e - vil he had done. He
F
accel.
cresc.


cresc.
saw that men with rage and heat made war
cresc.
saw that men with rage and heat made war
cresc.
saw that men with rage and heat made war
cresc.
saw that men with rage and heat made war
mf


Più accel.
mp
upon their kind;
And the
ff
land was red with blood
they shed
f
cresc.


ff
In their lust for carn - - - age
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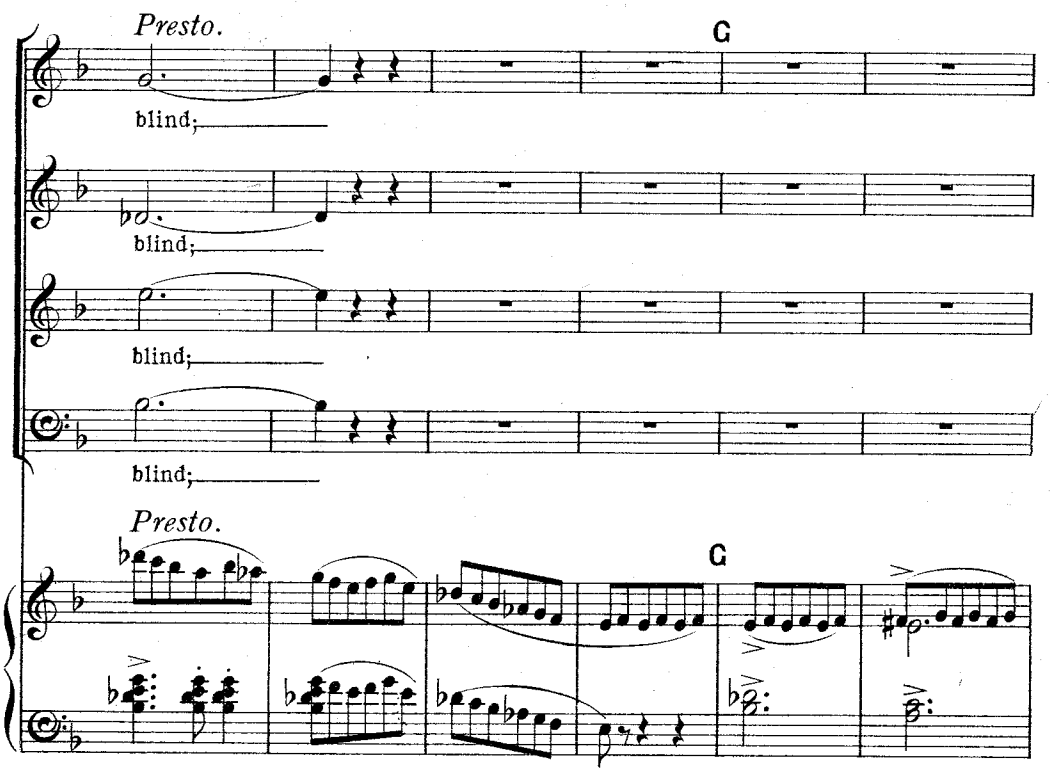
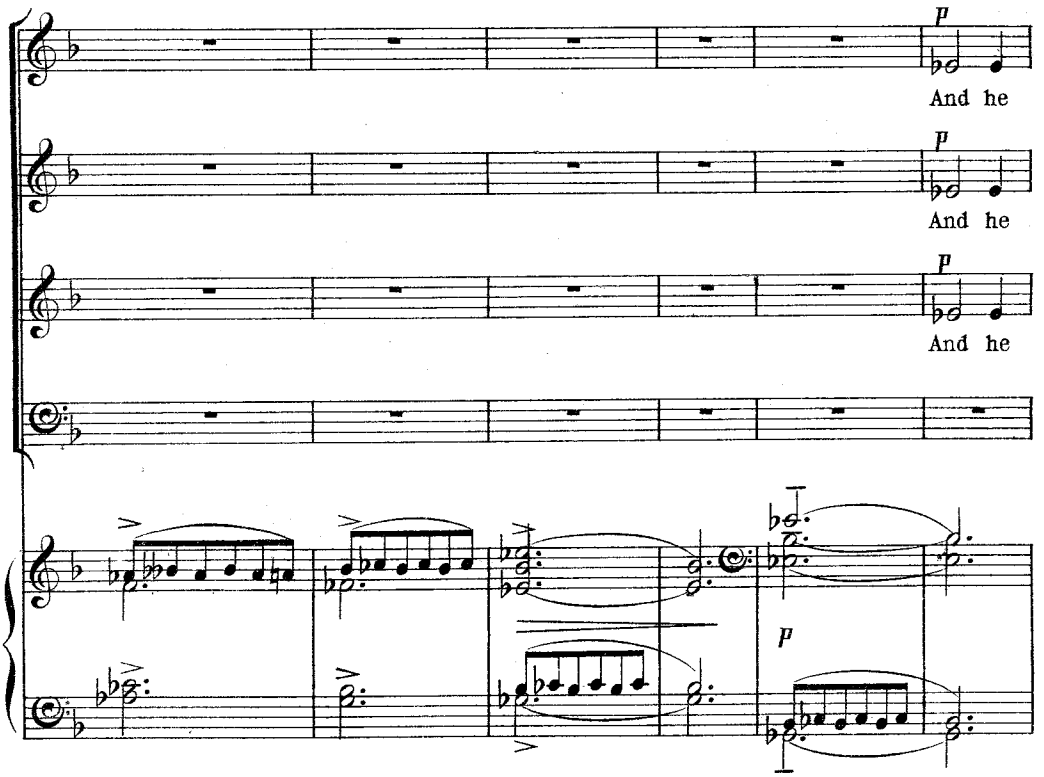
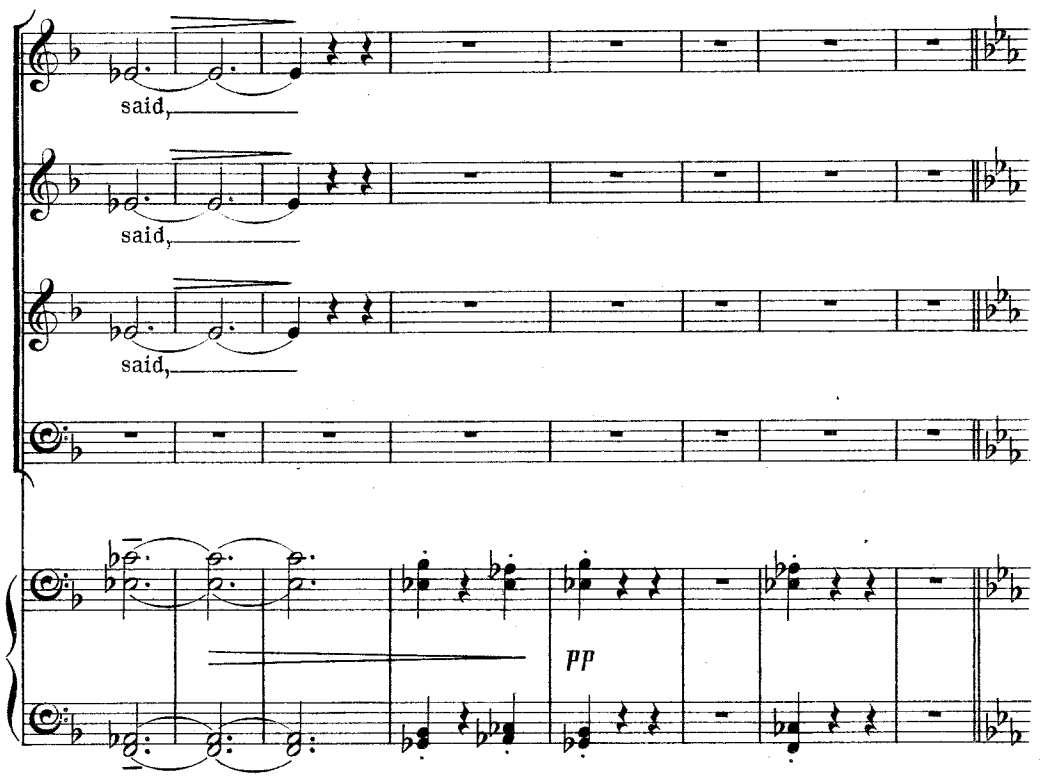
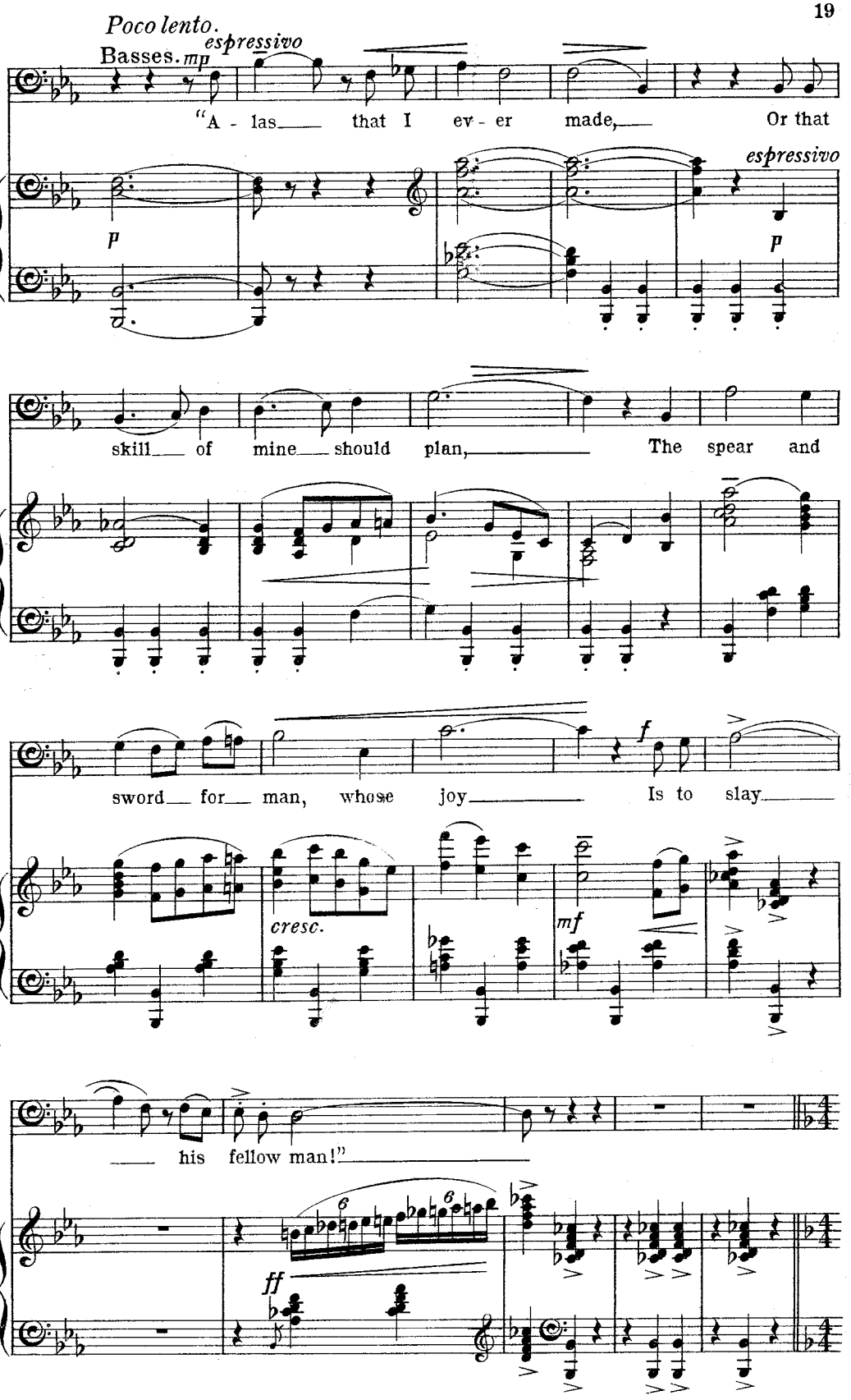
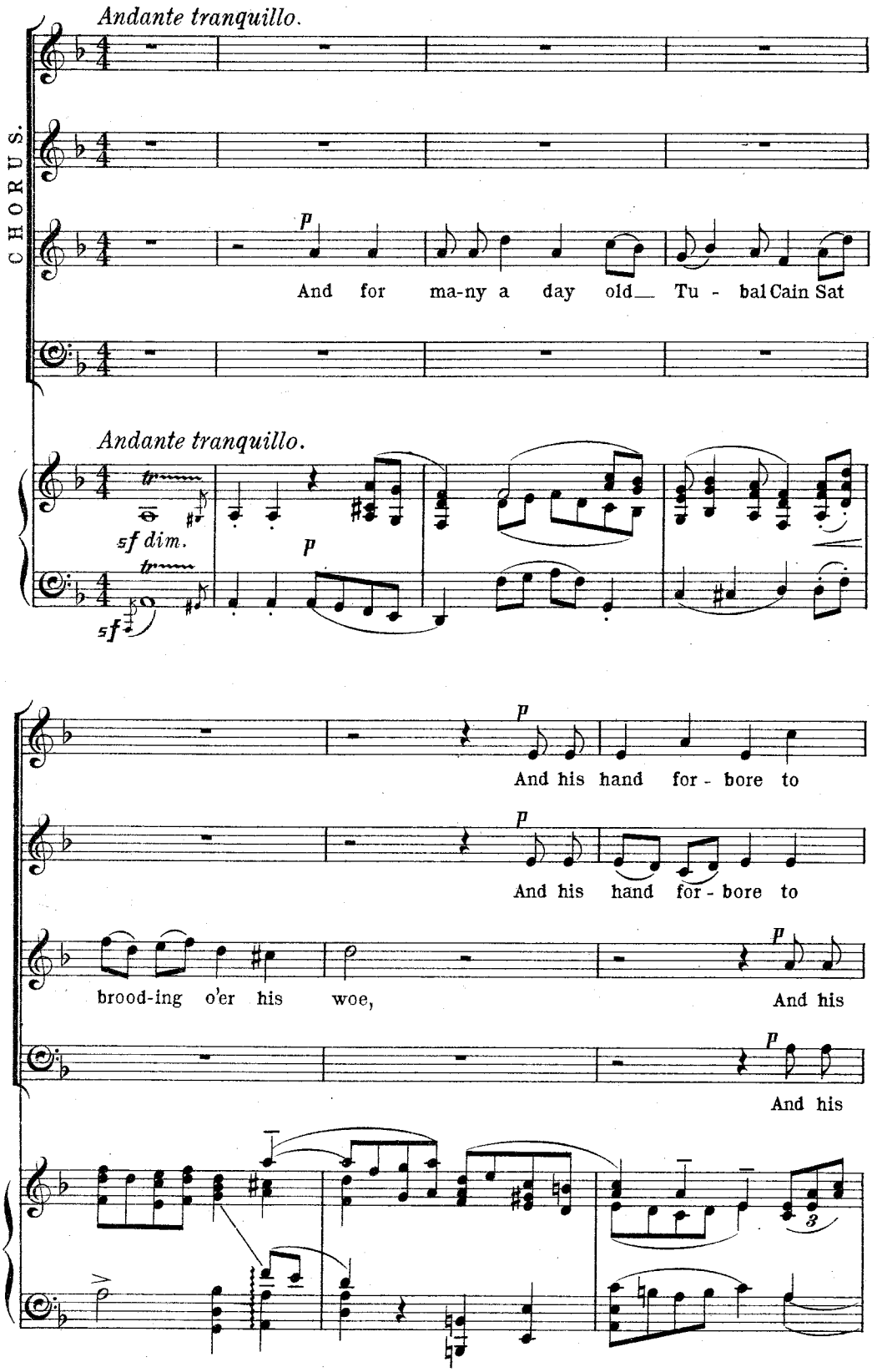
cresc.
ff

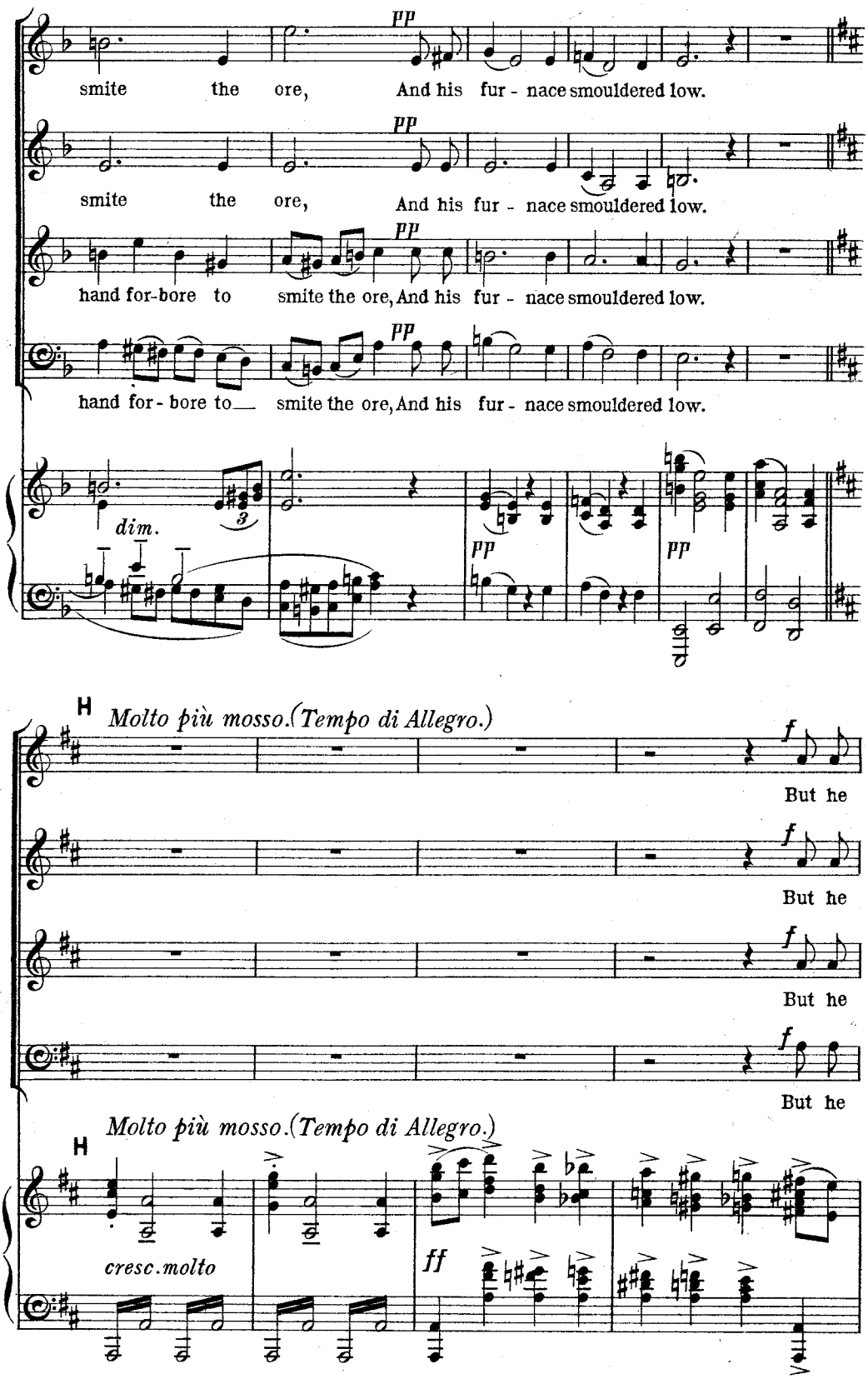

Presto.
C
blind;
blind;
blind;
blind;
Presto.
C

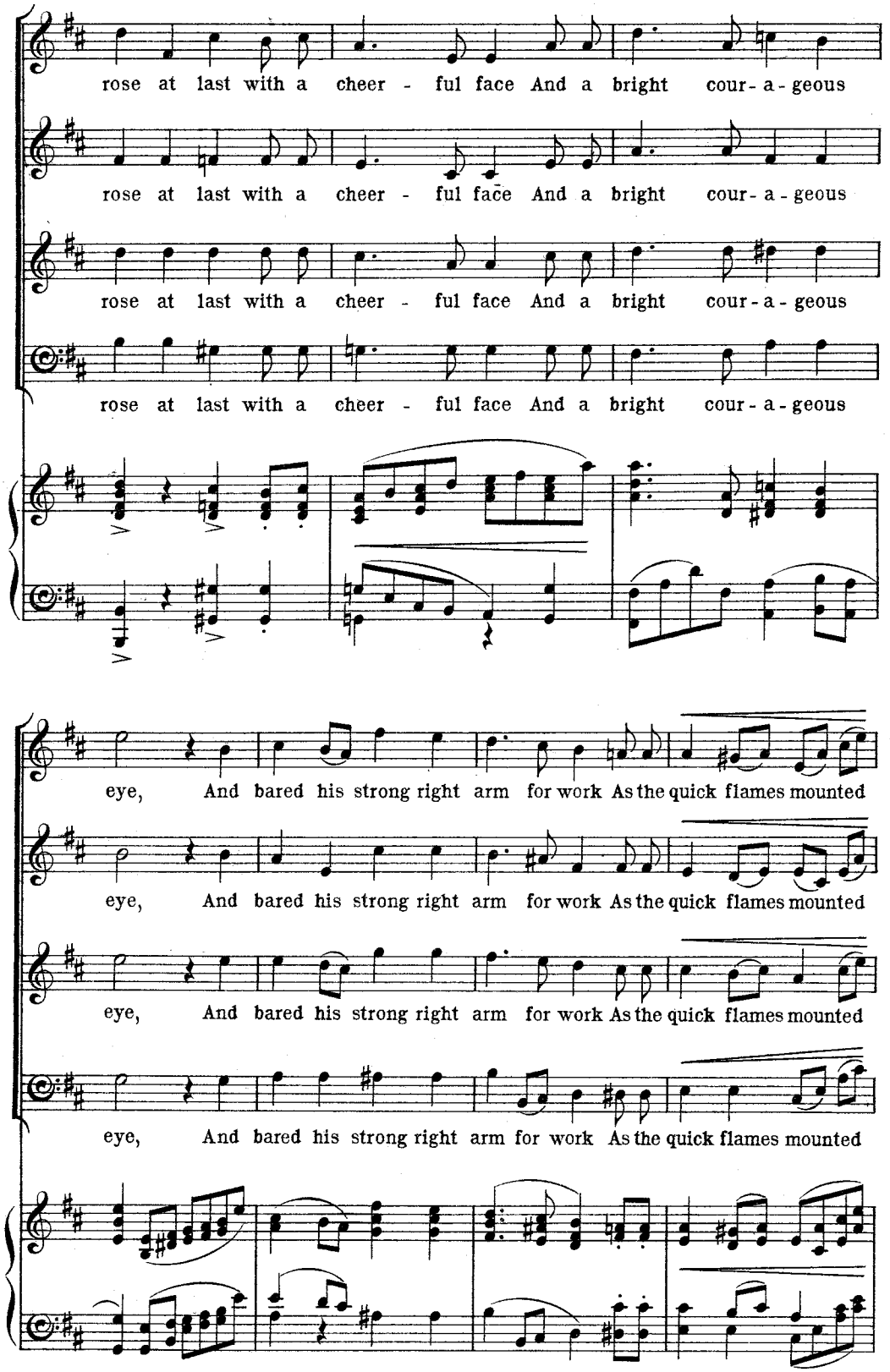

p
And he
p
And he
p
And he
p


said,
said,
said,
pp


Poco lento.
Basses. mp
espressivo
"A - las that I ev - er made, Or that
p
espressivo
p
skill of mine should plan, The spear and
sword for man, whose joy Is to slay
f
cresc.
mf
his fellow man!"
6
6
ff


Andante tranquillo.
CHORUS.
p
And for ma-ny a day old Tu - bal Cain Sat
Andante tranquillo.
tr
sf dim.
p
tr
sf
p
And his hand for - bore to
p
And his hand for - bore to
brood-ing o'er his woe,
p
And his
p
And his
3


pp
smite the ore, And his fur - nace smouldered low.
pp
smite the ore, And his fur - nace smouldered low.
pp
hand for-bore to smite the ore, And his fur - nace smouldered low.
pp
hand for - bore to smite the ore, And his fur - nace smouldered low.
dim.
3
pp
pp
H
Molto più mosso. (Tempo di Allegro.)
f
But he
f
But he
f
But he
f
But he
Molto più mosso. (Tempo di Allegro.)
H
cresc. molto
ff


rose at last with a cheer - ful face And a bright cour - a - geous
rose at last with a cheer - ful face And a bright cour - a - geous
rose at last with a cheer - ful face And a bright cour - a - geous
rose at last with a cheer - ful face And a bright cour - a - geous
eye, And bared his strong right arm for work As the quick flames mounted
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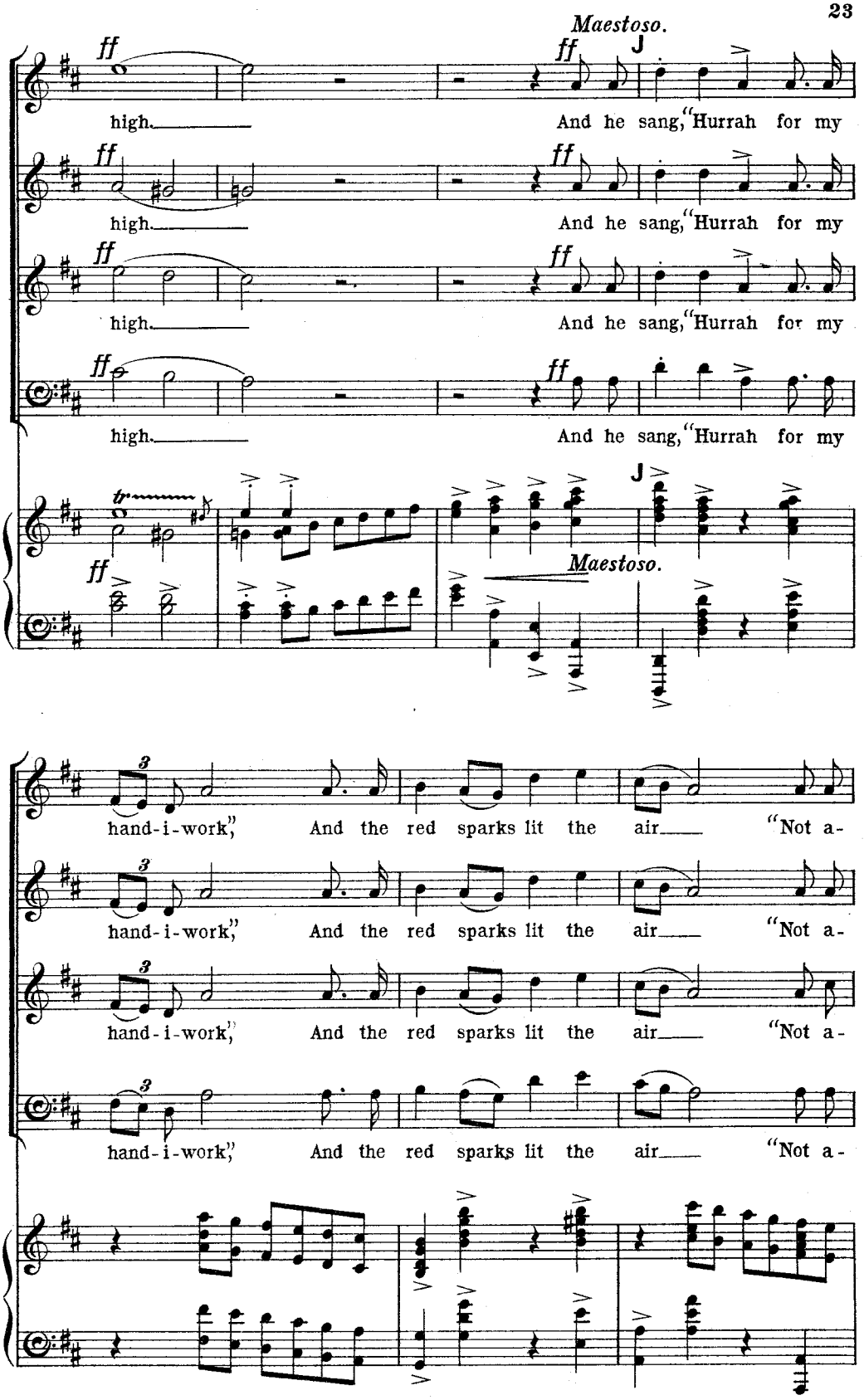
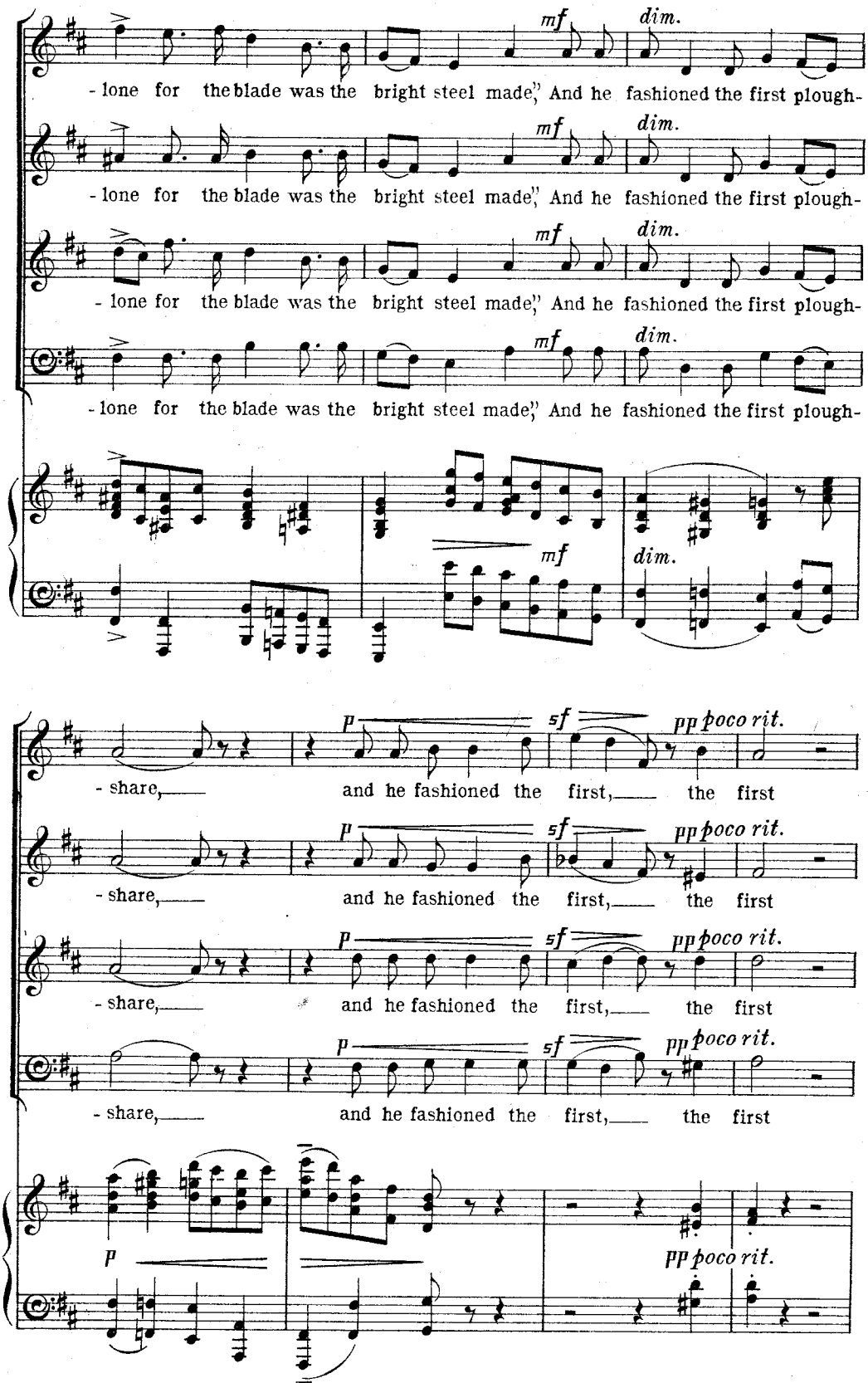
eye, And bared his strong right arm for work As the quick flames mounted


Maestoso.
ff
high.
And he sang, "Hurrah for my
Maestoso.
hand-i-work," And the red sparks lit the air "Not a-


- lone for the blade was the bright steel made," And he fashioned the first plough-
mf
dim.
- share, and he fashioned the first, the first
p
sf
pp poco rit.

Un poco più tranquillo, quasi Pastorale.

plough - share.

plough - share.

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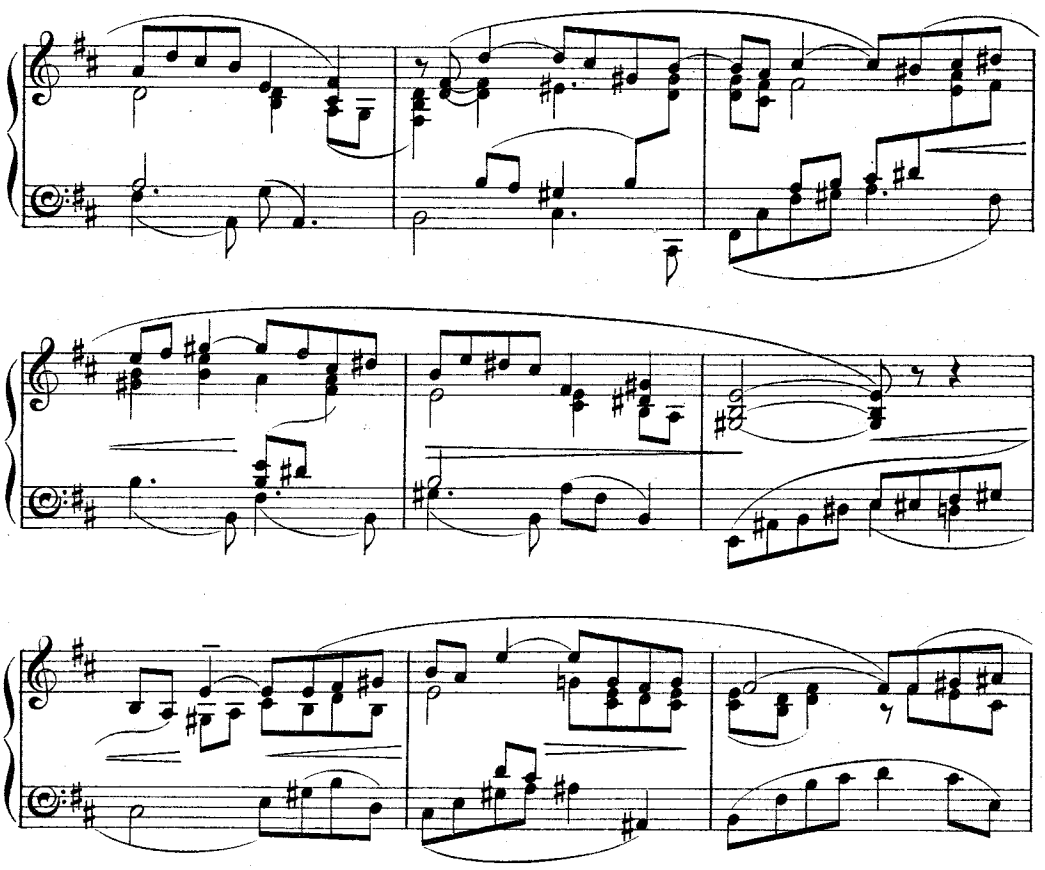
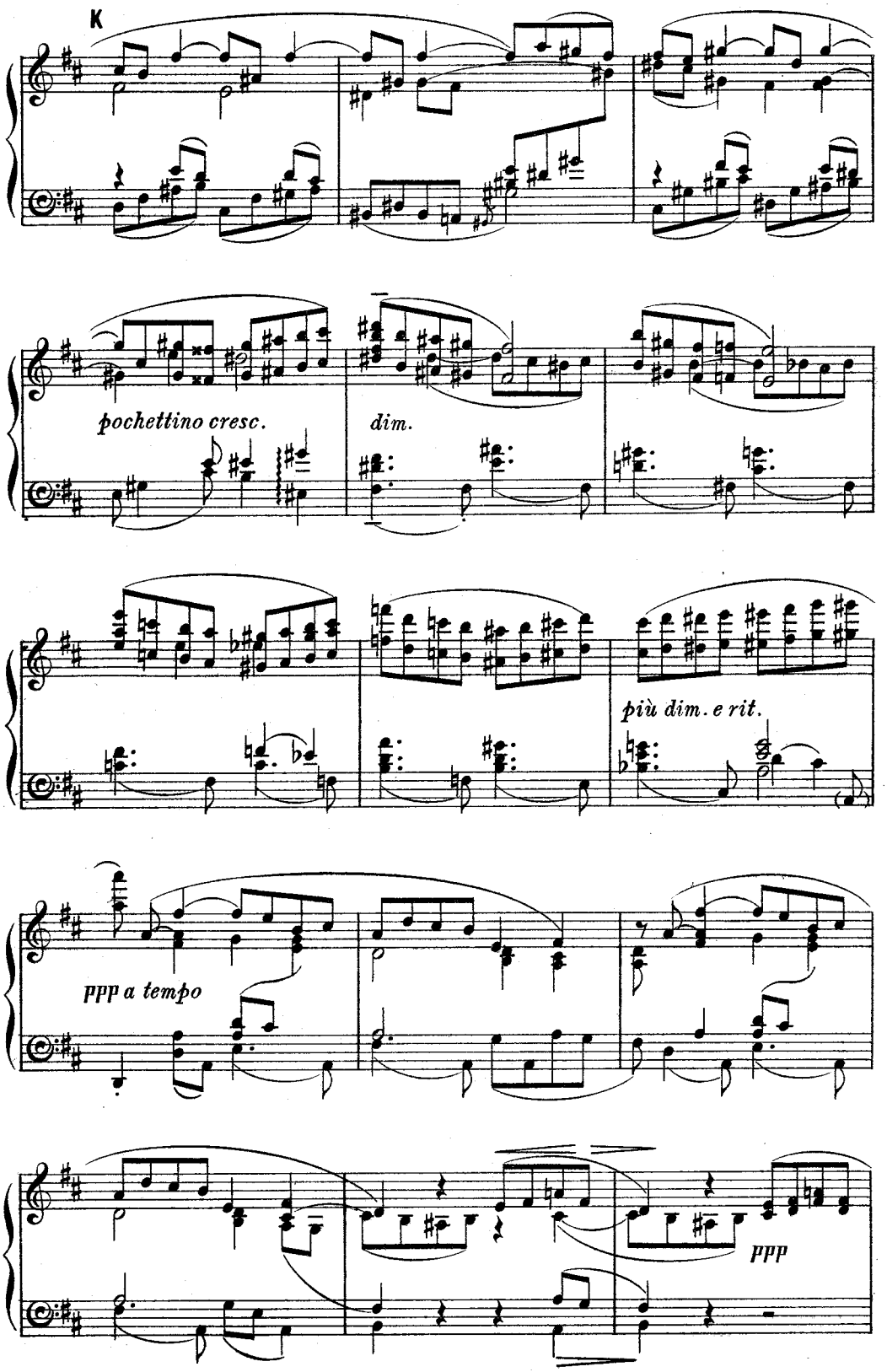
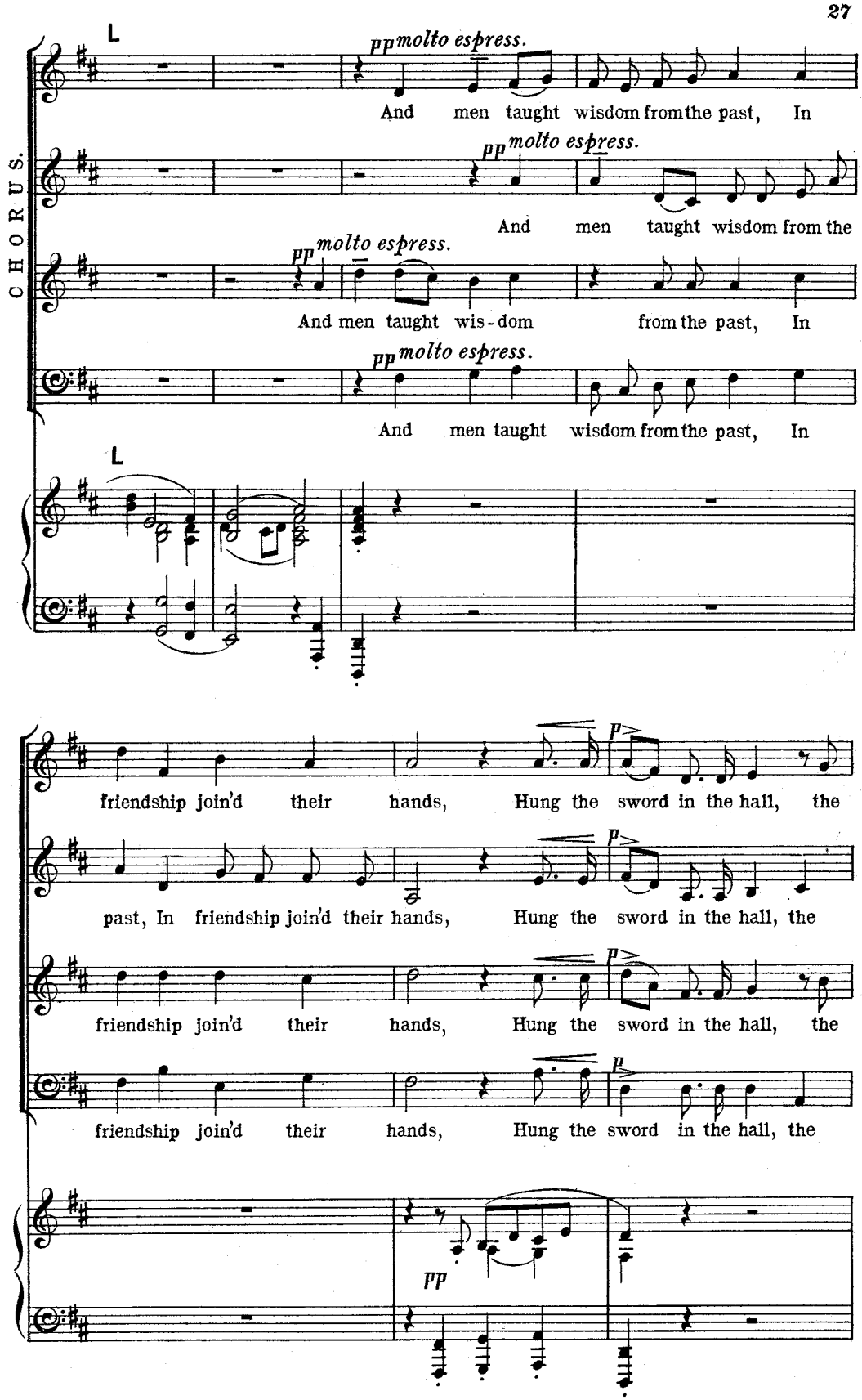
plough - share.

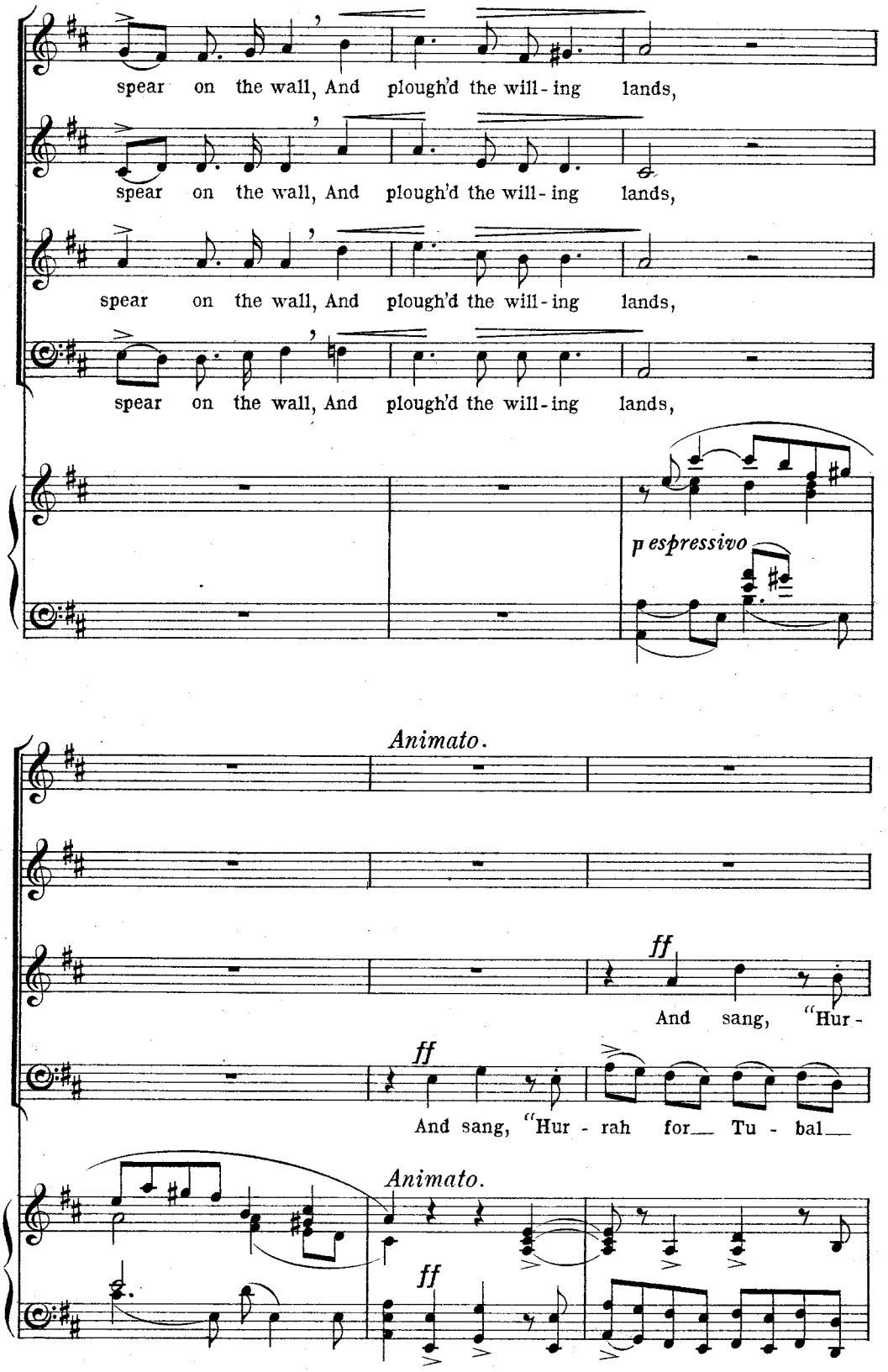
Un poco più tranquillo, quasi Pastorale.

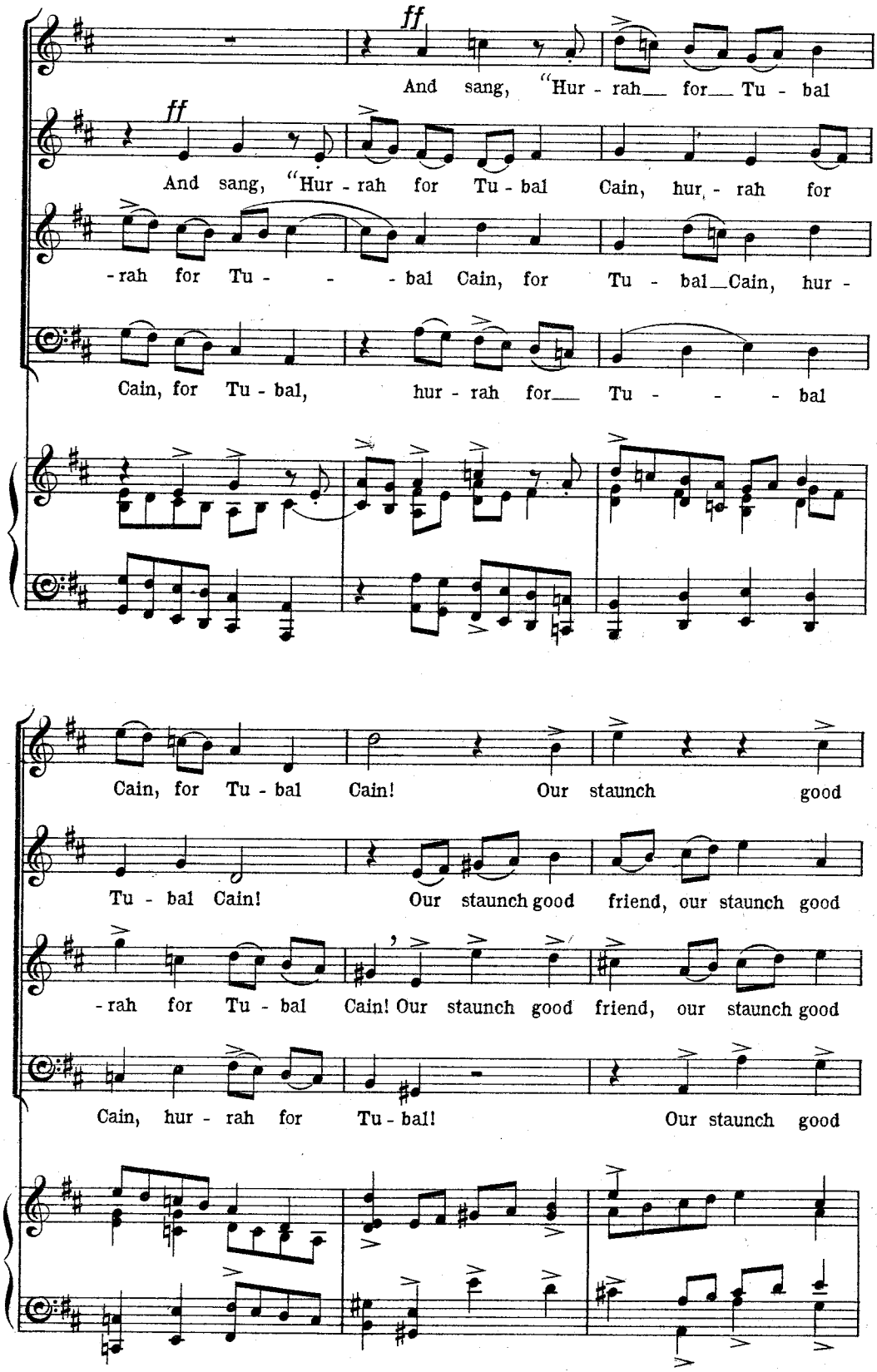
p dolce

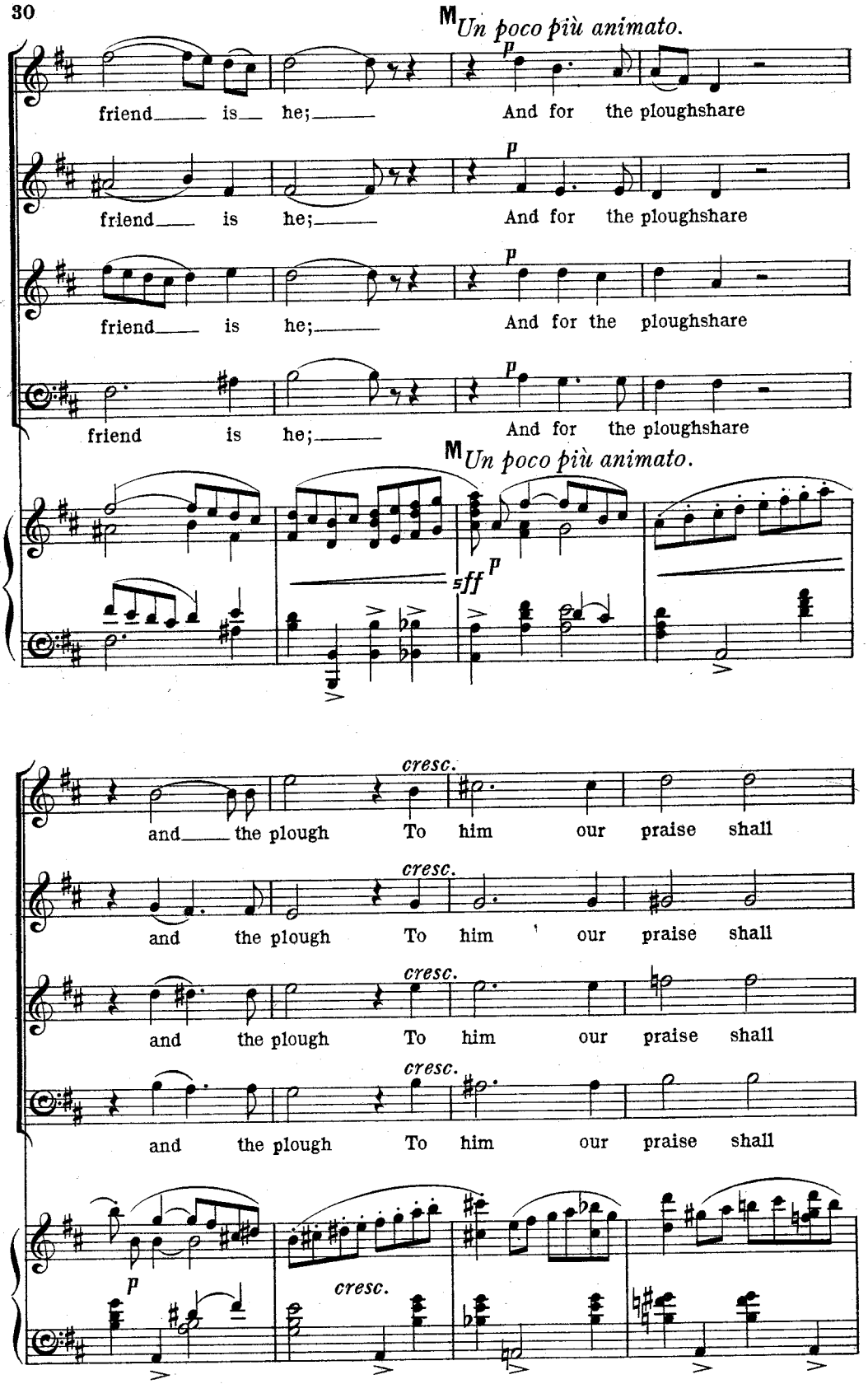


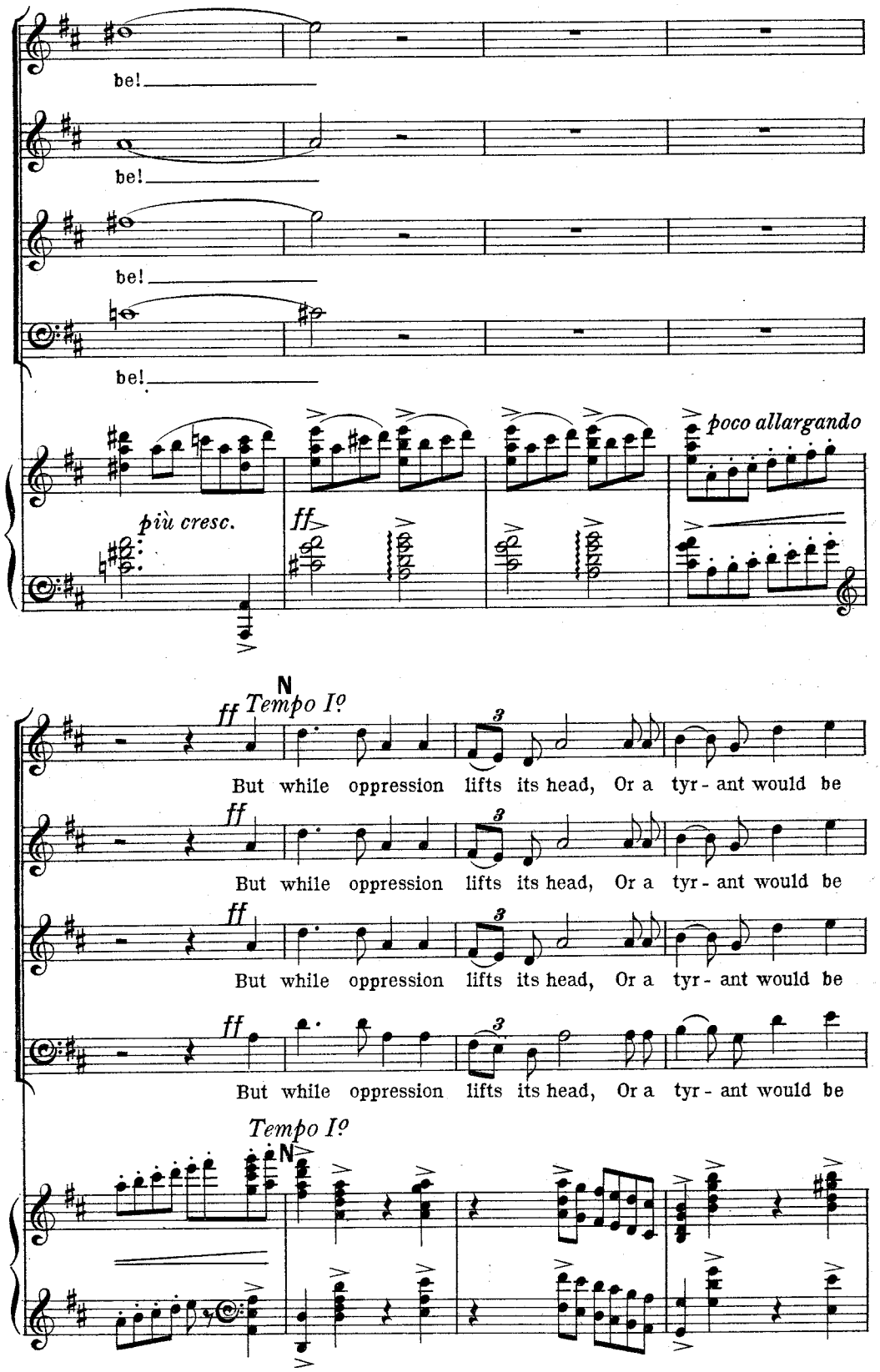

K
pochettino cresc.
dim.
più dim. e rit.
ppp a tempo
ppp

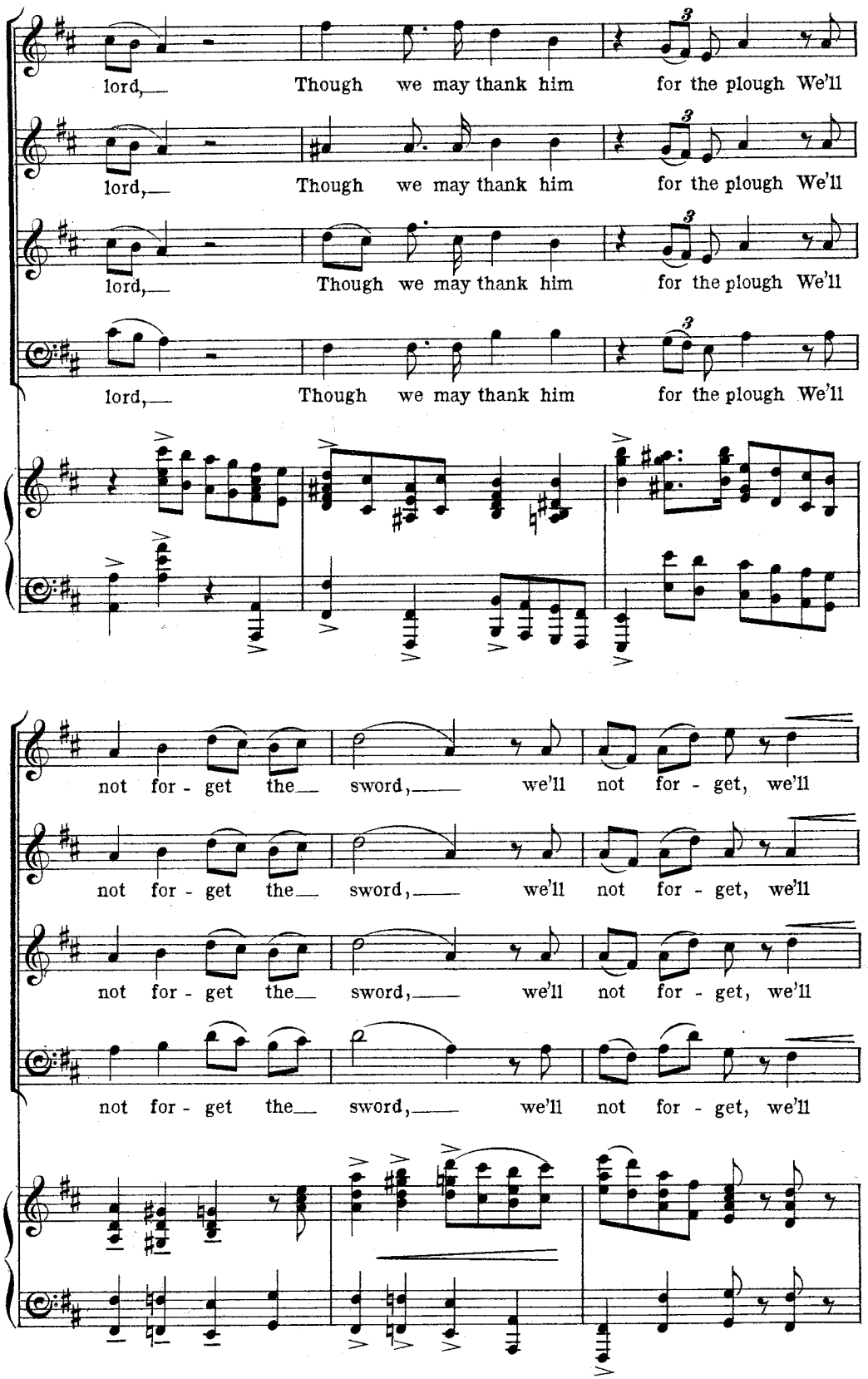

CHORUS.
L
pp molto espress.
And men taught wisdom from the past, In
pp molto espress.
And men taught wisdom from the
pp molto espress.
And men taught wis-dom from the past, In
pp molto espress.
And men taught wisdom from the past, In
L
friendship join'd their hands, Hung the sword in the hall, the
past, In friendship join'd their hands, Hung the sword in the hall, the
friendship join'd their hands, Hung the sword in the hall, the
friendship join'd their hands, Hung the sword in the hall, the
pp

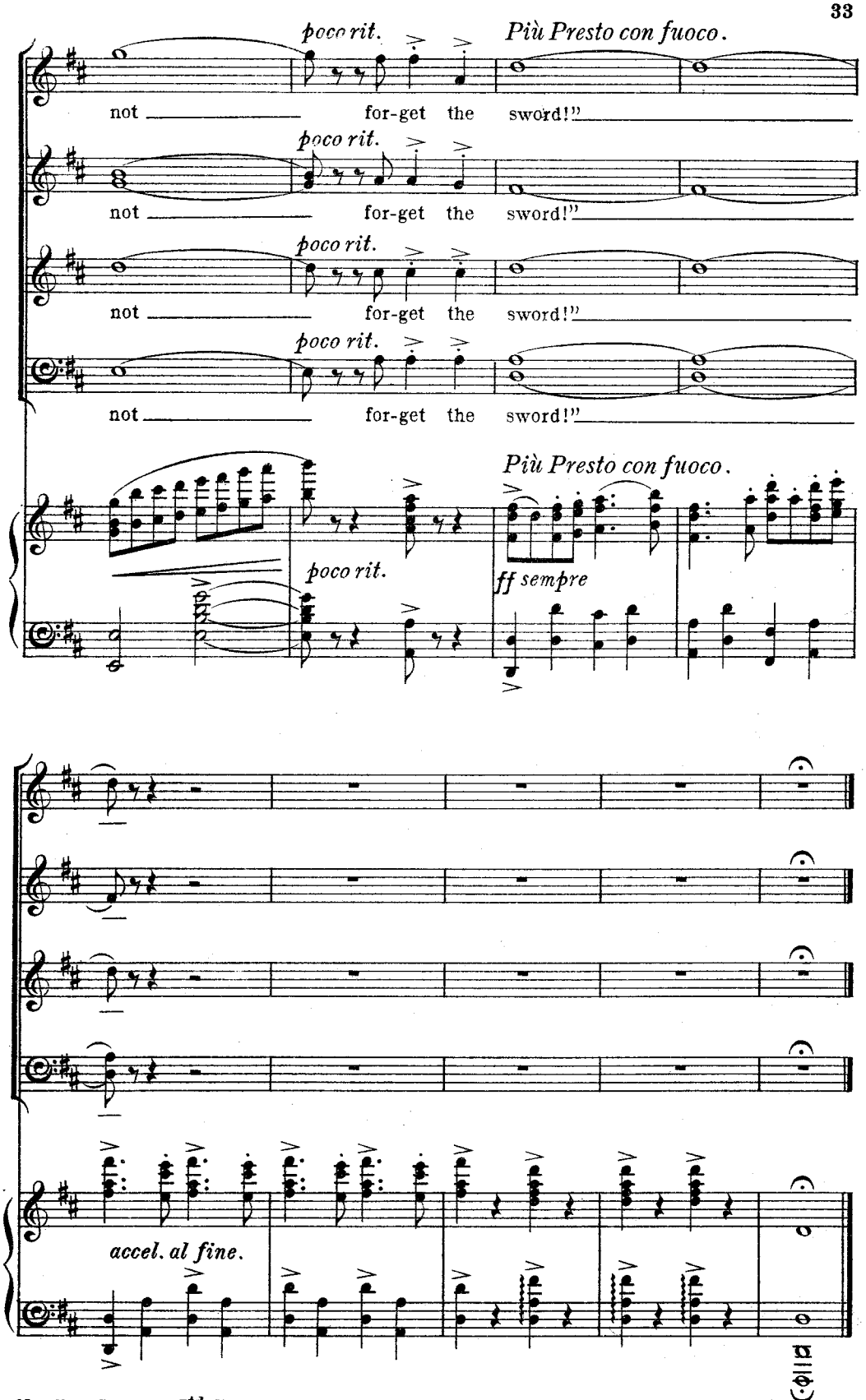

spear on the wall, And plough'd the will - ing lands,
spear on the wall, And plough'd the will - ing lands,
spear on the wall, And plough'd the will - ing lands,
spear on the wall, And plough'd the will - ing lands,
p espressivo
Animato.
ff
And sang, "Hur -
ff
And sang, "Hur - rah for Tu - bal
Animato.
ff


ff
And sang, "Hur - rah for Tu - bal
ff
And sang, "Hur - rah for Tu - bal Cain, hur - rah for
-rah for Tu - - - bal Cain, for Tu - bal Cain, hur -
Cain, for Tu - bal, hur - rah for Tu - - - bal
Cain, for Tu - bal Cain! Our staunch good
Tu - bal Cain! Our staunch good friend, our staunch good
-rah for Tu - bal Cain! Our staunch good friend, our staunch good
Cain, hur - rah for Tu - bal! Our staunch good


M Un poco più animato.
p
friend is he; And for the ploughshare
friend is he; And for the ploughshare
friend is he; And for the ploughshare
friend is he; And for the ploughshare
M Un poco più animato.
5ff p
cresc.
and the plough To him our praise shall
and the plough To him our praise shall
and the plough To him our praise shall
and the plough To him our praise shall
p
cresc.


be!
be!
be!
be!
più cresc.
ff
poco allargando
N
ff Tempo Iº
But while oppression lifts its head, Or a tyr - ant would be
But while oppression lifts its head, Or a tyr - ant would be
But while oppression lifts its head, Or a tyr - ant would be
But while oppression lifts its head, Or a tyr - ant would be
Tempo Iº
N


lord, Though we may thank him for the plough We'll
lord, Though we may thank him for the plough We'll
lord, Though we may thank him for the plough We'll
lord, Though we may thank him for the plough We'll
not for - get the sword, we'll not for - get, we'll
not for - get the sword, we'll not for - get, we'll
not for - get the sword, we'll not for - get, we'll
not for - get the sword, we'll not for - get, we'll



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