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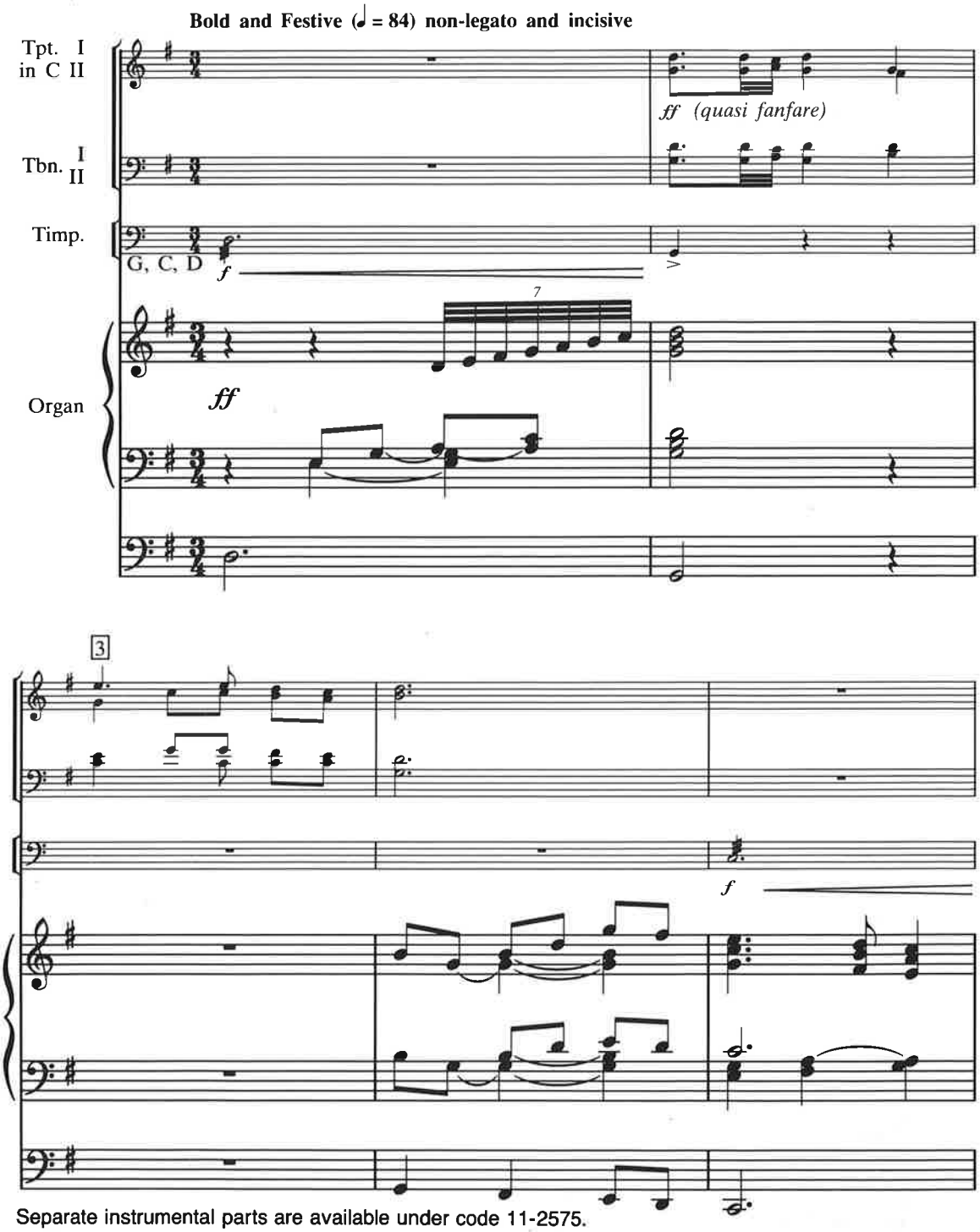
Praise to the Lord

Joachim Neander 1650-1680
tr. Catherine Winkworth 1829-1878, alt.

Lobe den Herren
Ernewerten Gesangbuch, Stralsund, 1665
setting: Walter L. Pelz



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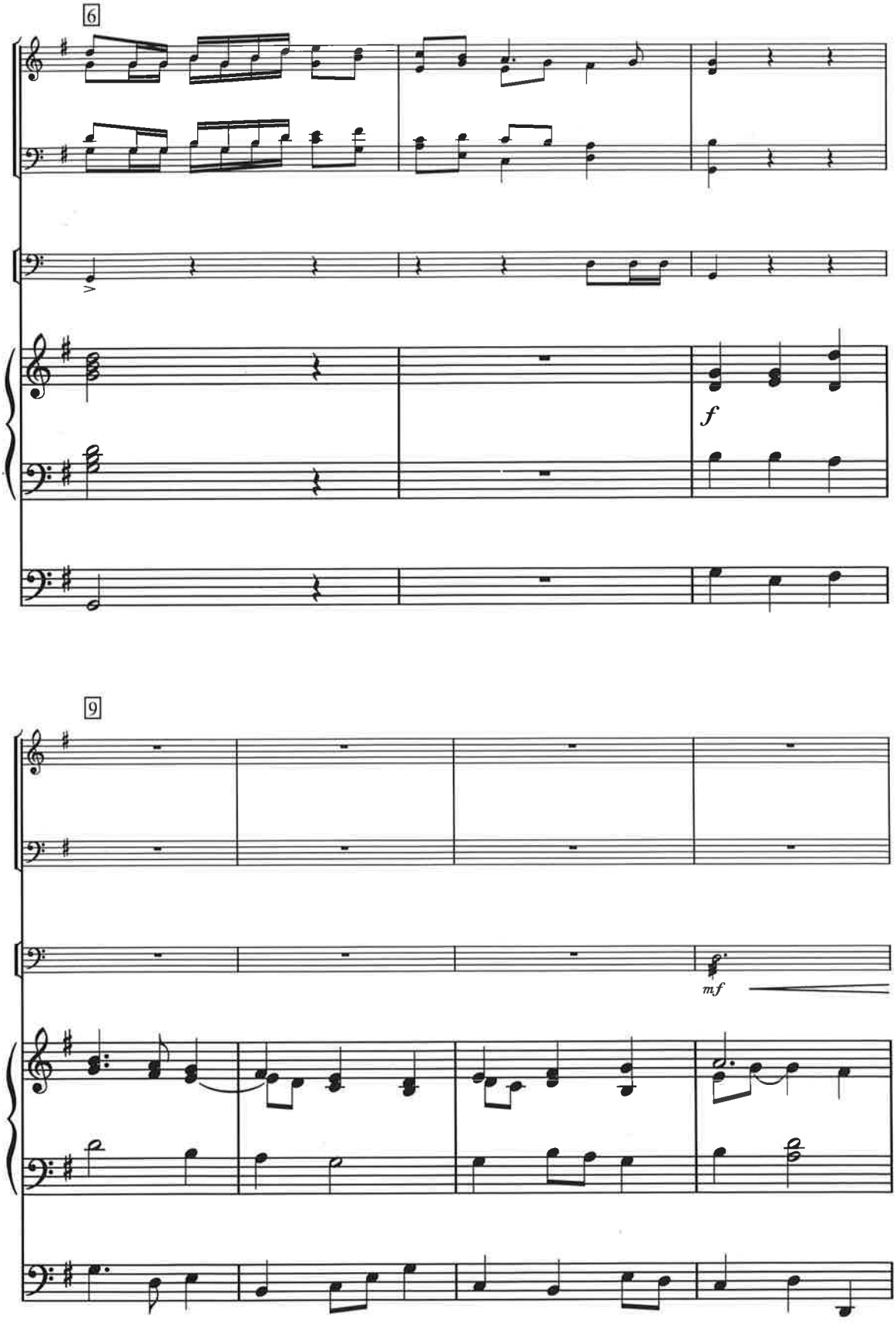
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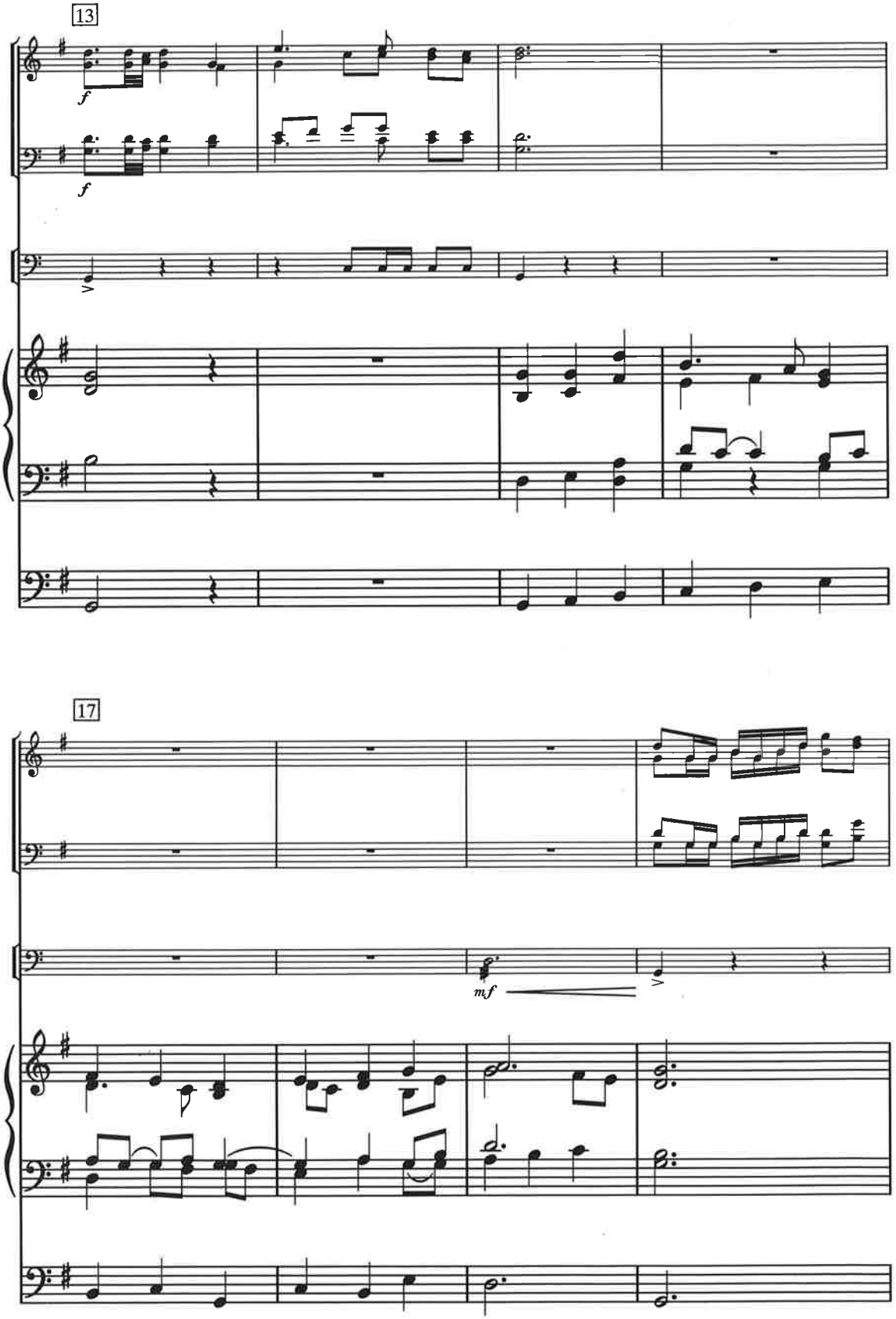
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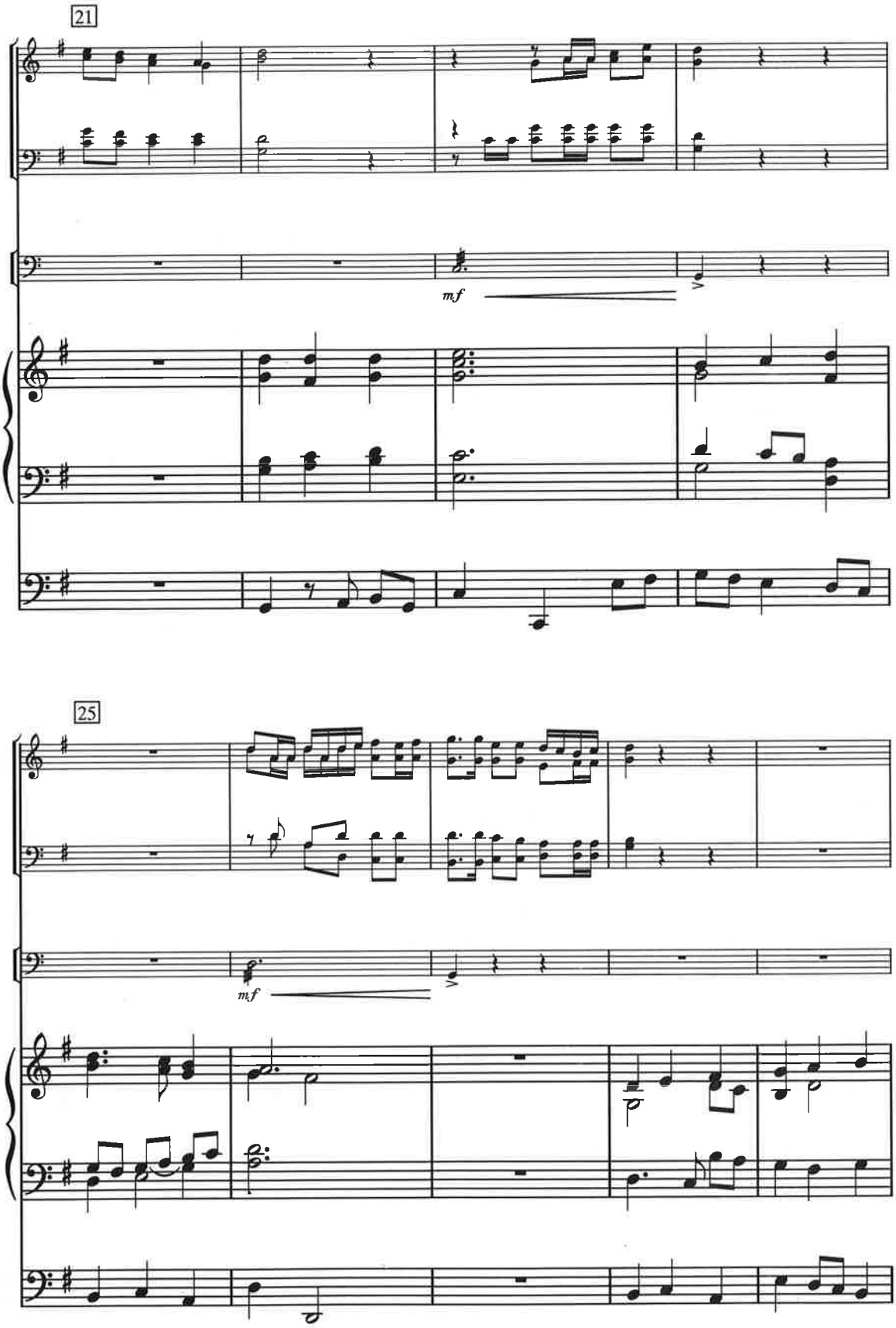
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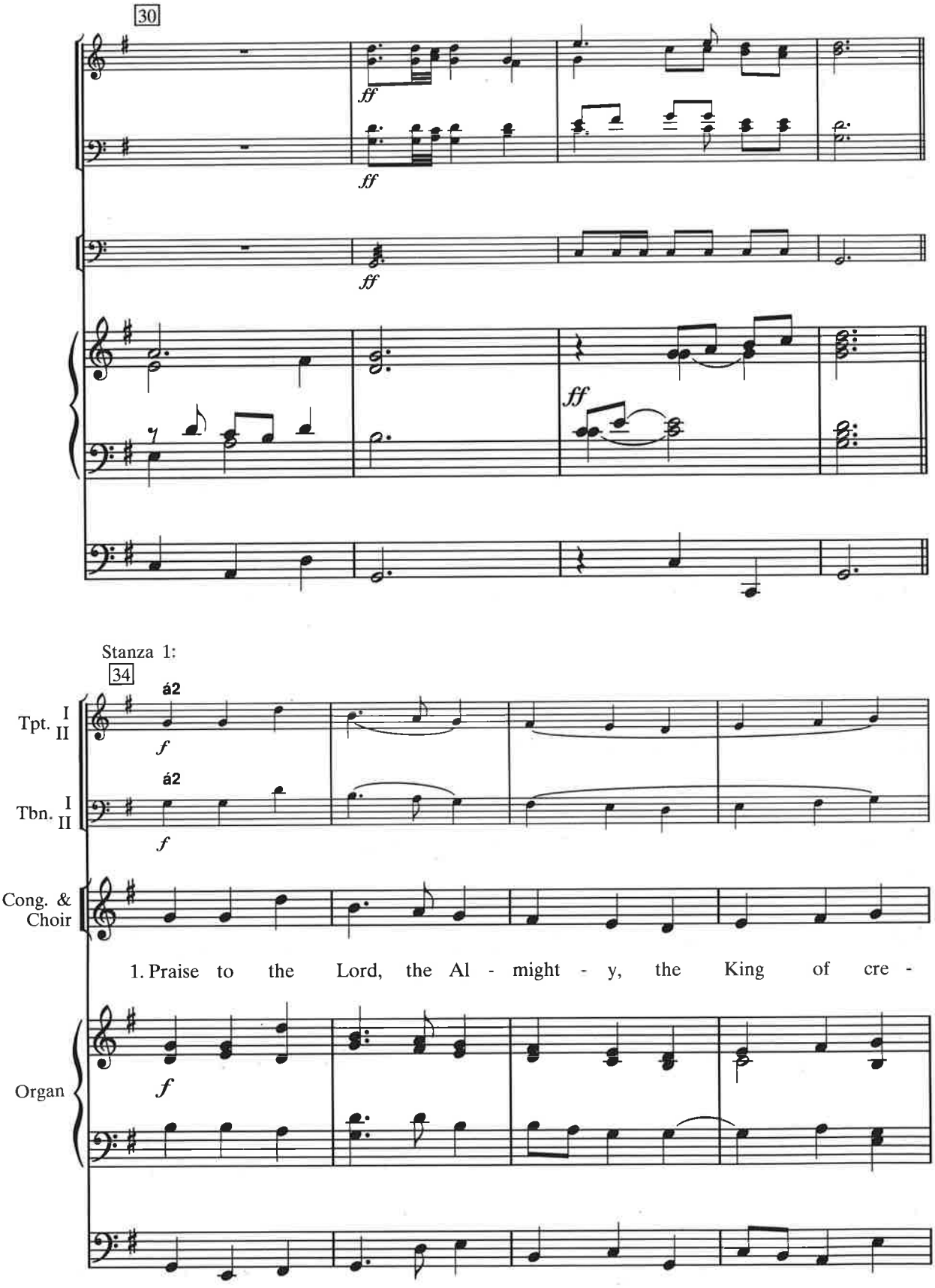
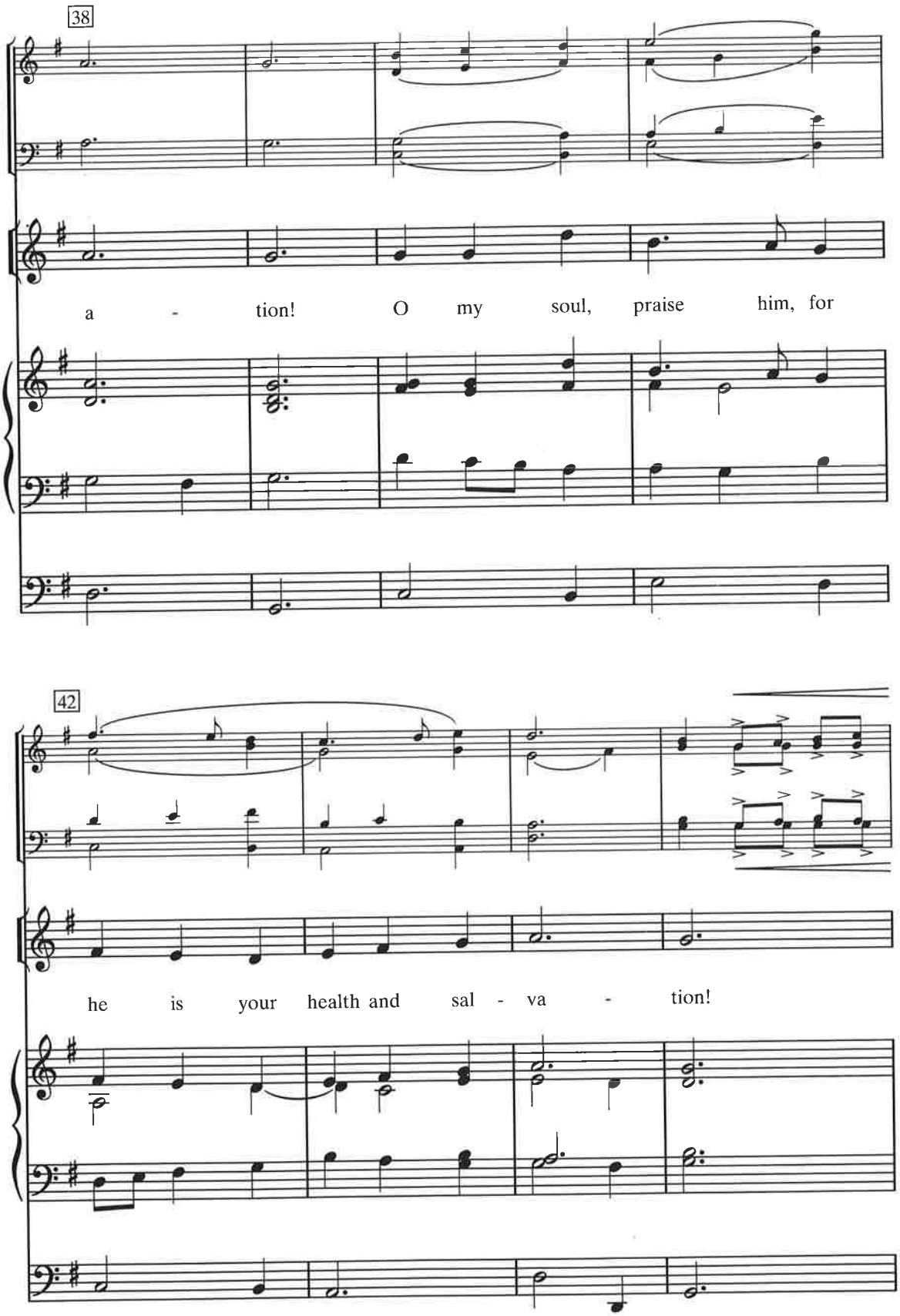
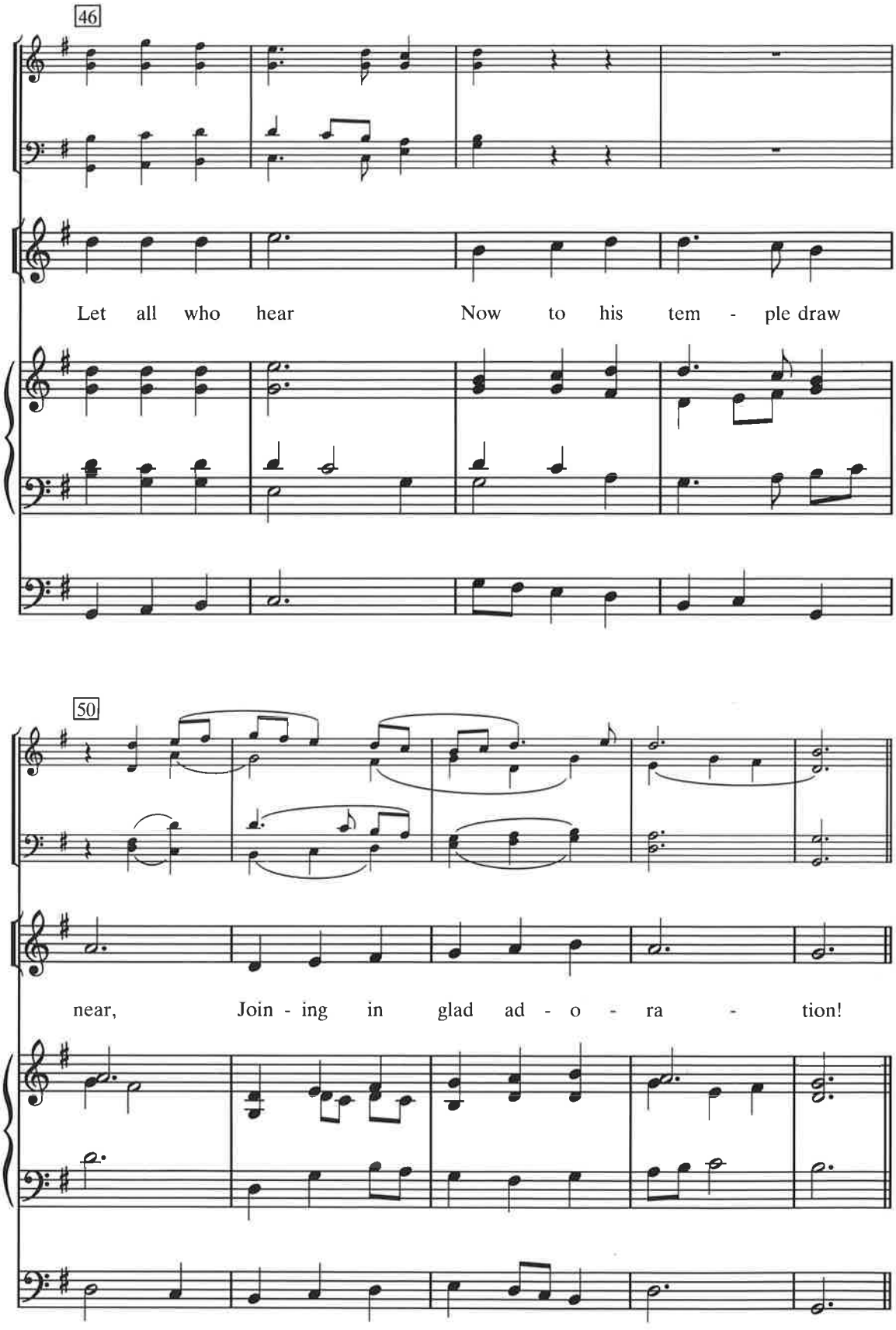
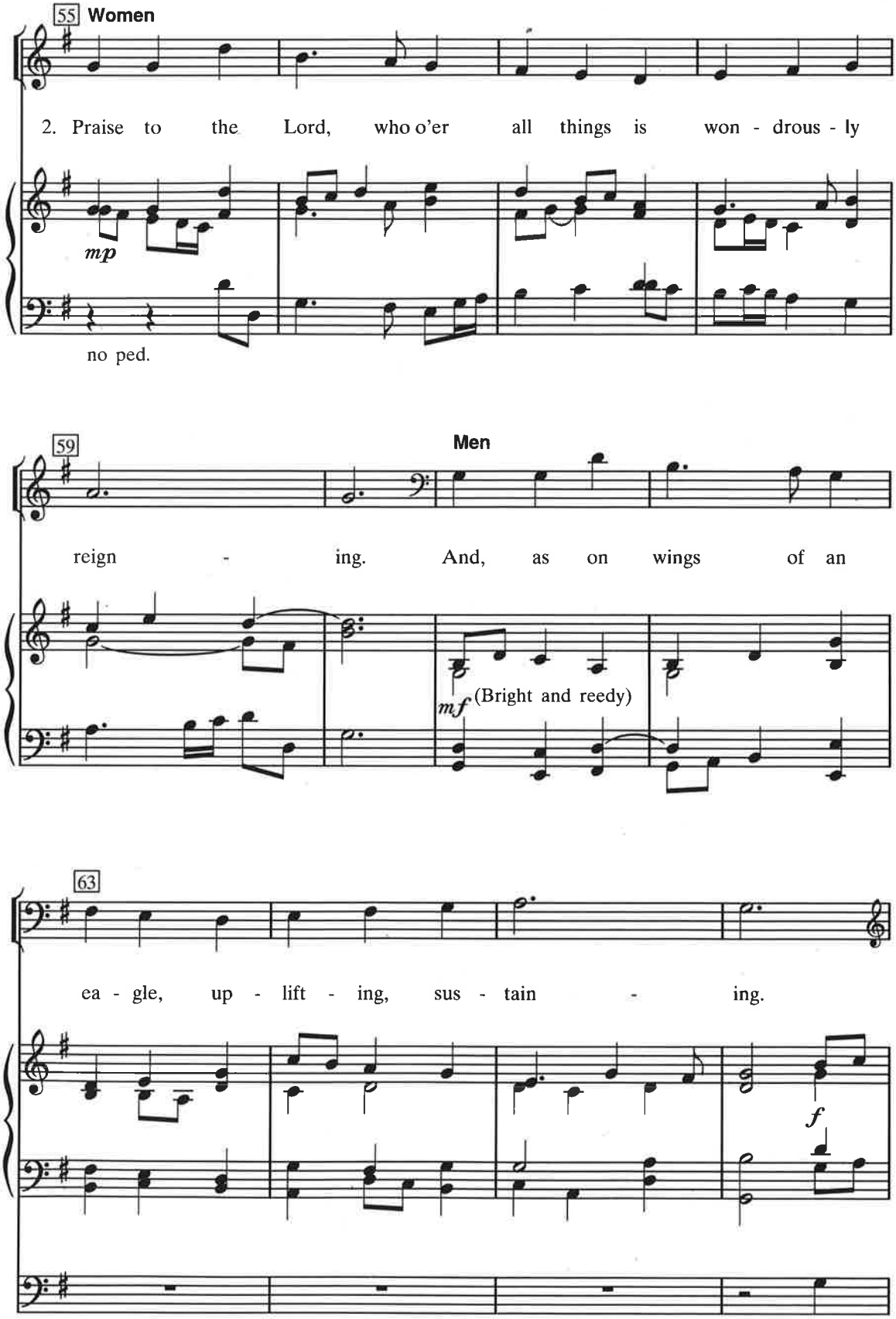
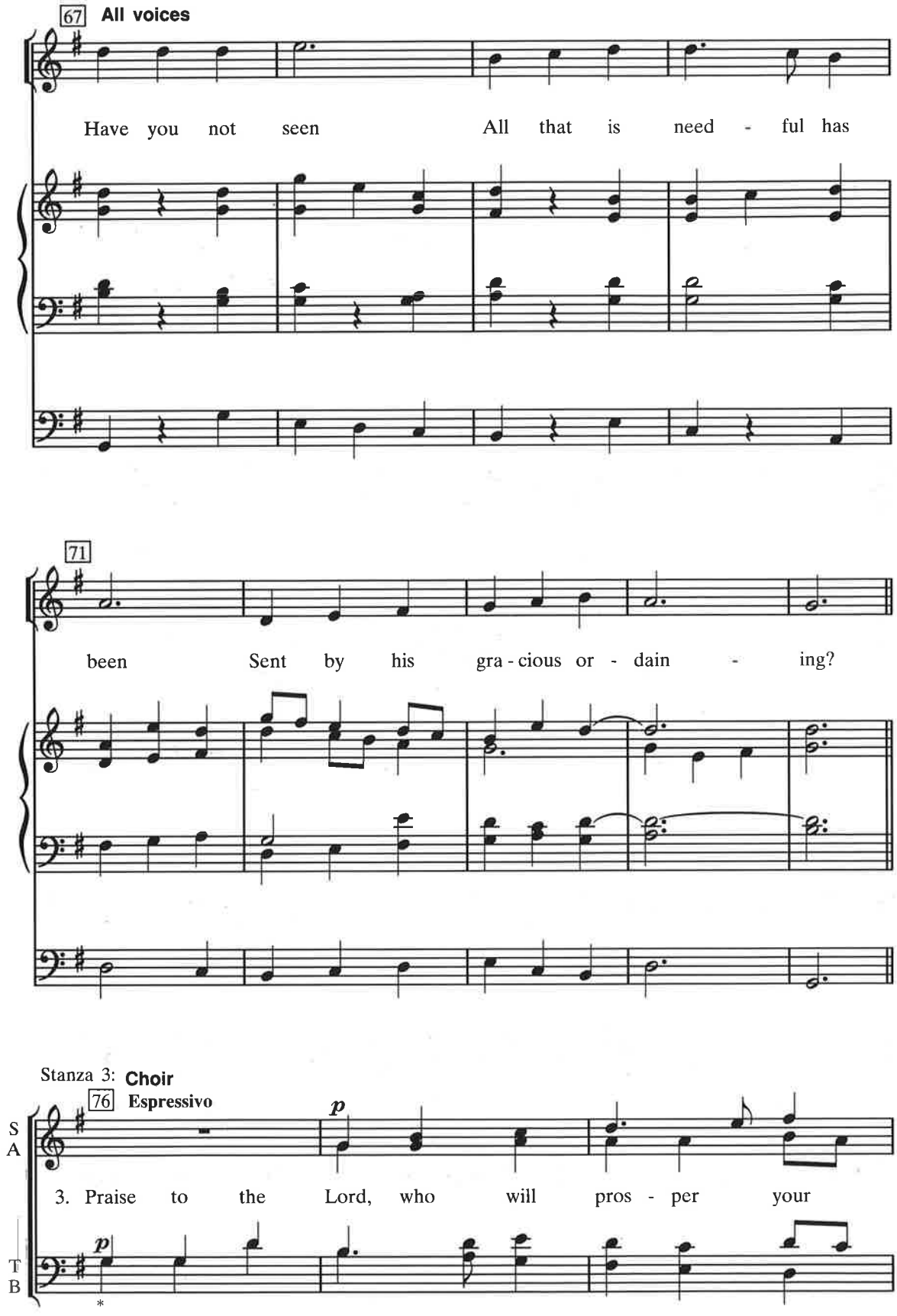

30
ff
ff
ff
ff
Stanza 1:
34
Tpt. I II
á2
f
Tbn. I II
á2
f
Cong. & Choir
1. Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -
Organ
f


38
a - tion! O my soul, praise him, for
42
he is your health and sal - va - tion!


46
Let all who hear Now to his tem - ple draw
50
near, Join - ing in glad ad - o - ra - tion!


55
Women
2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is won - drous - ly
mp
no ped.
59
Men
reign - ing. And, as on wings of an
mf (Bright and reedy)
63
ea - gle, up - lift - ing, sus - tain - ing.
f



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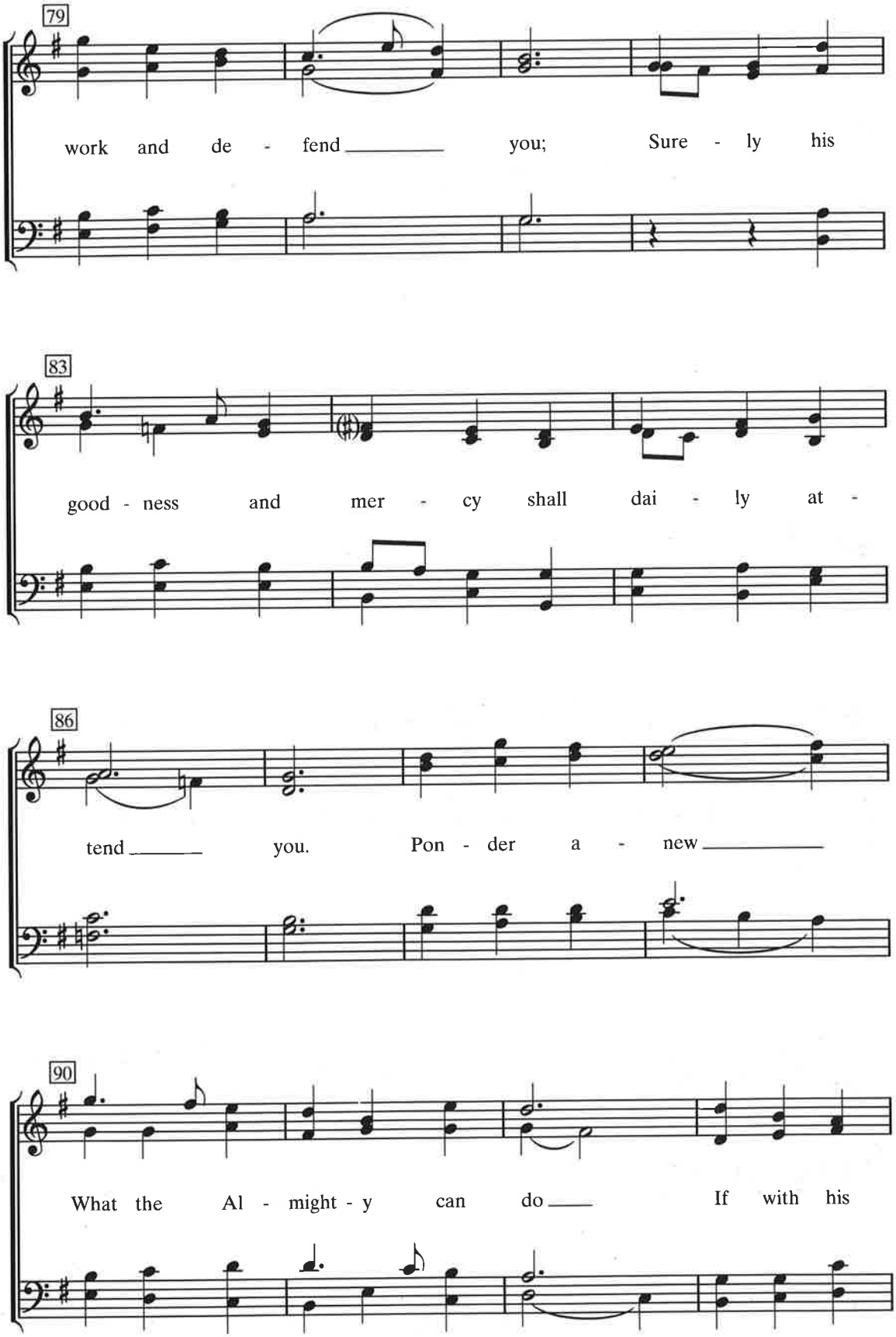
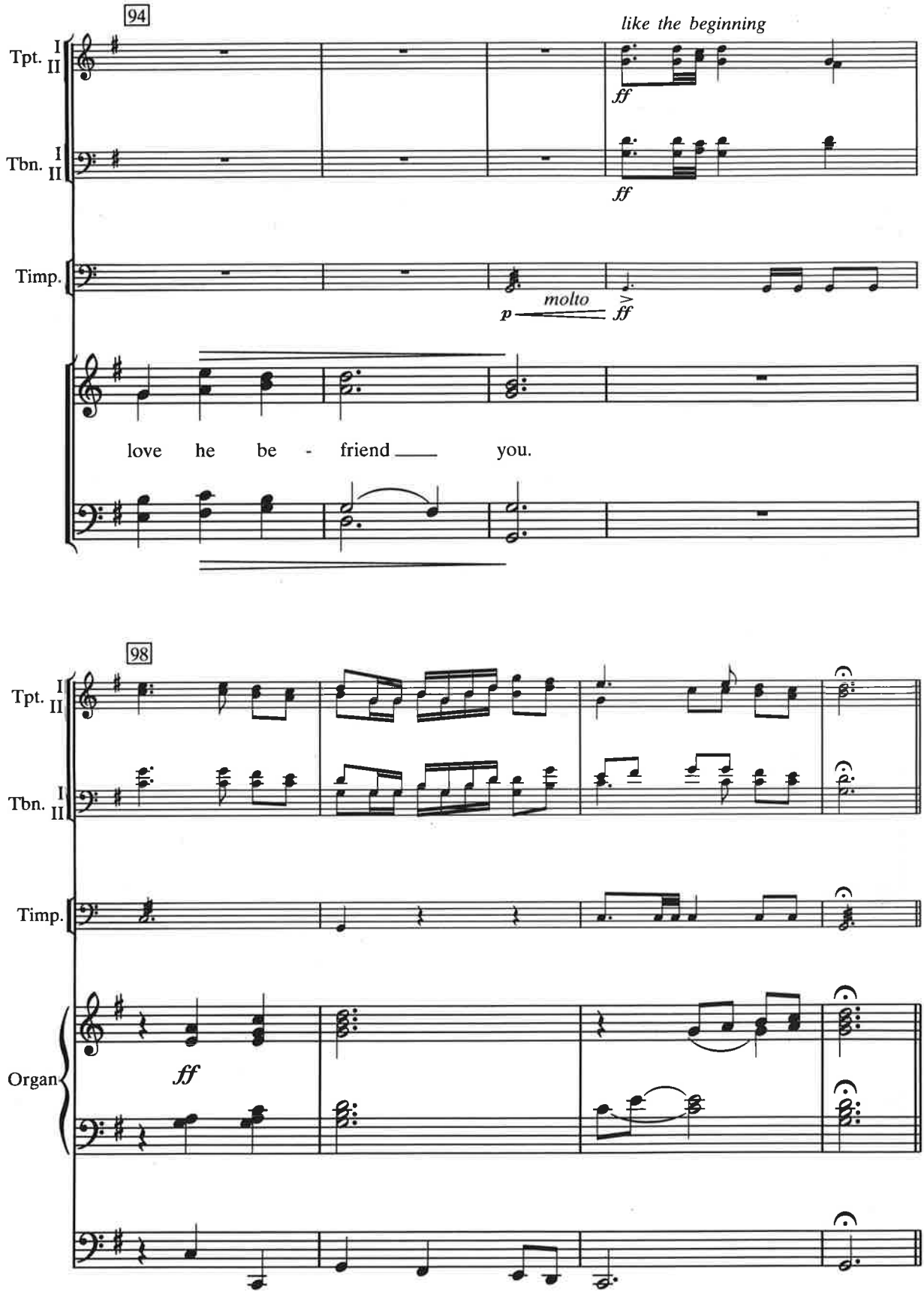
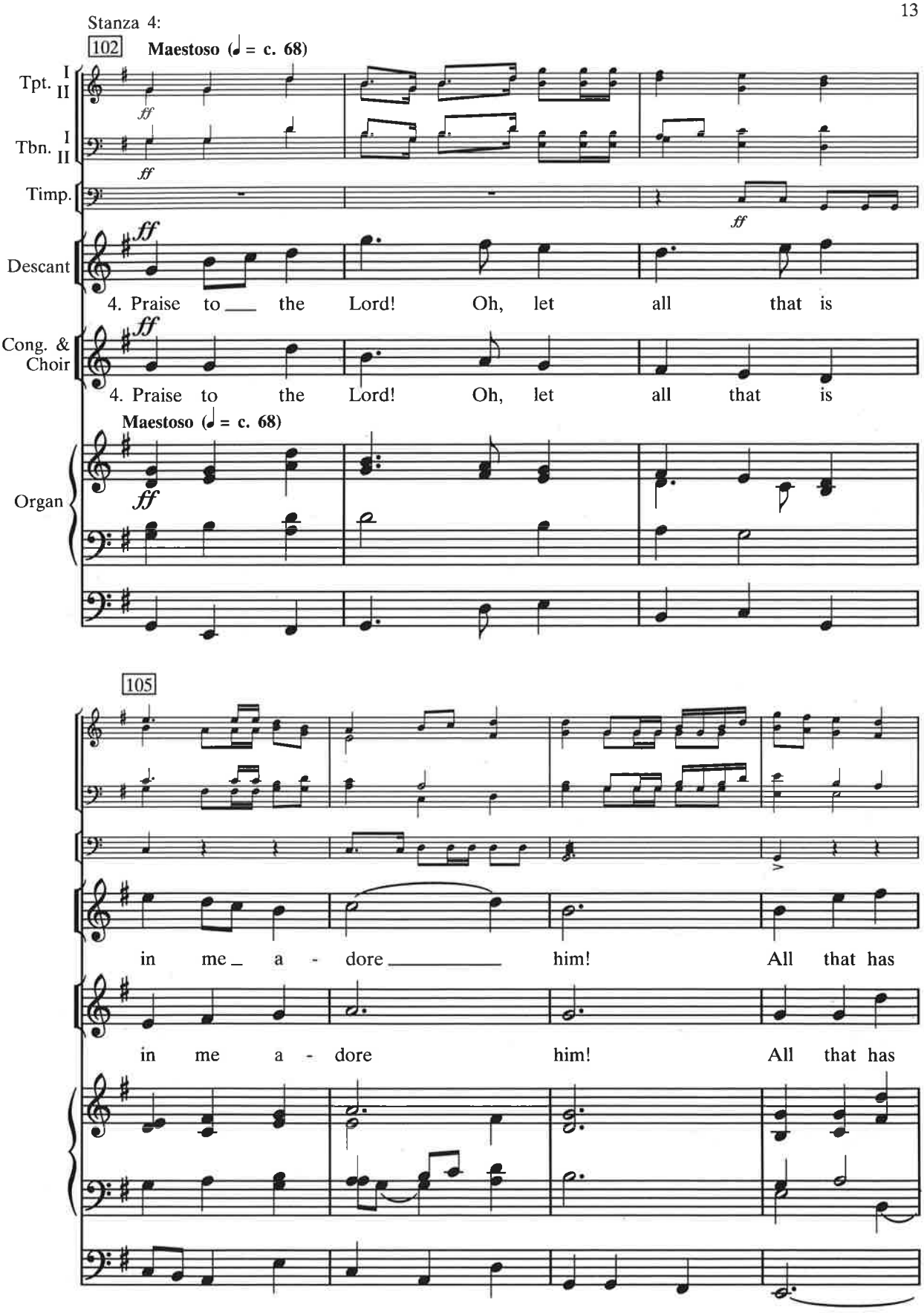
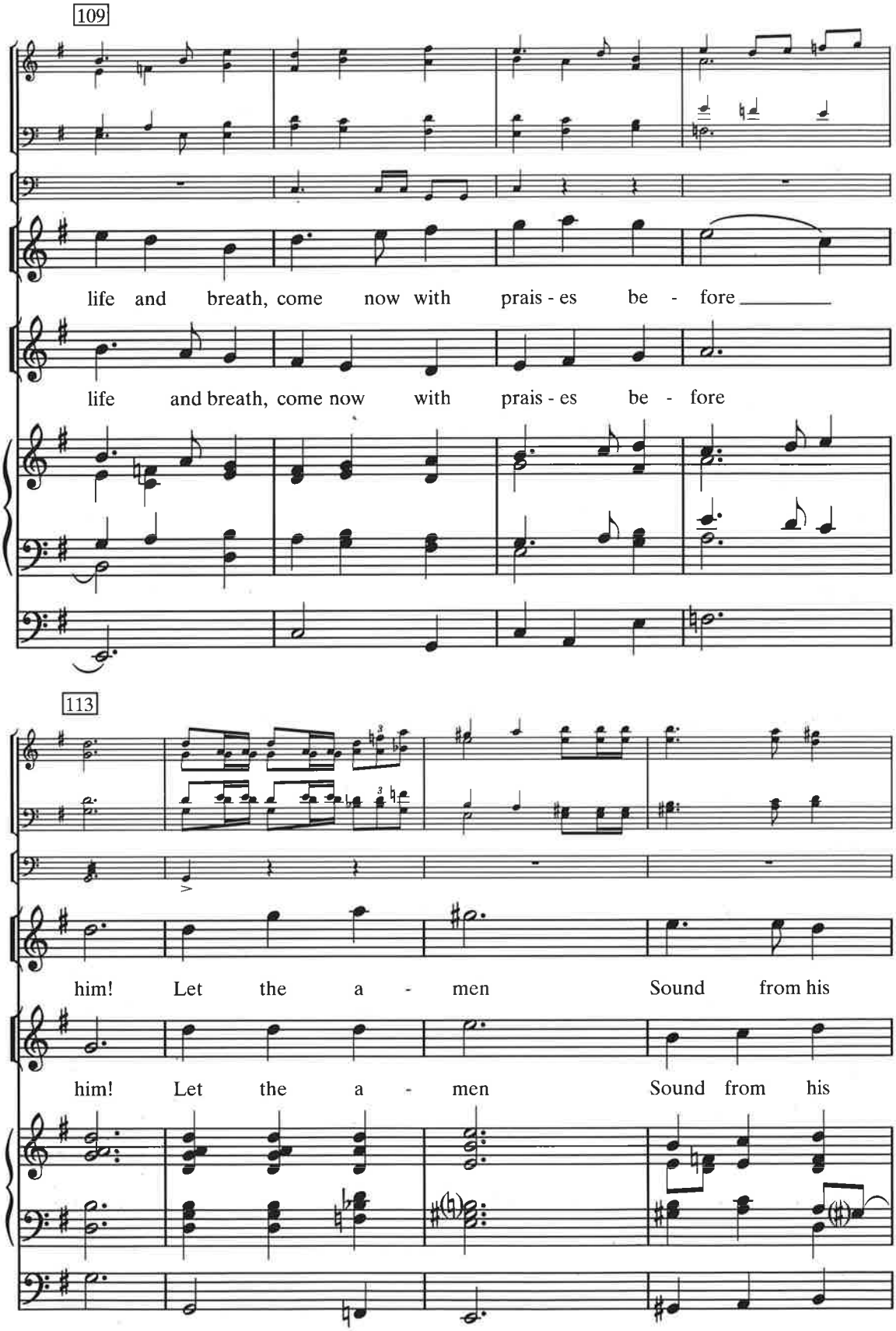
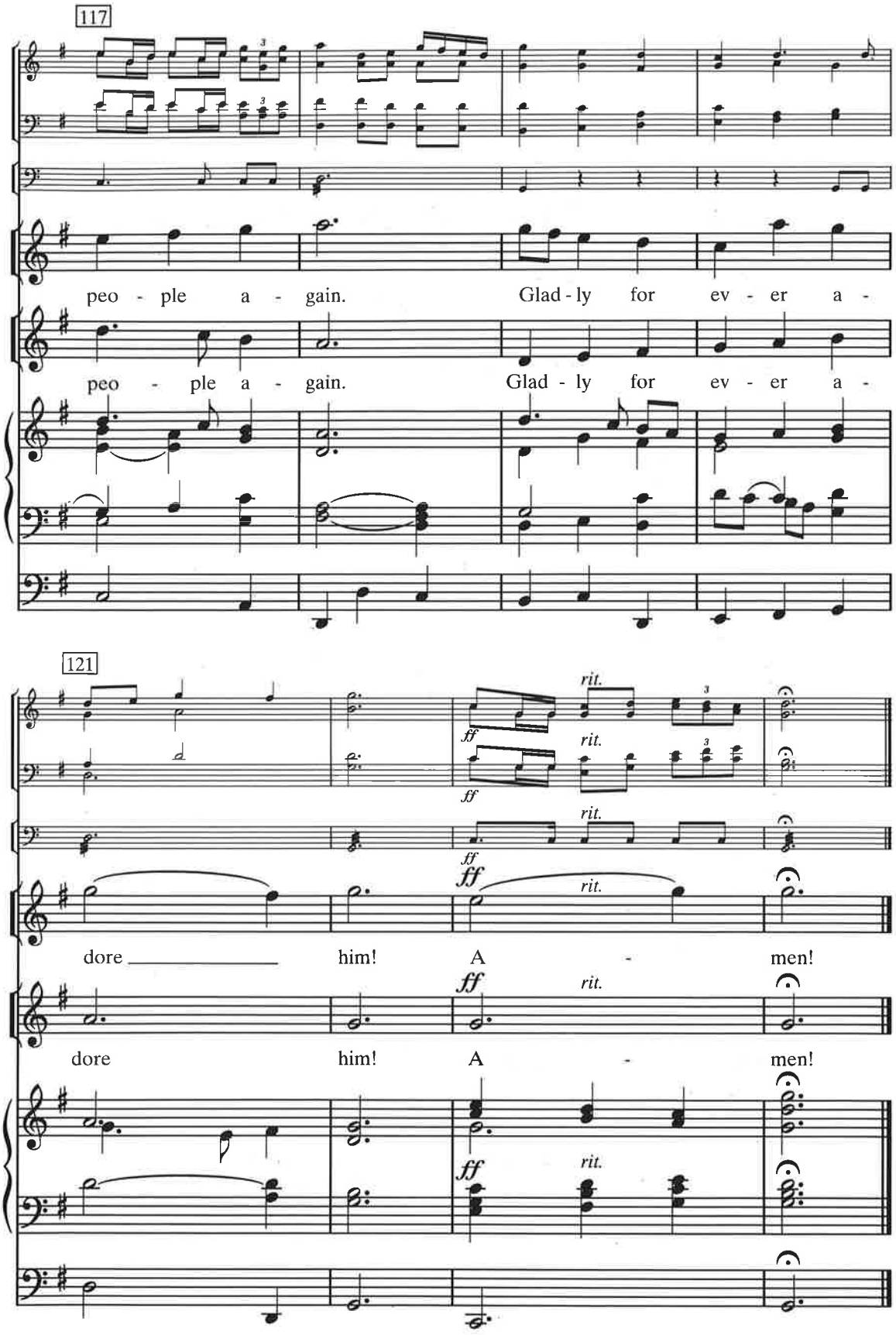

79
work and de - fend you; Sure - ly his
83
good - ness and mer - cy shall dai - ly at -
86
tend you. Pon - der a - new
90
What the Al - might - y can do If with his


94
like the beginning
Tpt. I II
Tbn. I II
Timp.
molto
p
ff
love he be - friend you.
98
Tpt. I II
Tbn. I II
Timp.
Organ
ff


Stanza 4:
102
Maestoso (♩ = c. 68)
Tpt. I II
Tbn. I II
Timp.
Descant
4. Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is
Cong. & Choir
4. Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is
Maestoso (♩ = c. 68)
Organ
105
in me a - dore him! All that has
in me a - dore him! All that has


109
life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore
life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore
113
him! Let the a - men Sound from his
him! Let the a - men Sound from his


117
peo - ple a - gain. Glad - ly for ev - er a -
peo - ple a - gain. Glad - ly for ev - er a -
121
rit.
ff
dore him! A - men!
dore him! A - men!