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THE TIMES.

The whole monologue is an extraordinary exhibition of sustained power and effect, such as very few composers of any period have surpassed. . . . The various instances of God's omnipotence are treated with consummate skill, and a fine climax is reached at the words "Then shall God also confess that thine own right hand hath saved thee," which are set to a passage of broad seven-part writing, without accompaniment. . . . The impression produced by the work was very great, and it must be said deliberately that recent years have not seen a composition more free from flaw or weak point of any kind.

DAILY TELEGRAPH.

Dr. Parry's music is of the sort which cannot readily be dealt with by a critic who would do it justice. In its general character, in its details, and in special peculiarities, it calls not for a hurried, but for a leisurely survey. The reason is that our brilliant English composer—perhaps the foremost musical man in these islands—never brings forward a new work which can be labelled as belonging to such-and-such a category and then put on its proper shelf with a few common-place words. Whatever Dr. Parry does has a stamp of its own, and the stamp, I do not hesitate to say, is that of genius—that of a man who thinks for himself and has thoughts which, unlike many others, it is worth while to express. . . . It made to-day a profound impression upon an audience which included a host of musicians drawn from all parts by the reputation of our "English Bach."

STANDARD.

To describe the numberless changes of time, rhythm, and manner would be impossible, the music sometimes rising almost to fury, and then quieting down with sobbing accents as the mood of the afflicted Patriarch changes. Mention, however, must be made of an exquisite melody in D flat, given out by the violoncellos, and supported by the trombones *pianissimo*, at the words "Man that is born of woman." This is truly a bit of inspiration, such as only comes at rare intervals even to a gifted composer. . . . That "Job" will materially add to the composer's growing reputation may be said with confidence; it is an honour to English art, lofty in conception, and masterly in execution.

MORNING POST.

His setting of the beautiful lines "Man that is born of a woman is of few days," to quote only one instance, is a marvel both of beauty and appropriateness. The succeeding scene, in which the answer of God from the whirlwind is set for the full chorus, is also portentous in length, but in this the picturesqueness and variety of the words have helped the composer immensely. They would indeed inspire any musician, and in Dr. Parry's hands they form the text of the most remarkable piece of writing that he has

yet given us. It is impossible within the limits of a brief and hurried notice to do justice to this astonishing chorus. The general verdict will no doubt declare "Job" to be Dr. Parry's masterpiece.

DAILY CHRONICLE.

It literally teems with beautiful phrases—in fact, the possession by Dr. Parry of the inestimable gift of melody has, I am inclined to think, never been so evident as in the verses commencing "Why died I not?" and "Man that is born of woman." . . . From whatever point of view it may be criticised, "Job" is thoroughly worthy the composer of the stupendous "De Profundis."

THE GUARDIAN.

As for the music, it is worthy at all points of the composer of the "De Profundis." . . . The ballad in the second scene is preluded by a charming solo for clarinet, and breathes throughout a spirit of exquisite freshness and simplicity. . . . One of the most effective passages in the work is the interview between the messenger and Job, which Dr. Parry has set to music of the rarest tenderness. . . . *Satan's* invocation of the winds is a brilliant declamatory solo, admirably orchestrated; but an even higher level is reached in the noble chorus that concludes the second scene, "See the clouds that sweep o'er the heavens." . . . Those wonderful "lamentations," in which the speaker sounds the very depths of heroic despair, have inspired the composer with a chain of musical phrases invariably dignified and at times rising to heights of real tragic grandeur and lofty ecstasy. . . . Very powerful and impressive again is the long chorus in the last scene, in which the unflinching picturesqueness and variety of the orchestration shows a decided advance on any of Dr. Parry's previous works. The great sombre chords which follow the words "The waters are hid as with a stone, and the face of the deep is frozen," are a veritable inspiration, while the passage, "Hast thou given the horse strength?" is treated with intrepid and irresistible vigour.

THE ATHENÆUM.

It opens with a theme of striking grandeur, fully scored for orchestra and organ. . . . The work of destruction is described in two wonderfully energetic and descriptive choruses, separated by an equally vigorous air for *Satan*. . . . The "lamentation" is not only one of the longest declamatory solos in existence, but also one of the finest. . . . An episode in D flat commands special attention by reason of its wonderful melodic beauty and expressiveness, and there are many other points from which admiration cannot be withheld, though to describe them would be impossible without copious illustrations in music type. . . . That Dr. Parry has written nothing finer than "Job" is generally admitted, and his boldness in dispensing with set airs, fugal choruses, and an elaborate *Finale* is abundantly justified by results; indeed, he might say, with Haydn, that "the rules are all my obedient, humble servants."

THE MUSIC

TO THE

AGAMEMNON OF AESCHYLUS

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AGAMEMNON.

No. 1.

INTRODUCTION.

Allegro con brio.

f

cres.

ff

II.

First system of musical notation. The right hand features a melodic line with slurs and accents, while the left hand provides a steady accompaniment. Dynamics include *mf* and *cres.*

Second system of musical notation. The right hand continues with a melodic line, ending with a five-fingered scale run. The left hand accompaniment is consistent. Dynamics include *f*.

Third system of musical notation. The right hand features a melodic line with slurs and accents. The left hand accompaniment is consistent. Dynamics include *f*.

Fourth system of musical notation. The right hand features a melodic line with slurs and accents. The left hand accompaniment is consistent. Dynamics include *f*.

Fifth system of musical notation. The right hand features a melodic line with slurs and accents. The left hand accompaniment is consistent. Dynamics include *f*.

Sixth system of musical notation. The right hand features a melodic line with slurs and accents. The left hand accompaniment is consistent. Dynamics include *f*.

III.

ff

dim.

dolce.
p

Animando.
cres.

3

IV.

Tempo 1mo.

mf *cres.*

cres.

f *Largamente.*

dim. *p*

sempre dim.

Lento. *pp*

V.

*Tempo 1mo.
dolce.*

The first system of music consists of two staves. The upper staff is in treble clef and the lower in bass clef. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#) and the time signature is 2/2. The music begins with a dynamic marking of *p* (piano) and includes various note values and rests.

The second system continues the piece with two staves. It features a mix of eighth and sixteenth notes in the upper staff, with a steady accompaniment in the lower staff.

The third system shows the continuation of the melody and accompaniment. A dynamic marking of *dim.* (diminuendo) is present in the lower staff.

The fourth system includes a dynamic marking of *sempre dim.* (sempre diminuendo) in the lower staff, indicating a continuous decrease in volume.

The fifth system features a dynamic marking of *pp* (pianissimo) in the lower staff, marking the beginning of a very soft section.

The sixth system concludes the piece with two staves. It includes a final dynamic marking of *pp* in the lower staff.

ACT I.—SCENE II.

No. 2.

CHORUS.

Allegro moderato.

TENORS.

BASSES.

p

δέ-κα-τον μὲν ἔ-τος τόδ' ἔ-πει Πριάμου μέγας

Ten years now are sped, since in doughty dis-pute with

Allegro moderato.

p

ἀν-τί-δι-κος, Με-νέ-λα-ος ἄ-ναξ ἡδ' Ἀγαμέμ-νων, δι-θρό-νου Δι-ό-θεν καὶ

Pri - am of Troy Me-ne-la - os and Ag - a - memnon up - rose, twin in scep - tre and throne, by

poco cres.

δι-σκήπ-τρον τι - μῆς ὀ - χυ-ρὸν ζεῦ - γος Ἀτρεί-δαν στόλον Ἀργεί -

poco cres.

Zeus or - dained, in right and in night, chil - dren of A - treus, with an Ar - give

poco cres.

- ων χι - λι - ο - ναύ - την τῆσδ' ἀπὸ χώ - ρας ἤ - ραν, στρατι - ῶ - τιν ἄ -

band ma - ny a thou - sand forth from the coun - try start - ing, on a mis - sion of

cres.

- ρωγῆν, μέ - γαν ἐκ θυ - μοῦ κλά - ζον - τες Ἄ - ρη, τρόπον αἰ - γυ - πι - ῶν, οἷτ'

cres.

res - cue; for the call to arms came loud from their heart, as the vul - tures cry, when

cres.

ἐκ - πα - τί - οις ἄλ - γε - σι παί - δων ὕ - πα - τοι λε - χέ - ων στροφο - δι - νοῦνται πετε -

far from the world in pit - i - ful pain o'er the ey - rie on high in a ring they fly, hith - er

dim.

- γων ἐρ-ετ-μοῖ-σιν ἐ-ρεσ-σό-με-νοι, δεμ - νι-ο-τή - ρη πόνον ὀρ - τα-λί -
 thith - er up-borne by an oar - age of wings, since . . . of the nest-lings, of the la - bour of

- χων ὀ - λέ-σαν-τες· ὕ - πα-τος δ' ἄ - ἔ - ων ἥ τις Ἀ-πόλ-λων ἥ
 love they are plundered. And a god from a - bove hear - eth—A - pol - lo, or

dim.
 Πᾶν ἢ Ζεὺς οἰ - ω - νό-θρο-ον γό-ον ὀ - ξυ-βό-αν τῶν - δε μετ-οί - κων
dim.
 Pan, or Zeus—the noise of the dirge from the folk of the sky shril - ly re-sound-ing,
dim.

ύσ - τε - ρό - ποι - νου πέμ - πει παρα - βᾶ - σιν Ἐ - ρι - νύν.

and to a - venge them he send - eth a fiend on the sin - ners.

cres.

sostenuto.

οὐ - τω δ' Ἄ - τρέ - ως παῖδας ὁ κρείσσων ἐπ' Ἀ -

So he vis - it - eth false Al - ex - an - der in his

rit. *f*

- λεξ - άν - δρω πέμ - πει ξέ - νι - ος Ζεὺς πο - λυ - άν - ορ - ος ἀμ - φὶ γυ - ναι - κός

pow'r di - vine, for help of a home, yea, for a wo - man of ma - ny a mas - ter :

πολ-λά παλαισμά-τα καὶ γυ - ο - βα-ρή, γόνα-τος κού-αι - σιν ἐ-ρει - δομ-έ -

cres.

cres.

Long is the strug-ple, and O, wea - ry the limbs, and the knee in the dust of the earth ev - er

cres.

- νου δι-α-κναι - ο - μένης τ' ἐν προτε-λεί-οις κάμα-κος, θή - σων Δα-να -

cres.

prest; and in pre - lude the shaft snap - peth a - sun - der, in the dead - ly strife of the

- οἰ - σι Τρω-σί θ' ὁ-μοί - ως.

A

Greeks and Tro-jans to-ge-th - er.

A

ff

poco rit.

mf *Meno mosso.* *a tempo.*

ἔσ-τι δ' ὀ-πη γὺν ἔσ-τι· τελεῖται δ' ἐς τὸ πεπρωμένον·

mf

Now is the hour of patience; the is-sue waiteth on des-tin-y:

Meno mosso. *a tempo.*

mf *f*

f

οὐθ' ὑ-πο-καί-ων οὐθ' ὑ-πο-λεί-βων οὐ-τε δα-κρύ-ων ἀ-πύ-ρων ἰ-ε-

f

not by a burn-ing, not by a pour-ing, not by a mourn-ing, can a mor-tal ap-

cres.

- ρῶν ὀρ-γάς ἀ-τε-νεῖς παραθέλξει.

cres.

- pease the wrath of a rite un-a-chiev-ed.

cres. *f*

Tempo And.

ἡ - μείς δ' ἀ-τί-ται σαρ - κὶ πα-λαι-ᾶ

And we, set a - side, fee - ble and fail - ing,

dim. *rit.*

τῆς τότ' ἀ-ρω-γῆς ὑ-πο-λειφθέν-τες μίμ-νο-μεν ἰσ-χὺν ἰ-σό-παι-δα νέ -

cast from the ser - vice, here in the home-land wait, ev - er rest - ing on our staves, ve - ry

3

- μον - τες ἐπ-ὶ σκήπτροις. ὁ τε γὰρ νε-α-ρὸς μν-ε-λὸς στέρ-

help - less, ve - ry child - like. For the cour - age of youth in the soul up -

3

- νων ἐν-τὸς ἀ-νάσ-σων ἰ-σό-πρεσβυς, Ἄρης δ' οὐκ ἔ-νι χῶ-ρα, τό θ' ὑ-

- rais'd pre-sent-ly di-eth in an old man; and War is gone from our land: and the

- πέρ-γη-ρων φυλ-λάδος ἡ-δη κα-τα-καρ-φο-μένης τρί-πο-δας μὲν ὁ-

end of life, dy-ing as au-tumn in the fall of the leaf, with a staff to its

pp

pp

- δὸς στείχει, παι-δὸς δ' οὐ-δὲν ἀ-ρεί-ων ὄν-αρ ἡ-με-ρό-φαν-τον ἀ-

aid three-foot-ed. . creeps, weak as an in-fant, as a dream that is seen in the

p

B

- λαίνει.

daytime.

mf

σὺ δέ, Τυνδά-ρε-ω θύ-γατερ, βασί -
Tell us, daughter of Tyn-darus, now, tell us,

B

mf *cres.*

f *mf*

- λει - α . . Κλυ-ται-μήσ-τρα, τί χρέ-ος ; τί νέ-ον ;
la - dy . . Cly-taem-nes - tra-- is it need? is it news?

τί δ' ἐπαιθο-μέ-νη, τίνος ἀγ - γε-λί - ας πευ-θοῖ πε-ρί-πεμπ-τα θυ -
hast thou seen with thine eyes, hast thou heard with thine ears, that thou to a thanks giv - ing

- οσ-κείς ; πάν-των δὲ θε-ῶν τῶν ἀσ - τυ-νό-μων, ὑ-πά-των χθονί-ων, τῶν τ'
bid - dest? For lo, of the gods that watch o'er the town from a - bove and be - low, the

poco rit.

οὐ - ρα - νί - ων τῶν τ' ἁ - γο - ραί - ων, βω - μοὶ δώ - ροι - σι φλέ -
 lords of the sky, lords . . of the mar - ket, with gifts all al - tars are

cres. poco rit.

mp

- γον - ται' ἄλ - λη δ' ἄλ - λο - θεν οὐ - ρα - νο - μή - κης λαμ - πᾶς ἄν -
 flam - ing. Hith - er, thith - er - ward, up to the heav - en, ri - seth a

f tempo. *dim.*

dim.

- ἰσ - χει, φαρ - μασ - σο - μέ - νη χρί - ματος ἀγ - νοῦ μα - λα - καῖς ἀ - δό -
 torch - light, nursed in - to a blaze by . . . the per - sua - sion, by the in - no - cent

dim.

- λοι - σι πα - ρη - γο - ρί - αις, πε - λά - νω μν - χό - θεν βα - σι - λεί - φ. τού -
 guile of the fos - ter - ing oil, by a gift from the store of the pal - ace. Nay,

dim. sempre.

- των λέξ-ασ' ὅ τι καὶ δυν-α-τόν καὶ . . . Θέμις αἰνεῖν, παι-ών τε γε-
tell me now, if it lie in thy power, if . . . it be law-ful, a truce to my

p

- νοῦ τῆσ - δε με-ρίμ - νης, ἢ νῦν το - τὲ μὲν κα-κό-φρων τε-λέ-θει, το-τὲ δ'
soul an - xious a - wait - ing; for now in a des - ert of dark - ness I lie, now a -

cres.

ἐκ θυ-σι-ῶν ἀγ-α - νῆ φαίνουσ' ἐλ - πὶς ἀ - μύ - νει φρον-τίδ' ἄ-πληστον
fresh from the fires, in a gra - cious glow, hope . . . re - ap - pear - eth, so to de - liv - er

dim.

rit. *Moderato.*
τῆς θυ - μο-βό-ρου φρένα λύπησ.
my soul from the can - ker re - lent-less.

Moderato.

rit. *p*

στρ. α.

TENORS.

mf *Grazioso.*

κύ - ρι - ός εἰ - μι θροεῖν ὄ - δι - ον κράτος αἴ - σι - ον ἀν - δρῶν
 Mine is the sto - ry to sing of the mar - vel that came to the he - roes

ἐκ - τε - λέ - ων ἔ - τι γὰρ θε - ό - θεν κα - τα - πνεί - ει πειθοῖ μολπᾶν ἀλ - κὰν
 might - y in war. For in spite of my years ev - er mov - eth heav'n - sent in - spi - ra - tion

σύμ - φυ - τος αἰ - ών ὅπως Ἄ - χαιῶν δίθρονον κρά - τος, Ἑλ - λά - δος ἠ - βασι - ζύμ - φρονε
 mu - sic - a - wak - ing - to tell the sto - ry of the king - brothers, ev - er u - ni - ted ru - lers of

τα - γώ,
 Hel - las,

C

πέμ - πει σὺν δο - ρι καὶ χε - ρί πράκ - το - ρι
 who were sent on a mis - sion of pun - ish - ment,

mf cres.

θού - ρι - ος ἄρ - νις Τευκρίδ' ἐπ' αἰ - αν, οἰ - ω - νῶν βασιλεὺς βα - σι -
sent with an ar - my un - to the Troy-land. To those kings of the fleet came the

mf cres.

- λεῦ - σι νε - ῶν, ὁ κελαι - νός, ὅ τ' ἐξ - ὀ - πιν ἀργῆς, φα - νέν - τες ἱκ - ταρ μέλαθρον
kings of the birds, this a black, and a white-back the oth - er, an o - men near the pal - a - ces,

χε - ρὸς ἐκ δο - ρι - πάλ - του, παμ - πρέπ - τοις ἐν ἔ - δραι - σι,
on the right man - i - fest - ed, clear for all to be - hold them,

βου - κό - με - νοι λα - γί - ναν, ἐ - ρι - κύ - μο - να φέρ - μα - τα, γεν - ναν,
rend - ing the flesh of a hare that was big with the young ones with - in her;

cres.

f

βλα-βέν-τα λοισ-θί-ων δρόμων.
so stayed the twain their home-ward flight.

f

Allargando.

ff

f a tempo.

αἴ - λινον αἴ - λινον εἰ - πέ, τὸ δ' εὖ νι - κά - τω.
Sing me a bur - den of sor - row— but good shall tri - umph!

Allargando.

ff

f a tempo.

ἀντ. α.

BASSES.

mf

mf

κεδ-νός δὲ στρατόμαν-τις ἰ -
Then the seer of the host, when he

mf

- δὼν δύ - ο λή - μα - σιν ἰ - σους Ἄ - τρε - ἰ - δας μαχί -
look'd on the chil - dren of A - treus, cap - tains of men; and a -

cres.

- μους ἐδ-ά-η λα-γο-δαί-τας πομ-πούς τ' ἄρ-χάς· οὐ-τω δ'
 - gain when he look'd on the ea-gles, pair'd in tem-per, thus he

cres.

εἰ-πε-τε-ρά-ζων· ἄ-χρο-νη μὲν ἀγ-ρεῖ Πρι-ά-μου πόλιν
 spake pro-phe-sy-ing: "This host in the ful-ness of time Priam's

mf

mf

ἄ-δε κέ-λευ-θος, πάν-τα δὲ πύρ-γων κτή-νη πρόσ-θε τὰ δη-μι-ο-
 ci-ty shall con-quer, but in the mean-while all the wealth that the peo-ple have

f *tr* *mf*

- πλη-θῆ Μοῖρ' ἀ-λα-πάξ-ει πρὸς τὸ βί-αι-ον·
 gath-er'd, Fate in her fierce-ness sure-ly shall scat-ter:

f

D

mf *cres.* *cres.*

οἶ - ον μή τις ἄ - γα θε - ό - θεν κνε - φά - ση προ - τυ - πέν στό - μι -
on - ly may not the en - vy of heav'n set a cloud on the band that shall

- ον μέγα Τροίας στρατωθέν. οἴ - κτω γὰρ ἐ - πί - φθονος Ἄρ - τε - μις ἀγνὰ
bri - dle the Tro - jans in bat - tle. For Ar - te - mis ho - ly in pi - ty re - gard - eth

f

πα - νοί - σιν κυ - σὶ πατ - ρός αὐ - τό - το - κον πρό λό - χου μο - γε -
those fleet hounds of the fath - er, greed - i - ly slay - ing a poor moth - er

- ρὰν πτά - κα θυ - ο - μέ - νοι - σι· στυγεῖ δὲ δειπ - νον
hare and the young ones to - geth - er; and ha - teth ea - gles'

ai - ετων.
 ban - queting."

ai - λινον αι - λινον
 Sing me a bur - den of

ει - πε, το δ' ευνι - κα - τω.
 sor - row-- but good shall tri - umph!

TENORS. *μεσωδ.*
dolce.
mf

το - σου περ ευφρων, κα - λα, δρο - σι - σι λεπτοις μα - λε -

BASSES. *dolce*
mf

"Yet in thy mer - cy, la - dy, to - ward the ten - der young of

- ρών λε-όν-των, πάν-των τ' ἀγ-ρο-νό-μων φι-λο-μάστοις
 might - y li - ons, in thy love for the whelp and the suck - ling,

p

θη-ρών ὄβ-ρι-κά-λοι-σι τερπνά, τού-των αἶ-νει ξύμ-βο-λα κρᾶναι,
 in thy love for the for - est-peo - ple, O vouch-safe a pros-per-ous is - sue,

cres.

δε - ξι - ἀ μέν, κα-τά-μομ-φα δὲ φάσ-μα-τα στρουθῶν. Ἴ -
 grant us the good, and for - give us the ill of the o - mens. O

dim.

E

dim.

p

- ή - ι - ον δὲ κα - λέ - ω Παι - ᾶ - να, μὴ τι - νας
 bless - ed one, thee I en - treat, O Heal - er; grant that she

ἀν - τι - πνύου - ς Δα - να - οἷ - ς χρο - νί - ας ἐ - χε - νῆ - δας ἀ - πλοί - ας τεύ - ξη,
 send not a hin - der - ing gale on the ships to en - thral them in wea - ry wait - ing;

σπευ - δομέ - να θυ - σί - αν ἐ - τέ - ραν ἄ - νο - μόν τι ν' ἄ - δαι - τον, νει - κέ - ων
 grant that she seek not a new sac - ri - fice, and a ban - quet for - bid - den, im - pi - ous,

τέκ - το - να σίμ - φυ - τον, οὐ δεισ - ή - νο - ρα.
 foun - tain of en - mi - ty, and of trea - che - ry.

f

μίμ - νει γὰρ φο - βε - ρὰ πα - λίν - ορ - τος οἰ - κο - νό - μος δο - λί - α μνά - μων μῆ -
 For lo, ter - ri - ble, ev - er re - cur - ring, wrath in the dark - ness at home stays, seek - ing

p

- νις τεκ - νό - ποι - νος'.
 ven - geance for chil - dren."

τοι - ά - δε Κάλ - χας ξὺν με - γά -
 Thus did the pro - phet ut - ter a

cres. *F* *p* *f* *sf* *p*

cres.

μόρ-σιμ' ἀπ' ὀρ - νί - θων ὀ - δί - ων οἷ -
thus to the roy - al house did he show the

cres.

- λους ἀγ - α - θοῖς ἀπ - ἐ - κλαγξεν
warn - ing to tem - per a bless - ing,

cres. *cres.*

- κοῖς βα - σι - λεί - οῖς· τοῖς δ' ὀ - μό - φω - νον
signs of the way - side. This be the chor - us :

f

τοῖς δ' ὀ - μό - φω - νον
This be the chor - us :

Allargando.

ff αἰ - λι - νον αἰ - λι - νον εἰ - πέ, τὸ δ' εὖ νι - κά - τω.
a tempo.

Sing me a bur - den of sor - row— but good shall tri - umph !
Allargando.

ff *a tempo.*

στρ. β.
Moderato. TENORS. *cres.*

Zeús, . . ὅσ-τις ποτ' ἐσ-τίν, εἰ . . τόδ' αὐ-τῷ φίλον κεκ-λη-μέ-νῳ,
Zeus, . . O lord un-cer-tain, by . . this name ap-prov-ed, ac-cept-a-ble,

Moderato.
p *cres.*

dim. *cres.*

τοῦ-τόνυ προσ εν-πέ-ω. οὐκ ἔ-χω προσει-κάσαι, πάντ' ἐ-πι-σταθμώ-με-νος
un-to him I raise my prayer. I can find none oth-er hope, spite of all my pou-der-ing,

dim. *poco cres.*

f *mf*

πλὴν Δι-ός, εἰ τὸ μάταν ἀ-πό φροντίδος ἄχθος *mf* *χρὴ* . . βαλεῖν ἐ-
none save in Zeus, if indeed the vain bur-den of fan-ey from . . the soul must

f *dim.* *mf*

ἀντ. β.
BASSES.

- τη - τύ - μως. οὐδ' ὅσ - τισ πά - ροι - θεν ἦν μέγ - ας, παμ -
needs be cast. Nay, the man who once was great and strong, great.

- - - μά - χῳ θρά - σει βρύ - ων, οὐ - δὲ λέξ - ε - ται πρὶν ὄν.
. . . . in all the pride of war— who could say he ev - er lived?

ὅς δ' ἔ - πειτ' ἔ - φυ, τρι - ακ - τῆ - ρος οἷ - χε - ται τυ - χών.
And the next in or - - der, hath found his mas - ter, and is gone.

Ζῆνα δέ τις προφρόνως ἐ - πι - νί - κι - α κλάζων τεύ - ξεται φρε - νῶν τὸ πᾶν.
Yet if a man un - to Zeus singeth hon - our - de - vout - ly, he . . . shall keep his soul a right.

TENORS. *στρ. γ.*
 τὸν φρο - νεῖν βροτοῦς ὁ - δώ - σαντα, τὸν πιά -

BASSES.
 Un - to un - derstand - ing he guid - eth, and the

- θει μάθος θέντα κυ - ρί - ως ἔχειν. στάζει δ' ἐν θ' ὕπνω πρὸ καρδίας

world he teach - eth, that truth is born of pain. The wound a - bleeding in memory

μνη - σιπή - μων πό - νος· καὶ παρ' ἄ - κοντας ἦλ - θε σωφρονεῖν.

wakes a mind - ful im - age; and to men com - eth truth in their despite.

δαι-μό-νων δέ που χάρις βί - αιος, σέλ-μα σεμνὸν ἡ - μέ-νων.
p *p*
 'Tis perchance a fa-vour forced up - on us by the gods who dwell a - bove.

ἀντ. γ.
 ΤΕΝΟΡΣ.
 καὶ τόθ' ἡγ - εμὸν ὁ πρέσβυς
 So the el - der of the captains

. . . νε-ὼν Ἄ-χαι-ϊ-κῶν, μάντιν οὐ - τι-να ψέγων, ἐμπαί-οις τύχαι-σι συμπνέ-
 . . . of that A - chae - an host held the pro-phet free of blame, yield-ed meek-ly to the shock of

- ων, εὐτ' ἀπλοί-α κεν - αγ-γεί βαρύνοντ' Ἄ - χαι-ϊ-κὸς λεῶς,
 Fate, when his ar - my was sore stricken by fail - ing breeze and fail-ing bread :

Χαλκίδος πέ-ραν ἔχων παλιρρόχοις ἐν Αὐ-λί-δος τό-ποις. πνο -
there the coast of Chal-cis, here the tideway, here the hiss of Au-lis' waves. The

- αἰ δ' ἀπὸ Στρυμόνος μο-λου-σαι κα - κόσχοι, νήστιδες, δύσ-
breez-es from Strymon ev-er blow-ing in i-dle har-bour, in hunger

- ορμοι, βρο-τῶν ἄλαι, νε-ῶν τε καὶ πεισμάτων ἀ-φειδεῖς, παλιμμή -
held them a-wea-ry, sick at heart the men, spent the ships and tackle: the seasons,

- κη χρόνον τι-θείσαι τρί-βη κατέ-ξαι - νον ἄνθος Ἄργους.
doub-ly long and dreary, were wast-ing to nought the flow'r of Ar-gos.

mf

ἐπεὶ δὲ καὶ πικροῦ χείματος ἄλ-λο μῆχαρ βριθύτε-ρον πρόμοισιν
 So, in the storm of woe, ut-ter'd the prophet answer, ut-ter'd a roy - al bur- den,

mf

μάν-τις ἐκλαγξεν προφέρων, Ἄρτεμιν, ὡς-τε χθόνα βάκτροις ἐ-πι-κρού-σαν-
 re - me-dy hint - ing in a name, Ar-te-mis. And up-on the ground there with their wands smote

dim.

άντ. δ.
 TENORS.

- - τας Ἀτρείδας δάκρυ μὴ κατασχεῖν ἄναξ δ' ὁ πρέσβυς τότε
 . . the A-trei-dæ, and the tears they stayed not. And forthwith answered the

BASSES. *Meno mosso.*

εἰ - πε φωνῶν βα - ρεῖ - α μὲν κήρ τὸ μὴ πι -
 el - der chieftain : "The doom is griev - ous, if I o -

Meno mosso.
dim. sempre. *espressivo.* *p*

- θέσθαι, βα - ρεί - α δ', εἰ τέκ - νον दा - ἴ - ξω, δόμον ἄγαλμα,
- bey not; and griev - ous, too, to slay my trea - sure, my child be - lov - ed;

μι - αί - νων παρ - θε - νοσ - φά - γοισι ρείθ - ροις πα - τρώους χέρας πρὸ
de - fi - ling so with maid - en mur - der her fath - er's fin - gers' be - fore the

βω - μου. τί τῶνδ' ἄνευ κακῶν; πῶς λιπόναυς γένομαι,
al - tar. On eith - er hand is woe. How can I leave my sailors?

Ξυμ - μα - χί - ας ἀ - μαρ - τῶν; παν - σα - νέ - μου γὰρ θυ - σί - ας
How can I fail my sold - iers? Now for a - bate - ment of the gale

dim.

παρθε - νί - ου θ' αἴ - ματος ὀρ - γῆ πε - ρι - ὄρ - γω σφ' ἐ - πι - θυμῆν
 seek they a pure maid for the vic - tim, with a pas - sion that I dare not

p *στρ. ε.*
TENORS.

θέ - μισ. ἐν γὰρ εἴ - η.' ἐ - πει δ' ἀ - νάγκας ἔ - δυ λέ -
 ques - tion. May it serve them ! But when the har - ness of doom was

- παδνον, φρενὸς πνέων δυσσε - βῆ τροπαί - αν, ἄ - ναγνον, ἀν - ἱ - ε - ρον, τότεν τὸ
 on him, a gale a - rose im - pi - ous with - in him, un - ho - ly, un - na - tu - ral ; at once to

Animando.
cres.

παντό - τολμον φρονεῖν μετ - ἔγνω. βροτοὺς θρα - σύνει γὰρ αἰσχρομήτις
 ut - ter madness his mood con - vert - ing. For men are driv - en to base de - sig - ning

Animando.
cres. *f*

τάλαι-να παρακοπή πρωτοπήμων. ἔτ - λα δ' οὖν θυτήρ γε -
 by help-less frenzy of soul, woe - be-get-ting. And there - fore he slew the

- νέσθαι θυγατρός, γυναι-κο-ποιόνων πολέμων ἀ - ρωγὰν καὶ προτέλεια
 daugh - ter of his blood, the war of vengeance for a wife as - sist-ing, slew for the fleet a

Animando.
cres.

Animando.
cres.

ναῶν. λι - τὰς δὲ καὶ κληδόνας πα-τρώ-ους παρ'
 vic-tim. They heed not the maid-en sup-pli - cations, re -

ἀντ. ε.

οὐ - δὲν αἰ - ῶ - να παρθέ - νει - ὄν τ' ἔ - θεν - το φι - λό - μα - χοι βραβῆς.
 - gard - less of all her maid-en beau - ty, her jud - ges, in the de - sire of war.

Meno mosso.
BASSES.

p

φράσεν δ' ἁ-ό-ζοις πατήρ μετ' εὐχάν, δί-καν χιμαίρας
The prayer was end-ed : the fath - er bade them up - lift the maiden

Meno mosso.

p

Sua bassa.

mf *dim.*

ὑ-περ-θε βωμοῦ, πέπλοι-σι περιπε-τή, παντὶ θυ-μῶ προ-
a - bove the al - tar, up - lift her e'en as a kid : in the meanwhile a -

mf *>*

- νω-πή λαβεῖν ἀέρδην, στόματός τε καλλιπρώρον φυλακᾷ κατασχεῖν φθόγγον ἁ -
- droop-ing she bowed in anguish ; and the lips of fair - est beauty, and the voice, to shield their house from the

στρ. ζ. *p* **TENORS.**

ραῖ - ον οἴ-κοις, βί - α χαλι-νῶν τ' ἀν - αύ - δφ μένει. κρό -
con - dem - na - tion, they seal'd to si - lence, they seal'd with a bond. And

dim. *p*

- κου βαφὰς δ' ἐς πέδον χέ-ουσα ἔ-βαλλ' ἕκαστον θυ-τή-ρων ἀπ' ὀμματος βέλει φιλ-
 as she loos-en'd the robe of saf-fron, up-on the slay-ers she shot forth a glance that entreated com-

- οίκτω, πρέπουσά θ' ὡς ἐν γραφαῖς, προσεν-νέπειν θέλουσ', ἐ-πεὶ πολλάκις πατρός, κατ'
 - pas-sion, and plead-ing thus pic-ture-like, she seem'd in act to speak; for lo, of-ten-times sang she be-

ἀν-δρῶ-νας εὐ-τρα-πέ-ζους ἔ-μελ-ψεν, ἀγ-νῆ δ' ἀ-ταύ-
 - fore the lords at her fath-er's high ta-ble, and with a voice

- ρωτος αὐδᾶ πατρός φίλου τρίτο-σπονδον εὐποτμον παι-ᾶ-να φίλως ἐ-
 un-de-fil-ed, ho-ly, she grac'd his li-ba-tion of blessing and wor-ship, a lov-ing

ἀντ. ζ.

- τί-μα. τὰ δ' ἔν-θεν οὐτ' εἶδον οὐτ' ἐν- νέπω·
daugh-ter. The se-quel I saw not, I tell not of :

Andante.

Andante.

τέχραι δὲ Κάλχαντος οὐκ ἄ-κραντοι. Δί -
Accomplishment crown'd the arts of Cal-chas. For

- κα δὲ τοῖς μὲν παθοῦσιν μαθεῖν ἐπ - ἱρ - ρέ-πει· τὸ μέλ-λον ἐ-πεὶ γέ -
so it must be that wis-dom should come by suf - fer-ing. Thou may'st, when it com - eth,

- νοιτ' ἂν κλύοις· πρὸ χαι-ρέ-τω· . . ἴ-σον δὲ τῷ προστέ-νειν.
learn of the end ; till then, for-bear : . . nor seek sorrow all too soon.

dim.

πέ-λοι-το δ' οὖν
 τὸρὸν γὰρ ἦ - ξει σύνορθρον ἀνγαῖς.
 For clear it com - eth with dawn ap - pear - ing.

p
dim.
p

τὰ - πὶ τούτοισιν εὖ πράξ-ις, ὡς θέλει . . τὸδ' ἄγχιστον Ἄ-πί-ας γαί-ας . .
 pray that the is - sue may pros - per, for the need . . of our home, the guar - di - an for - tress . .

poco cres.
cres.
poco cres.
cres.
poco cres.
cres.

. . μονό-φρουρον ἔρ-κος.
 . . of the land of Ar - gos.

cres.
rit.
f

No. 3.

CHORUS.

Χο.—χάρις γὰρ οὐκ ἄτιμος εἶργασται πόνων.

TENORS.

BASSES.

Allegro moderato.

mf

mf

0

Allegro moderato.

f

mf

Zeύ βασι-λεὺ καὶ νύξ φι-λί-α με-γά-λων κόσ-μων κτεά-

Zeus our king, O night . . of grace, that hast brought these glo - ries up -

cres.

cres.

- τει - ρα, ἥτ' ἐ - πὶ Τροί - ας πύρ - γοις ἔ-βαλ-ες

- on us; . Thou on the towers of Troy hast thrown a net,

σπεγανὸν δίκ - τυ - ον, ὡς μή - τε μέγ - αν μήτ' οὐν νε - α - ρῶν τῶν ὑ -
 mesh - es to cov - er them, that nev - er a - ny man, nay, nor a babe should a -

- περ - τε - λέ - σαι μέγ - α δου - λεί - ασ γάγ - γαμον, ἄ - της παν - α -
 - vail to es - cape from the thrall of doom, the pi - ti - less doom of en -

- λώ - του. Δί - α τοι ξέ - νι - ον μέγαν
 - slave - ment. O Lord of the strang - er I

cres.

αι - δοῦ - μαι τὸν τά - δε πρᾶ - ξαντ' ἐπ' Ἄ - λε - ξάν - δρω τέι -

cres.

wor - ship thee, for thou hast brought base Al - ex - an - der down, long

cres.

cres.

- νου - τα πά - λαι τόξ - ον, ὅ - πως ἂν μῆ - τε πρὸ και - ροῦ

time with thy bow wait - - ing, that nev - er out of the due time,

f

μηθ' ὑπὲρ ἄσ - τρων . . βέλος ἡ - λί - θι - ον σκήψει - εν.

out of the true line . . might the ar - row of vengeance tra - vel.

f

3

στρ. α.

f

Διὸς πλα - γὰν ἔχ - ου - σιν εἰ - πείν,
Be - hold, the stroke of Zeus is fall - en ;

f

Διὸς πλα - γὰν ἔχ - ου - σιν εἰ - πείν,
Be - hold, the stroke of Zeus is fall - en ;

sf *p*

p

πάρ - εσ - τιν τοῦ - τό γ' ἐξ - ιχ - νεύ - σαι.
'tis meet and right to trace the mes - sage,

πάρ - εσ - τιν τοῦ - τό γ' ἐξ - ιχ -
'tis meet and right to trace the

poco cres.

cres. agitato.

ἔ - πραξ - αν ὡς ἔ - κρανευ.
As he or - dain'd they suf - fer'd.

cres.

- νεύ - σαι.
mes - sage.

ἔ - πραξ - αν ὡς ἔ - κρανευ.
As he or - dain'd they suf - fer'd.

f TENORS.

οὐκ ἔφα τις θε-οὺς βροτῶν ἀξ-ι-οῦσθαι μέλειν ὅ-σοις ἀθίκτων χά-
 Once a man of the gods de-clar'd that they gave not a thought to such as tram-pled on

BASSES.

- ρις πατοῖθ'. οὐκ εὐ-σε-βής. πέφανται δ' ἐκ-τί-
 ho-li-ness: yet he knew them not. For sure-ly pun-ish-

- νου-σα τόλμα τῶν Ἄ-ρη πνε-όν-των μεί-ζον ἢ δι-καί-ως, φλε-
 - ment doth fol-low men of war that blus-ter, reck-less, o-ver-bear-ing, and

- οντων δω-μά-των ὑ-πέρφευ ὑ-πέρ τὸ βέλ-τισ-τον.
 homes of load-ed lux-u-ry to wan-ton-ness o'er-flow-ing!

f
 ἔσ - τω δ' ἀ - πῆ -
 Free - dom from woe

dim.
 - μαν - τον, ὡστ' ἀπ - αρκεῖν εὖ . . πραπίδων λα - χόν - τα.
 com - eth of con - tent - ment, blend - ed with un - der - stand - ing.

dim. *p*

p
 οὐ γὰρ ἔσ - τιν ἔπ - αλ - ξις πλούτου πρὸς κό - ρον ἀν - δρὶ λακτί -
 BASSES.
 There re - main - eth no safe - guard, when in the pride of wealth a man doth

dim.

- σαν - τι μέγαν Δί - κας βω - μὸν εἰς ἀφά - νειαν.
 spurn with the foot of scorn Right . . from her sure foun - da - tion.

p

ἀντ. α. TENORS.

βι - ἄ - ταιδ' ἄ τά - λαι - να
Temp - ta - tion ob - stin - ate com -

πειθῶ, προ - βούλου παῖς ἄ - φερ - τος ἄ - τας. ἄ - κος δὲ
- pel - leth, the fa - tal child of sub - tle Ru - in : and ev - 'ry

πᾶν μᾶ - ται - ον. οὐκ ἐ - κρύφ - θη, πρέ -
cure is fruit - less. And the mis - chief is

- πει δέ, φῶς αἰνο - λαμπές, σίνος· κα - κοῦ δὲ χαλκοῦ τρόπον τρί -
nev - er hid - den, but ghash - ly to see : and like a ba - ser met - al, by

roco cres.

- βφ τε και προσβολαίς με-λαμπαγής πέλει δι - καιωθείς, ἐπει δι -
 touch-stone or cha-fing tried, it show-eth dark-er grain, in prov'd un-worth-i-ness. So

Animato.

ω - κει παῖς πο-τα-νὸν ὄρ - νιν, πό - λει πρόστριμμ' ἄ φερ-τον
 he, a wing-ed quest pur - su - ing, doth set his stamp up-on the

Animato.

f

cres.

ἐν - θείς. λι-τᾶν δ' ἀ - κού - ει μὲν οὐ - τις θε - ῶν
 ei - ty. To such a mor - tal no god will heark-en;

τὸν δ' ἐ-πί-στρο-φον τῶν φῶτ' ἄ-δι-κον καθαιρεῖ. οἶ - ος καὶ .
 who - so do - eth these things, standeth condemn'd, a sin - ner. In such guise

Πάρις ἐλ-θὼν ἐς δό-μον τὸν Ἄ-τρει - δᾶν ἦσ -
 Pa - ris en - ter'd then the home of th' A - trei - - dæ, and

- χυ-νε ξε-νί-αν τρά-πε-ζαν κλο-παῖσι γυ-ναικός.
 by the sto - len wife dis - hon-our'd the ta - ble of friend-ship.

στρ. β. BASSES.

λι - ποῦ-σα δ' ἄστοι - σιν ἄσ-πίσ - το-ράς τε καὶ κλό -
 She left be - hind her . . to her coun - try-men the din of

- νους λογ - χίμους ναυ - βά-τας θ' ὀπ-λισ-μούς, ἄ - γου - σάτ' ἄν - τί-φερ-νον
 spear and of shield, left the noise of na - vies, and bring - ing dow'r of ru - in

cres. 3

Ἰ - λί - φ φθορὰν βέ - βα - κεν ρίμ - φα δι - à πν -
 un - to I - li - um, she past on light - ly through the

cres.

- λάν ἀ - τλη - τα τλάσα· πολλαὶ δ' ἔ - στε - ρον τόδ' ἐν - νέ -
 gates, a care - less sin - ner. Of - ten would the seers up - lift a

Maestoso. *f*

- ποντες δόμων προ - φή - ται ἰ - ώ . . . ἰ - ώ
 bur - den of lam - en - ta - tion: "A - ha! . . . a - las!

Maestoso. *f* *cres.* *mf*

δῶ - μα δῶ - μα καὶ πρό - μοι, ἰ - ώ . . . λέ - χος καὶ .
 ah, the prin - ces, and the home! A - ha! . . . a - las! ah, . .

p

· · · στίβοι φιλά - νο - ρες. πά - ρε - σ - τι - σι - γὰς ἄ - τί - μους ἀ - λοι - δό - ρους ἄλ -
 · · · the couch of wed - ded love ! The si - lent hus - band dis - hon - our'd and un - re - bu - king

- γιστ' ἀφ - η - μέ - νων ἰ - δεῖν. πό - θω δ' ὑ - περ - πον - τί - ας
 stands, a mon - u - ment of woe ! For love of a van - ish'd wife

p *sf*

φάσμα δό - ξει δόμων ἀ - νάσσειν. εὐ - μόρφων δὲ κο -
 pi - ning ev - er, a phan - tom ru - ler. Naught car - eth he for

mf *dim.*

- λουσῶν ἔχ - θε - ται χάρις ἀνδρί· ὄμ - μάτων δ' ἐν ἀ -
 sta - tues ; all the beau - ty he ha - teth ; gone the feast of the

- χη - νί - αις ἔρ - ρει πᾶσ' Ἀφρο - δί - τα.
eyes a - way, and gone, gone is the pas - sion!

ἀντ. β.
TENORS.

ὁ - νει - ρόφαν - τοι . . . δὲ πεν - θή - μονές πᾶ - ρει - σι δόξ - αι φέ -
And fan - ta - sies dream - i - ly sor - row - ful are borne to him, waft - ing

- ρου - σαι χάριν ματαί - αν. μά - ταν γάρ, εἴτ' ἂν ἐσθ - λά τις δο -
ev - er a vain en - chantment! For when in vain he doth be - hold his

- κῶν ὄρα, παραλλάξ - α - σα δι - ἅ χερῶν, βέ - βα - κεν ὄψ - ις οὐ μεθ -
heart's delight, it pass - eth ev - er through his hands, an emp - ty vi - sion in a

- ὕ - στε - ρον πτεροῖς ὀ - πα - δοῦσ' ὕπνου κελεύθους.
 mo - ment gone, on wings that fol - low sleep, when it pass - eth."

τὰ μὲν κατ' οἴ - κους ἐφ' ἐσ - τί - ας ἄ - χη τὰ δ' ἐσ - τὶ
 Ah, sure - ly these are the woes with - in the roy - al house - hold ;

καὶ τῶνδ' ὑπερ - βα - τώτερα. τὸ πᾶν δ' ἀφ' Ἑλ - λα - νος
 ay, these, and greater woes than these. For all who from Hel - las

αἰ - ας συν - ορ - μέ - νους πέν - θει - α τλη - σι - κάρ - δι - ος δό -
 sped in a com - mon cause, the wail of pa - tient wo - men - folk in

- μων ἐκάστου πρέπει. πολ-λὰ γούν θιγ-γά-νει πρὸς ἡ-παρ'
 ev - 'ry hall re-sound-eth. Ev - 'ry-where com - eth cause of an-guish.

cres. *dim.* *p*

οὓς μὲν γάρ τις ἔ-πεμψ - εν οἱ - δεν, ἀν - τὶ δὲ φω - τῶν
 Each the man that she sent re-mem-b'reth : but for the mas - ter

p

Slower. mf
 τεύ - χη καὶ σποδὸς εἰς ἐκάσ-του δό-μους ἀφικ - νεῖ-ται.
 naught but an urn of ash - es reacheth the sor - rowing house-hold.

Slower.
espress. *p*

στρ. γ. Animato.
 BASSES. *mf*
 ὁ χρυσα - μοι-βὸς δ' Ἀ-ρης
 Yea, war in bo - dies of men

Animato.
f

σω - μάτων καὶ ταλαν - τοῦ - χος ἐν μά - χῃ δο - ρὸς πυ -
traf - fick - eth, in the strife doth he e'er his bal - ance hold; he

- ρω - θέν ἐξ Ἰ - λίου φί - λιοι - σι πέμπει βραχὺ ψῆγ - μα δυσδάκ - ρυ - του ἀντ -
send - eth from I - li - um the dust of his mer - chandise to the weeping kins - folk, the

ἡ - νο - ρος σποδοῦ γε - μίζων λέ - βη - τας εὐ - θέ - τους.
dust that was a man a - fore - time, with - in one urn contain'd.

Piu moto.

f dim.

στένουσι δ' εὐ λέγοντες ἄνδρα τὸν μὲν ὡς μάχης ἰ -
And men la - ment - ing chant the prais - es of his prow - ess in the

mf

- δρις, τὸν δ' ἐν φο-ναῖς καλῶς πεσόντ' ἄλ-λο-τρι-ας . . δι-αὶ γυ-
fight, man - ful - ly fall - en on the field; "An - oth - er's wife . . he fought to

f *dim.*

- ναι - κός· τὰ δὲ σιγά τις βα-ύ-ζει· φθο-νε-ρὸν δ' ὑπ' ἄλγος ἔρ-πει
res - cue" - so the voice of ha-tred whispers, and a se-cret hor-ror ri-seth

f *dim.* *f* >

προ-δί-κοις Ἄ - τρεί - δαις. οἱ δ' αὐ - τοῦ πε-ρὶ
of the sons of A - treus. Oth - ers there by the

f

τεῖ - χος θή - κας Ἴ - λι - ά - δος γᾶς εὐ -
ci - ty, laid to rest in the Troy - land, are

- μορ - φοι κατέ - χουσιw' έχ - θρά δ' έ - χον - τας έ -
 sleep - ing in their beau - ty: hate - ful the land li - eth

αντ. γ.
 TENORS.
 - κρυ - ψεν. βαρεί - α δ' άσ - τών φάτις
 o'er them. The an - gry mur - murs of the

f

ξύν κό - τω· δη - μο - κράντου δ' ά - ράσ τί - νει χρέος. μέ -
 ci - ti - zens are a tok - en of sworn con - spi - ra - cy: my

νει δ' ά - κούσαι τί μου μέριμ - να νυκ - τη - ρεφές.
 heart a - wait - eth a voice reveal'd from un - cer - tain - ty.

ff

f

τῶν πο - λυ - κτό - νων γὰρ οὐκ
For the eyes of Heav'n are set

ἄ - σκο - ποι θε - οί. κε - λαι - ναὶ δ' Ἐ - ρι - νύ - ες χρόνῳ τυ -
on the mur - der - ers : the brood - ing E - ri - ny - es at last on

- χη - ρὸν ὄντ' ἄ - νευ δίκας πα - λιν - τυχεῖ τρι - βᾶ βί -
un - de - ser - - ved wealth will bring a dire re - verse, and strike it

- ου τι - θεῖσ' ἄ - μαυρόν,
down, a help - less vic - tim. ἐν δ' ἄ - ἴσ - τοις τε - λέθοντος οὐτις
To the lost one not a help - ing hand is

dim.

ἄλ-κά· τὸ δ' ὑ-περ - κόπως κλύειν εὐ βα-ρύ· βάλλεται γὰρ
 of-fer'd : for an in - fin-ite re-nown threat-en-eth. on the eyes of

cres.

cres. molto. *Poco rit.*
 ὄσσοις Δι - όθεν κε - ραν - ρός.
 in - so - lence the light-ning leap - eth.

Poco rit.

sf *p*

Moderato.
 κρί - νω δ' ἄ - φθο-νον ὄλ - βον μήτ' εἶ - ην πτο-λι -
 Mine be joy with-out en - vy ; mine no con - quer-or's

Moderato.

p

- πόρ-θης μήτ' οὖν αὐ - τὸς ἀ-λοὺς ὑπ' ἄλ - λων . . βίον κατ-ί -
 guer - don ; mine no life of a cap - tive con - fin'd, . . a slave of a

ἔπφδ.
BASSES.

- δοι - μι. πυ - ρὸς δ' ὑπ' εὐ - αγ - γέ - λου πό -
mas - ter. The bea - con fair speak - eth; thro' the

- λιν δι - ἡ - κει θο - ἄ βάξις. εἰ δ' ἐ - τή - τυμος, τίς οἶ - δεν,
ei - ty run - neth rea - dy ru - mour. But if this be truth who know - eth?

ἢ τι θεῖ - ὄν ἐσ - τί πη ψύ - θος ; τίς ὦ - δε παιδνὸς ἢ φρε -
or perchance a false - hood hea - ven - sent? Who then so child - ish, or so

- νῶν κε - κομ - μέ - νος, φλο - γὸς παραγ - γέλ - μα - σιν νέ - οἰς πυ -
poor in moth - er - wit, to fire his soul sud - den - ly up - on the

sempre dim.

- ρω - θέν - τα καρ - δί - αν ἔπ - ειτ' ἀλ - λα - γᾶ λόγου κα - μείν ;
mes - sage of bea - con flame, and then, then to risk an al - ter'd tale?

p
ἐν γυ - ναικὸς αἰχ - μᾶ πρέ - πει πρὸ τοῦ φανέν - τος χά - ριν ξυ - αι - νέ - σαι.
p
Ay, a wo - man's wit well it suits, be - fore the truth come, to hail a glad re - port.

p

dim.
πι - θα - νὸς ἄ - γαν ὁ θῆ - λυς ὄ - ρος ἐ - πι - νέ - μεται
dim.
Ev - er cre - du - lous is wo - man, yea, a ford that all may find
dim.

τα-χύ-πο-ρος· *f* ἀλ - λά τα-χύ-μο-ρον γυ -
 ea - sy to pass ; and as eas - i - ly fa - deth

pp *f*

- ναι - κο-γή-ρου-τον ὀλ - λυ-ται κλέ - ος.
 each word of wo - man, fa - deth soon a - way.

allargando.
ff *dim.* *p*

No. 4.

CHORUS.

Κη.—τοσαύτ' ἀκούσας ἴσθι τ' ἀληθῆ κλύων.

Spiritoso.

στρ. α.
BASSES.

f.

τίς ποτ' ὠ - νό - μα - ζεν ὧδ' ἐς τὸ πᾶν ἐ - τη - τύ - μως — μή τις ὄν - τιν' οὐχ ὁ - ρώ - μεν . .
Who was it who gave the name true in ve - ry truthfulness? came it from a pow'r unseen, who . .

. . προ - νοί - αι - σι τοῦ πε - πρω - μέ - νου γλώσ - σαν ἐν τύ - χα νέμων ; —
. . in fore - knowledge of fu - tu - ri - ty set his ut - ter - tance a - right,

p.

τάν δο - ρί - γαμ - βρον ἀμ - φι - νει - κῆ θ' Ἑλ - έ - ναν ;
na - ming the bride of spear and con - flict Hel - e - ne?

ἔ - πει πρεπόν - τως ἑλ - έ - νας, ἑλ - αν - δρος, ἑλ - έ - πτολις,
 And fit - ly ti - tled Hel - e - ne, for sol - diers, for ship, and state,

mf
 ἐκ τῶν ἀ - βρο - τί - μων προ - κα - λυμ - μάτων ἔπ - λευ - σε ζε - φύ -
 from the prince - ly pa - lace, from a dain - ty home she sail - ed, with the

poco cres.
 - ρου γί - γαν - τος αὐ - ρα, πο - λύ - αν - δροί τε φε - ρά - σ - πι - δες κυ -
 west - ern gale be - hind her, and be - hind her in a mul - ti - tude the

cres.
 - να - γοὶ κατ' ἕχ - νος πλατᾶν ἄ - φαν - τον κελ - σάντων Σι - μό - εν - τος
 hunt - ers, pur - su - ing the van - ish'd oars, drave the ships fast on the sea - shore,

ἄκ - τὰς ἐπ' ἄ - εἴ - ι - φύλ - λους δι' Ἑ - ρῶν . . αἰ - μα - τό -
 land - ed on the wood - ed sea - shore for bat - tle, . . bat - tle and

- εσ - σαν. *άντ. α.*
 bloodshed. **TENORS.**
 Ἰ - λί - φ δὲ κῆ - δος ὀρθ -
 Ve - ry bond for I - li - um

- ὤ - νυ - μων τε - λεσ - σί - φρων μῆ - νις ἡ - λα - σεν, τρα - πέ - ζας
 brought she then, by wrath pur - sued till the day of her a - tone - ment.

ἄ - τί - μω - σιν ὑ - πέ - ρῳ χρο - νῳ καὶ ξυν - εσ - τί - ου Δι - ὄς
 For wrong done to hos - pi - ta - li - ty, done to Zeus, the god of home,

mf

πρασσομέ-να τὸ νυμ-φό-τι-μον μέ-λος ἐκ-φάτως τί-ον-τας, ὑ-μέ-
 she shall en-force a due re-quit-al from all; all who sang in wel-come at the

- ναι - ον, ὅς τὸτ' ἐπ-έρ-ρεπεν γαμβροί-σιν ἄ - εἶ-δειν. *mf* μετα -
 bri - dal, sang in the hour of joy, the chor - us of groomsmen. But an -

- μαν - θά-νον-σα δ' ὕμ-νον Πρι-ά-μον πό-λις γε-ραι - ἄ πολύ-
 - oth - er tune is chant-ed in the an - cient place of Pri - am, and a

cres.

- θρη-νον μέ-γα που στέ-νει κι-κλήσ-κου-σα Πά-ριν τὸν αἰ-νό-
 wail - ing is on ev - 'ry side; and the cry is of Par - is, wick - ed

cres. 3 3 3 3 *cres.* 3

cres.

- λεκ-τρον, παμ-πορ-θῆ πο-λύ-θρη-νον αἰ-ῶν-α δι-αὶ πο-
 woo - er. Dam - na - tion and de - struc - tion the ci - ty of Troy en -

cres. 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

- λι-τᾶν μέ-λε-ον αἰμ' ἄν-α-τλά-σα.
 - du - reth, in the slaughter of her chil - dren.

f animato.

στρ. β.
 BASSES. *p*

ἔ-θρεψ - εν δὲ λέ - ον-τος
 A shep - herd in his cot - tage

ff *mf*

cres.

ἰ - νυν . . . δόμοις ἀ-γάλακ - τον οὐ - τως . . . ἀ-νῆρ φι-λό-μασ-τον,
 nur - tur'd . . . the cub of a li - on, hun - gry . . . and torn from his moth - er.

cres.

ἐν βι-ό - του προ-τε-λεί-οις ἄ - με-ρον, εὐ - φι-λό-παι-δα καὶ γε-ρα-ροῖς ἐ-πί -
 And it was in the be - gin - ning ten - der and kind to the chil - dren, ay, and a joy to the

mf *cres.*

- χαρ-τον. πο-λέ - α δ' ἔσκ' ἐν ἀγ - κά-λαις, νε - ο - τρό-φου τέκ -
 a - ged; oft - en in his en - fold - ing arms as a - ny new - born

cres. *f*

- νου δί-καν, φαι-δρω - πὸς πο - τὶ χεῖ - ρα σαί-νων τε γασ-τρὸς ἀ -
 babe it lay, bright-ey'd, watch - ing him ev - er, and cra - ving food in its

ἀντ. β.
 TENORS. *p*

- νάγ - καις. χρο-νισ - θεῖς δ' ἀπ - έ - δει - ξεν
 hun - ger. But time sped: and the wean - ling

cres.

ἦ - θος τὸ πρὸς το - κέ - ων· χί - ριν γὰρ τρο - φεῦ - σιν ἀ - μεί - βων,
 show'd him - self true . . li - on - heart - ed, ren - der'd the price of his nur - ture,

μη - λο - φό - νοι - σι σὺν ἄ - ταις δαίτ' ἀ - κέ - λευσ - τος ἔ - τευ - ξεν· αἶ - μα - τι δ'
 and with the sheep of his slaugh - ter made him a ban - quet un - bid - den. So there was

cres.

οἰ - κος ἐ - φύρ - θη, ἄ - μα - χον ἄ - λγος οἰ - κέ - ταις, μέ - γα σί - νος πο -
 blood in the home - stead, suf - fer - ing ir - re - sist - i - ble, butch - e - ry all a -

f

Animato.

- λυ - κτό - νον. ἐκ θε - οῦ δ' ἰ - ε - ρεύς τις ἄ - τας δό - μοις προσε -
 - round, a - bout— sure - ly heav - en had sent him thith - er, a - pos - tle of

Animato.

- θρέ-φθη.
ru - in.

στρ. γ.
BASSES. *p dolce.*

πά-ραν-τα δ' ἐλ - θεῖν ἐ.
And thus there breath'd in the

p dolce.

Ἴ - λί-ου πό-λιν λέ-γοιμ' ἂν φρό-νη - μα μὲν νη - νέ-μον γα-λά - νας, ἀ -
town of I - li - um a - fore - time a spirit, peace - ful, calm, and un - dis - turb - ed: the

- κασ - καί - ον δ' ἄ - γαλ - μα πλού-του, μαλ-θα - κὸν ὀμ - μά-των βέ-λος,
tran - quil dar - ling, lapt in rich - es, sped from a gen - tle eye the shaft,

δη - ξί - θυ - μον ἔ - ρω - τος ἄν - θος. πα - ρα -
 touch'd to blos - som the ten - der yearning. Yet a

p

- κλί - νασ' ἐπ - ἐ - κρα - νεν δὲ γά - μου πικ - ρὰς τε - λευ - τὰς,
 change came, and ac - com - plish'd bit - ter end - ing of her wed - lock—

poco cres.

δύσ - ε - δρος καὶ . . . δυσ - ό - μι - λος συ - μέ - να Πρι - α - μί - δαι - σιν,
 hap - less guest, ah, . . . hap - less neigh - bour, curse on all that . . . house of Pri - am,

poco cres.

cres.

πομπᾷ Δι - ος ξε - νί - ου, νυμ - φόκλαυ - τος Ἐ - ρι - νύς.
 sent by the Lord of the home, ve - ry Fiend of the wedding!

cres. molto. *f* *p*

ἀντ. γ.
TENORS.

πα - λαί - φα - τος δ' ἐν βρο - τοῖς γέ - ρων λό - γος τέ -
An an - cient max - im a - bi - deth in the world es -

- τυκ - ται, μέ - γαν τε - λεσ - θέν - τα φω - τὸς ὄλ - βον τεκ -
- tab - lish'd, that ful - ness of for - tune, ere it pass - eth, hath

- νοῦσθαι μηδ' ἄ - παι - δα θνή - σκειν, ἐκ δ' ἀ - γα - θῆς τύ - χας . . γέ - νει
off-spring, neither di - eth child - less: and from the womb of hap - - pi-ness

βλασ - τά - νειν ἀ - κό - ρεσ - του οἰ - ζύν. δι - χα δ
springs ad - ver - si - ty un - ap - peas - ed. But in

ἄλ-λων μο-νό-φρων εἰ-μί. τὸ δυσ-σε-βὲς γὰρ ἔρ-γον με-τὰ
 my thought shar-eth no man—that in truth the wick-ed ac-tion oth-er

cres. μὲν πλεί-ο-να τίκ-τει, σφε-τέ-ρα δ' εἰ-κό-τα γέν-να. οἷ-
 such hath to its chil-dren, like it-self its gen-er-a-tions. But

cres. *cres. molto.*

- κων δ' ἄρ' εὐ-θυ-δί-κων καλ-λί-παις πότ-μος ἀ-εὶ. φι-
 in the vir-tuous home see the sons ev-er hap-py. Yet

στρ. δ.
 BASSES. *f*

f

Animato.
 - λει δὲ τίκ-τειν ὑβ-ρις μὲν πα-λαι-ὰ νε-ά-ζου-σαν ἐν κα-
 so the rule is al-ways—an-cient pride hath off-spring, in the hearts of

Animato.

- κοῖς βροτῶν ὑβριῶν τὸτ' ἢ τόθ', ὅ - τε τὸ κύ - ριον μό - λη φά - ος τόκου,
wick - edness— to-day, to - mor-row, when that the time of birth is come— a younger pride,

δαί - μο - νά τε τὰν ἄ - μαχον, ἀ - πό - λεμον, ἀ - νί - ε -
phan - tom of ill, re - doubt - a - ble, in - vin - ci - ble, im - pi - ous

- ρον θράσος, με - λαί - νας μελά - θροισιν Ἄ - τας, εἰ - δο - μέ - νας το -
hard - i - hood, a dark doom on the house impend - ing, born in the pa - rent

ἀντ. δ.
TENORS
- κεῦ - σιν. Δί - κα δὲ λάμπει μὲν ἐν δυσ - κάπνοις δά - μασιν,
im - age. But Ho - liness doth shine in smo - ki - est cot - tages,

τὸν δ' ἐν-αί - σι-μον τί-ει βί - ον. τὰ χρυ - σό-πασ-τα δ' ἔ-δεθ-λα
 prais - eth e'er the un - as - pi - ring life : if gild - ed be the pa - la - ces,

cres.
 σὺν πί - νη χει-ρῶν πα - λιν τρόποις ὄμ - μα-σι λι -
 but the hands be foul, with eyes a-part far a-way she

BASSES. *mf*
 πα - λιν τρόποις ὄμ - μα-σι λι -
 with eyes a-part far a-way she

cres.
 - ποῦς, ὅ-σι - α προσ-έ-μο-λε δύ-να-μιν οὐ σέ-βου-σα πλούτου πα-ρά -
cres.
 speeds, ho - ly homes re - vis - it - ing, honour - ing not the pow'r of rich - es nor the

cres.

f rit. 70 *a tempo.*

ση-μον αἴ-νον· πᾶν δ' ἐ-πι τέρ-μα νο-μᾶ.

f rit. *a tempo.*

praise of false-hood : all to the goal she guid - eth.

f rit. *f a tempo.*

sf

Piu animato.

sf

cres. *p*

cres. *sf*

sf *sf*

ACT II.

No. 5.

PRELUDE, CHORUS, AND TRIUMPHAL MARCH.

Moderato.

mf *cres.* *p*

mf *cres.*

dim. *cres.*

f

Animando.

cres.

Moderato, energico. f

ἄ-γε δὴ, βα-σι-λεὺ, Τροί-ας πτο-λί-πορθ', Ἀτ-ρέ-ως γέ-νεθ-

Moderato, energico. f

We sa-lute thee, O King, hail! mas-ter of Troy, son of A-treus

λον, πῶς σε προσεί-πω; πῶς σε σε-βί-ζω

thou! How to address thee, how to revere thee,

μήθ' ὑ-περ-ἄρ-ας μήθ' ὑ-πο-κάμψας και-ρὸν χά-ρι-τος; πολ-

nev-er ex-ceed-ing, nev-er o-mit-ting ser-vice that is meet? For

- λοι δὲ βροτῶν τὸ δο-κεῖν εἶ - ναι προτί - ου - σι δί-κην παραβάν-τες.

ma - ny a man doth a semblance choose, and in choos - ing is trai - tor to jus - tice.

BASSES.

τῷ δυσ-πρα-γούν-τι δ' ἐ-πι-στε-νά-χειν
To spare a sigh for a soul that is sad

mf

πᾶς τις ἔ-τοι-μος· δῆγ-μα δὲ λύ-πης οὐ - δὲν ἐφ' ἧ - παρ προσικ-
all men are rea - dy; but of the sigh - ing nought to the heart - core ev - er

poco cres.

cres.

- νεί-ται· καὶ ξυγ-χαί-ρουσ-ιν ὁ - μοι - ο-πρεπεῖς ἀ-γέ-λασ-τα πρόσω - πα βι -
com - eth. And thus they joy with a look in ac - cord, and the smile on their face is a

cres.

TENORS.
mf

- α - ζό - με - νοί. ὅσ - τισ δ' ἀ - γα - θὸς προ - βα - το - γνώ - μων, οὐκ
smile that is fore'd: but he that is quick to the points of man ne'er

ἔσ - τι λα - θεῖν ὄμ - μα - τα φω - τός, τὰ δο - κοῦντ' εὐ - φρο - νος ἐκ δι - α -
fails to re-mark eyes that ap - pear - ing full of good - ness, . . . lov - ing - kind - ness, and

TENORS.
- νοί - ας ὑ - दा - रेῖ σαί - νειν φι - λό - τη - τι.
mer - cy, do but fawn in wa - ter - y friend - ship.

BASSES.
mf

σὺ δέ μοι τό - τε μὲν στέλλων στρατι -
So a - fore, when thou went - est forth as a

cres. *mf*

- ἀν Ἐλ - έ - νης ἔ - νεκ', οὐ γάρ σ' ἐ - πι - κεύ - σω, κάρτ' ἀ - πο - μού - σως
mas - ter of sol - dier - y - nay, I will not hide it - grace - less the fig - ure

cres. *mf*

cres.

ἦσ - θα γεγραμμένος, οὐδ' εὖ πρα-πίδων οἶ - α - κα νέ-μων . .
 trac'd in my mem-o - ry: I found there a help - less helms - man of heart, . .

cres.

f

θρά-σος ἐ-κού-σι-ον ἀν-δράσι θνήσκου - σι κο -
 ev - er thy fol - lowers un - to fa - tal cour - age com -

σπρ. α.
TENORS.

mf

νῦν δ' οὐκ ἀπ' ἄκρας φρενὸς οὐδ' ἀ-φί -
 - μί - ζων. But now, from the depth of the heart and the
 - pell - ing.

mf

- λως εὖ-φρων πόλις εὖ τε-λέ-σα-σιν.
 soul, good - will go-eth out to the vic - tor.

cres.

f

γνώ-σει δὲ χρό-νον δι-α-πει-θό-με-νος τὸν τε δι-καί-ως καὶ τὸν ἄ-

f

In time shalt thou learn by a ques-tion-ing care which of the folk hath ser-ved up -

sempre f

καίρως πόλιν οἰ-κουροῦντα πο-λιτῶν.

sempre f

right-ly, or again hath worked un-time-ly.

sf

Alla marcia.

f

sf

1st time. 2nd time.

ff

Allargando.

ff *rit.*

C

No. 6.

CHORUS.

Κλ.—μέλοι δέ τοι σοὶ τῶν περ ἂν μελλῆς τελεῖν.

Maestoso.

στρ. α.

BASSES.

mf

τίπ - τε μοι τόδ' ἐμ - πέ-δωσ δει - μα προσ - τα - τή - ρι - ον
 Tell me why, at ev - 'ry hour, haunt - ing, ev - er haunt - ing fear

cres.

καρ - δί-ας τε-ρα - σκό-που πο - τᾶ - ται,
 round my soul fore-bo - ding e - vil hov - ers,

μαν - τι - πο - λει δ' ἄ - κέλευστος ἄ - μισ - θος ἄ - οι - δά,
 bursts without bid - ding or fee in - to chant - ing pro - phet - ic?

οὐδ' ἀ-πο-πύ-σαι δί-καν δυσ - κρί-των ὄν - ει - ρά-των
And when I would cast it out, as a dusk - y dream a - way,

θάρ - σος εὐ - πι-θές ἴ - ζει φρε-νὸς φί-λον θρό-νον ;
nev - er con - fi-dence com - eth to oc - cu - py my soul :

mf χρό-νος δ' ἐ - πὶ πρυμ - νη - σί-ων ξυν - εμ - βο-λαῖς
for lo, the time, since first the ca - bles of the fleet

cres.

mf *cres.*

ψαμ - μί-ας ἀ - κά-τας παρ-ή - βη-σεν, εὐθ' ὑπ' Ἴ - λι-ον ὤρ - το
set their grasp on the shore—the time a - geth, since to I - li - um sped the

sf

ναν - βά-τας στρα-τός.
 host of ma - ri - ners.

sf

ἀντ. α.
 TENORS.

πεύ - θο-μαι δ' ἀπ' ὀμ - μά-των
 Now the wit - ness of mine eyes

dim. *p*

νόσ - τον, αὐ - τό-μαρ - τος ὄν' τὸν δ' ἄ-νευ λύ-ρας ὄ-μως ὑμ -
 tell - eth me of their re - turn : yet my heart with - in me, self - in -

- νῶ - δεῖ θρῆ-νον Ἐ-ρι - νύ-ος αὐ - το-δί-δακ-τος ἔ -
 spi - ring, wail - eth a dirge of the Fu - ry, a me - lo - dy

cres.

- σω - θεν θυμός, οὐ τὸ πᾶν ἔχων ἐλ - πίδος φίλον θράσος.
mourn - ful, wail-eth in the need of hope, need of fond encour - agement.

σπλάγχνα δ' οὐ - τι μα - τὰ - ζει πρὸς ἐν - δί - κοις φρε - σὶν τε - λεσ - φό -
Not in vain is the warn - ing, when with the tide of ex - pec - ta - tion

mf

- ροις δί - ναις κυκ - λού - μενον κέ - αρ.
sure the heart is beat - ing in the breast.

f >

εὐ - χομαι δ' ἀπ' ἐμᾶς τοι - αὐτ' ἐλ - πίδος ψύ - θη πεσεῖν
Yet I pray in my soul of hope, that the woe may fall a - way,

poco rit. *a tempo.*

ἔς τὸ μὴ τε-λεσ - φό-ρον.
fail of all ac-com - plishment.

στρ. β.
BASSES.

f

μά-λα γέ τοι τὸ με-γά-λας ὑ-γι-εί-ας ἀ-κό-ρεσ - τον τέρμα.
Now ev-'ry man of health and hap - piness seeketh ev - er am - pler measure :

νό - σος γὰρ ἀ - εὶ γεί - των ὀ - μό-τοι - χος ἐ - ρεί - δει, καὶ
for sick - ness a - bides close, close to the thres - hold a - wait - ing, and

πότμος εὐ-θυπορῶν
oft a for - tunate life

ἄν-δρὸς ἔ-παι-σεν ἄ-φαν-τον ἔρ-μα. καὶ τὸ μὲν πρὸ χρη-μά-των
 stri - keth a reef 'neath the sur - face hid - den. If the au - xious ma - ri - ner

f
 κτη - σί - ων ὄκ - νος βα-λὼν σφεν - δό - νας ἀπ' εὐ - μέ-τρον,
 by the board in mea - sur'd throw cast a part to save the whole—

mf
 οὐκ ἔ - δυ πρό-πας δό - μος πη - μο - νᾶς γέ - μων ἄγ - αν,
 so the o - ver - load - ed home sink - eth not for mis - er - y,

p
 οὐδ' ἐ - πόν - τι-σεσκά-φος. πολ-λά τοι δόσις ἐκ Δι-ὸς ἀμ-φι-λα-
 so the bark es-cap-eth wreck. Oft the gift of the gods, and the blessing of

cres. *f* > >

- φής τε καὶ ἐξ ἀλόκων ἐπ-ε-τει-ᾶν νῆσ-τιν ὤ-λε-σεν νό-σον.
year - ly re-new - al, the seed-time and har-vest, drive the fa - mine-plague a - way.

cres. *f*

TENORS. ἀντ. β.

mf 3

τὸ δ' ἐ - πὶ γᾶν πε-σὸν ᾶ -
But if on earth fall-eth the

mf

- παξ θα-νά - σι-μον προ-πά - ροιθ' ἄν - δρὸς μέ-λαν αἷ - μα τίς ἂν πάλιν
dark blood of a man to the death struck down, who can ask it a - gain, with the

ἀγ - κα-λέσαιτ' ἐπ - α - εἶ - δων ; οὐ - δὲ τὸν ὀρ - θο-δα-ῆ τῶν .
voice of the charm - er up - rai - sing ? A mas - ter, skill'd to re - call souls . .

p

· φθι-μέ-νων ἀ-νά-γειν Ζεὺς ἀ-πέ-παν-σεν ἐπ' εὐ - λα-βεί - α ;
 · from the dark-ness of death, Zeus put a - way, to the rest a warn - ing.

mf
 εἰ δὲ μὴ τε-ταγ - μέ-να μοῖ - ρα μοῖ - ραν ἐκ θε - ῶν
 And un - less di - vine de - cree set a coun - ter - poise of fate,

mf

p
 εἰρ - γε μὴ πλέ-ον φέ-ρειν, προ-φθά-σα - σα καρ - δί - α
 bal - an - cing the more and less— now my thought had slipt the chain,

p

γλῶσ-σαν ἂν . . . τὰδ' ἐξ - έ - χει.
 voic - ing all . . . that lay with - in.

p

p *cres.*

ἡὺν δ' ὑπὸ σκότῳ βρέμει θυμ-αλ-γῆς τε καὶ οὐ-δὲν ἐπ-ελ-πο-μέ-

But in si - lent dark - ness now griev - ing sore am I tried, and I have not a

p *cres.*

ff *>*

- να πο-τὲ καί-ρι-ον ἐκ-το-λυ-πέυσειν ζω - πυ-ρου-μέ-νας φρε-

hope of un-ra-vel-ling ut - ter con - fu - sion : so . . my heart is rent in

sf *ff* *>*

- νόσ.

twain.

Allargando.

No. 7. THE LAMENT AND PROPHECY OF CASSANDRA, AND CHORUS.

Χο.—εἴκουσ' ἀνάγκη τῆδε κείνισον ζυγόν.

Maestoso.

στρ. α.

CASSANDRA.

ὁ - το - το - το - τοῖ πό - ποι δᾶ. ὦ - πολ - λον ὦ -
Ah, pi - ty me now, A - pol - lo! O cru - el! . too

- πολ - λον.
cru - el!BASSES. *Quasi parlante.*

τί ταῦτ' ἀ - νω - τό - τυ - ξας ἀμ - φι Λοξ - ί - ου ;
Why dost thou shriek for pi - ty un - to Lox - i - as?

ἀντ. α.

ὁ - το - το - το - τοῖ πό - ποι δᾶ.
Ah! pi - ty me now, A - pol - lo!

οὐ γὰρ τοι οὗτος ὥσ - τε θρη - νη - τοῦ τυ - χεῖν.
'Tis not his manner woe - ful wailing thus to hear.

ᾠ - πολ-λον ᾠ - πολ-λον.
 O cru - el! too cru - el!

TENORS.

ἡ δ' αὖ - τε δυσ - φη -
 Lo! once a - gain the

p

- μού - σα τὸν θε - ὄν κα - λεί οὐ - δὲν προσ - ἤ - κοντ' ἐν γό -
 voice ill - o - men'd, and the cry un - to a god who aid - eth

στρ. β.

Ἄ - πολ - λον Ἄ - πολ - λον ἄ - γι -
 A - pol - lo, A - pol - lo, how art

- οἰς πα - ρα - στα - τεῖν.
 not in mis - e - ry.

- ἀτ' ἀ - πόλ - λων ἐ - μός. ἀπώλεσας γὰρ οὐ μόνις τὸ δεύτερον.
 thou A - pol - lo to me! For now thy name is proved in very sooth again.

BASSES.

χρή-σειν ἑ-οι - κεν ἀμ-φὶ τῶν αὐ-τῆς κακῶν. μέ-νει τὸ θεῖ-ον δου - λί -
 The maid - en speak - eth of her own un - hap - pi - ness; for e'en in bondage is she

p

ἀντ. β.

"Α - πολ - λον "Α - πολ - λον ἀ - γυι -
 A - pol - lo, A - pol - lo, how art

- α περ ἐν φρε-νί.
 still a pro - phet - ess.

- ἀτ' ἀ-πόλ-λων ἐ-μός. ἃ ποῖ ποτ' ἤγαγές με ; πρὸς ποίαν στέγην ;
 thou A-pol-lo to me ! Ah, whither hast thou brought me ? who the masters here ?

TENORS.
mf
 πρὸς τὴν Ἀ-τρει - δῶν· εἰ σὺ μὴ τόδ' ἐν - νο - εῖς,
 The sons of A - treus : if thou know'st it not thy - self,

mf

ἐ - γὼ λέ - γω σοι· καὶ τὰδ' οὐκ ἐ - ρεῖς ψύ - θη.
 I tell thee plain - ly, and thou shalt not say 'tis false.

στρ. γ.

μισόθεον μὲν οὖν, πολλὰ συνίστορα
 αὐτόφωνα κακὰ καὶ ἀρτάνας,
 ἀνδρὸς σφαγεῖον καὶ πέδον ῥαντήριον.

BASSES. *mf*

ἔ - οι - κεν εὖ - ρις
 The strang-er - wo - man,

mf

ἡ ξέ - νη κυ - νὸς δι - κην εἶ - ναι, μα - τεύ - ει δ'
 look, she stand - eth as a hound scent - ing: and track - eth

ἀντ. δ.

μαρτυρίοισι γὰρ τοῖσδ' ἐπιπέιθομαι * * *
 πρὸς πατρὸς βεβρωμένας.

ὧν ἀν - ευ - ρή - σει φό - νον.
 death, yea, where it shall be found.

dim.

TENORS.

mf

ἦ - μεν κλέ-ος σου μαν-τι-κὸν πεπυ-μέ-νοι· τού-των προφή-τας δ'οὐ -
 Nay, we have heard it, heard thy fame in pro-phe-cy: here - in we need not furth -

mf *poco cres.*

στρ. δ.

ὦ πόποι, τί ποτε μῆδεται; * * * ἀλλὰ δ' ἐκὰς ἀποστατεῖ.

τι-νας μα-τεύ-ο-μεν.
 er ev - i - dence of thee.

BASSES.

τού-των ἄ-ιδ-ρίς εἰ-μι τῶν μαντευ-μάτων. ἐ-κεῖ-να δ' ἔγ-νων·
 In part I may not un-derstand thy pro-phe-cy— a part I know, for

p

ἀντ. δ.

ἰ - ὠ τά - λαι - να, τό - δε
No, no! O cru - el, wilt thou

πᾶ - σα γὰρ πό - λεις βο - ᾶ.
all the town doth ech - o it.

*γὰρ τελεῖς, τὸν ὁμοδέμμιον πόσιν λουτροῖσι φαιδρύνασα— * * **
do the deed? *ἐκ χειρὸς ὀρέγματα.*

TENORS. pp

οὐ - πω ξυν - ἦ - κα·
Not yet per - ceiv - ing,

νῦν γὰρ ἐξ αἰ - νυγ - μά - των ἐπ - αρ - γέ - μοι - σι
in the maze of mys - te - ry I wait and won - der,

στρ. ε.

ἔ ἔ, πα-παί, πα-παί,
Yes, yes! what now? what now?

θεσ - φά-τοις ἄ - μη - χα-νῶ.
help - less in per - plex - i - ty.

τί τό - δε φαί - νε - ται ; ἡ δίκτυόν τί γ' Ἰδίου ; * * *
what is the fan - ta - sy? κατολολυξάτω θύματος λευσίμου.

BASSES.

ποί - αν Ἐ - ρι - νὺν τήν - δε δώ - μα - σιν κέ - λει ἐπ - ορ - θι -
What is the fu - ry, whom thou bid - dest here to raise a song of

p

TENORS.

- ά-ζειν ; οὐ με φαι-δρύ-νει λό-γος. έ - πι δέ καρ-δί-αν
 tri-umph? 'tis no cheer-ing au - gu-ry! And to the heart the blood

έ-δρα-με κρο-κο-βα-φής στα-γών, ά - τε και - ρί - α πτώ - σι - μος
 pale in a fren - zy of fear doth flow, e - ven as in death's ag - on - y

ξυν - α - νύ - τει βί - ου δύν - τος αὐ - γαίς, τα - χεῖ - α δ' ά - τα πέ -
 set - teth the light of life slow - ly fail - ing. But quick - ly fall - eth the

ἀντ. ε.

ἄ ἄ, ἰ - δοὺ ἰ - δοὺ ἄπεχε τῆς βοῆς τὸν ταῦρον * * * *
 Look, look! be-hold, be-hold! δολοφόνου λέβητος τύχαν σοι λέγω.

- λει.
gloom.

BASSES.

οὐ κομ - πά - σαιμ' ἂν θεσ - φά - των γνώ - μων ἄκ - ρος
 I may not boast high skill to judge of or - a - cles

p

εἶ - ναι, κα - κῶ δέ τῳ προσ - ει - κά - ζω τά - δε.
 tru - ly, but here me-thinks is e - vil fan - ta - sy.

ἀ - πὸ δὲ θεσ - φά - των τίς ἀ - γα - θὰ φά - τισ
 No voice pro - phet - ic speak - eth words of hap - pi - ness,

βρο-τοῖς στέλ - λε - ται ; κα - κῶν γὰρ δι - αἰ πο - λυ - ε -
of peace un - to men— but al - ways of woe, prom - ise of

- πείσ τεχ - ναι θεσ - πι - ω - δὸν φό - βον φέ - ρου - σιν μα -
woe to come, dark - ly sha - dow'd ; and who - so hear - eth shall

στρ. 5.
CASSANDRA.

ἰὼ ἰὼ ταλαίνας κακόποτμοι τύχαι * * * *
οὐδέν ποτ' εἰ μὴ ξυνθανομένην. τί γάρ ;

- θεῶν.
fear.

Moderato. TENORS.

φρε - νο - μα - νής τις εἶ θε - ο - φό - ρη - τος, ἀμ - φι δ' ἄμ - φι δ'
Thou art a cra - zy soul, in - fat - u - a - ted, sing - ing

Moderato.

p

col 8va.

αὐ - τὰς θρο-εῖς νό-μον ἄ - νο-μον, οἰ - ἄ τις ξου - θὰ ἄ - κό-ρε-τος βο -
 thus of thy-self in a mel-o-dy wild and won-der-ful, as a - ny night - in -

- ἄς, φεῦ, . . . τα - λαι - ναις φρε-σὶν Ἴ - τυν Ἴ -
 - gale. Ah! . . . the sad night - in - gale! I - tys, I -

- τυν στέ-νουσ' ἀμ - φι - θα-λῆ κα - κοῖς ἄ - η - δὼν βί - ον.
 - tys la - ment - ing, in a life of un - a - vail - ing sor - row.

cres.

ἀντ. ς.
 CASSANDRA.

ἰ - ὦ ἰ - ὦ λυγείας μόρον ἀηδόνας.
 A - las, a - las! for thee, O piteous nightingale!
 περίβαλον γάρ οἱ πτεροφόρον δέμας
 θεοὶ γλυκύν τ' αἶψα κλαυμάτων ἄτερ'
 ἐμοὶ δὲ μίμνει σχισμὸς ἀμφήκει δορί.

BASSES.

mf.

πό - θεν ἐ - πισ - σύ - τους θε - ο - φό - ρους τ' ἔ -
 Whence com - eth un - to thee this tor - tur - ing, this

mf.

- χεις μα - ταί - ουσ . . . δύ - ας, τὰ δ' ἐ - πί - φο - βα δύσ - φά - τω
 cru - el search - ing . . . of heart! For thy ter - ror - song some - times in

cres.

cres.

κλαυ - γῆ με - λο - τυ - πείς ὁ - μοῦ τ' ὀρ - θί - οις .
 dis - cord, some - times in mel - o - dy clear - ly re -

cres.

cres.

ἐν νόμοις ; πό - θεν ὄ - ρους ἔ - χεις θεσ - πε - σί - ας ὁ -
 - ech - o - eth. And whence hast thou the law guid - ing thy pro - phet -

cres. molto.

στρ. ζ.
f

ἰ - ὦ γά - μοι γάμοι Πάριδος ὀλέθριοι φίλων.
 A - las the day, the day when Paris did wed his doom and ours.

- δοῦ κα - κορ - ρή - μο - νας ;
 - voice to a tale of woe?

f

ἰ - ὦ Σκαμάνδρου πάτριον ποτόν. * * * ὄχθας ἔοικα θεσπιωδέσειν τάχα.
 A - las, Sca - mander, river of my youth !

sf

TENORS.

mf

τί τό - δε το - ρὸν ἄ - γαν ἔ - πος ἔ -
 What is this mes - sage of thine, this mes - sage

φ - μί - σω ; νε - ό - γο - νος ἂν ἄ - ἴ - ων μά - θοι. πέ -
 man - i - fest? A new-born babe might un - der - stand the rede. My

- πλῆγ - μαι δ' ὑ - παὶ δά - κει φοι - νί - φ δυσ - αλ - γεῖ τύ -
 heart bleed - eth sore for thee, bleed - eth sore in an - guish for

rit.

- χα μι - νν - ρὰ κα - κὰ θρε - ο - μέ - νας, θραύ - ματ' ἔ - μοὶ κλύ -
 thee, when in a shriek of pit - i - ful pain thou dost re - veal thy

rit.

ἀντ. ζ.
CASSANDRA.

ὀ-ὠ πόνοι πόνοι πόλεος ὀλομένας τὸ πᾶν. ὀ-ὠ πρόπυργοι θυσίαι
A-las! the toil and pain, (for that our city is brought) In vain my father's sac-ri-fee,
to nought.)

- εὐν.
doom.

πατὴρὸς πολυκανεῖς βοτῶν ποιονόμων * * * ἐγὼ δὲ θερμόνους
which was offered for us of all flocks of the field. τᾶχ' ἐμπέδω βαλῶ.

Meno mosso.
TENORS.
BASSES.

ἐ-πό-με-να προ-τέ-ροι-σι τὰδ' ἐ-φη-μί-σω. καὶ τίς σε κα-
This pro-phet-ey to that oth-er hast thou lik-en-ed: some god in his

Meno mosso.
p

κο - φρο - νῶν τί - θη - σι δαί - μων . . ὑ - περ - βα - ρῆς ἐμ - πί τνων με -
mal - ice bear - eth heav - y on thee, . . and cru - el for - ceth thy lips to

- λῖ - ζειν πά - θη γο - ε - ρὰ θά - να - το - φό - ρα. τέρ - μα δ' ἀ -
ut - ter a woe pi - ti - ful, and a death to come : hid - den the

- μη - χα - νῶ.
end there of.

pp

INTERMEZZO.

Adagio.
pp

mf *dim.*

pp *rit.*

p *pp*

8310. *Segue.*

The musical score is written for piano in 4/4 time, featuring a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The piece is marked *Adagio*. The first system begins with a *pp* dynamic. The second system includes *mf* and *dim.* markings. The third system continues the melodic and harmonic development. The fourth system features a *pp* dynamic and a *rit.* (ritardando) marking. The fifth system concludes with a *p* dynamic and a *pp* dynamic. The score ends with the number 8310 and the word *Segue.*

ACT III.

No. 8.

CHORUS.

Allegro.

BASSES. *mf*

τὸ μὲν εὖ πράσ-σεν ἀ - κό-ρεσ-τον ἔ - φυ
'Tis a law of life that a man in his wealth

p TENORS. *mf*

πᾶ - σι βρο-τοῖ-σιν δακ - τυ - λο-δείκ-των δ' οὐ - τις ἀπ -
can - not be sa - ted: and though the home be en - vied of

dim.

- εἰ - πῶν εἶ - γει με-λά-θρων, μη - κέτ' ἐσ - ἐλ - θης, τὰ - δε
all men, yet none ev - er saith "Nay, hith - er come not" un - to

dim.

φω - νῶν.
for - tune.

BASSES. *mf* *cres.*

καὶ τῷ - δε πό - λιν μὲν ἐ - λείν ἔ - δο - σαν μά - κα -
And in - to my lord Hea - ven grant - ed to win Pri - am's

TENORS. *mf*

- ρες Πρι ά μου θε - ο - τί - μη - τος δ' οἵ - καδ' ἰ - κά - νει.
town in the war: where - fore in hon - our home - ward he com - eth.

BASSES. *p*

νῦν δ' εἰ προ - τέ -
But now, if for

cres. Animando.

- ρων αἱμ' ἀποτίση καὶ τοῖσι θάνοσι θά -
blood blood must be ren - der'd, if he by his death for the

cres.

p

- νὸν ἄλ - λων ποι - νὰς θά - νά - των ἐ - πι - κρά - νη,
deaths by - gone en - tail - eth a death - ly re - qui - tal -

p *f* 3

mf

τίς ἂν εὖ - ξαι - το
who then shall glo - ry,

p

τίς ἂν εὖ -
who then shall

sf *p*

dim.

βρο - τὸς ὧν ἀ - σι - νεῖ δαί - μο - νι φῦ - ναι
when he hear - eth the tale, that in his for - tune

- ξαι - το βρο - τὸς ὧν ἀ - σι - νεῖ δαί - μο - νι
glo - ry, when he hear - eth the tale, that in his

dim.

τὰδ' ἄ - κού-ων ;
he is scathe-less?

dim.

φύ - ναι *τὰδ' ἄ - κού-ων ;*
for - tune he is scathe-less?

p

> — *ff* — *pp*

più mosso. agitato.

f — *p*

cres.

First system of musical notation, featuring a treble and bass clef staff. The music consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, with some slurs and accents.

Second system of musical notation, featuring a treble and bass clef staff. The music consists of quarter and eighth notes, with some slurs and accents.

Third system of musical notation, featuring a treble and bass clef staff. The music consists of quarter and eighth notes, with some slurs and accents.

Fourth system of musical notation, featuring a treble and bass clef staff. The music consists of quarter and eighth notes, with some slurs and accents. Dynamic markings *p* and *f* are present.

Fifth system of musical notation, featuring a treble and bass clef staff. The music consists of quarter and eighth notes, with some slurs and accents. Dynamic markings *p* and *pp* are present.

No. 9. LAMENT AND RECITATIVE.—CHORUS AND CLYTAEMNESTRA.

Κλ.—εὐνῆς παροφώνημα τῆς ἐμῆς χλιδῆς.

Allegro maestoso. στρ. α.
BASSES. *f*

Allegro maestoso. *f*

φεῦ, τίς ἂν ἐν τά-χει,
O, for a speed-y death,

μῆ πε-ρι-ώ-δυ-νος, μη-δὲ δεμ-νι-ο-τή-ρης, μό-
death with-out ag-o-ny, wea-ry watch-es es-ca-ping—a

-λοι τὸν ἄ-εὶ φέ-ρουσ' ἐν ἡ-μῖν Μοῖρ' ἄ-τέ-λευ-του ὑπ-νον, δα-μέν-τος
death that may bring to our en-treat-y sleep ne-ver-end-ing, now that our help-er,

φύ-λα-κος εὐ-με-ν-εσ-τά-του πο-λέ-α τλάν-τος γυ-ναι-κὸς δι-αί; . .
now that our mas-ter is no more. Much he en-du-red a wo-man to save: . .

f *allargando.*

πρὸς γυναι - κὸς δ' ἀπ - έφ - θι - σεν βί - ον.
 yet a wo - man his life hath torn a - way.

allargando. *f a tempo.*

έφυμν. α. (στρ. β.)
 TENORS.

f *mf* *3*

ὶ - ὦ ἰ - ὦ πα - ρά - νους Ἑ - λέ - να μί - α τὰς
 A - las, a - las! Fie on thee, Hel - e - na! By thy sin

πολ - λὰς, τὰς πὰ - νυ πολ - λὰς ψυ - χὰς ὁ - λέ - σασ' ἱ - πὸ Τροί - α.
 ma - ny, ay, ve - ry ma - ny he - roes thou hast slain in the Troy - land.

f

νῦν δὲ τε - λεί - αν πο - λύμ - νασ - του ἐπ - ην - θί - σω δι
 This is the end - ing, a re - venge in - ef - face - a - ble, a

αἰμ' ἄ-νιπ-τον, ἤ - τις ἦν τότ' ἐν δό-μοις ἔ-ρις ἐ-ρίδ -
 stain for ev - er. Sure - ly in this home is born a strife of a

dim.

στρ. γ.
CLYTEMNESTRA.

μηδὲν θανάτου μοῖραν ἐπέυχου
τοῖσδε βαρυνθείς·

TENORS.

- μα - τος ἀν - δρὸς οἰ - ζύς.
strife, the mas - ter's au - guish!

μηδ' εἰς Ἑλένην * * *
ἀξύστατον ἄλγος ἔπραξε.

ἀντ. α.
BASSES.

δαῖ - μον, ὃς ἐμ - πίτ - νεις
Fall - en is now the doom,

p

cres.

δώ - μα - σι καὶ δι - φνί - οἱ - σι Ταν - τα - λί - δαι - σιν, κράτος τ' ἰ - σό - ψυ - χον
Tan - ta - lus' house in its two - fold branch - es af - flict - ing. And dire is the sway of

cres.

p

ἐκ γυ - ναι - κῶν καρ - δι - ὀ - δηκ - τον ἐ - μοὶ κρατύ - νεις. ἐ - πὶ δὲ
ty - rant - wo - men, bit - ter the tri - umph of cru - el sis - ters. See, o'er the

p

σώ - μα - τος δί - καν μοι κό - ρα - κος ἐχ - θροῦ σταθεῖς, ἐκ - νό - μως
fall - en bo - dy stand - eth, as a grim ra - ven, the queen, all the while

poco rit. e dim.

ὑμ - νον ὑμ - νεῖν ἐπ - εύ - χε - ται δό - μοις.
croak - ing loud - ly a tune - less taunt of woe!

poco rit.

a tempo. p

ἀντ. γ.

CLYTEMNESTRA.

νῦν δ' ὄρθωσας στόματος γνώμην, * * * * τὸ παλαιὸν ἄχος, νέος ἰχώρ.

TENORS.

στρ. δ.

ἦ μέ - γαν οἰ - κο - νό - μον
Might - i - ly haunt - ing the home,

δαί - μο - να καὶ βα - ρύ - μη - νιν αἰ - νεῖς, φεῦ φεῦ, κα - κὸν
might - i - ly wrath - ful the curse a - bi - deth. Ah me! 'tis a

αἰ - νου ἀ - τη - ρᾶς τύ - χας ἀ - κο - ρέσ - του ἰ -
dark and drear - y tale of woe nev - er sa - ted. A -

- ἡ ἰ - ἡ δι - αὶ Δι - ὄς παν - αι - τί - ου παν - ερ - γέ - τα·
 - las! the hand of Zeus is here, that caus - eth all, that do - eth all:

p
 τί γὰρ βρο - τοῦς ἄ - νευ Δι - ὄς τε - λεί - ται; τί τῶνδ'
 for un - to man is noth - ing wrought with - out him, and here

ἔφην. β. f
 οὐ θε - ο - κραν - τόν ἐσ - τιν; ἰ - ῶ ἰ - ῶ
 what hath he not or - dain - ed? A-lack! A-las!
 ἰ - ῶ ἰ - ῶ
 A-lack! A-las!

p
 βα - σι - λεῦ βα - σι - λεῦ, πῶς σε δακ - ρύ - σω;
 King o' mine! King o' mine! How shall I weep thee?
p

mf

φρενὸς ἐκ φι-λί-ας τί ποτ' εἶ - πω ; κείσαι δ' ἀ-ράχ-νης ἐν ὑ -

mf

For the love of my heart how address thee? Down, down in the toils of a

mf

f *dim.*

- φάσ - μα-τι τῷδ' ἀ-σε - βεῖ θανά-τω βί - ον ἐκ - πνέων.

f *dim.*

spi - der - y web, by an im - pi - ous death ex - pi - ring.

f *dim.*

p

ὦ - μοι μοι κοί-ταν τάνδ' ἀ-νε - λεύ - θε-ρον δο - λι - φ μόρω δα -

p

O shame, shame! laid, low laid in hu - mil - i - ty, by a sub - tle, wife - ly

p

- μεις δάμαρ-τος ἐκ χερὸς ἀμ-φι-τό-μῳ βε-λέμ-νῳ.
stroke de-stry-ed, thou of an axe dou-ble-edged the vic-tim!

στρ. ε.
CLYTEMNESTRA.

αὐχεῖς εἶναι τὸδε τοῦργον ἐμόν·
μηδ' ἐπελεχθῆς
Ἄγαμεμνονίαν εἶναι μ' ἄλοχον. φανταζόμενος δὲ γυναικὶ * * * *
τέλεον νεαροῖς ἐπιθύσας.

ἀντ. δ.
BASSES.

ὡς μὲν ἀν-αί-τι-ος εἶ τοῦ-δε φό-νου τίς . . . ὁ μαρ-τυ-
So thou art in-nocent, thou? yet of the crime who . . . will e'er ac-

- ρή-σων; πῶ . . . πῶ; πα-τρό-θεν δὲ συλ
- quit thee? Nay, . . . nay: yet the Fiend of the

- λήπ-τωρ γέ-νοιτ' ἂν ἄ-λασ-τωρ. *p* βι - άξ - ε-ται δ' ὄμοσπ-όροις ἐ -
house - hold is sure - ly be - hind thee. For lo, with ev - er - flow - ing streams of

- πιρ - ρο - αἰ - σιν αἰ - μά - των μέ - λας Ἄρης, ὁ - ποι δί - καν προ -
kin - dred slaugh - ter dusk - y hav - oc press - eth on, un - til his march shall

- βαί - νων πά - χνα κου - ρο - βό - ρφ παρ - ἔξ - ει.
win re - quit - al for that un - ho - ly ban - quet.

ἐφθυμ. β.
f ἰ - ὦ ἰ - ὦ βασι - λεῦ βασι - λεῦ,
A - lack ! A - las ! King o' mine ! King o' mine !

πὼς σε δακ - ρύ - σω ; φρενὸς ἐκ φι - λίας τί ποτ' εἶπω ;

How shall I weep thee? For the love of my heart how ad - dress thee ?

κεῖ - σαι δ' ἀράχνης ἐν ὑ - φάσ - μα - τι τῷδ' ἀ - σε -

Down, down in the toils of a spi - der - y web, by an

- βεῖ θα - νά - τω βί - ον ἐκ - πνέων.

im - pi - ous death . . ex - pi - ring.

p *dim.*

ὦ - μοι μοι κοί-ταν τάνδ' ἀν - ε - λεύ - θε-ρον δο-λί - α μό-ρφ δα -

p *dim.*

O shame, shame! laid, low laid in hu - mil - i - ty, by a sub - tle, wife - ly

p *cres.*

- μεις δάμαρτος ἐκ χειρὸς ἀμ-φι-τό-μῳ βε-λέμ - νῳ.

p *cres.*

stroke de-stry-ed, thou of an axe dou-ble-edged the vic - tim!

ἀντ. ε.
CLYTAEMNESTRA.

οὐτ' ἀνελεύθερον οἶμαι θάνατον τᾶδε γενέσθαι.
* * * * * ξιφοδηλήτω θανάτῃ τίσας ἄπερ ἦρξεν.

στρ. σ.
BASSES. *Più mosso.*

f

ἀ - μῆ - χα - νῶ φρον - τί - δος στε -
My mind a - stray wan - der' - eth dis -

Più mosso.

- ρη - θείς εὐ - πά - λα - μον μέ - ρι - μ - ναν ὄ - πα τρά -
- tract - ed : how shall I seek a ref - uge, and whith - er

dim.

- πω - μαι, . . . πίτ - νον - τος οἷ - κου. δέ - δοι - κα δ'
wend - ing? . . . The ru - in fall - eth. I fear the

mf cres.

dim.

3
ὄμ - βρον κτύ - πον δο - μο - σφα - λῆ τὸν αἰ - μα - τη - ρόν· ψα - κὰς δὲ
storm that is like to wreck the house, the storm of blood - shed : the rain is

cres.

f cres.

λή-γει. δέ-κην δ' ἐπ' ἄλ-λο πρᾶγ-μα θη-γα νει βλά-βης πρὸς
 ceas-ing, but Jus-tice for an-oth-er deed of blood her right-eous

cres.

ff

ἄλ-λαις θη-γά-ναι-σι Μοῖρα. ἰ-ὼ γᾶ . .
 sword I know . . is hour-ly whetting. O earth! earth!

ff

ἔφ. γ. (ἀντ. β.)
 TENORS.

γᾶ, εἴθ' ἔμ' ἐ-δέξ-ω, πρὶν τόνδ' ἐπ-ι-δεῖν
 earth! would thou hadst ta'en me, or e'er I had lived

f >

ἄρ-γυ-ρο-τοί-χου δροί-τας κατέ-χον-τα χα-μέυ-νην.
 so to be-hold him, low laid in a ves-sel of sil-ver.

p

τίς ὁ θάψων υν; τίς ὁ θρηνήσων;
Who shall bu-ry him? who shall la-ment him?

p

p *cres.*

ἦ σὺ τόδ' ἔρ-ξαι τλήσει, κτεί-νασ' ἄν-δρα τὸν αὐ-τῆς ἀ-πο-
Wilt thou ful-fil this du-ty? wilt stand, wail-ing a wi-dow for the

p *cres.*

cres.

κω-κῦ-σαι, ψυχῆ τ' ἄ-χα-ριω χάρτιν ἀντ' ἔρ-γων με-γά-λων ἀ-δί-κως ἐ-πι-
hus-band slain, his soul to re-pay by a thankless boon, for the sin that was great in the

cres.

p *cres.*

κρᾶναι; τίς δ' ἐ-πι-τύμ-βι-ον
sin-ning? Who shall up-lift o'er the

mf

τίς δ' ἐ-πι-τύμ-βι-ον αἰ-νον ἐπ' ἄν-δρὶ θεί-ῳ σὺν
Who shall up-lift o'er the tomb of the god-like he-ro the

mf

aî - νον ἐπ' ἀν - δρὶ θεί - α σὺν δακ - ρύ - οῖς ἰ - ἀπ - τῶν
 tomb of the god - like he - ro the laud of lam - en - ta - tion

δακ - ρύ - οῖς ἰ - ἀπ - τῶν ἀ - λα - θεί - α φρε - νῶν πο -
 laud of lam - en - ta - tion in true - heart - ed, in loy - al

cres.

ἀ - λα - θεί - α φρε - νῶν πο - νή - σει ;
 in true - heart - ed, in loy - al sor - row ?

- νή - σει ;
 sor - row ?

f cres.

στρ. ζ.
 ΟΛΥΤΑΕΜΝΕΣΤΡΑ.

*οὐ σὲ προσήκει τὸ μέλημ' ἀλέγειν τοῦτο· ἀλλ' Ἴφιγένειά λιν * * **
** * * * ὑπὸ κλαυθμῶν τῶν ἐξ οἴκων, περὶ χεῖρε βαλοῦσα φιλήσει.*

sf *p* *rit.*

TENORS.

άντ. ζ.

p

ὀ - νεί - δος ἤκει τόδ' άντ' ὀ -

BASSES.

p

3

Re - vi - ling an-swer-eth so re -

f *sf* *p*

- νεί - δους.

p

δύσ - μα - χα δ' ἔσ - τι

- vi - ling :

p

who shall give right - eous

mf *p*

κρί - ναι.

f *p*

φέ - ρει φέ - ροντ , ἐκ - τίνει δ' ὀ

judg - ment ? Theft for the thief, slaugh - ter for the

f *p*

dim.

p

cres.

καί-νον. μίμ - νει δὲ μίμ-νον-τος ἐν . . θρό-νω Δι - ὄς πα-θειν τὸν ἕρξ -

cres.

slay - er: yea, . . so sure, as Zeus is sure . . up - on his throne is pain for the

mf *cres.*

- αν - τα' θέσ - μι-ον γάρ.

sin - ner. So 'tis or - der'd

f

f

f

τίς ἂν γο-νὰν ἀρ-αί-ον ἐκ - βά-λοι δό -

Who then the breed of cur - ses cast - eth out from

dim. *p*

- μων ;

κε - κόλ - λη - ται γε - νος πρὸς

hence ?

The house is ma - ted un - to

The first system of the musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line in G major, starting with a rest followed by a melodic phrase. The middle staff is a bass line, also in G major, with a similar melodic line. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment, featuring a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#).

ἀντ. ζ.
CLYTEMNESTRA.

ἐς τόνδ' ἐνέβη ξὺν ἀληθείᾳ χρῆσμός.

ἄ - τα.

ru - in.

The second system of the musical score consists of four staves. The top staff is a vocal line for Clytemnestra, starting with a rest followed by a melodic phrase. The second staff is a bass line. The third and fourth staves are piano accompaniment, with a complex rhythmic pattern in the bass and chords in the right hand. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#).

ἐγὼ δ' οὖν ἐθέλω δαίμονι τῷ Πλεισθενιδῶν ὄρκους θεμένη τάδε μὲν στέργειν,

The third system of the musical score consists of three staves. The top staff is a vocal line, starting with a rest followed by a melodic phrase. The middle staff is a bass line. The bottom staff is a piano accompaniment, with a complex rhythmic pattern in the bass and chords in the right hand. The key signature has two sharps (F# and C#).

δύσπλητά περ ὄνθ'· ὁ δὲ λοιπὸν, ἰόντ' ἐκ τῶνδε δόμων ἄλλην γενεὰν τρίβειν θανάτοις αὐθέν-

- ταισι· κτεάνων τε μέρος βαιὸν ἐχούση πᾶν ἀπόχρη μοι μανίας

μελάθρων ἀλληλοφόνους ἀφελούση.

Allegro.

ff sf

Enter Aegisthus.

CODA.

The musical score for the Coda section is written in 4/4 time and consists of five systems of piano and treble staves. The key signature is three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat).

- System 1:** The piano part begins with a *p* (piano) dynamic and a *Maestoso* tempo marking. It features a steady eighth-note accompaniment. The treble part has a melodic line with slurs. A *cres.* (crescendo) marking is placed above the piano part.
- System 2:** The piano part continues with the eighth-note accompaniment. The treble part has a melodic line with slurs. A *cres.* marking is placed above the piano part.
- System 3:** The piano part continues with the eighth-note accompaniment. The treble part has a melodic line with slurs. A *cres.* marking is placed above the piano part, and a *f* (forte) dynamic marking is placed above the treble part.
- System 4:** The piano part continues with the eighth-note accompaniment. The treble part has a melodic line with slurs. A *dim.* (diminuendo) marking is placed above the piano part.
- System 5:** The piano part continues with the eighth-note accompaniment. The treble part has a melodic line with slurs. A *p* dynamic marking is placed above the treble part.

First system of musical notation. The right hand features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the left hand provides a steady accompaniment of chords. The dynamic marking *mf cres.* is present.

Second system of musical notation. The right hand continues with a melodic line, and the left hand has a rhythmic accompaniment. The dynamic marking *ff* with accents is present.

Third system of musical notation. The right hand has a melodic line with some slurs, and the left hand has a rhythmic accompaniment. The dynamic marking *ff* with accents is present.

Fourth system of musical notation. The right hand has a melodic line with slurs, and the left hand has a rhythmic accompaniment. The dynamic marking *ff dim.* is present.

Fifth system of musical notation. The right hand has a melodic line with slurs, and the left hand has a rhythmic accompaniment. The dynamic marking *dim.* is present.

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MORNING POST.

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DAILY CHRONICLE.

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DAILY GRAPHIC.

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SUNDAY TIMES.

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