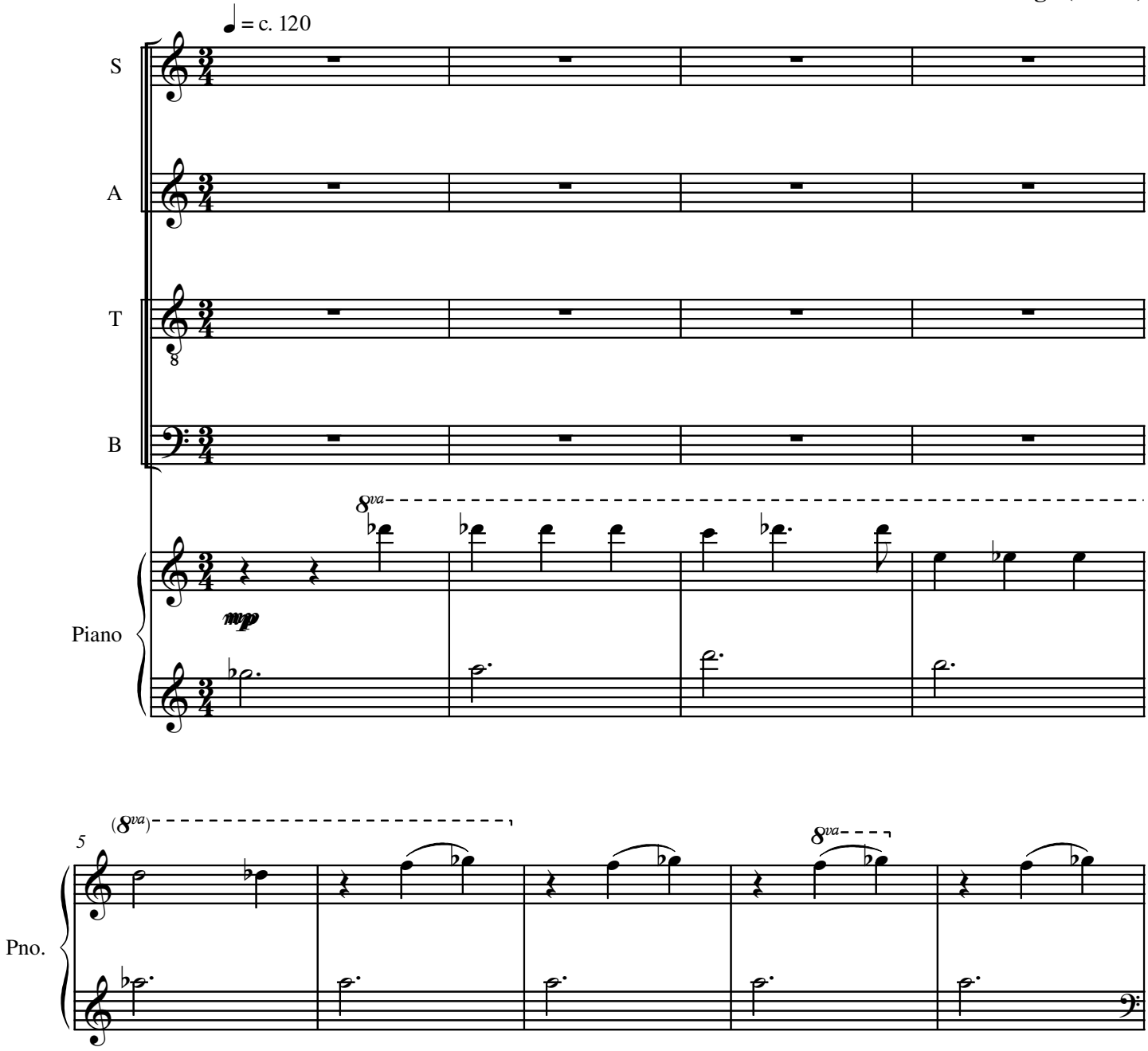
4 Romantic Poems

4. THE DAYLIGHT IS DYING

Text: A. B. Banjo Paterson (1864-1941)

Mixed choir and piano

Huub de Lange (*1955)



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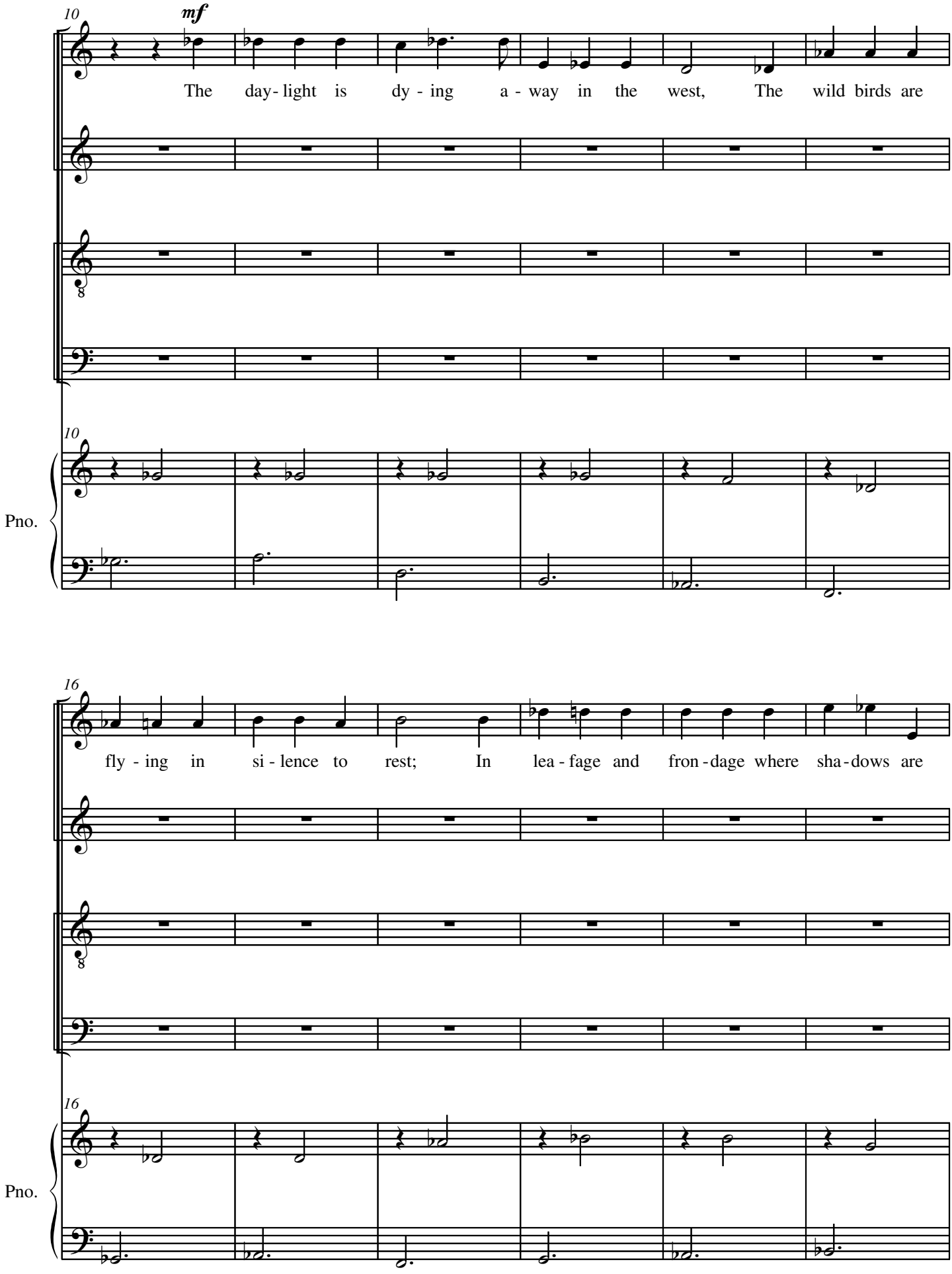
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mf
The day- light is dy - ing a - way in the west, The wild birds are
Pno.
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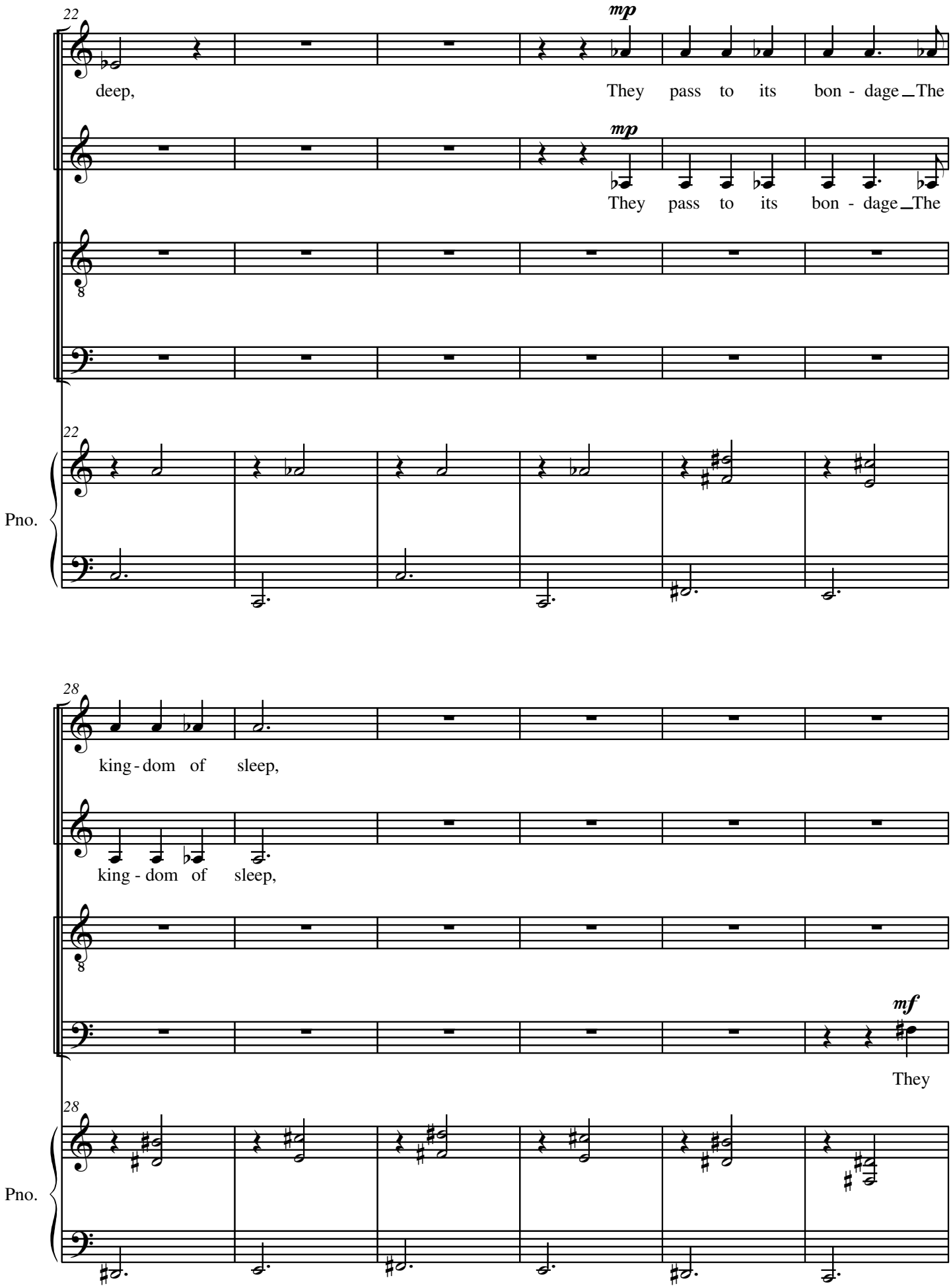
fly - ing in si - lence to rest; In lea - fage and fron - dage where sha - dows are
Pno.


22
mp
deep,
They pass to its bon - dage The
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They pass to its bon - dage The
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28
king - dom of sleep,
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They
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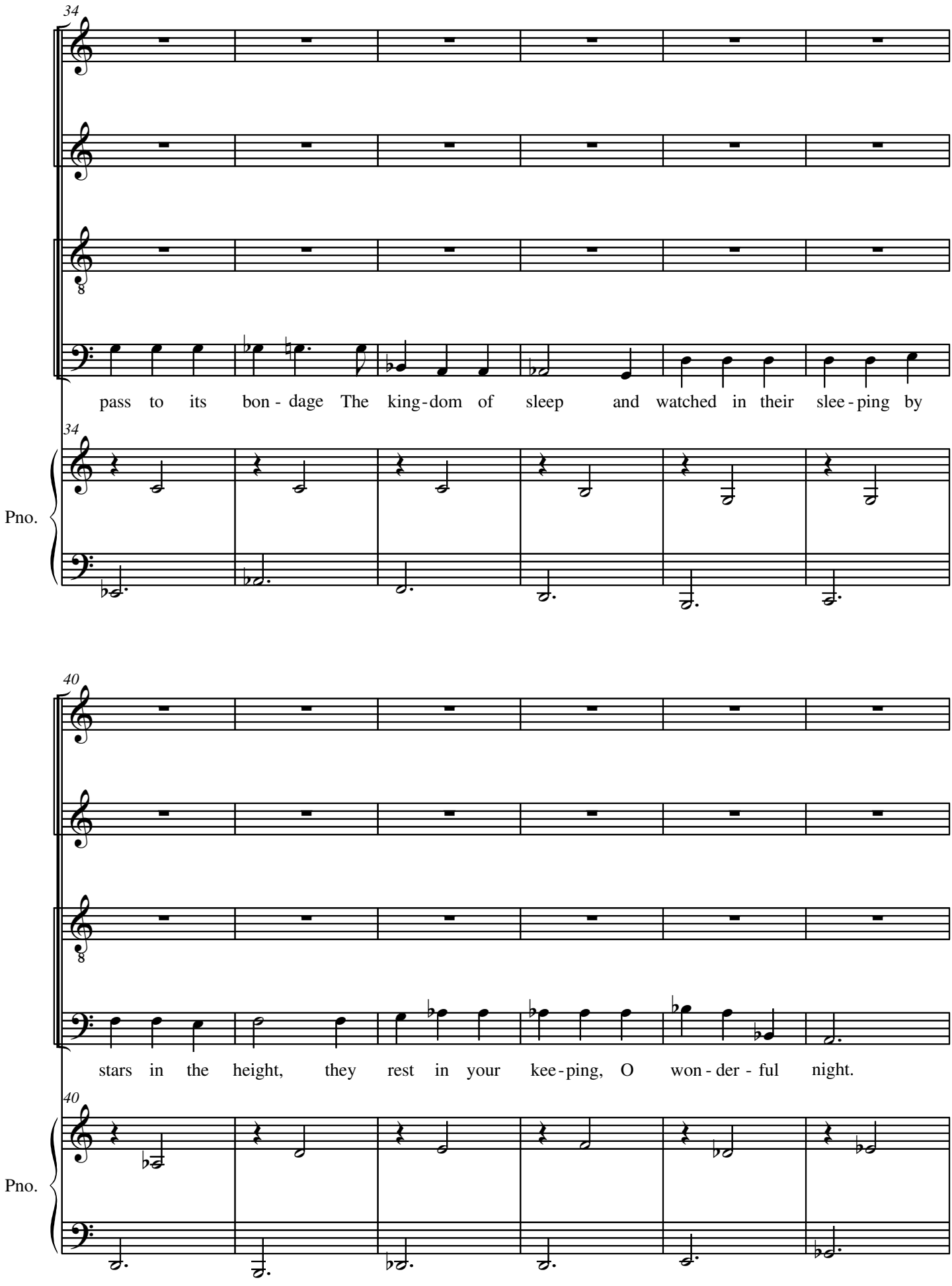
Pno.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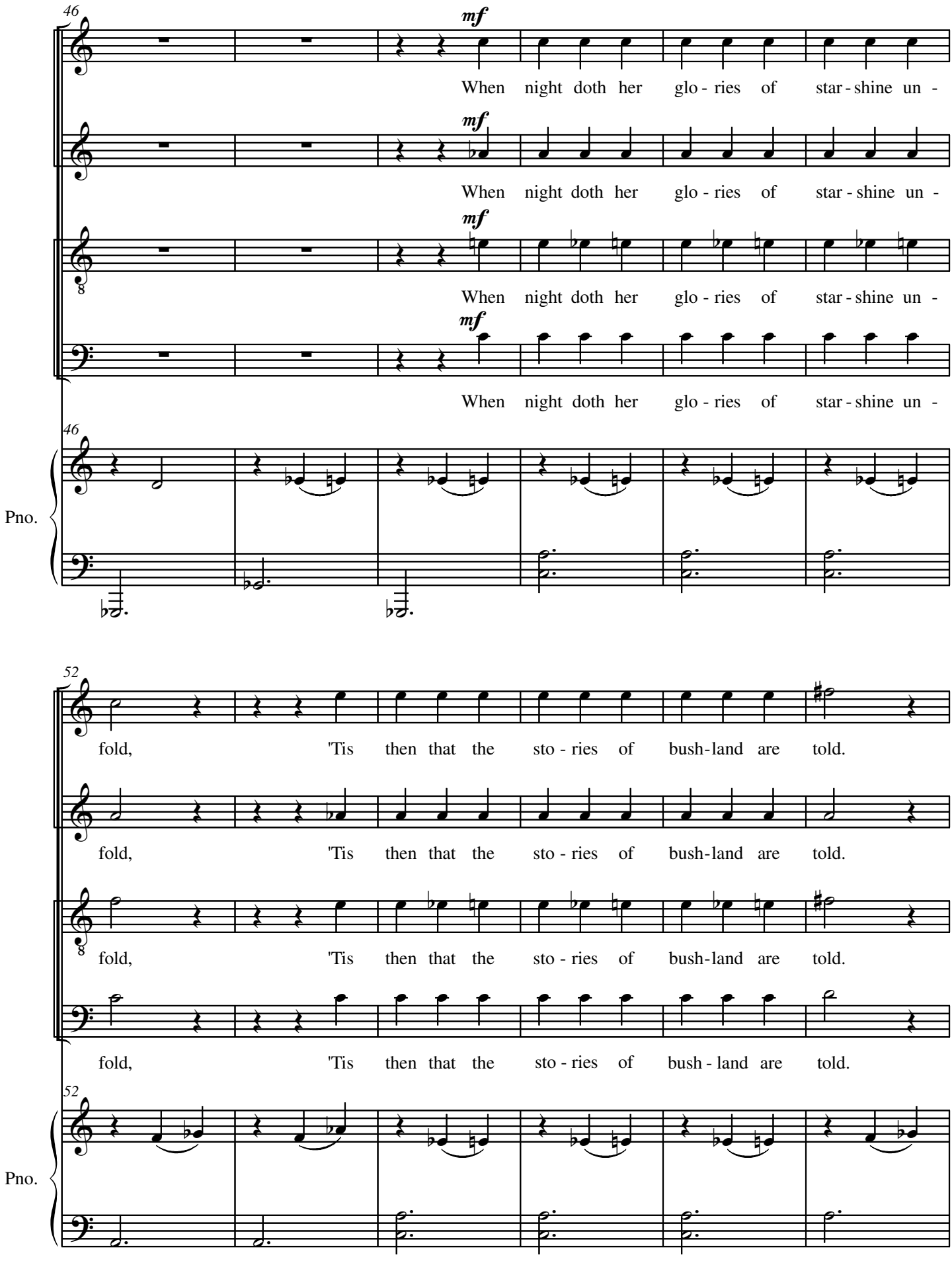
pass to its bon - dage The king - dom of sleep and watched in their slee - ping by
Pno.
40
stars in the height, they rest in your kee - ping, O won - der - ful night.
Pno.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mf
When night doth her glo - ries of star - shine un -
When night doth her glo - ries of star - shine un -
When night doth her glo - ries of star - shine un -
When night doth her glo - ries of star - shine un -
Pno.
52
fold, 'Tis then that the sto - ries of bush-land are told.
fold, 'Tis then that the sto - ries of bush-land are told.
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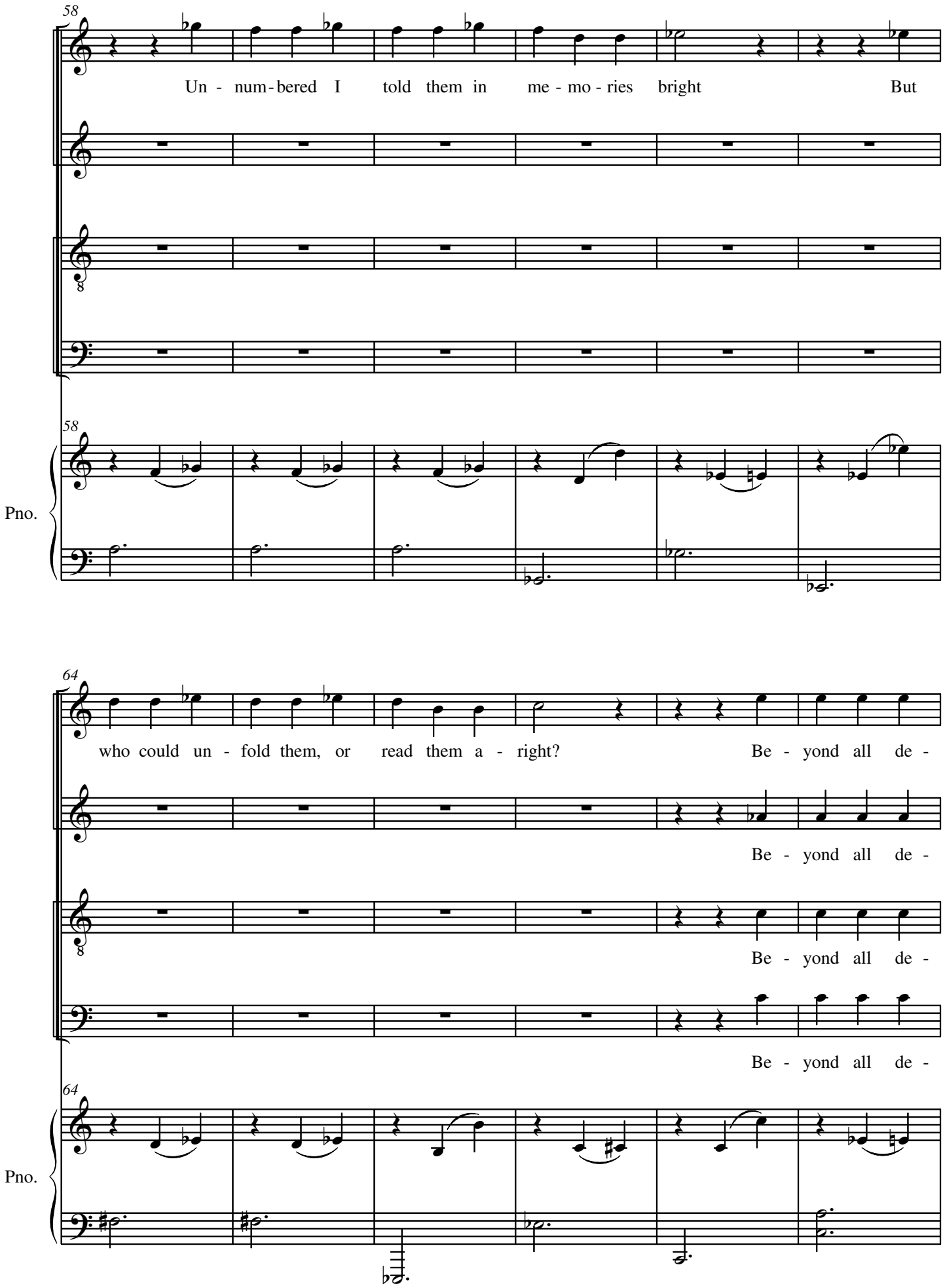
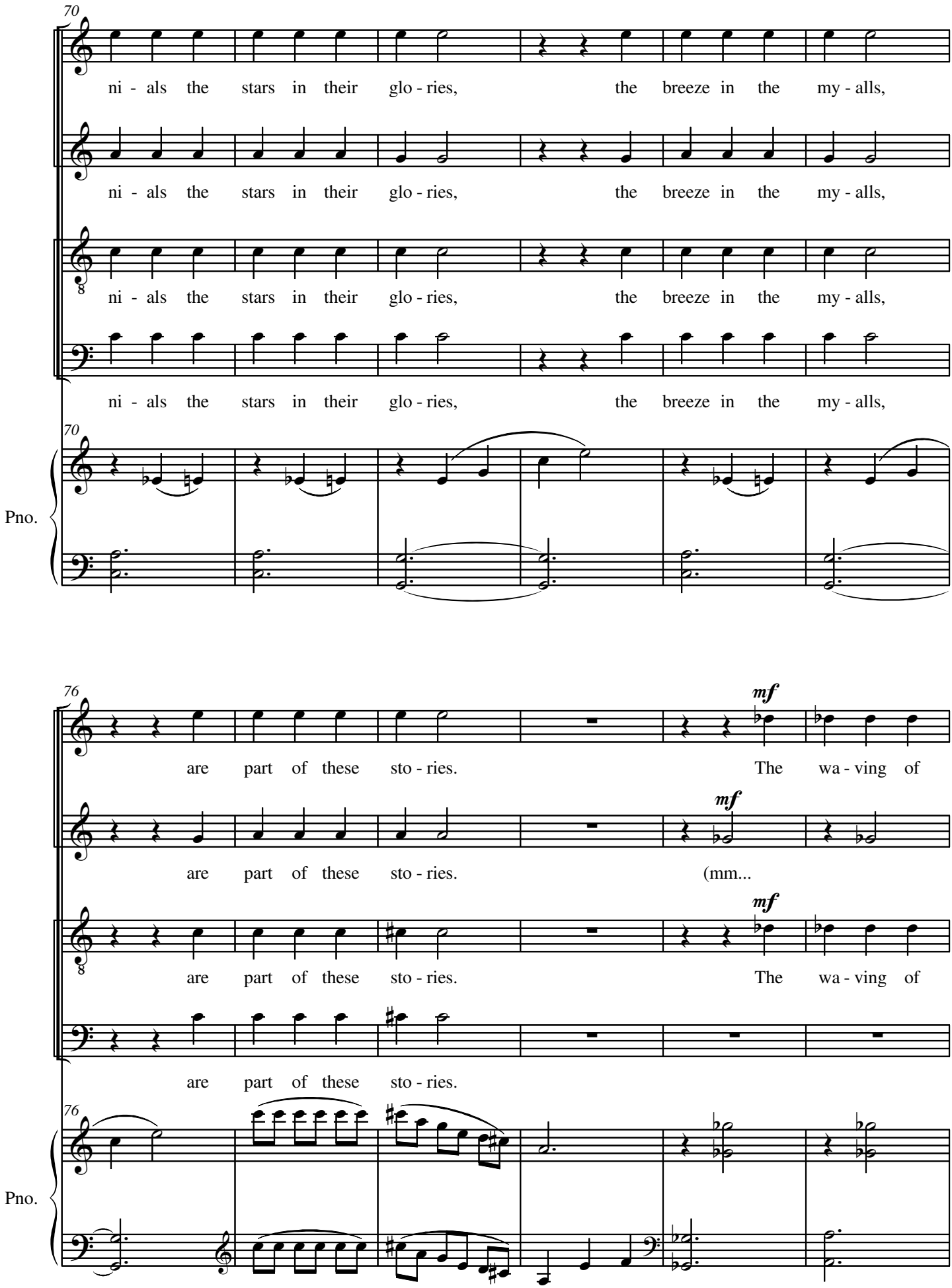
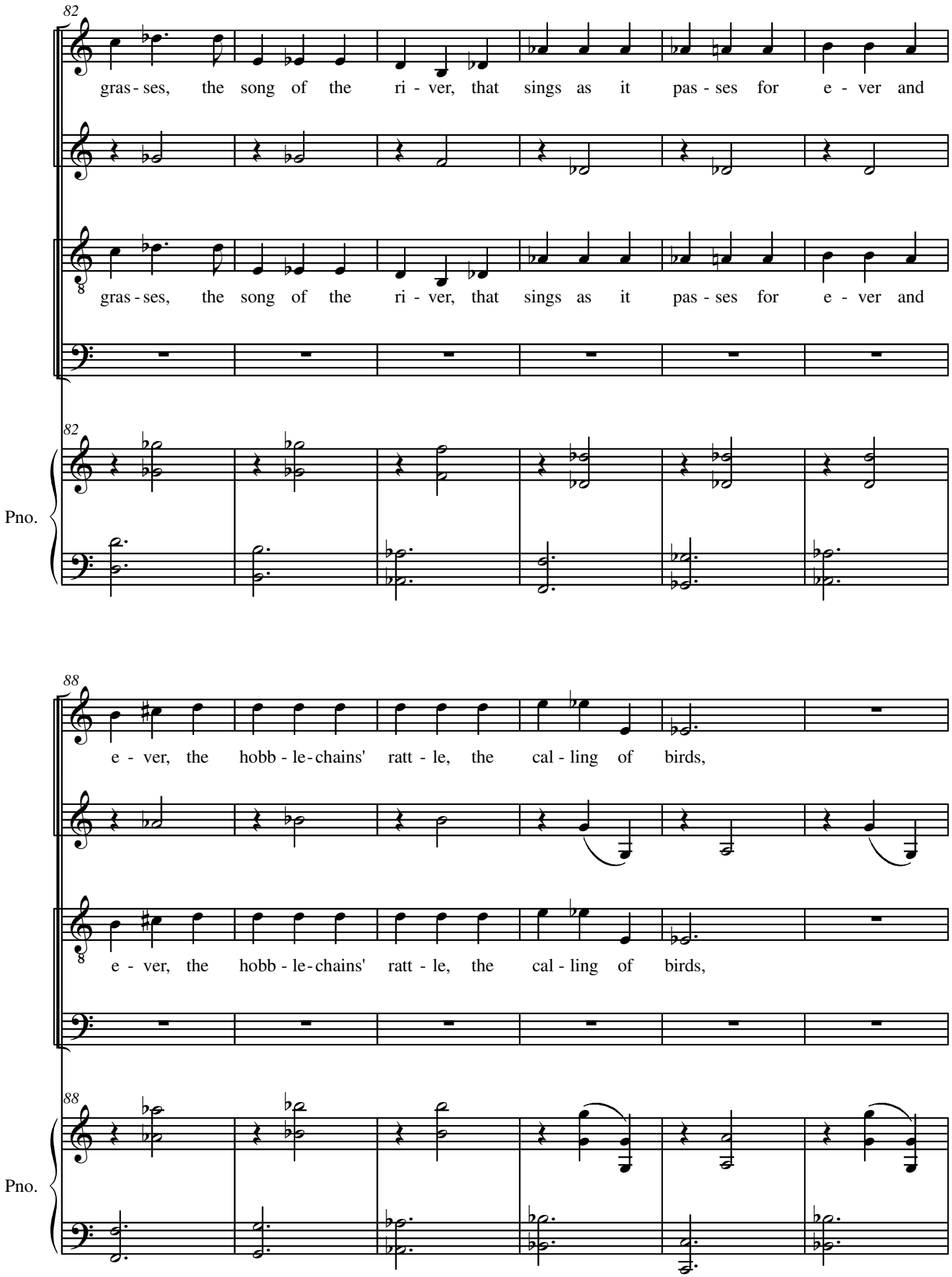

58
Un - num-bered I told them in me - mo - ries bright But
58
Pno.
64
who could un - fold them, or read them a - right? Be - yond all de -
Be - yond all de -
Be - yond all de -
Be - yond all de -
64
Pno.


70
ni - als the stars in their glo - ries, the breeze in the my - alls,
ni - als the stars in their glo - ries, the breeze in the my - alls,
ni - als the stars in their glo - ries, the breeze in the my - alls,
ni - als the stars in their glo - ries, the breeze in the my - alls,
Pno.
76
mf
are part of these sto - ries. The wa - ving of
mf
are part of these sto - ries. (mm...
mf
are part of these sto - ries. The wa - ving of
are part of these sto - ries.
Pno.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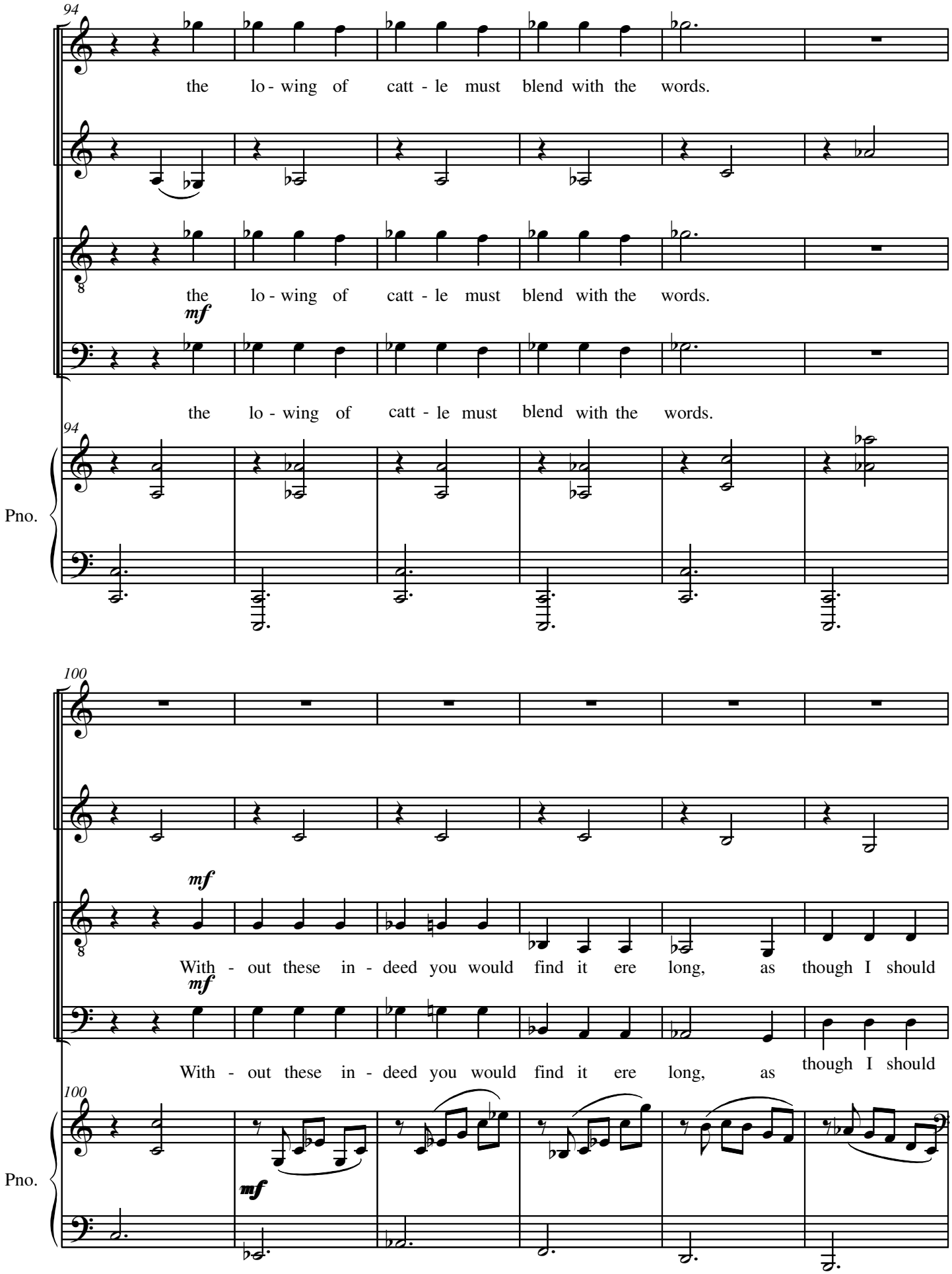
gras - ses, the song of the ri - ver, that sings as it pas - ses for e - ver and
gras - ses, the song of the ri - ver, that sings as it pas - ses for e - ver and
Pno.
88
e - ver, the hobb - le - chains' ratt - le, the cal - ling of birds,
e - ver, the hobb - le - chains' ratt - le, the cal - ling of birds,
Pno.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the lo - wing of catt - le must blend with the words.
the lo - wing of catt - le must blend with the words.
mf
the lo - wing of catt - le must blend with the words.
94
Pno.
100
mf
With - out these in - deed you would find it ere long, as though I should
mf
With - out these in - deed you would find it ere long, as though I should
100
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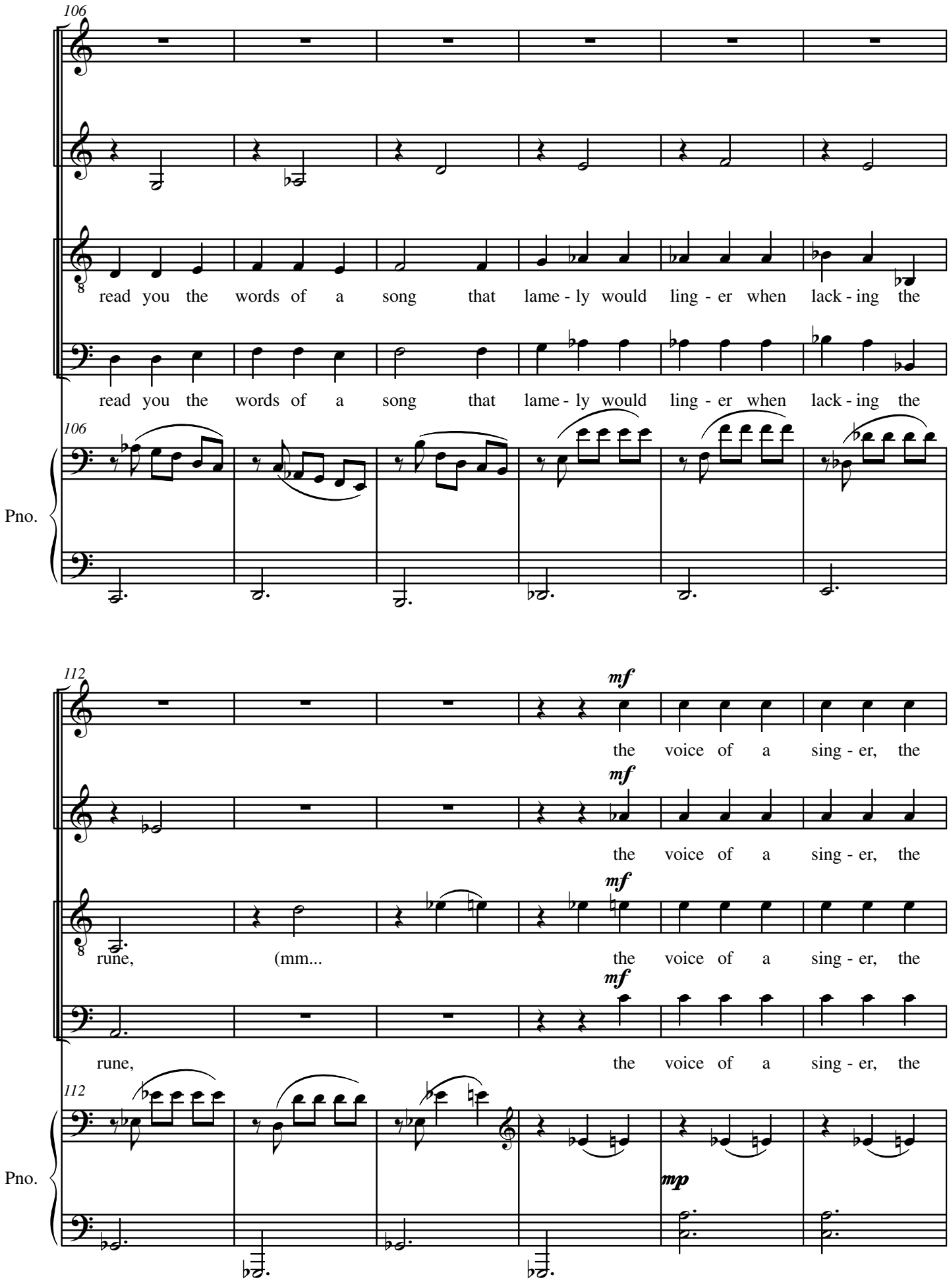
mf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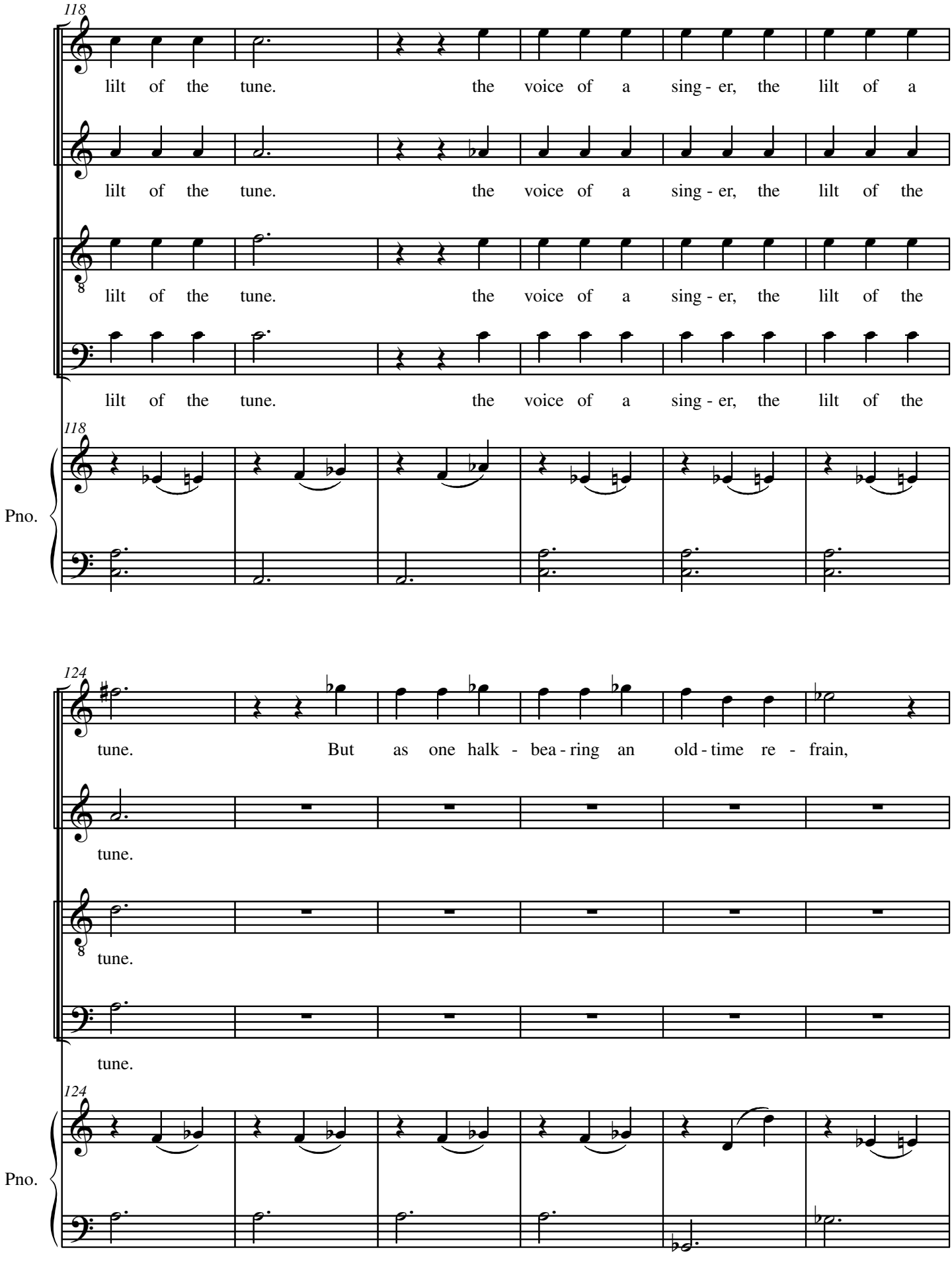
read you the words of a song that lame - ly would ling - er when lack - ing the
read you the words of a song that lame - ly would ling - er when lack - ing the
Pno.
112
mf
the voice of a sing - er, the
mf
the voice of a sing - er, the
mf
rune, (mm... the voice of a sing - er, the
mf
rune, the voice of a sing - er, the
Pno.
mp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lilt of the tune. the voice of a sing - er, the lilt of a
lilt of the tune. the voice of a sing - er, the lilt of the
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lilt of the tune. the voice of a sing - er, the lilt of the
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tune. But as one halk - bea - ring an old - time re - frain,
tune.
tune.
tune.
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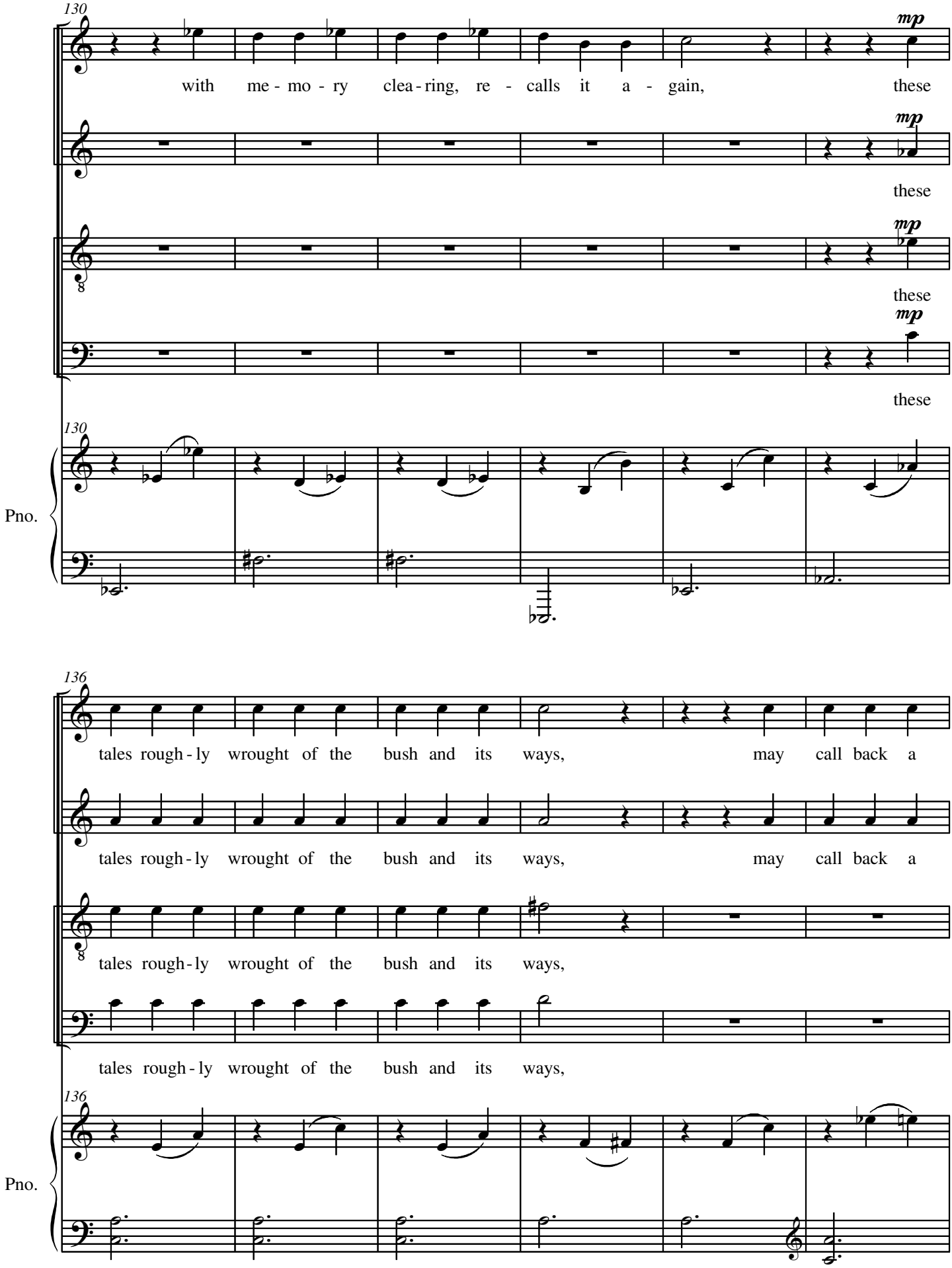
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with me - mo - ry clea - ring, re - calls it a - gain, these
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tales rough - ly wrought of the bush and its ways, may call back a
tales rough - ly wrought of the bush and its ways,
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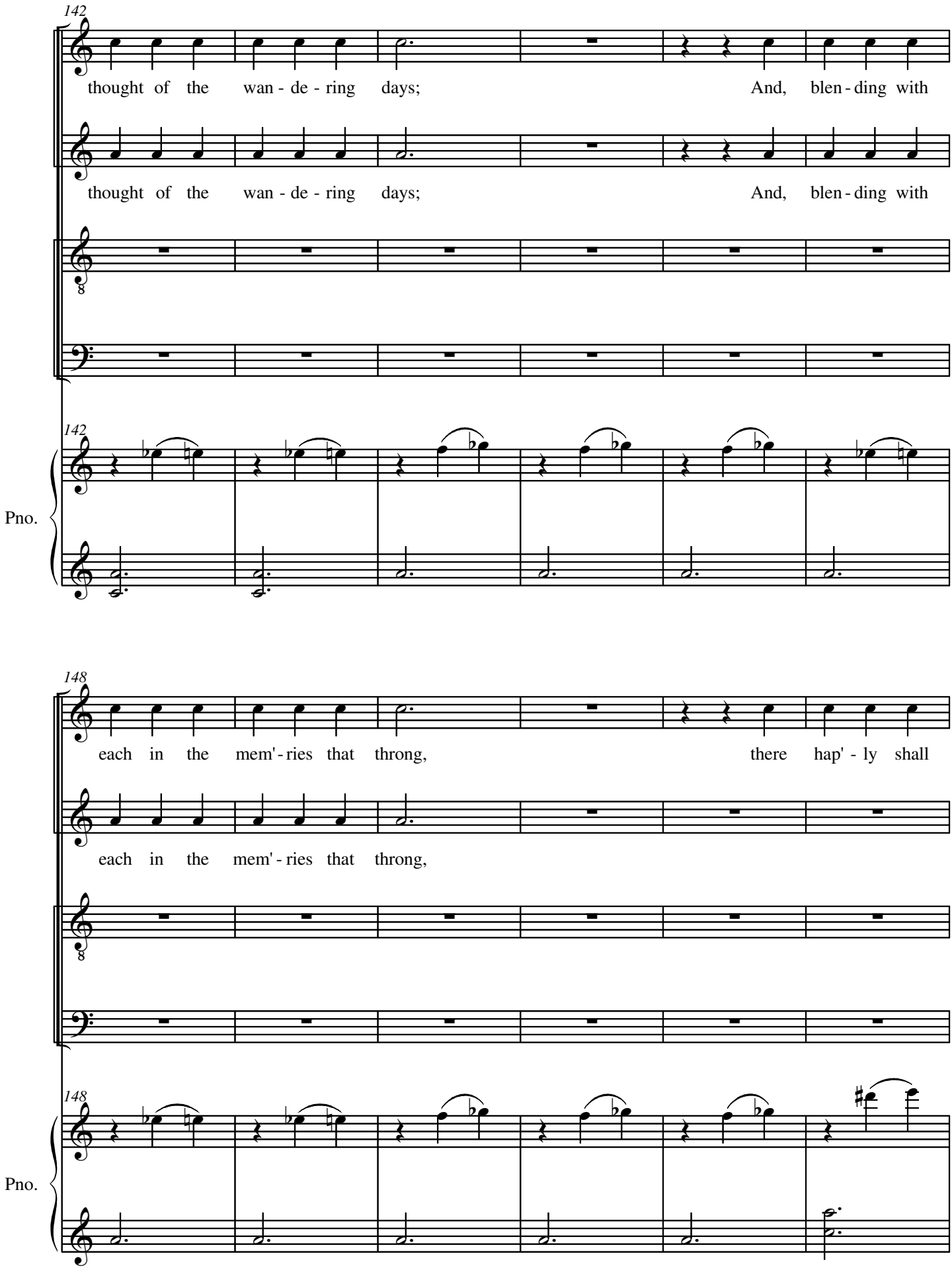
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thought of the wan - de - ring days; And, blen - ding with
thought of the wan - de - ring days; And, blen - ding with
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each in the mem' - ries that throng, there hap' - ly shall
each in the mem' - ries that throng,
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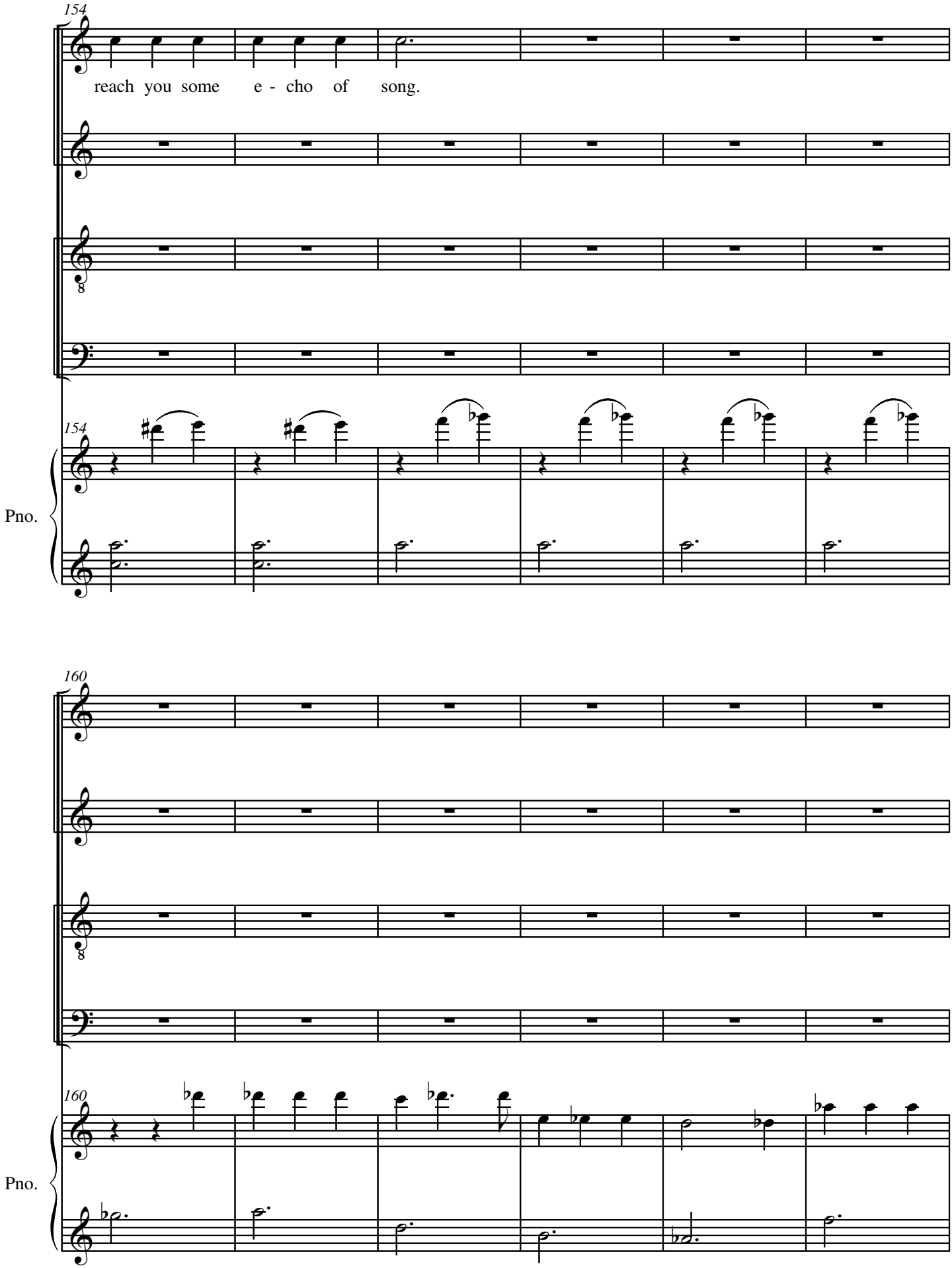
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reach you some e - cho of song.
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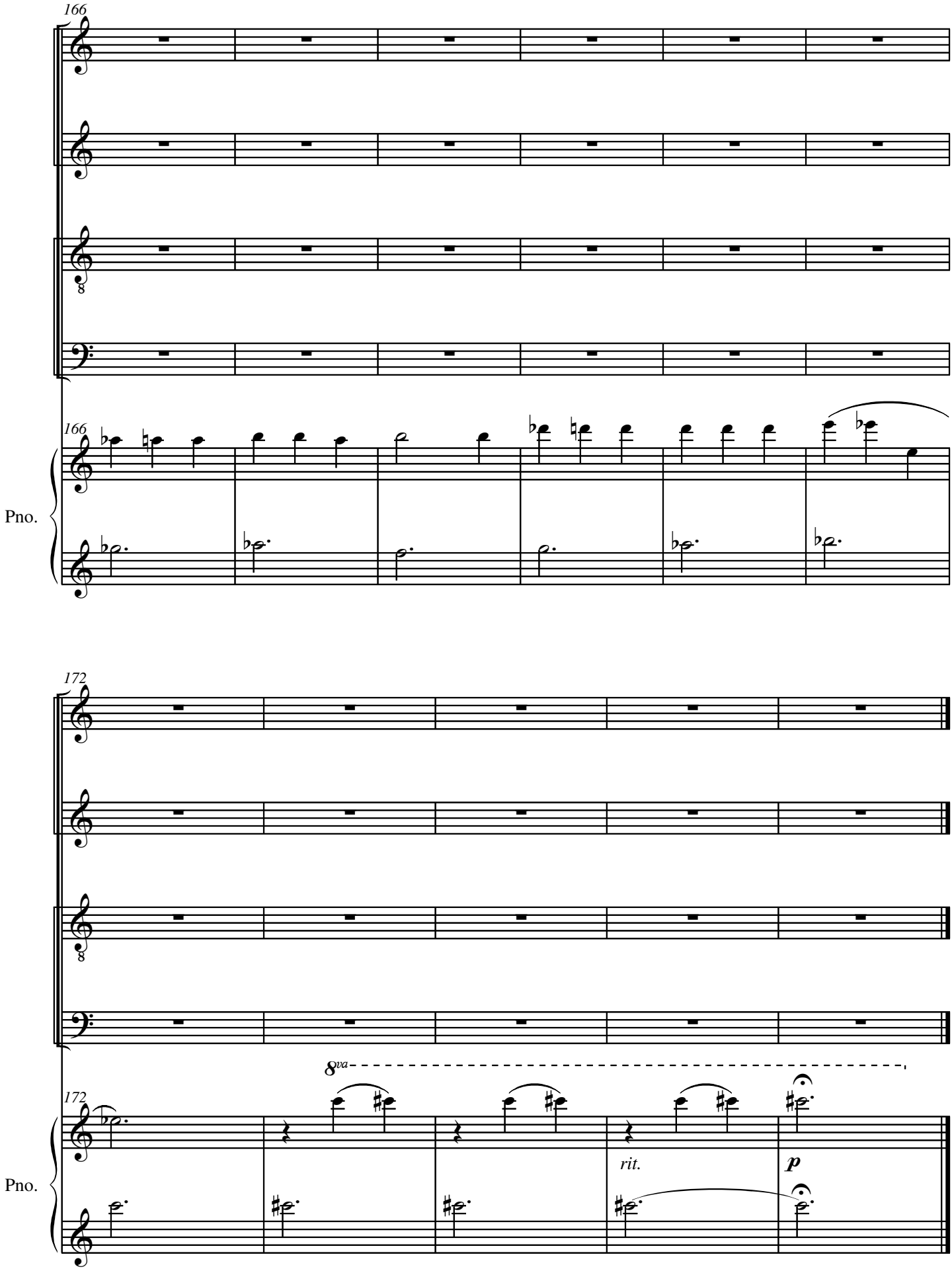
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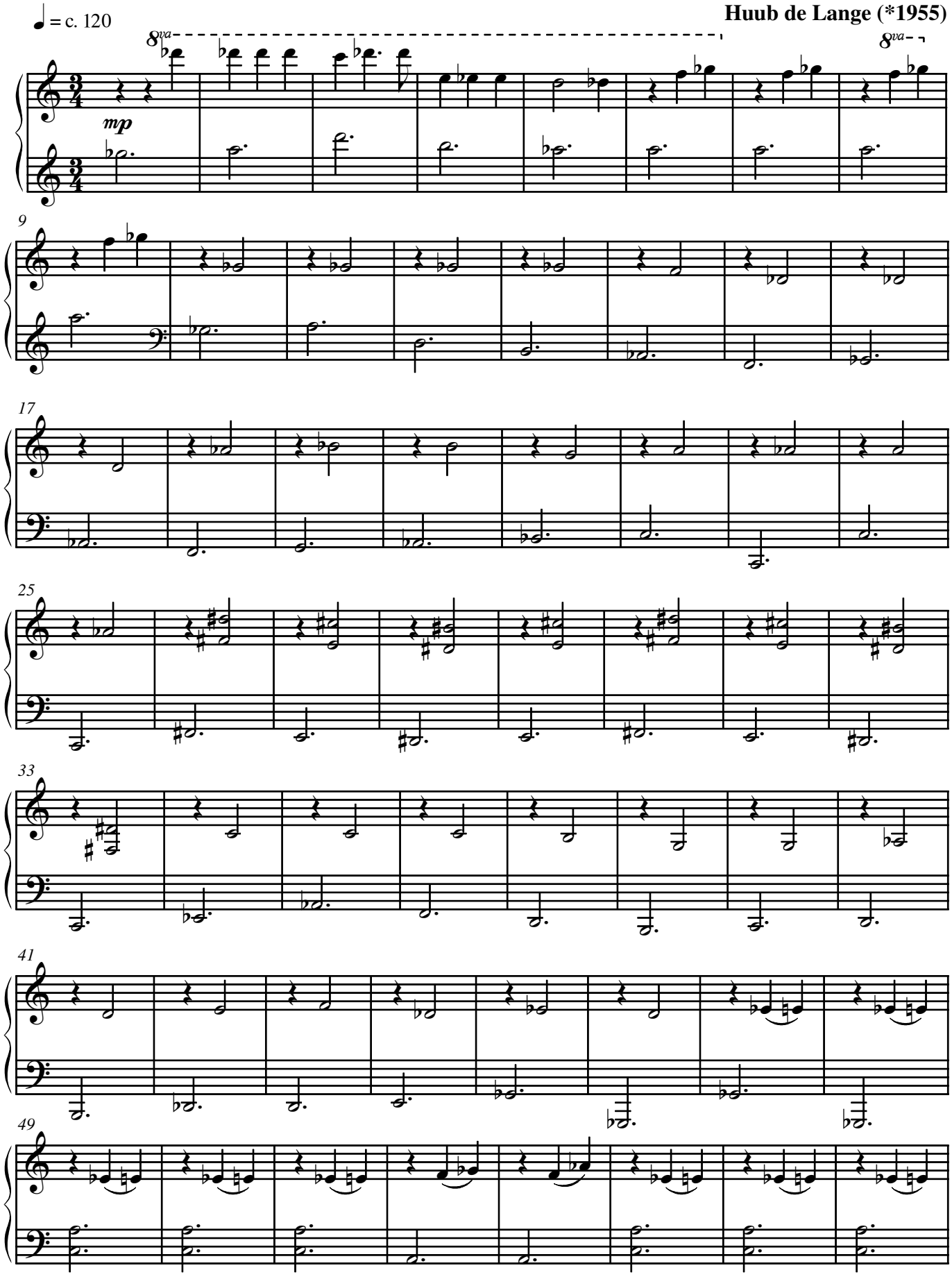

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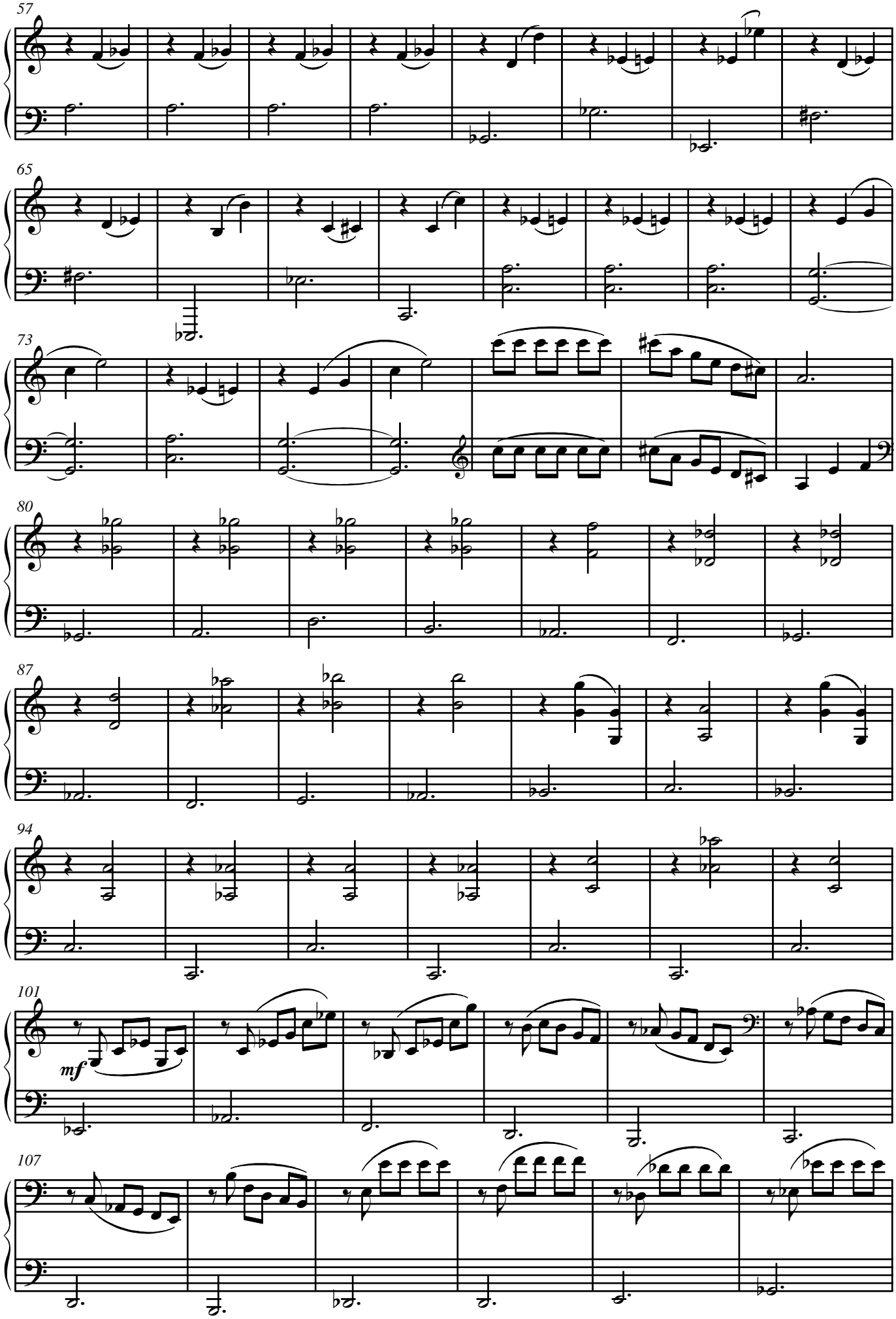
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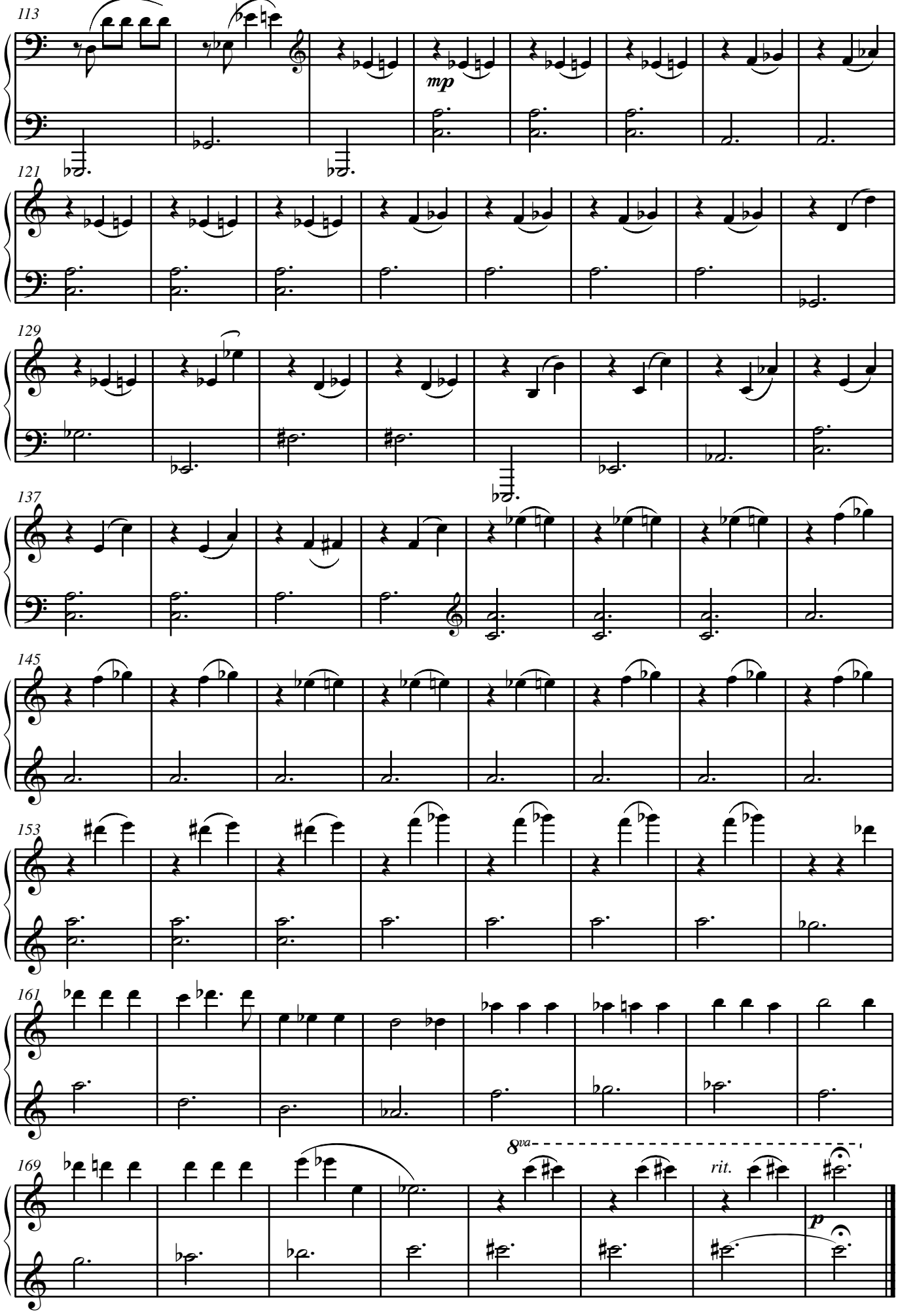
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