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Napoli per li 12 Gennaro 1769. Nel R. T. di S. Carlo.

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Scena I.

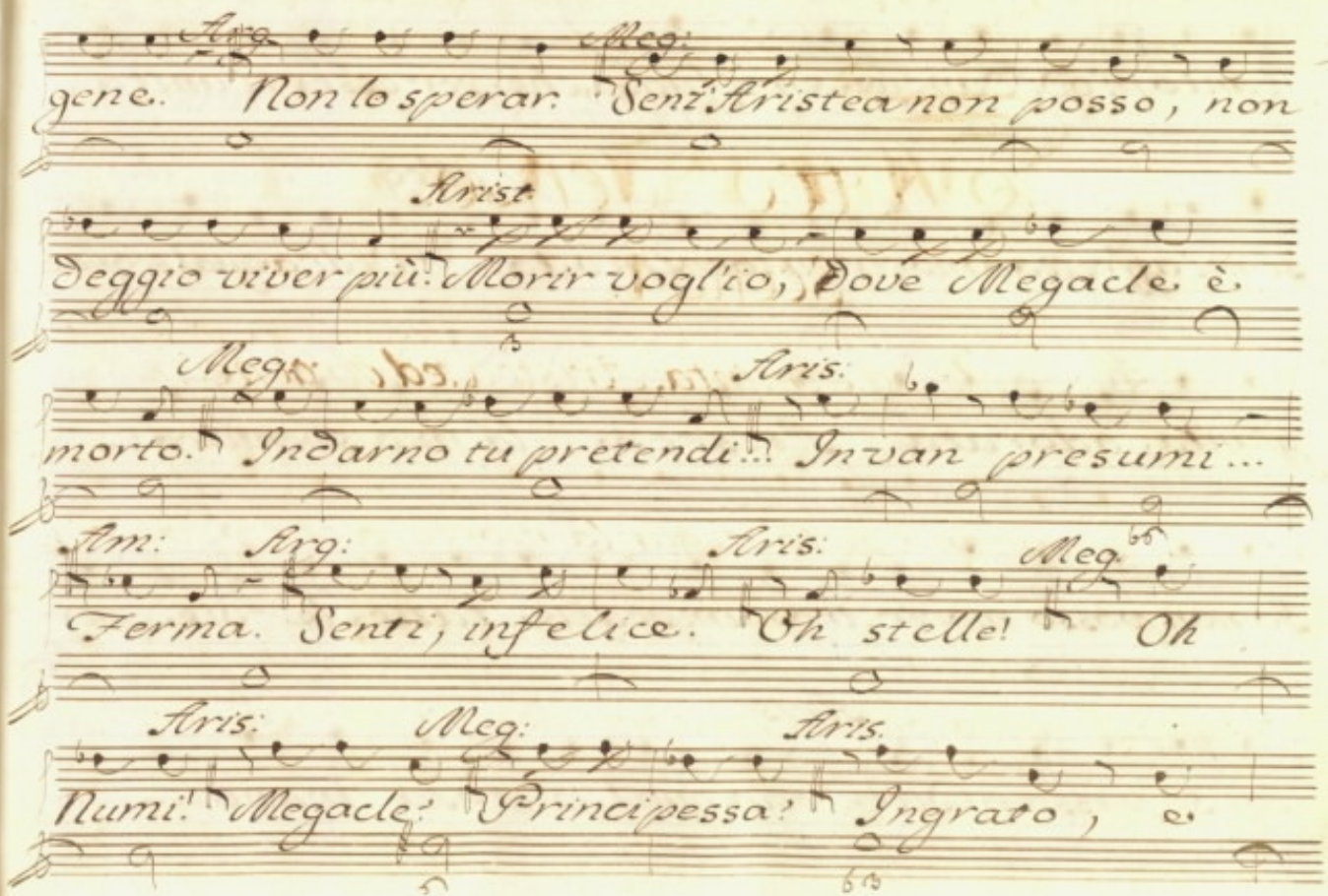
Megacle, ed Aminta; Aristea, ed Argene.

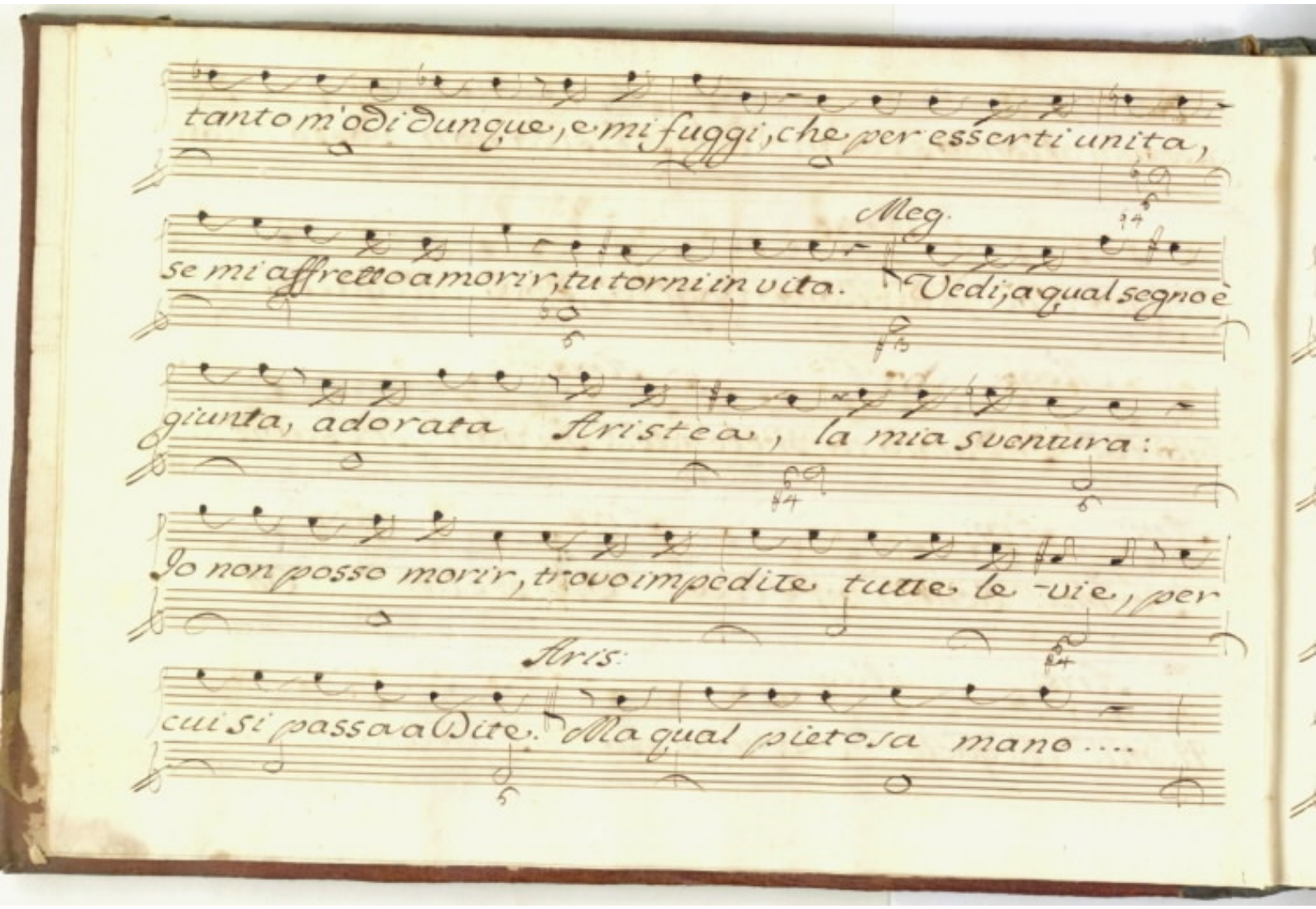
Meg:

Inumana pietà! negar la morte, a chi vive. mo=

Am: Aris.

rendo. Aminta, oh Dio! lasciami. Non fia ver: Lasciami, Am=


Arg.
Meg.
gene. Non lo sperar. Senti Aristea non posso, non
Arist.
deggio viver più. Morir vogl'io, Dove Megacle è
Meg.
Aris.
morto. Indarno tu pretendi... Invan presumi...
Am.
Arg.
Aris.
Meg.
Ferma. Senti, infelice. Oh stelle! Oh
Aris.
Meg.
Aris.
Numi! Megacle? Principessa? Ingrato,


tanto m'odi dunque, e mi fuggi, che per esserti unita,
Meg.
se mi affretto a morir, tu torni in vita. Vedi, a qual segno è
giunta, adorata Aristea, la mia sventura:
Io non posso morir, trovo impedite tutte le vie, per
Aris:
cui si passa a Dite. Ma qual pietosa mano ....

Scena II.

Alcandro, e detti.

Alc. Oh scelerato ardir! Aristi. Vi sono an=

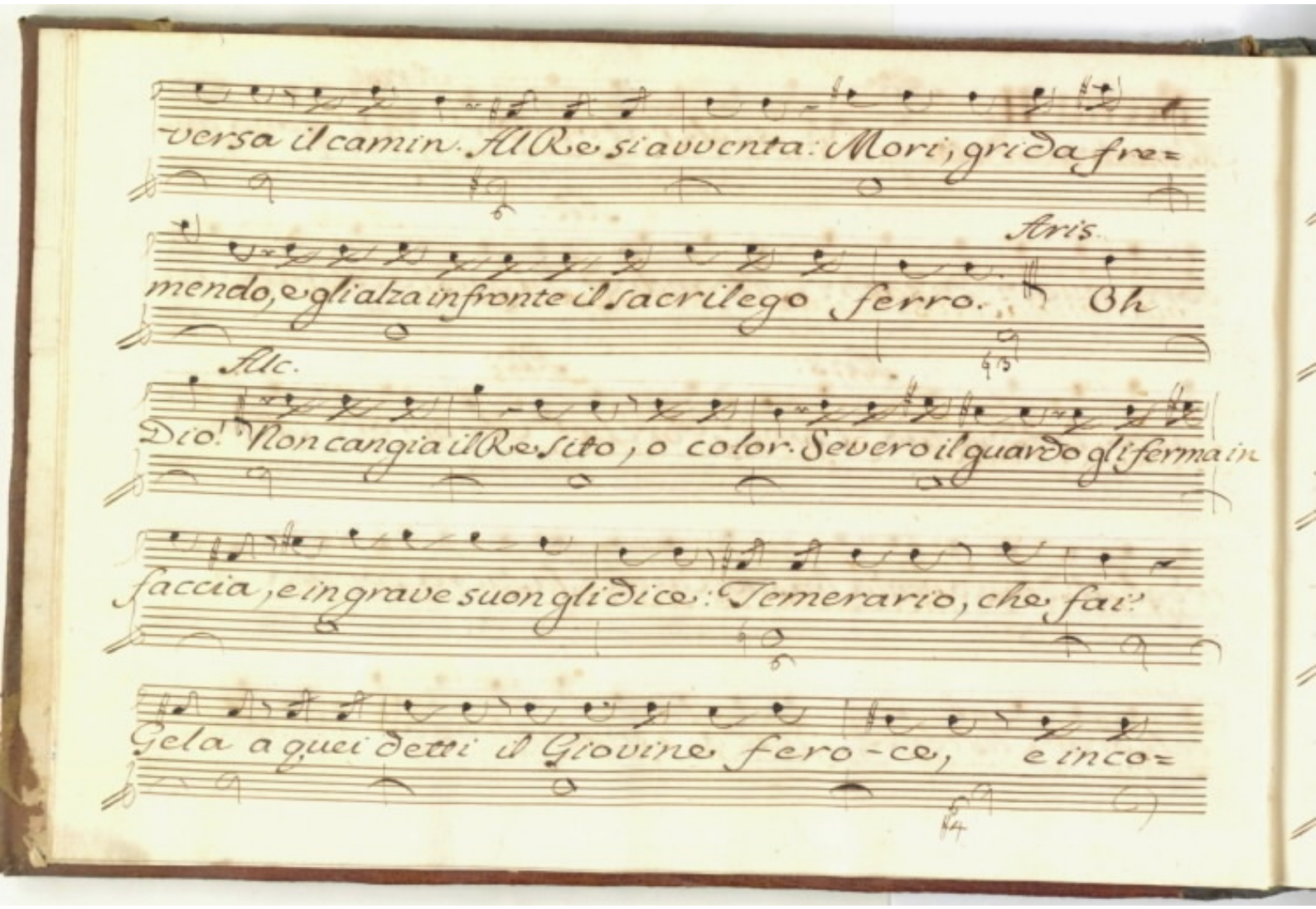
cora nuovi disastri, Alcandro? In questo istante ri=

Aris: Alc:

nasce il Padre tuo. Come! Perche! Che orror! Men=

tr'egli al Tempio venia fra suoi Custodi, la sacra pompa a

celebrar Clistene; Licida impetuoso gli attra=


versa il camin. Al Re si avventa: Mori, grida fre=
Aris.
mendo, e gli alza in fronte il sacrilego ferro. Oh
Alc.
Dio! Non cangia il Re sito, o color. Severo il guardo gli ferma in
faccia, e in grave suon gli dice: Temerario, che fai?
Gela a quei detti il Giovine fero-ce, e inco=

mincia a tremar; gli cade il ferro. E dal ciglio, che

Aris.

tanto minaccioso parea, prorompe il pianto. Re=

Arg: Am: Aris.

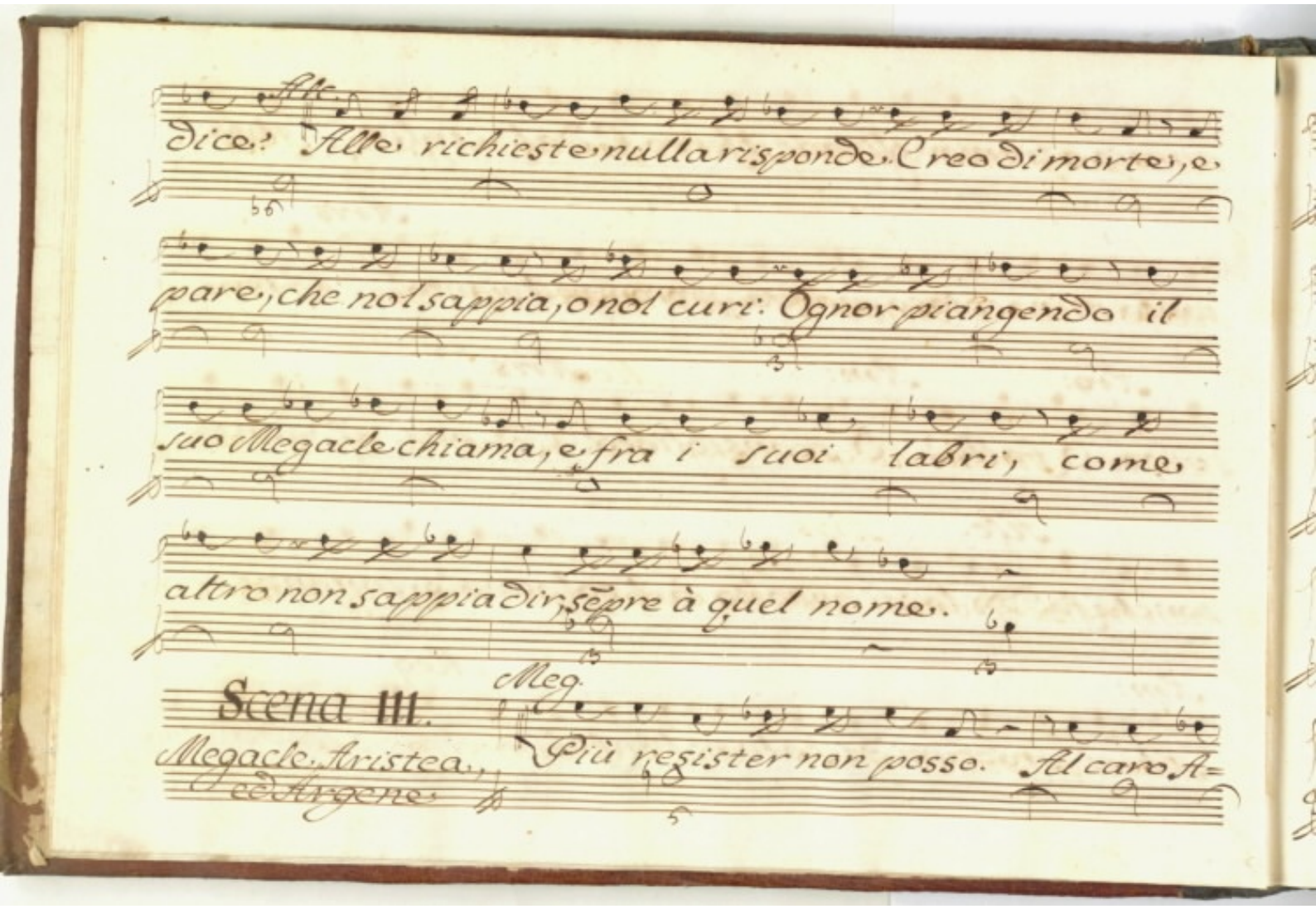
spiro. O folle! O sconsigliato! Ed ora il Geni=

Alc.

tor che fa? Di lacci avvolto à il colpevole innanzi.

Am: Meg:

Ah, si proccuri di salvar l'Infelice. E Licida che


dice? Alle richieste nulla risponde. Creo di morte, e
pare, che nol sappia, o nol curi: Ognor piangendo il
suo Megacle chiama, e fra i suoi labri, come
altro non sappia dir, sempre à quel nome.
Scena III.
Megacle, Aristea, ed Argene.
Meg.
Più resister non posso. Al caro A=

Ari.

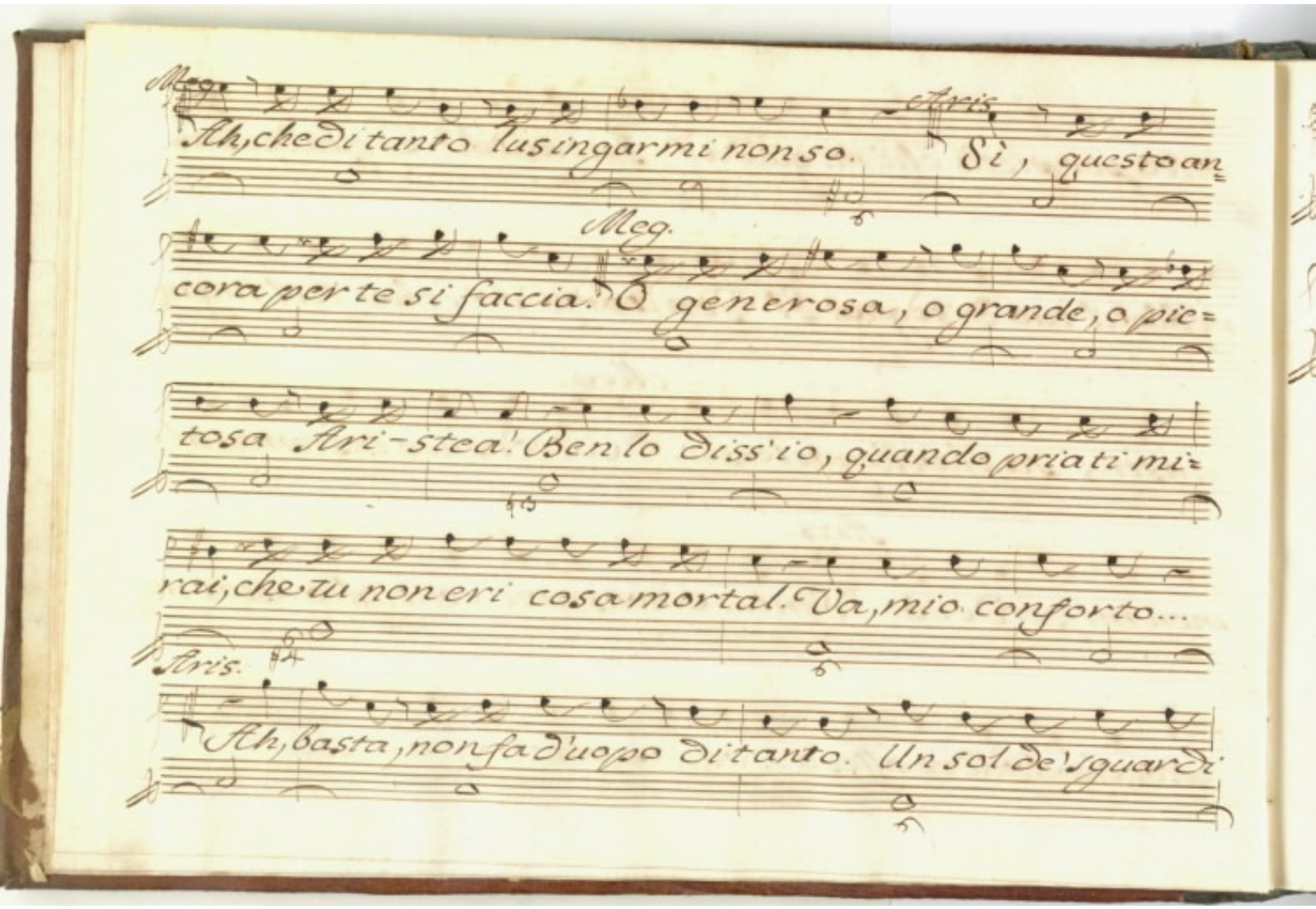
mico perpietà chi mi guida? Incauto! e quale sa=
rebbe il tuo disegno? Il Genitore sa, che tu l'ingan=

Meg.

nasti, sa, che Megacle sei. Col Prence insieme al=

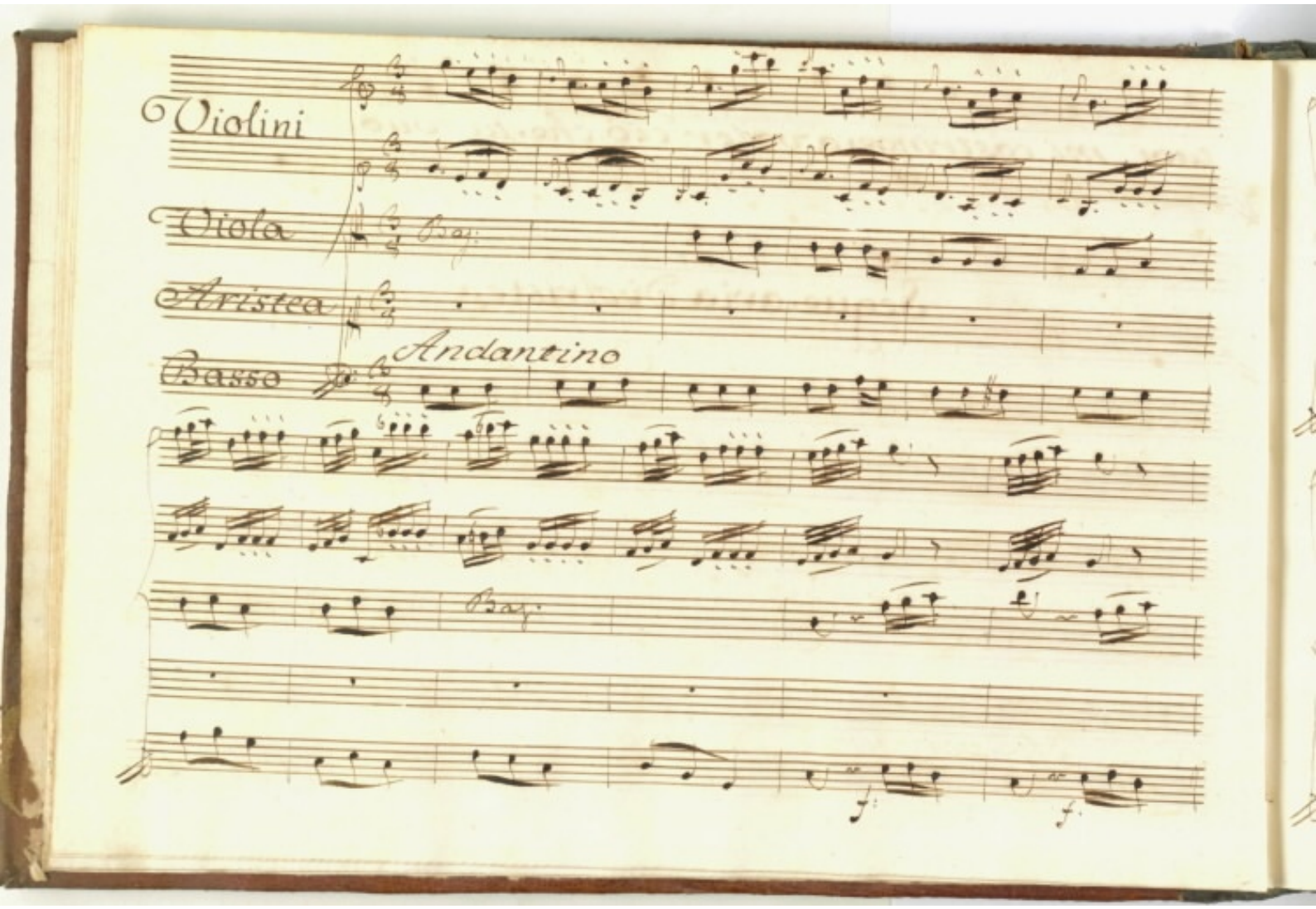
Aris.

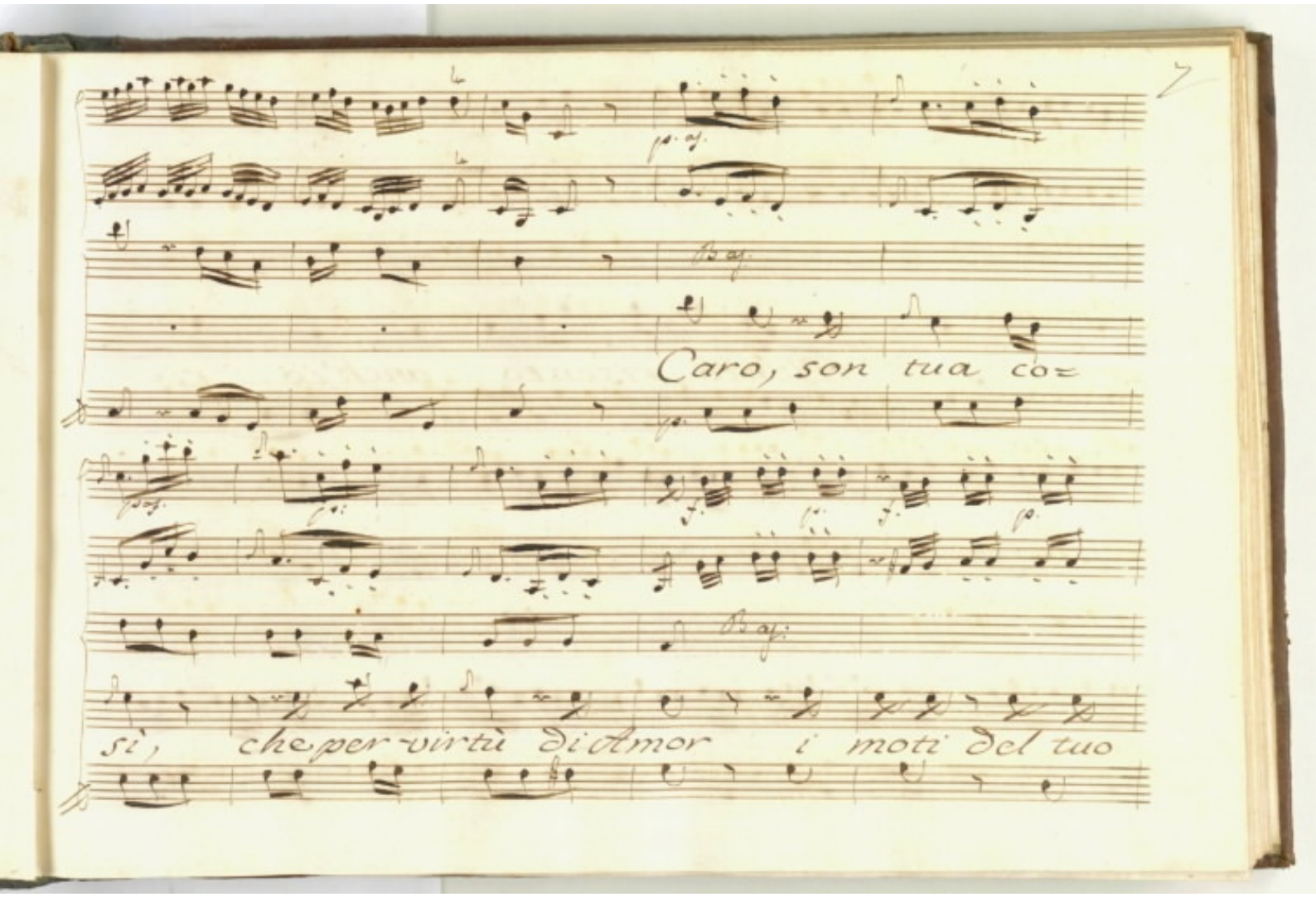
men mi perderò. Senti: e non stimi consiglio assai mi=
glior, che il Padre offeso vada a placare io stessa?


Meg.
Aris.
Ah, che di tanto lusingarmi non so. Sì, questo an=
Meg.
cora per te si faccia. O generosa, o grande, o pie=
tosa Ari-stea! Ben lo diss'io, quando pria ti mi=
rai, che tu non eri cosa mortal. Va, mio conforto...
Aris.
Ah, basta, non fa d'uopo di tanto. Un sol de' tuoi guardi

tuoi mi costringe a voler ciò che tu vuoi.

Segue aria di Aristea


Violini
Viola
Aristea
Basso
Andantino
Bas.
Bas.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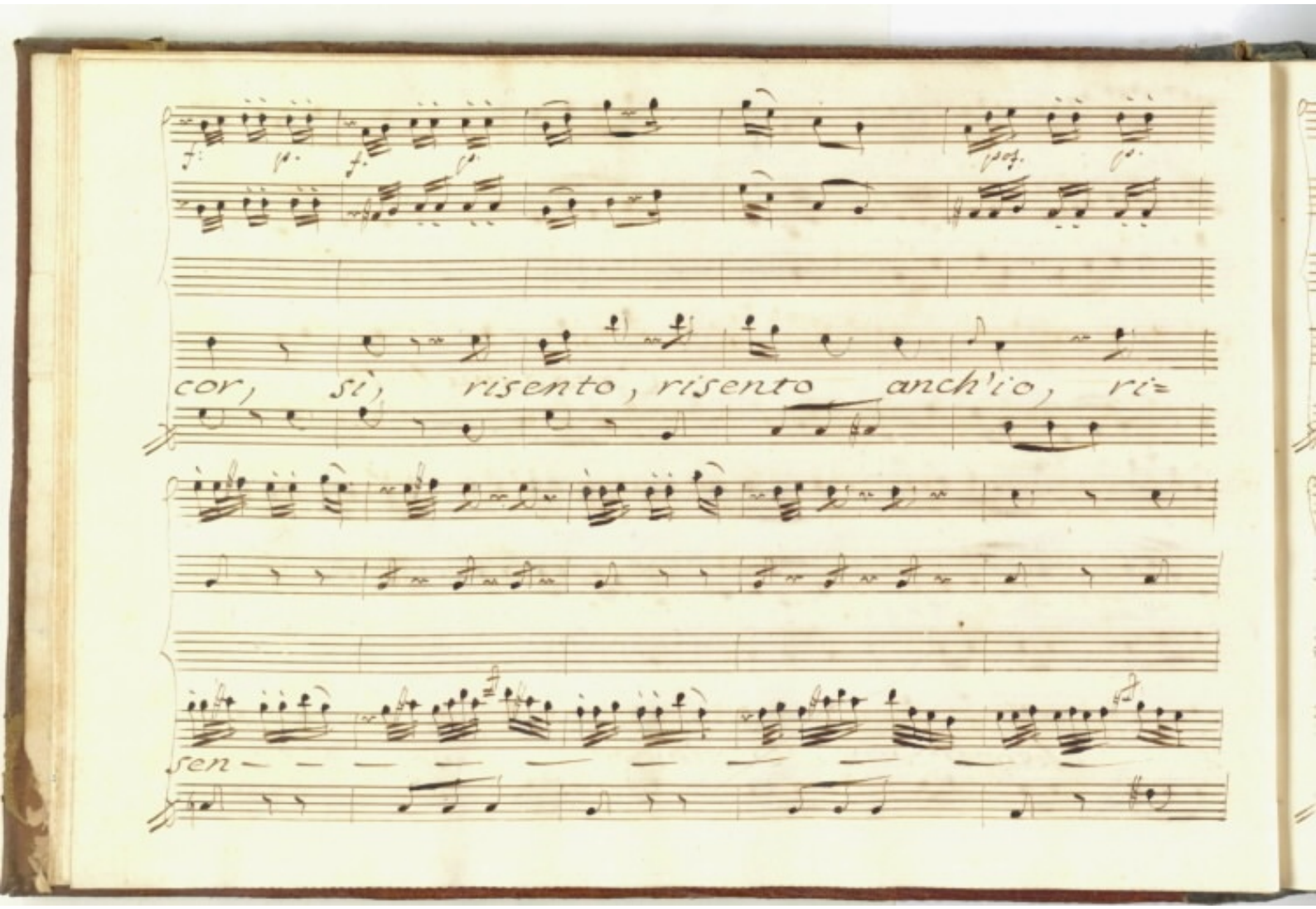
sì, che per virtù di Amor i moti del tuo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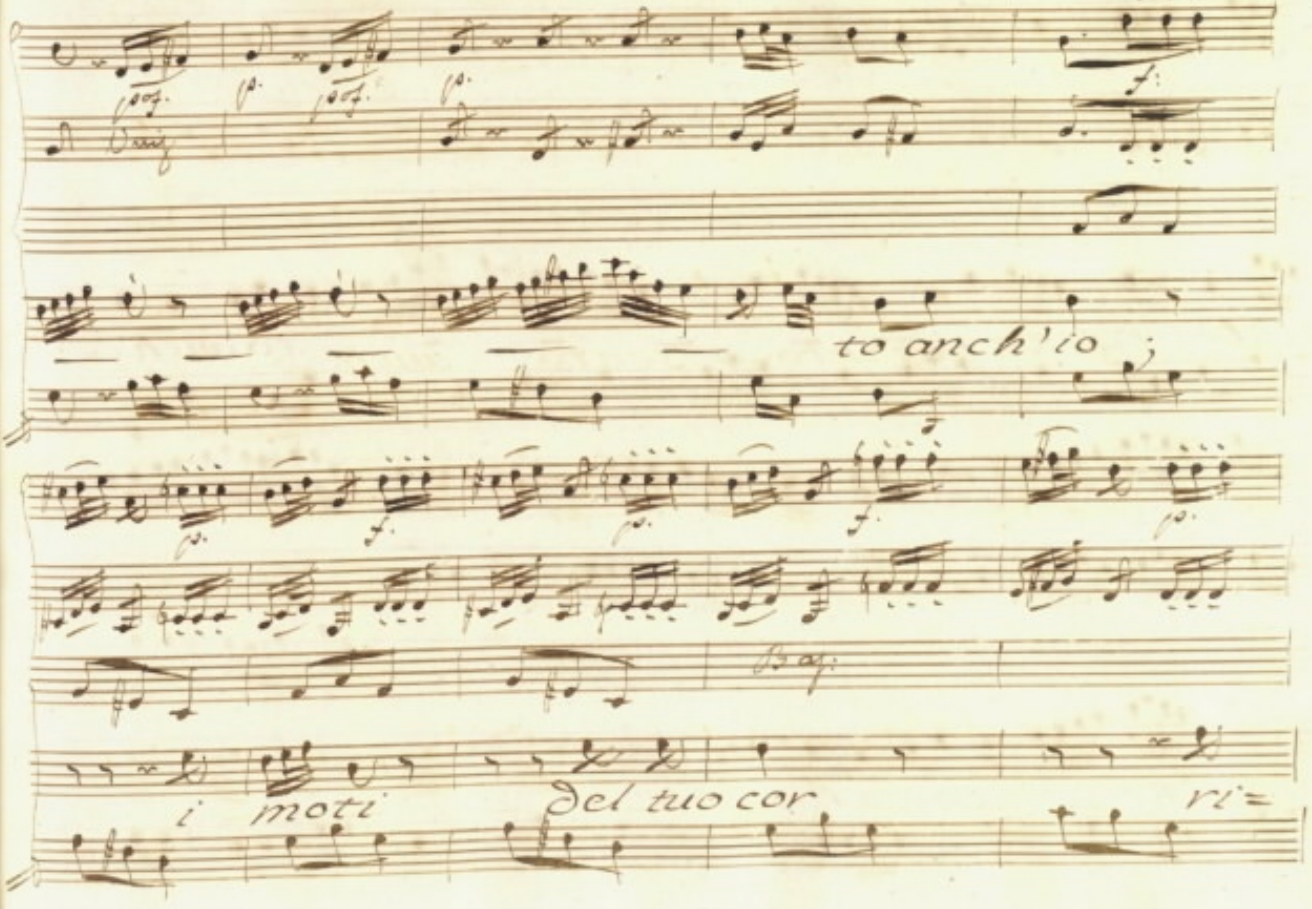
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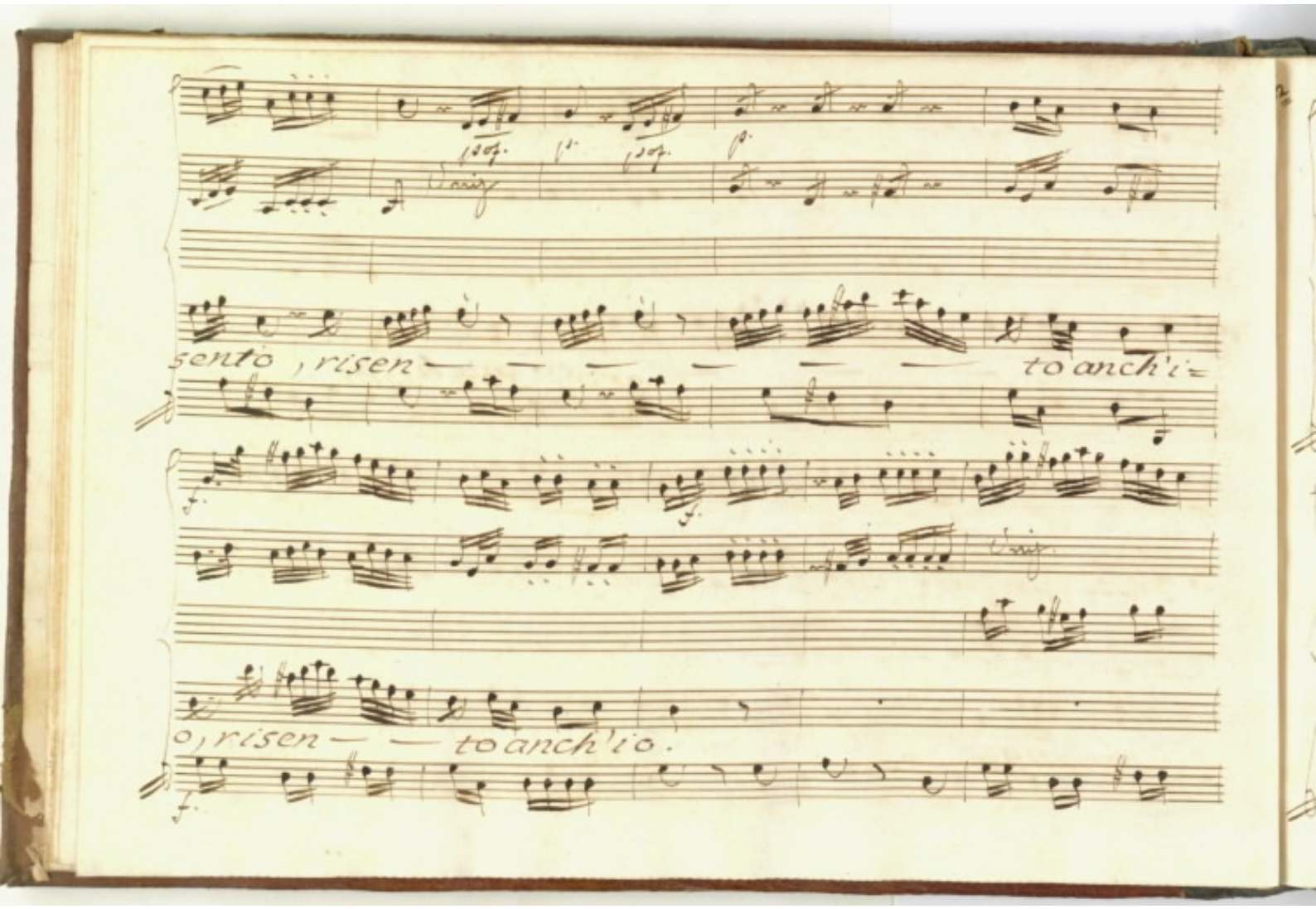
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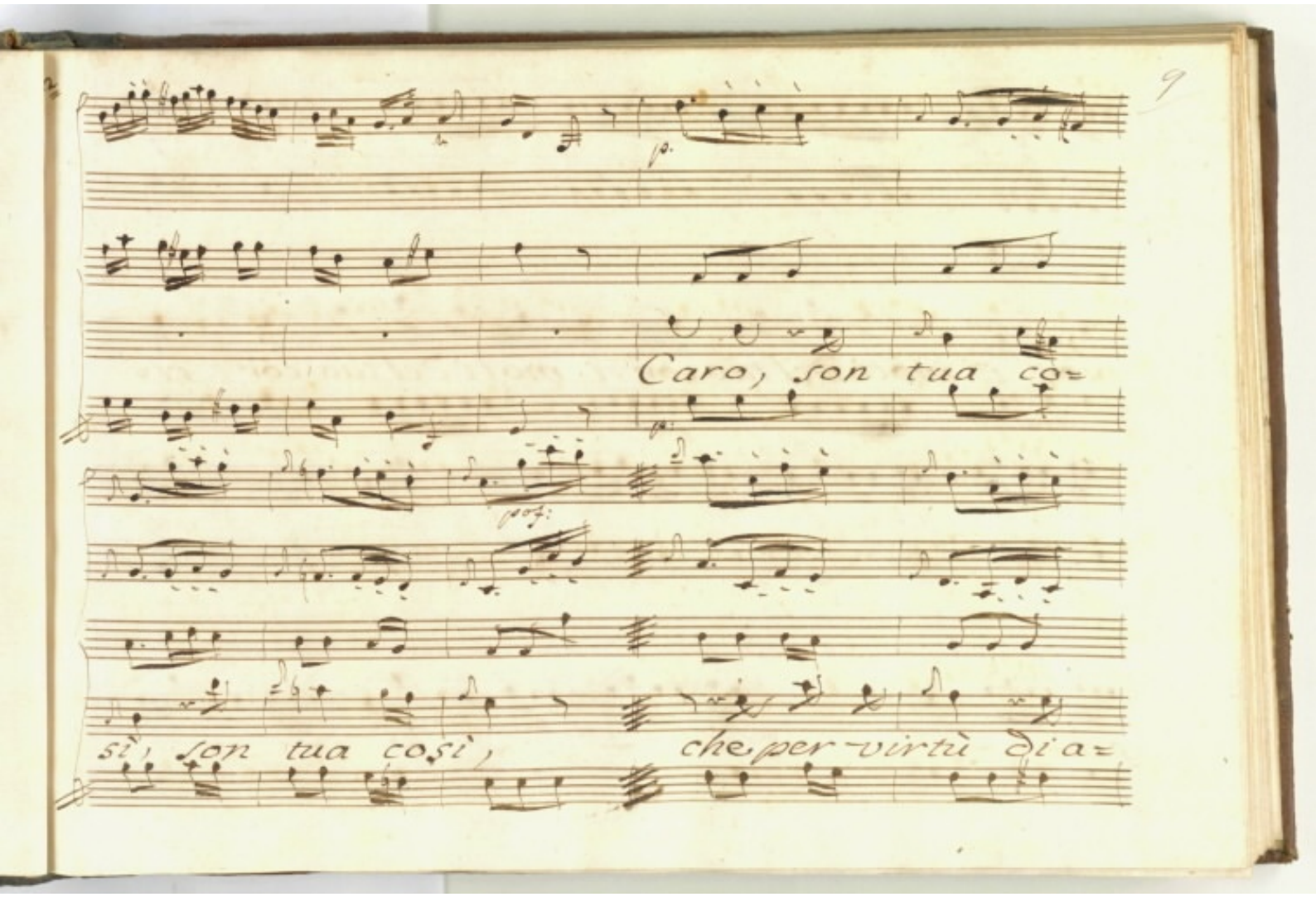
o, risen — — to anch'io.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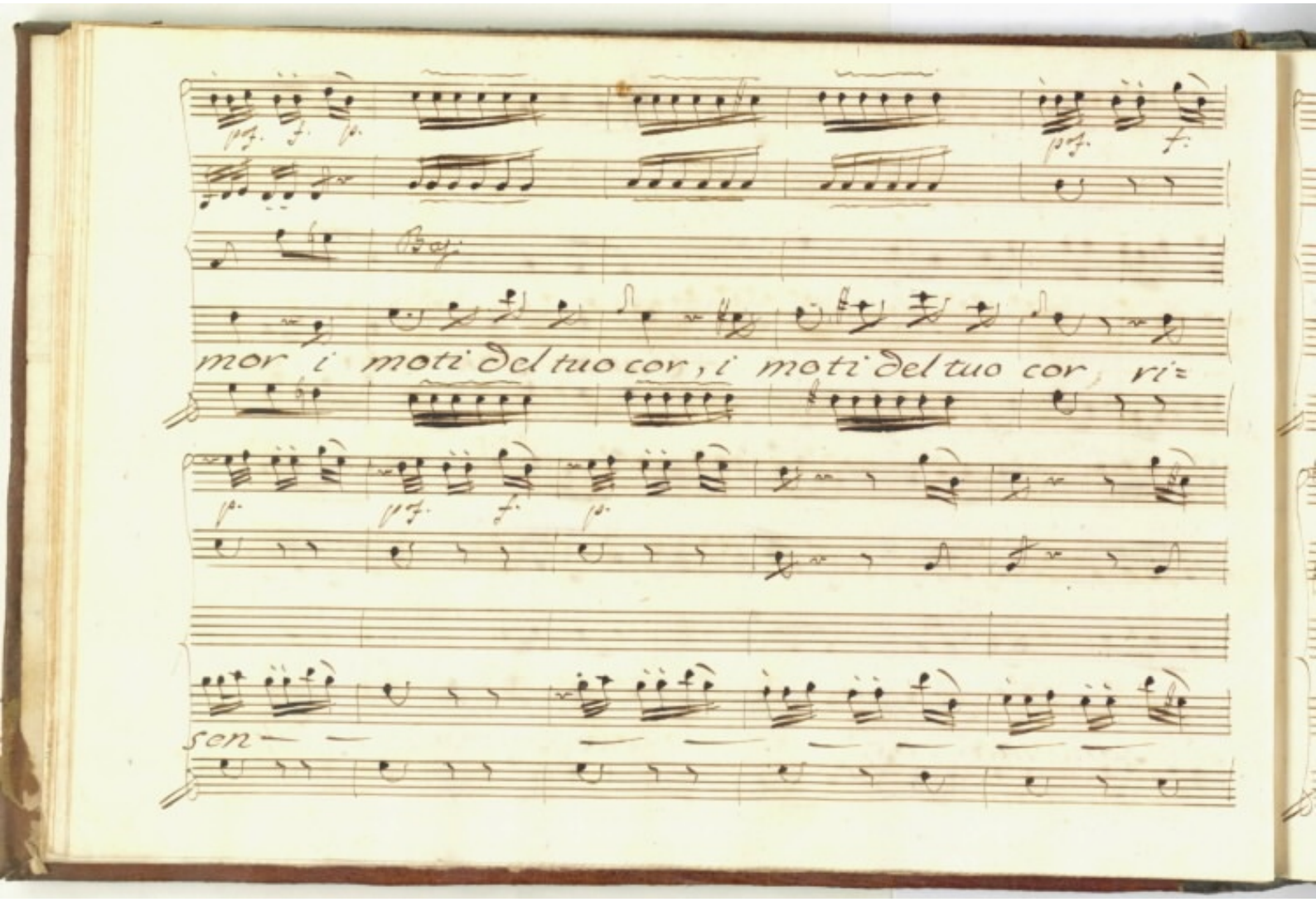
che per virtù di a=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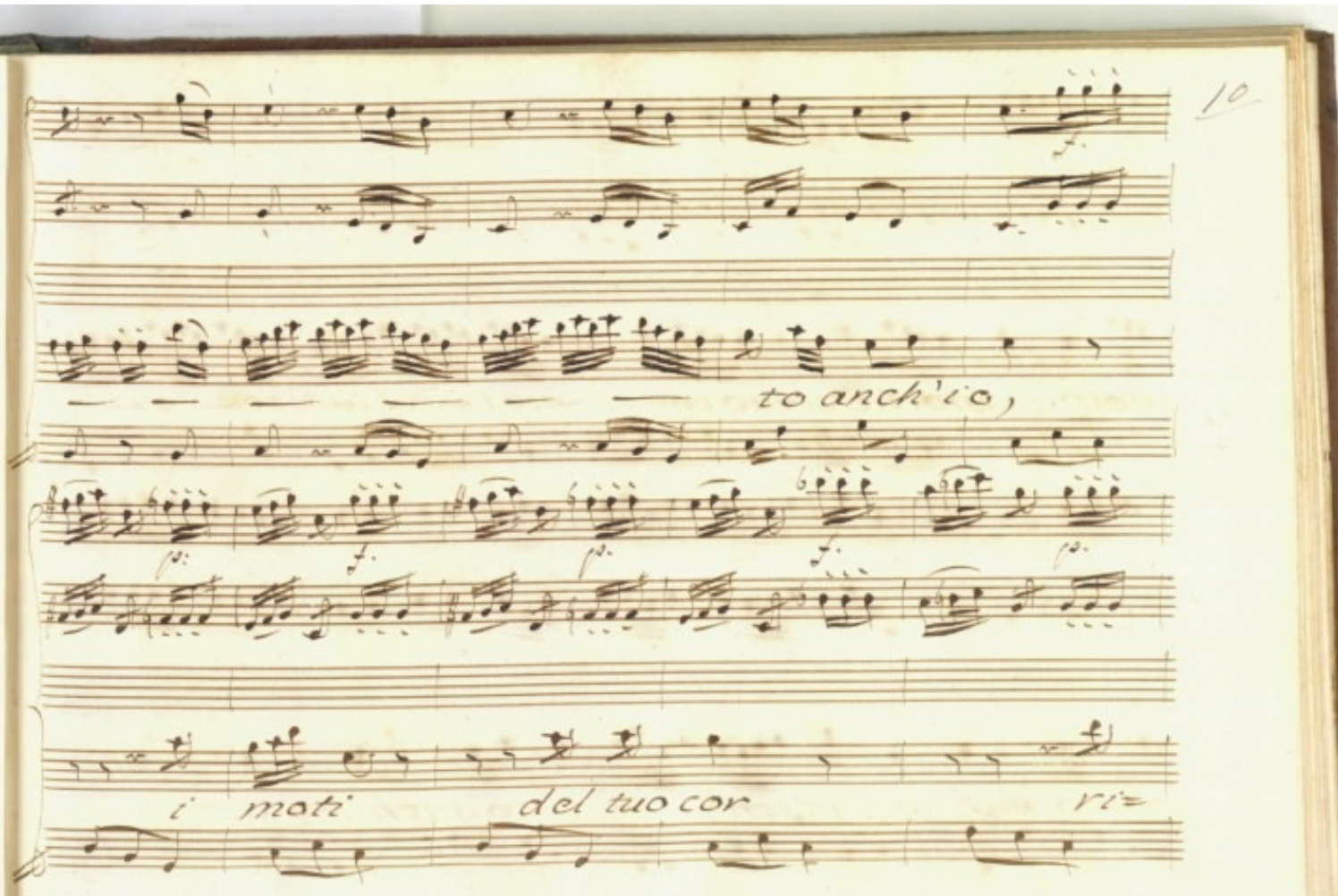
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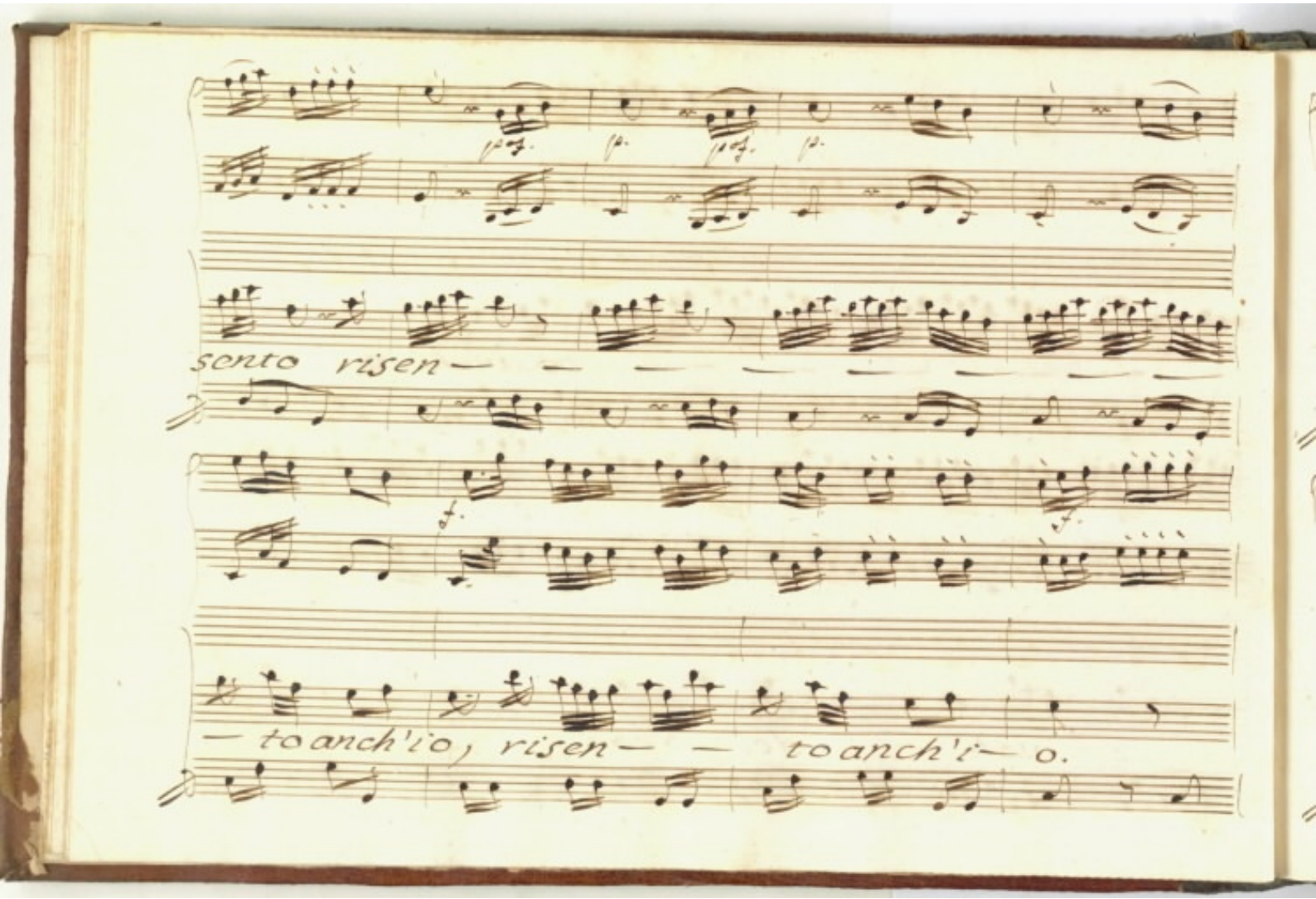
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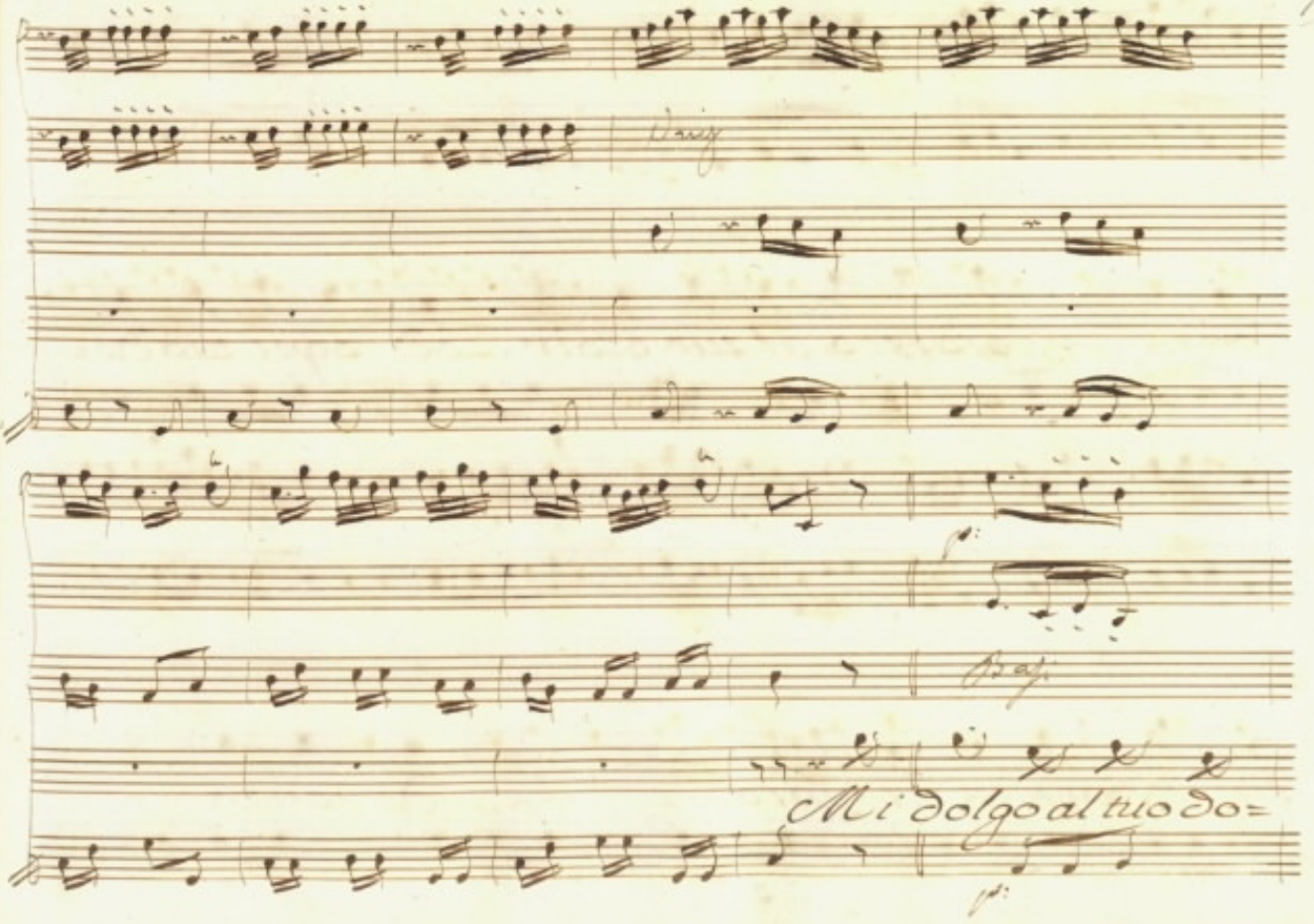
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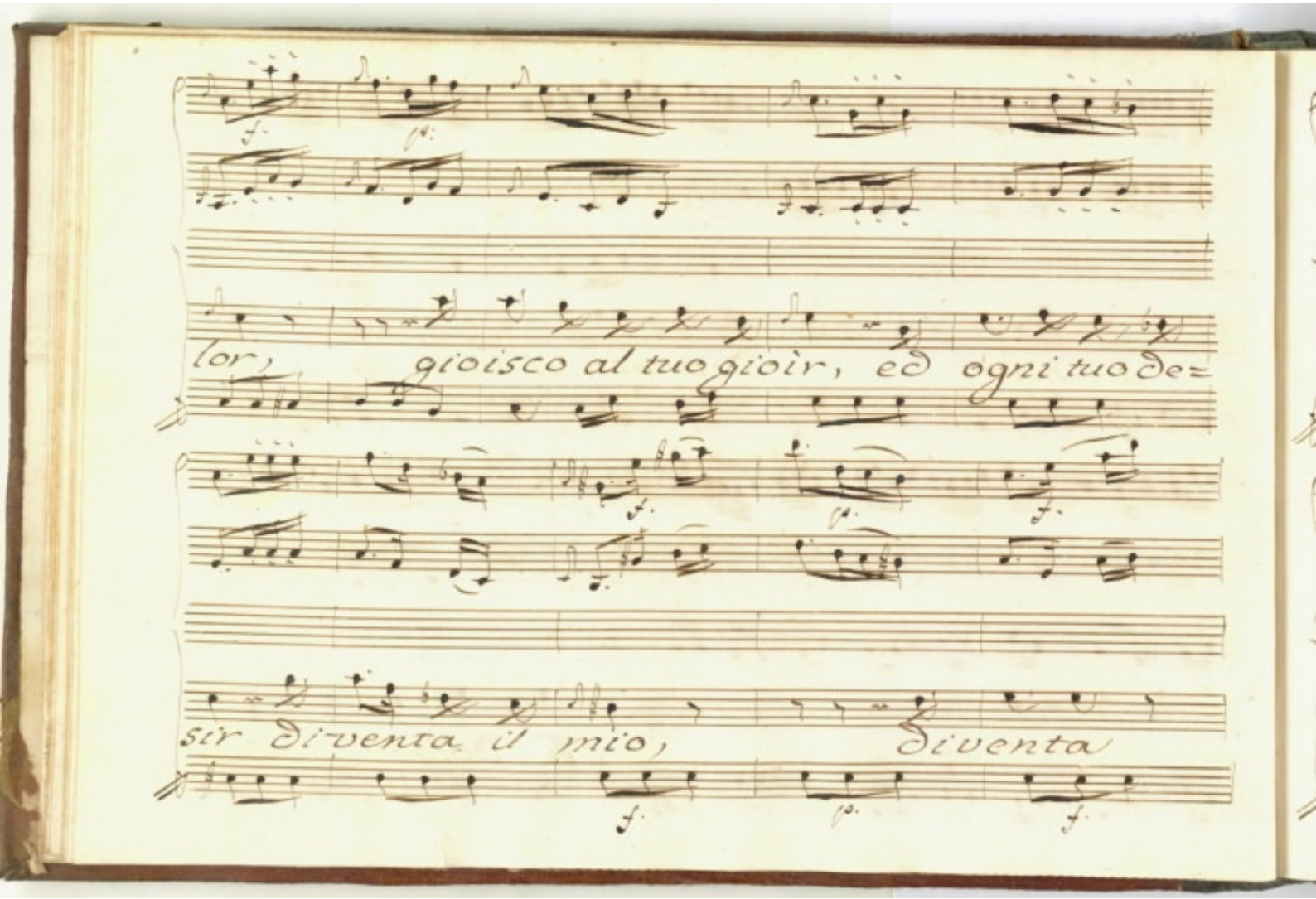
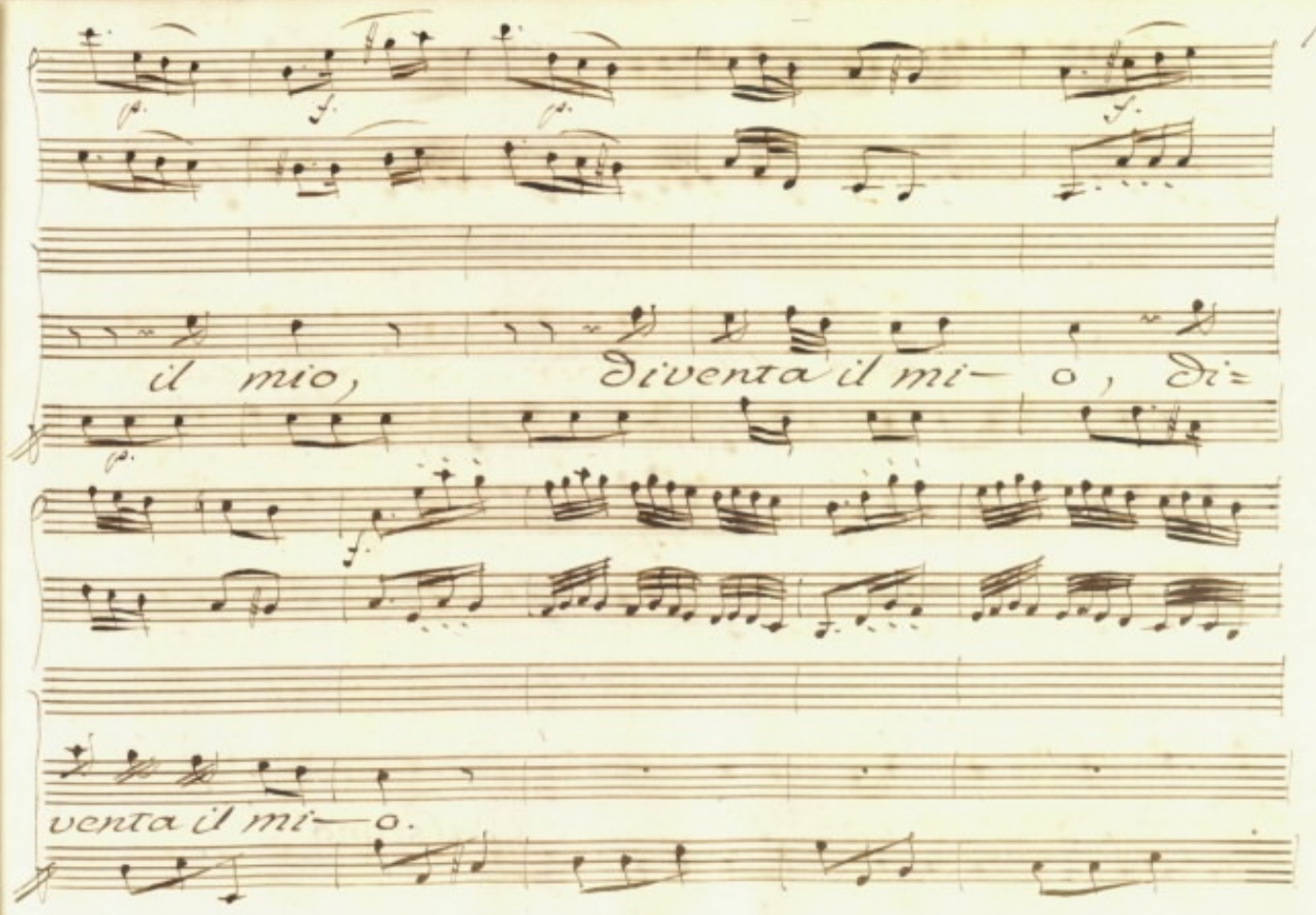
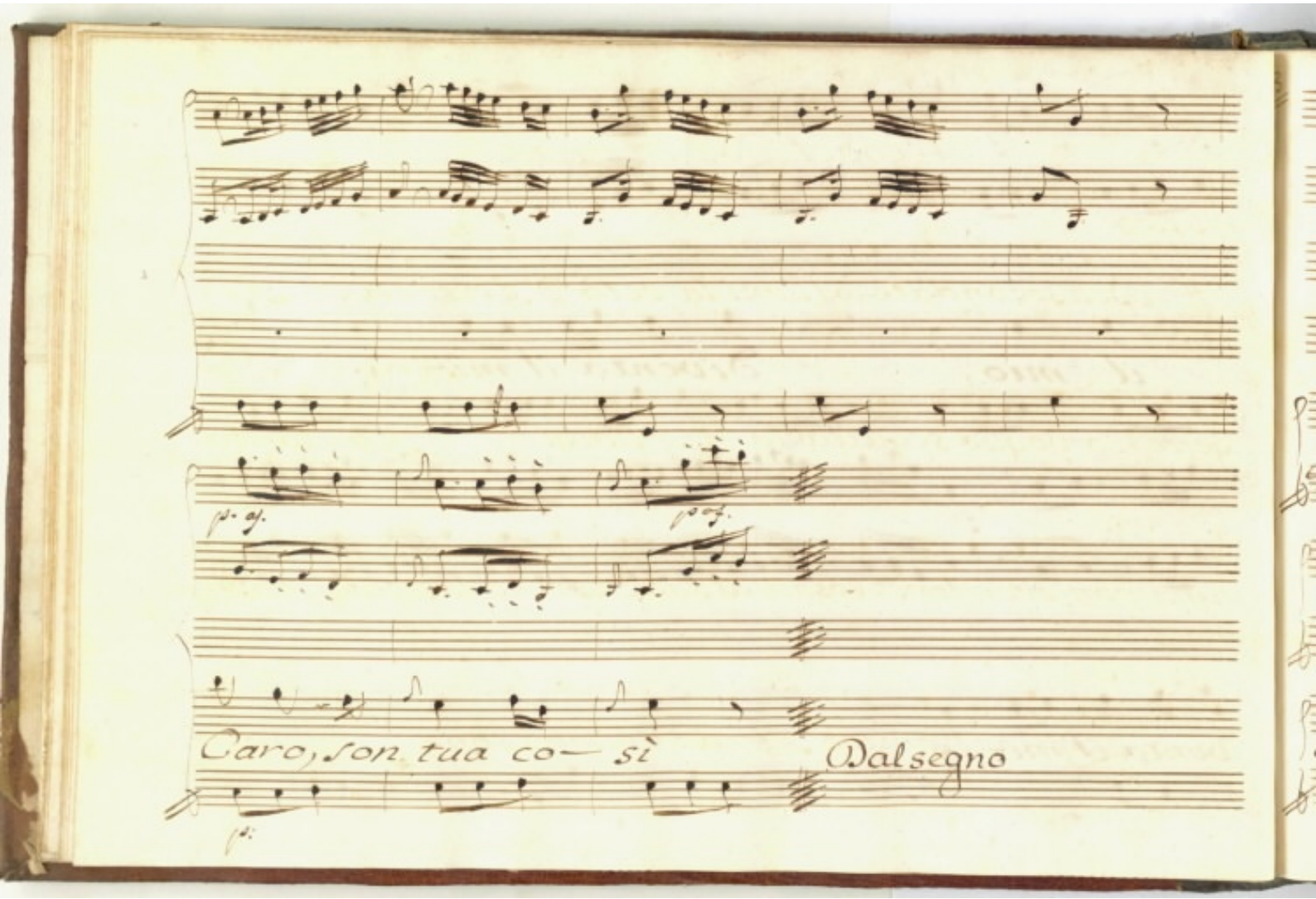

lor, gioisco al tuo gioir, ed ogni tuo de=
sir diventa il mio, diventa


il mio, diventa il mi— o, di=
venta il mi— o.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Caro, son tua co— sì
Dal segno
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Scena IV.

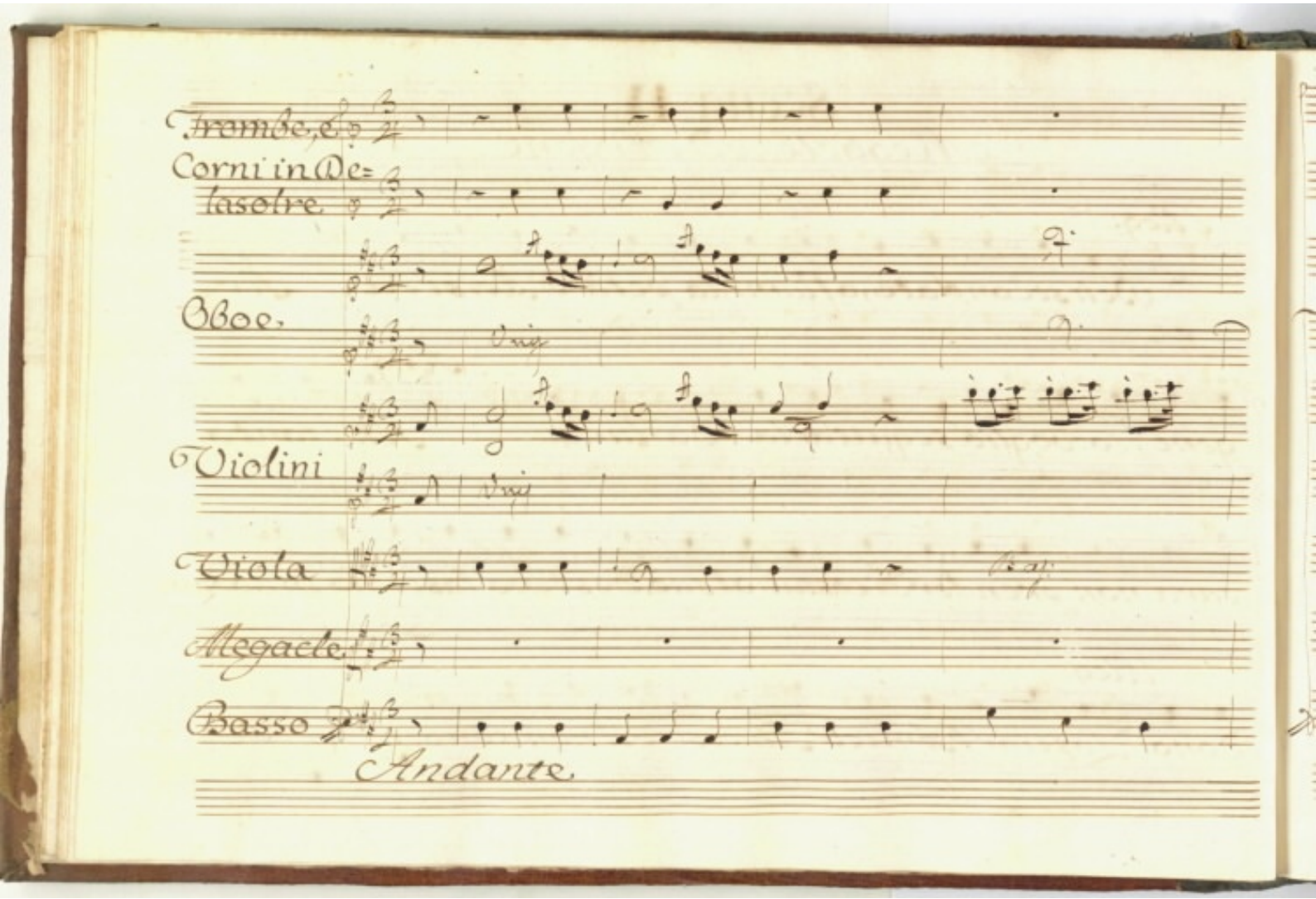
Megacle, ed Argene.

Meg: Deh secondate, o Numi, la pietà d'Aristea. Ar-

Arg. gene, io voglio seguitarla da lungi. Ah, tanta

cura non prender di costui: al suo destino lascialo in abban-

Meg: dono. Lasciar l'Amico? Ah, così vil non sono. Aria di Meg.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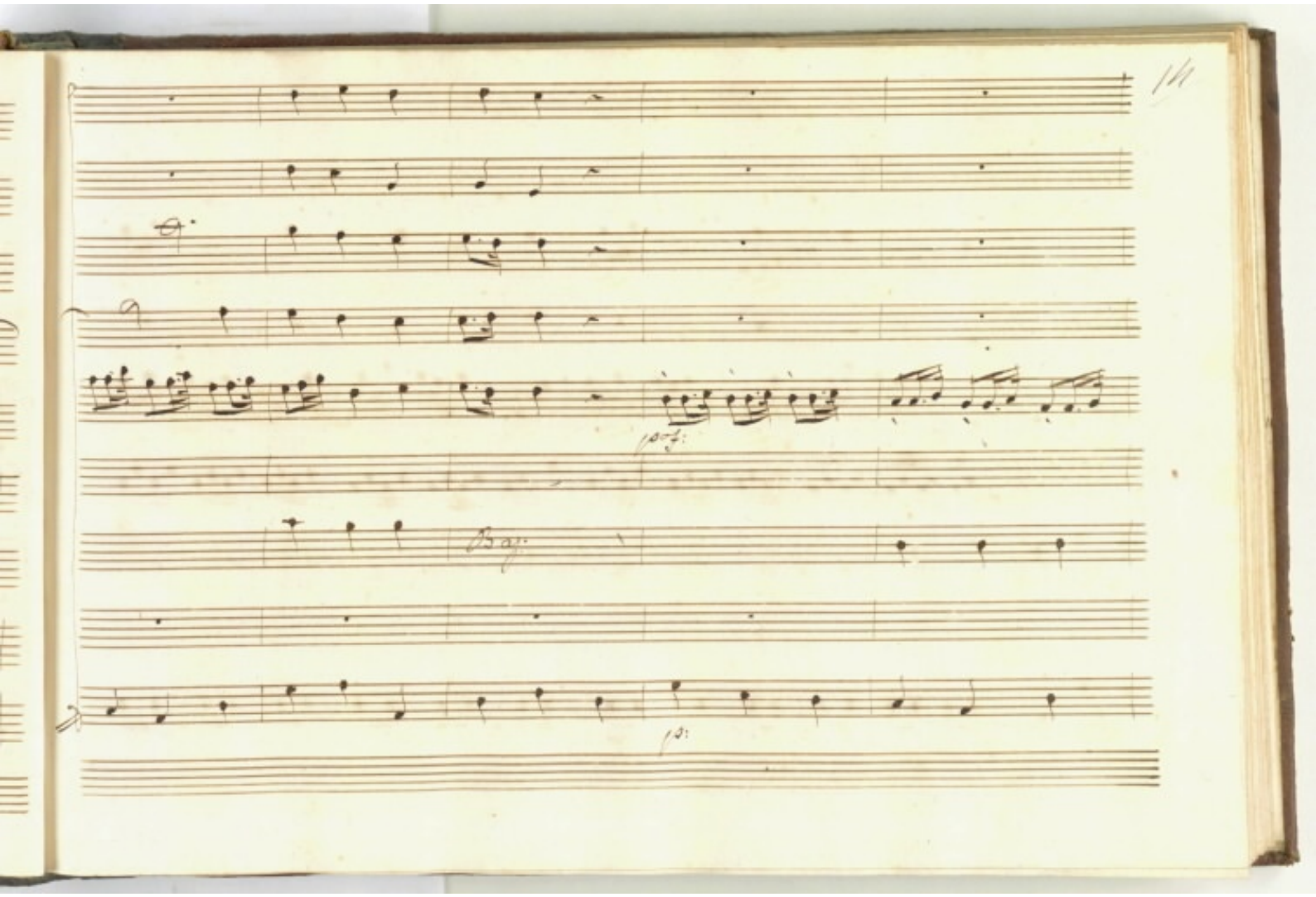

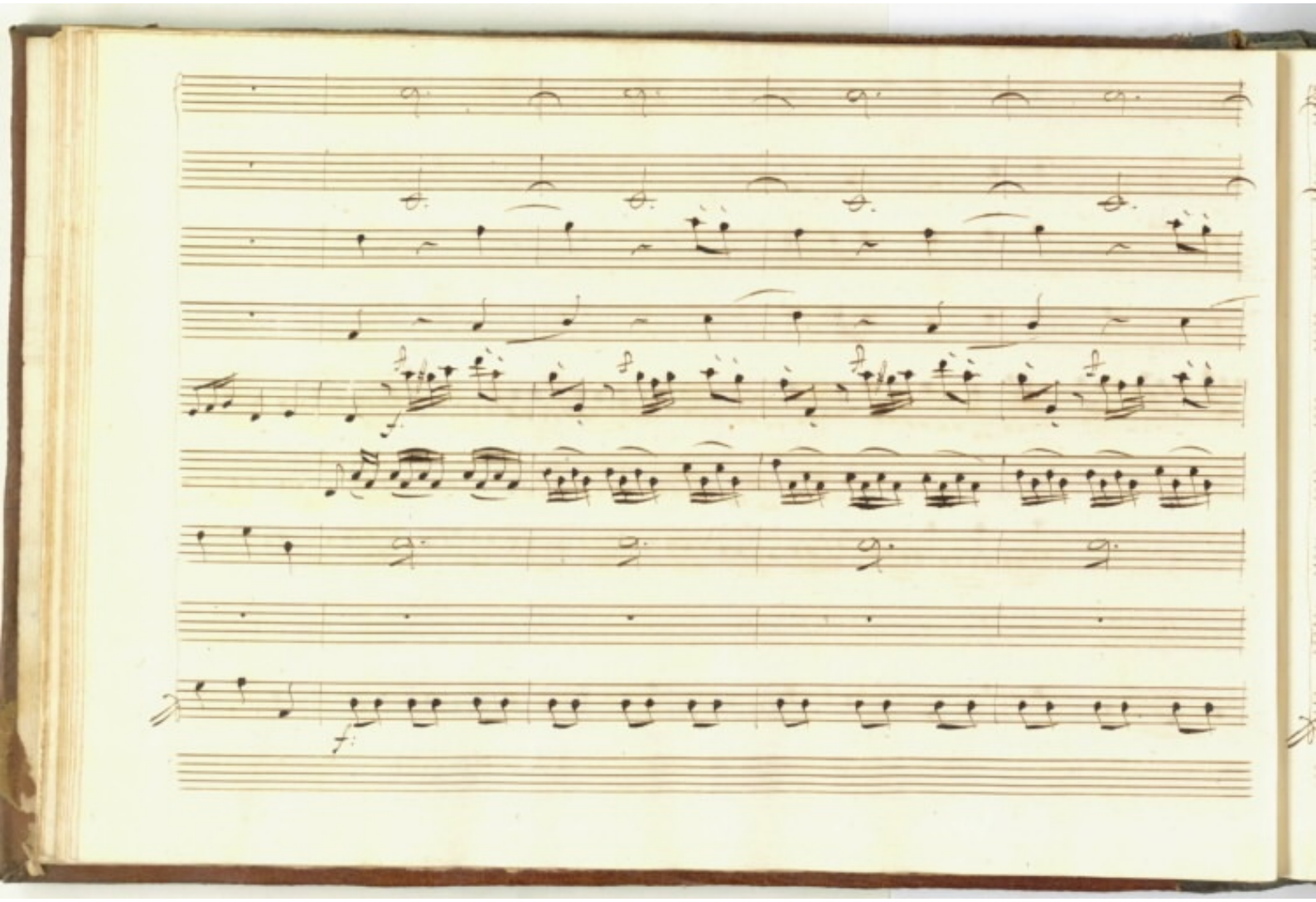

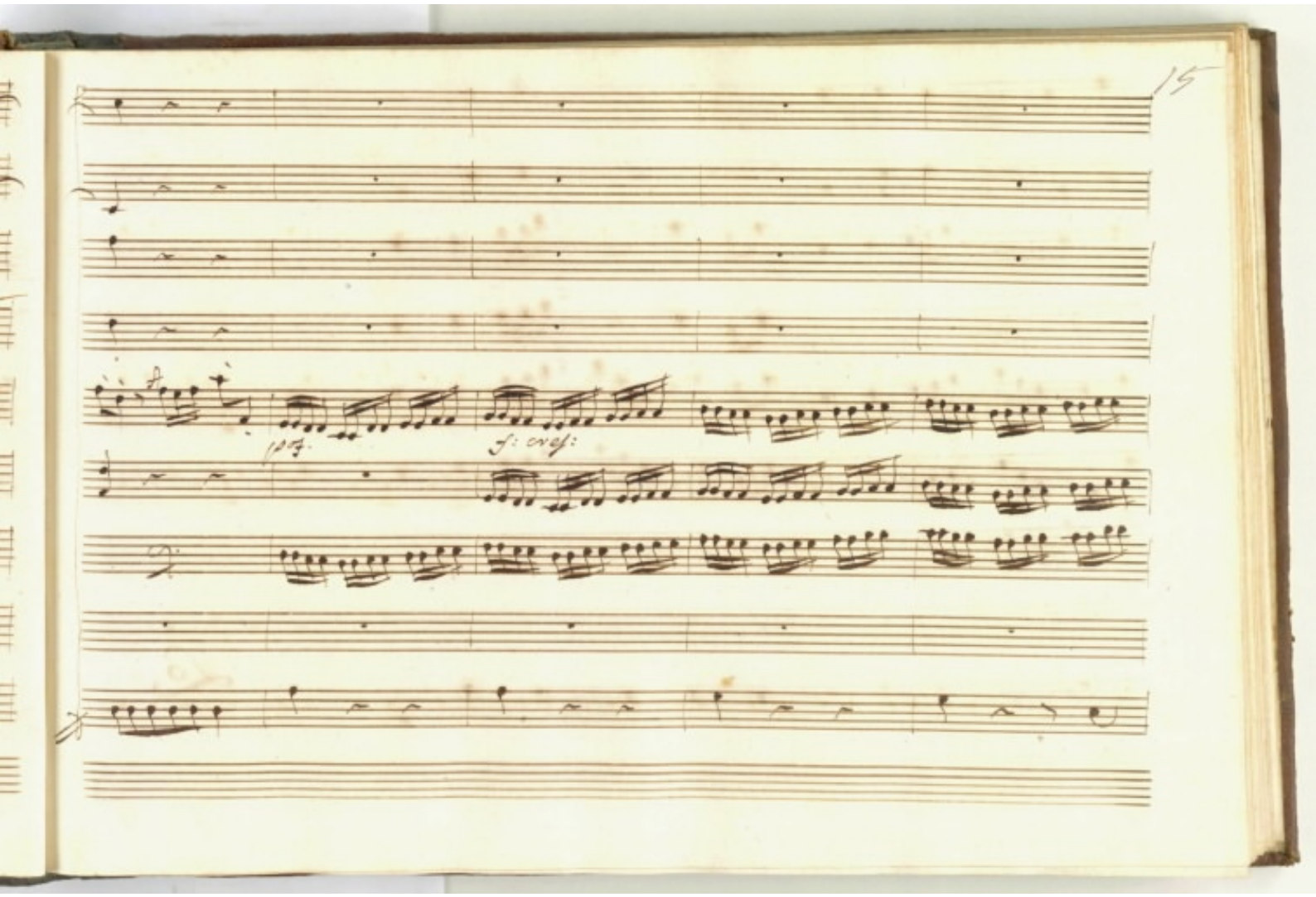
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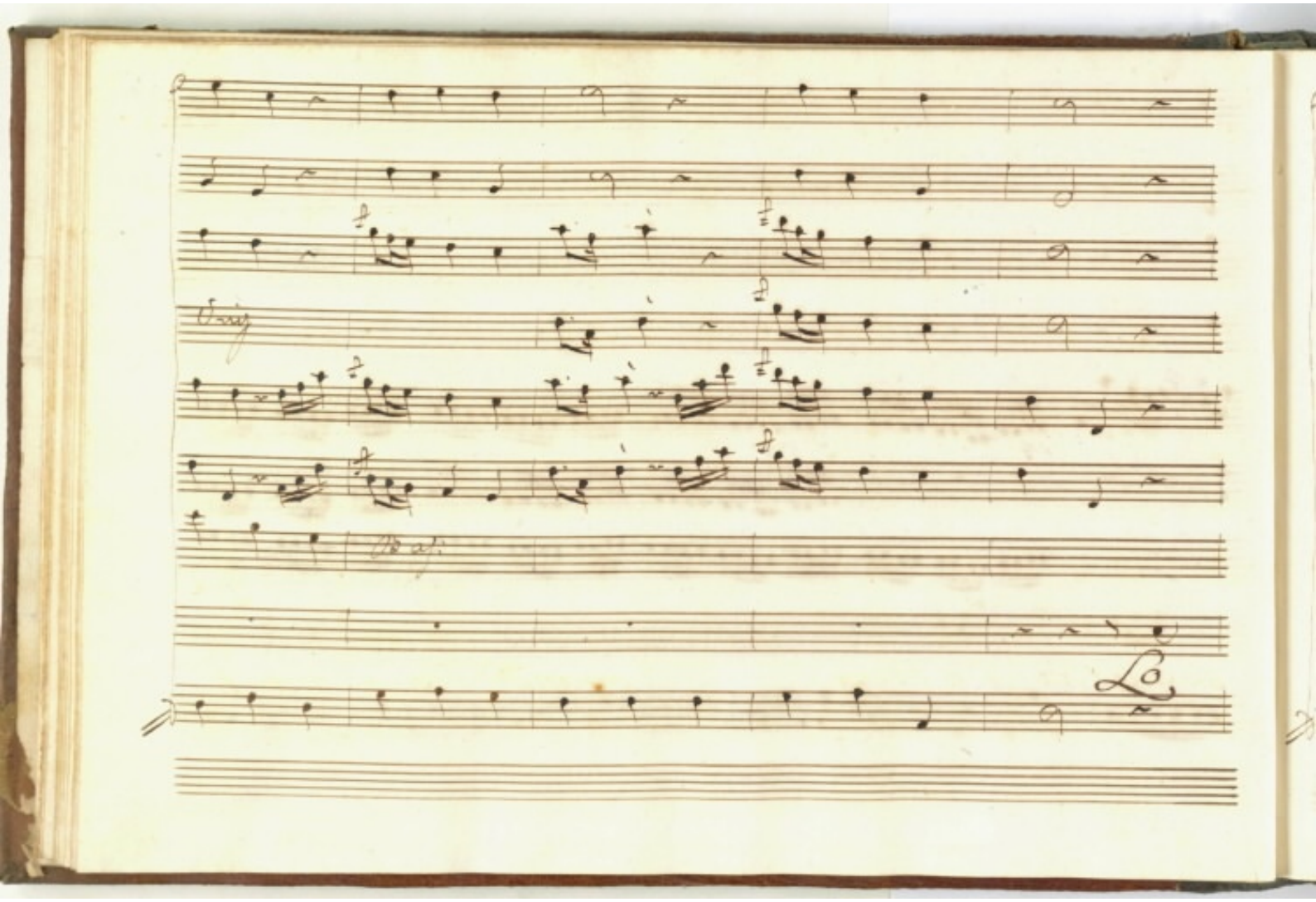

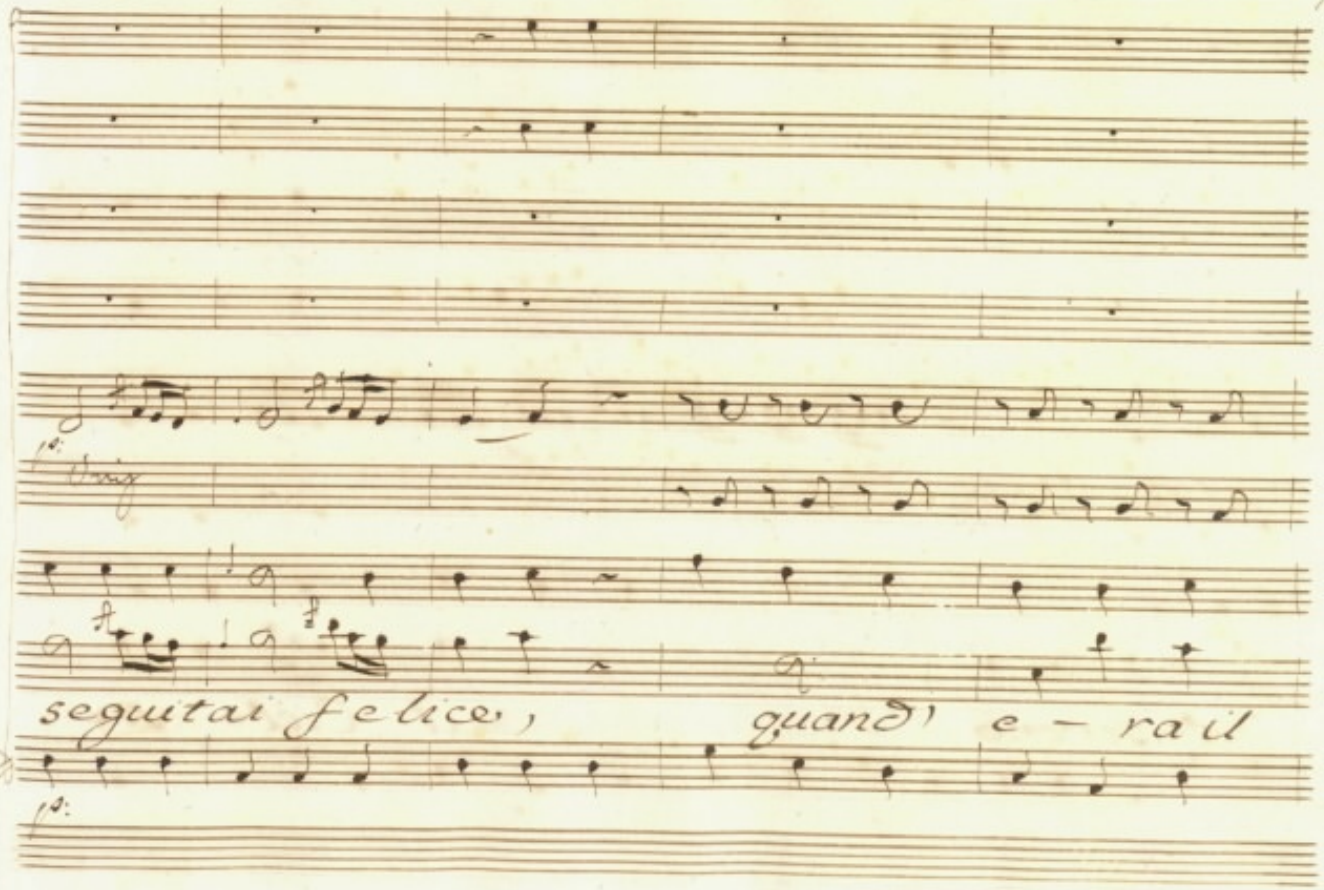
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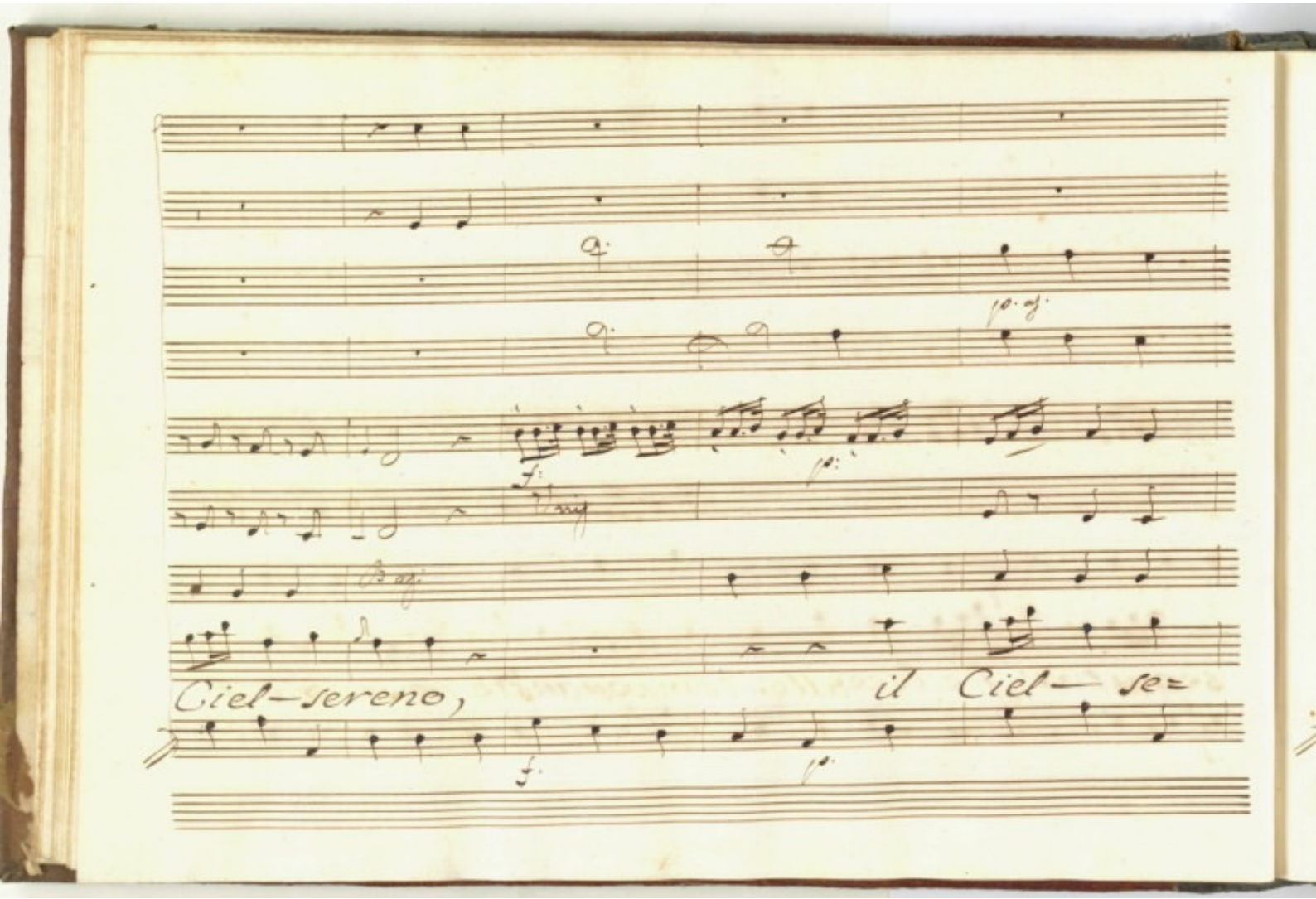
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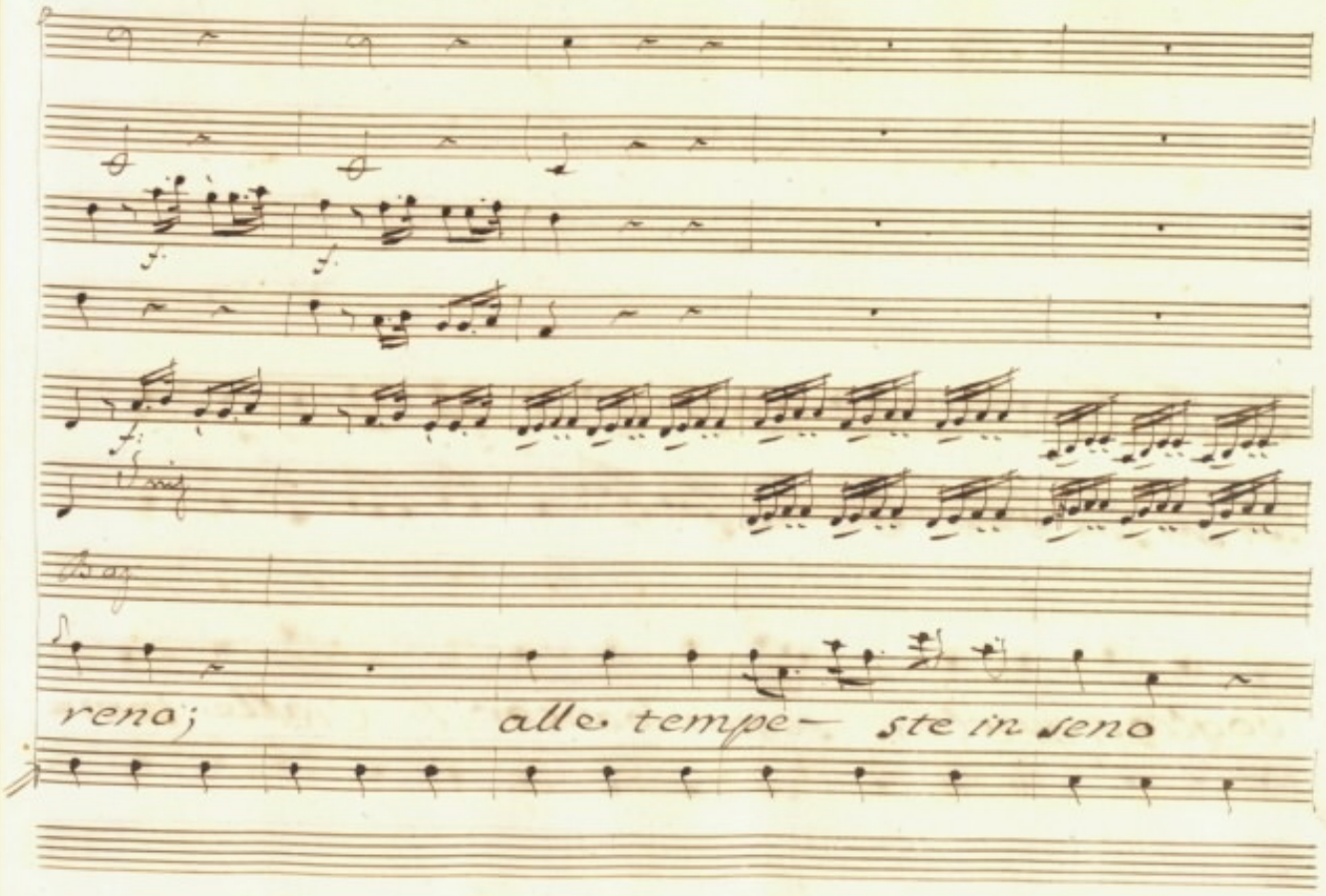
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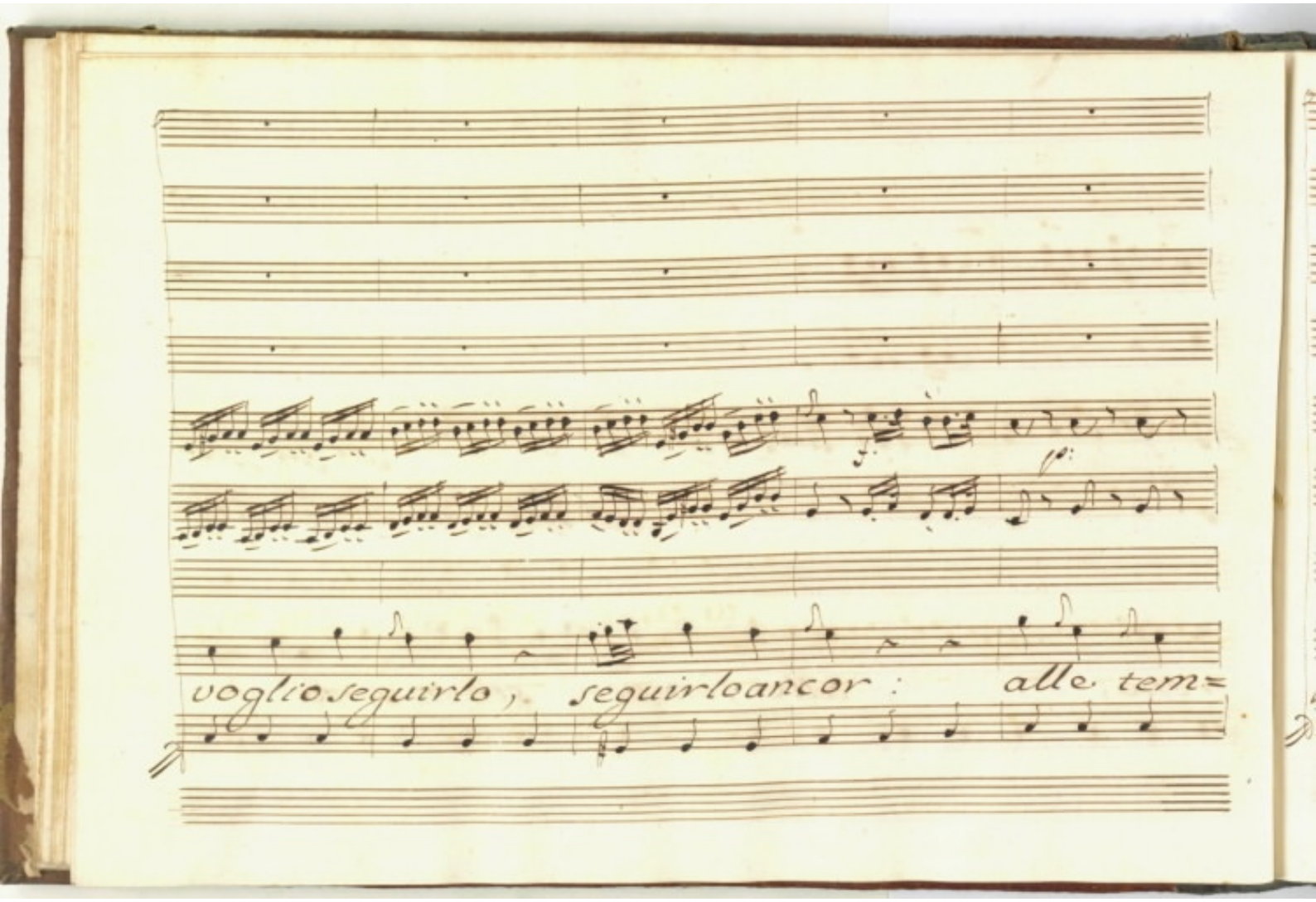
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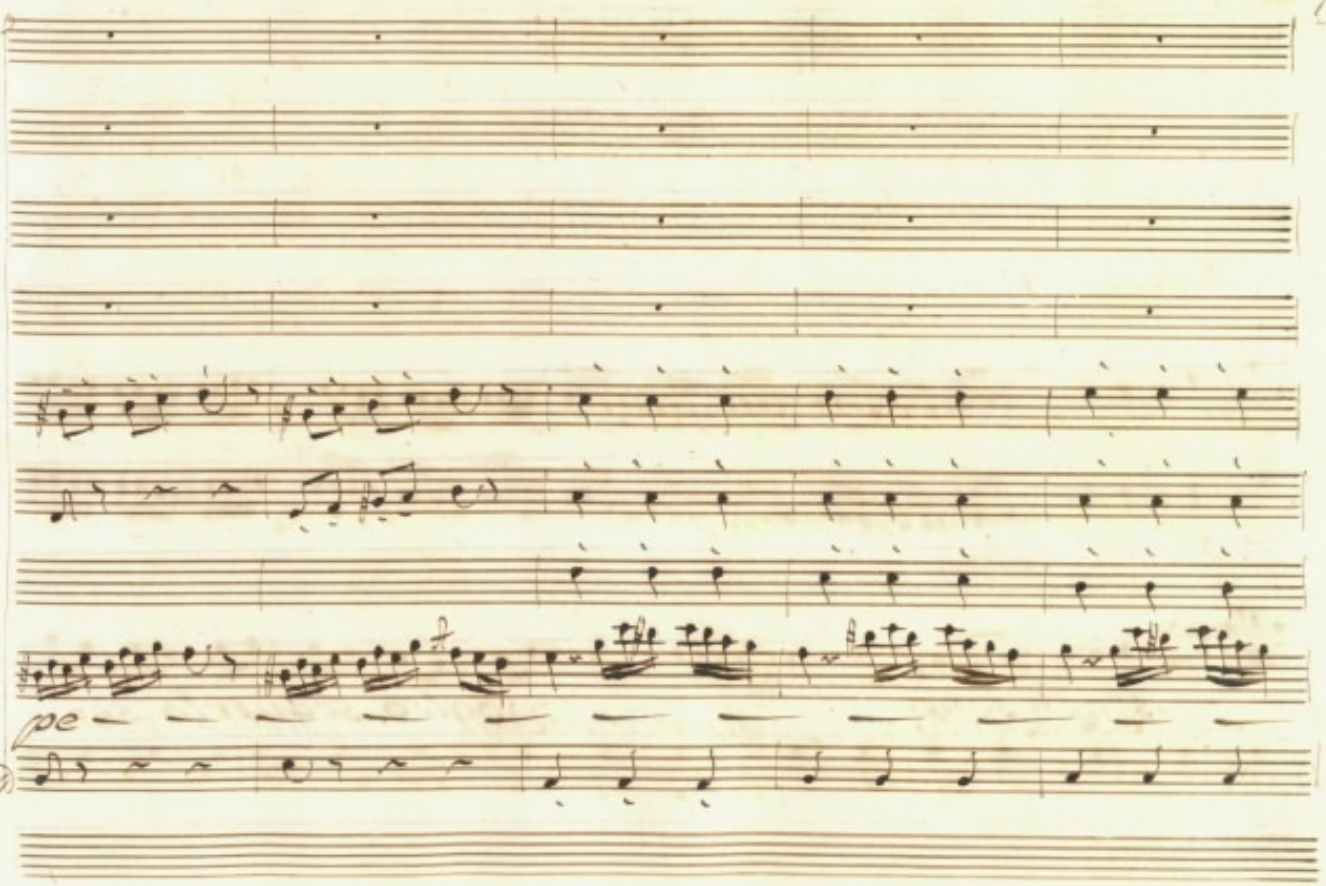
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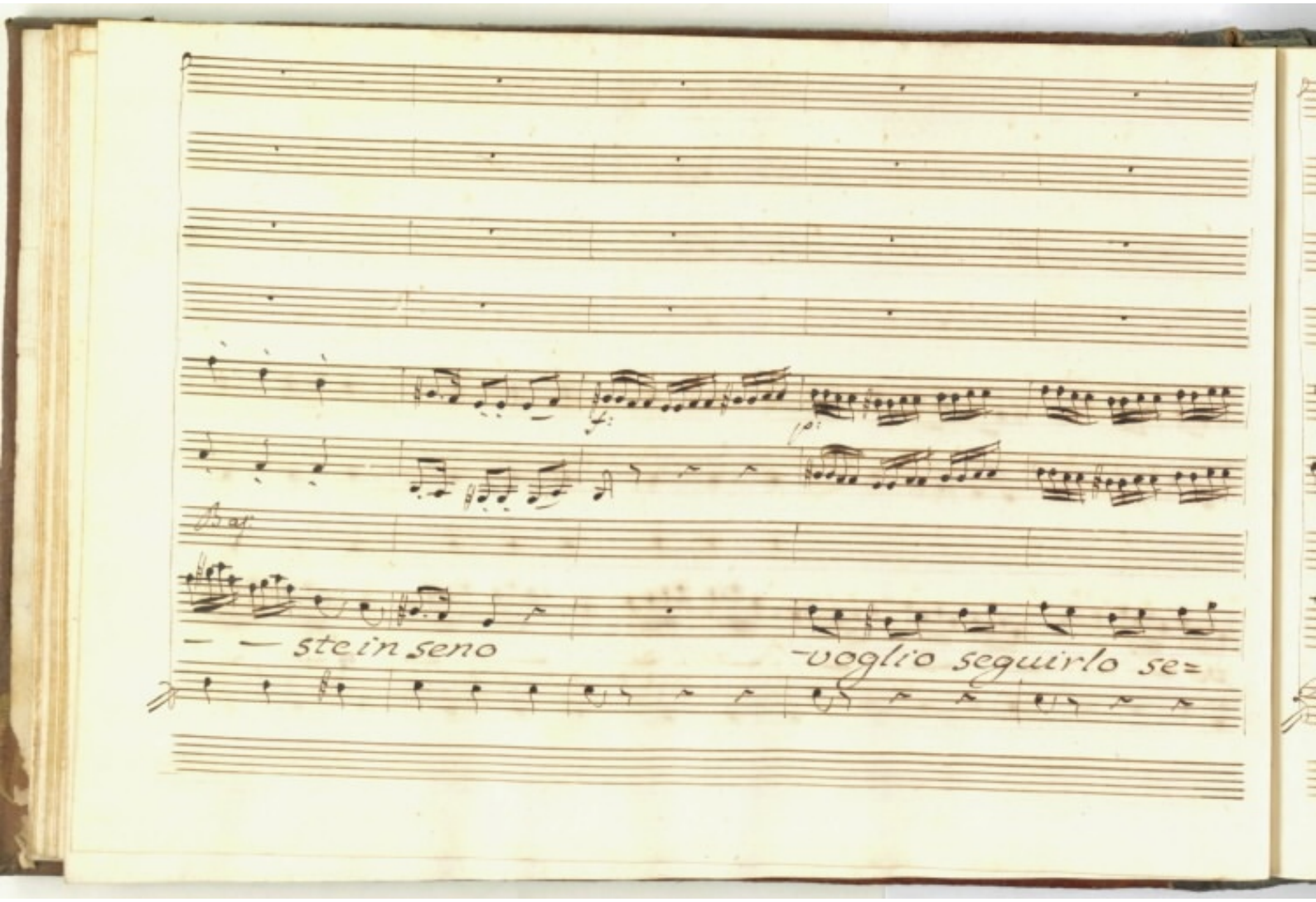
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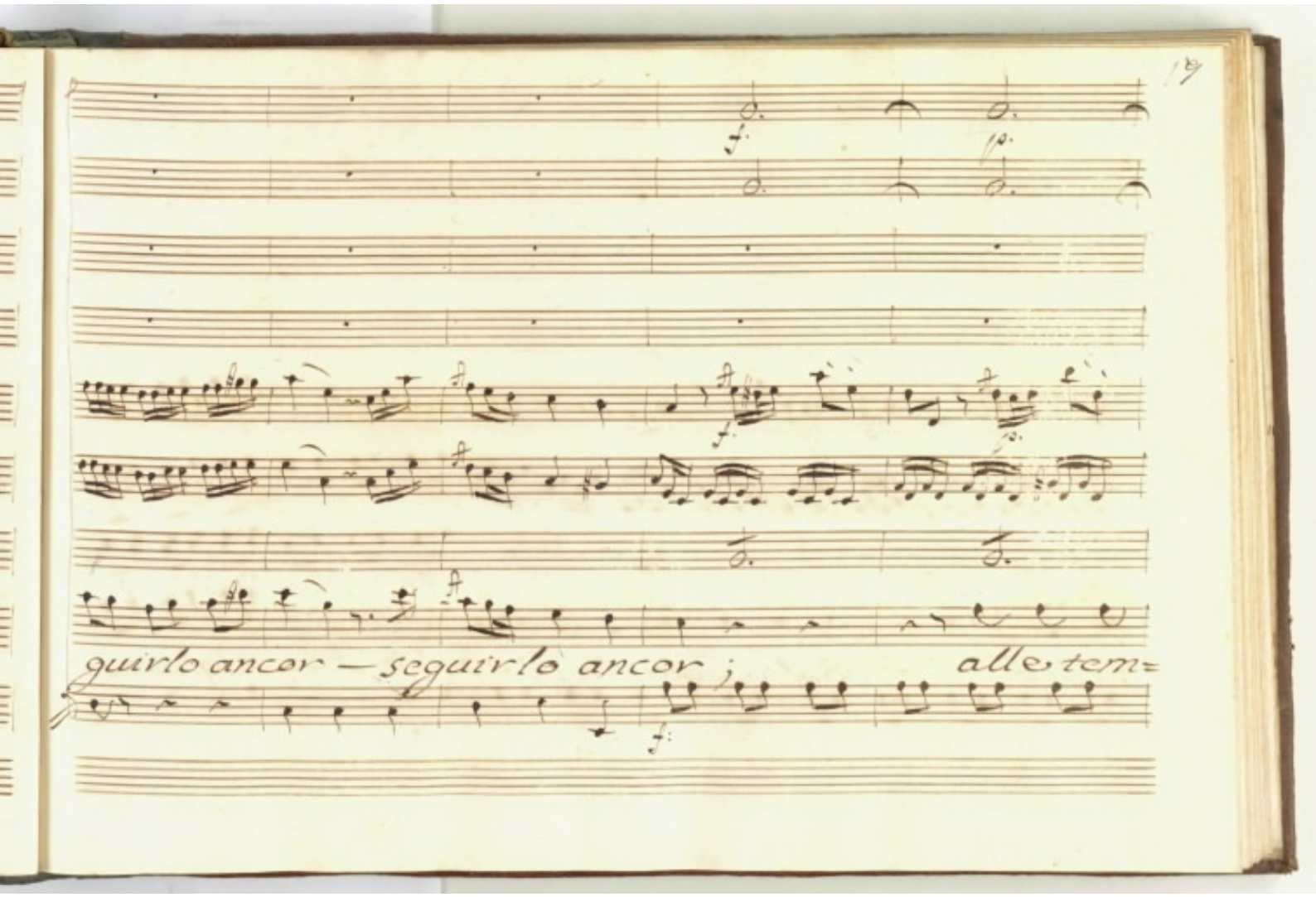
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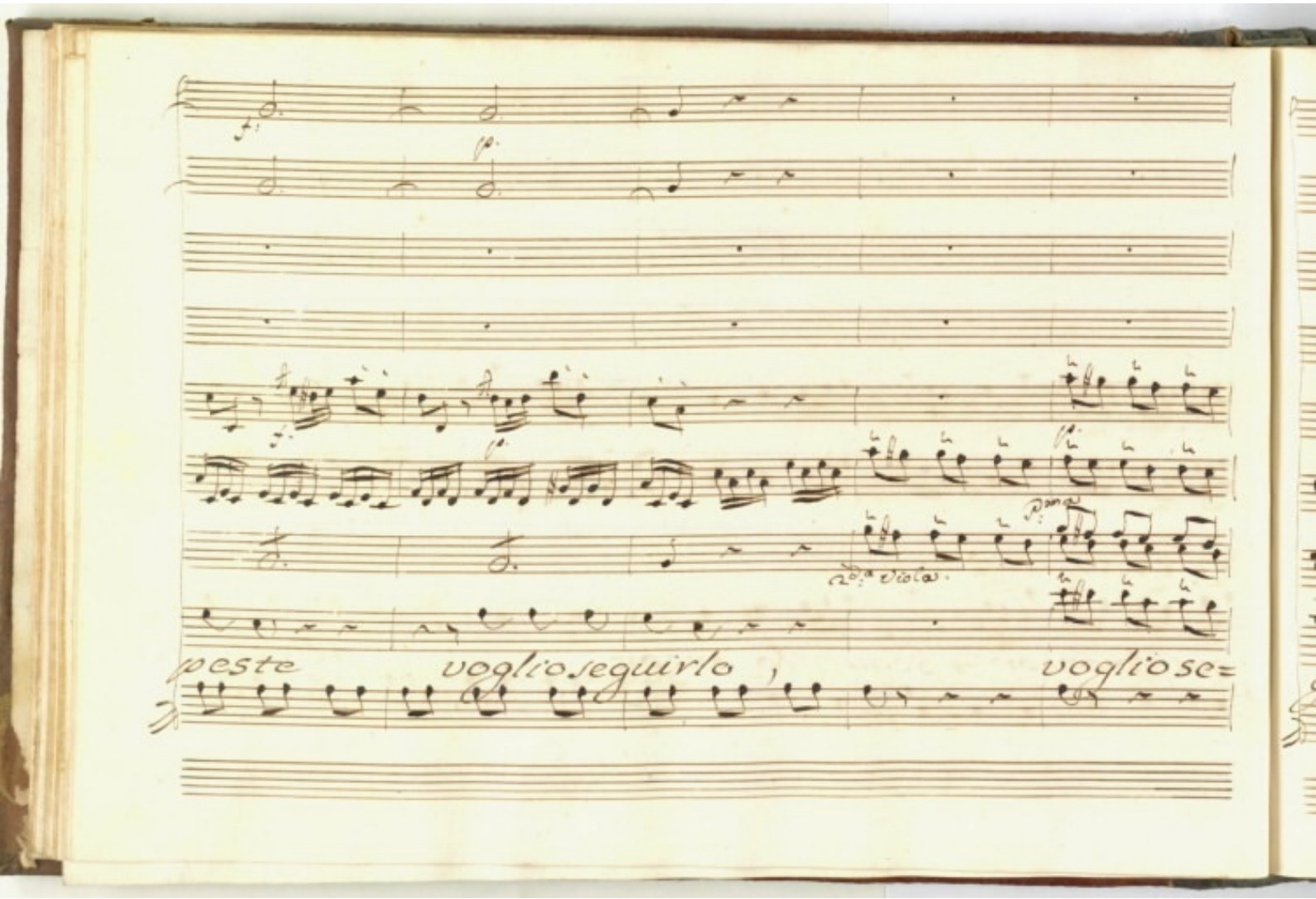
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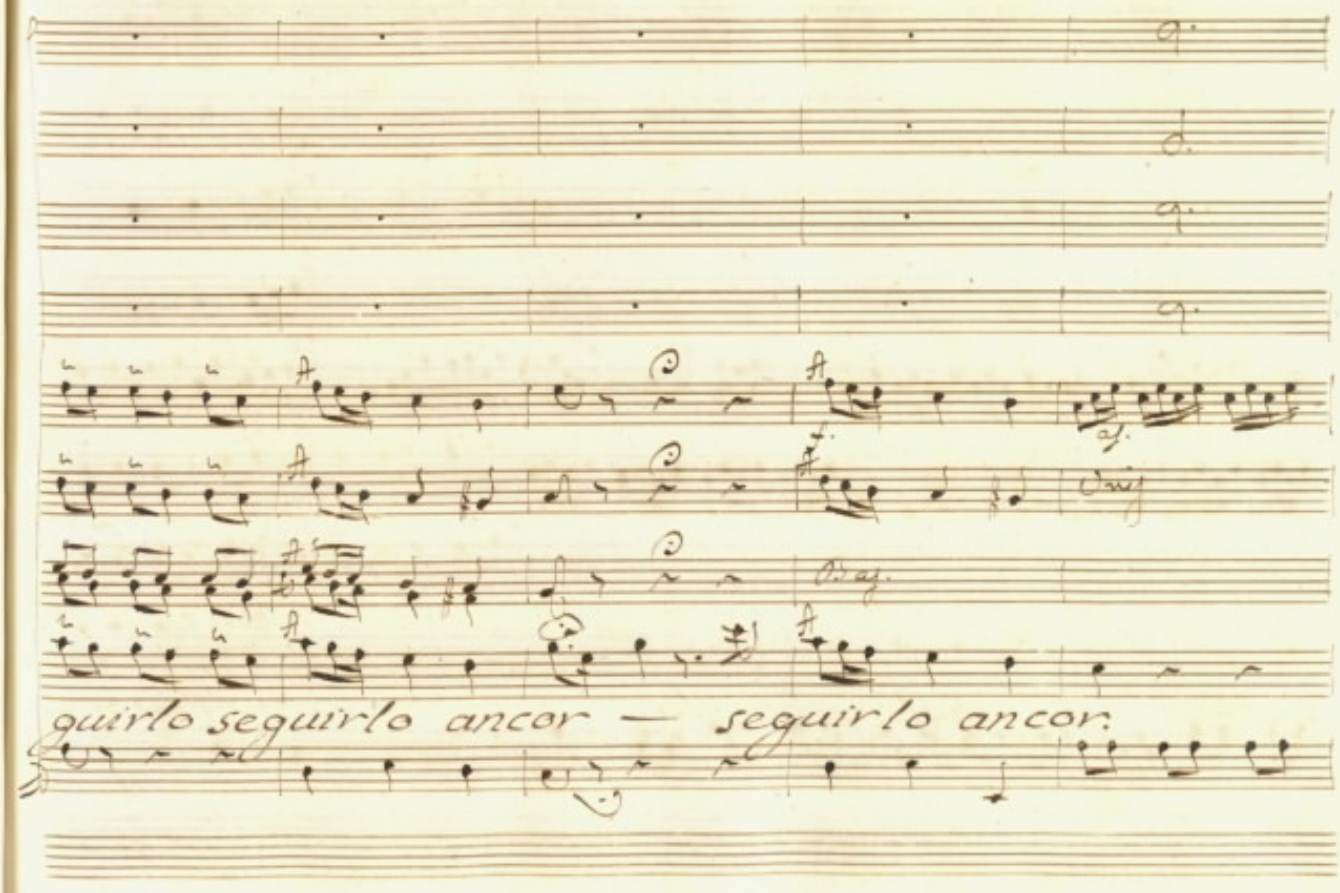
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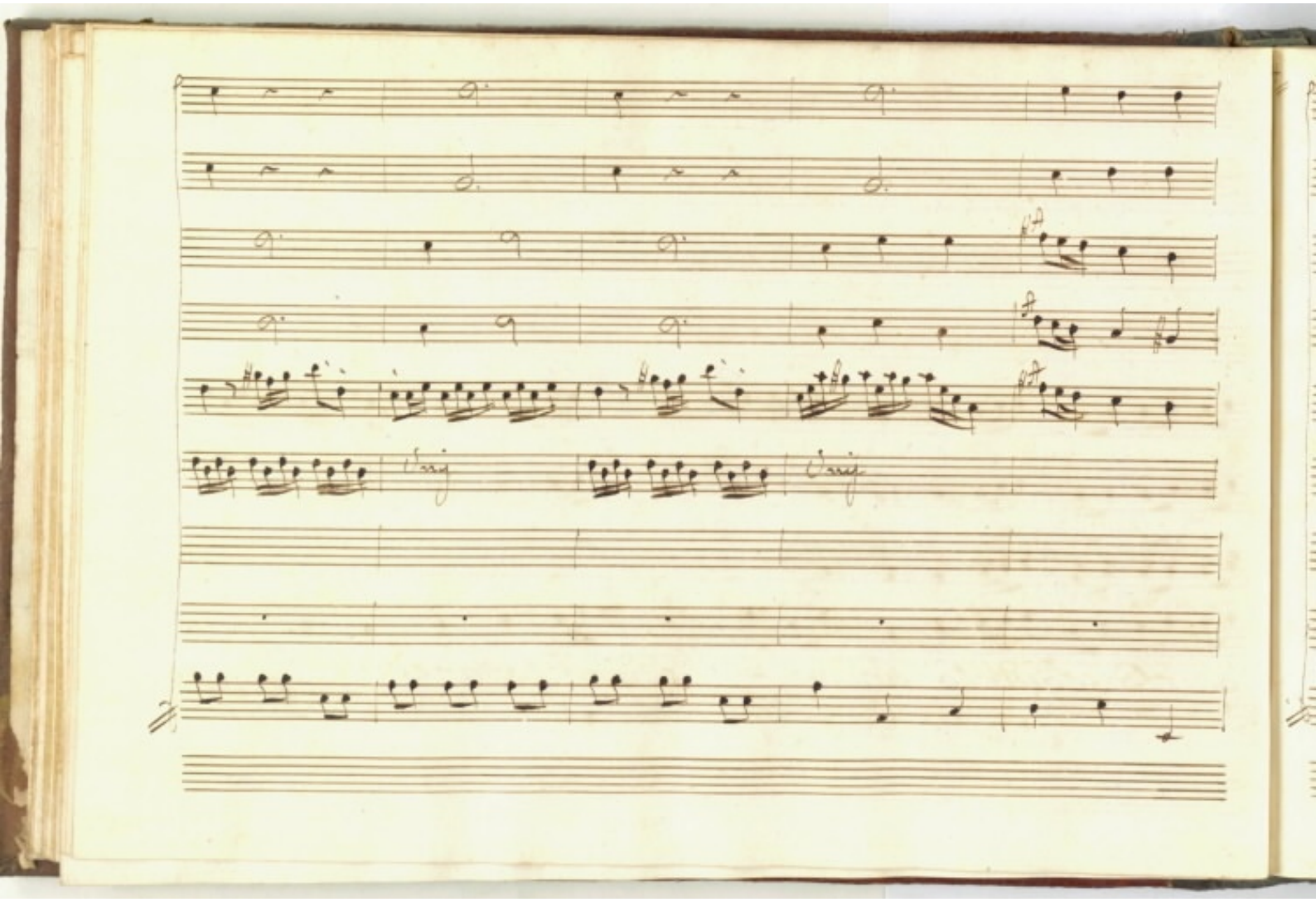

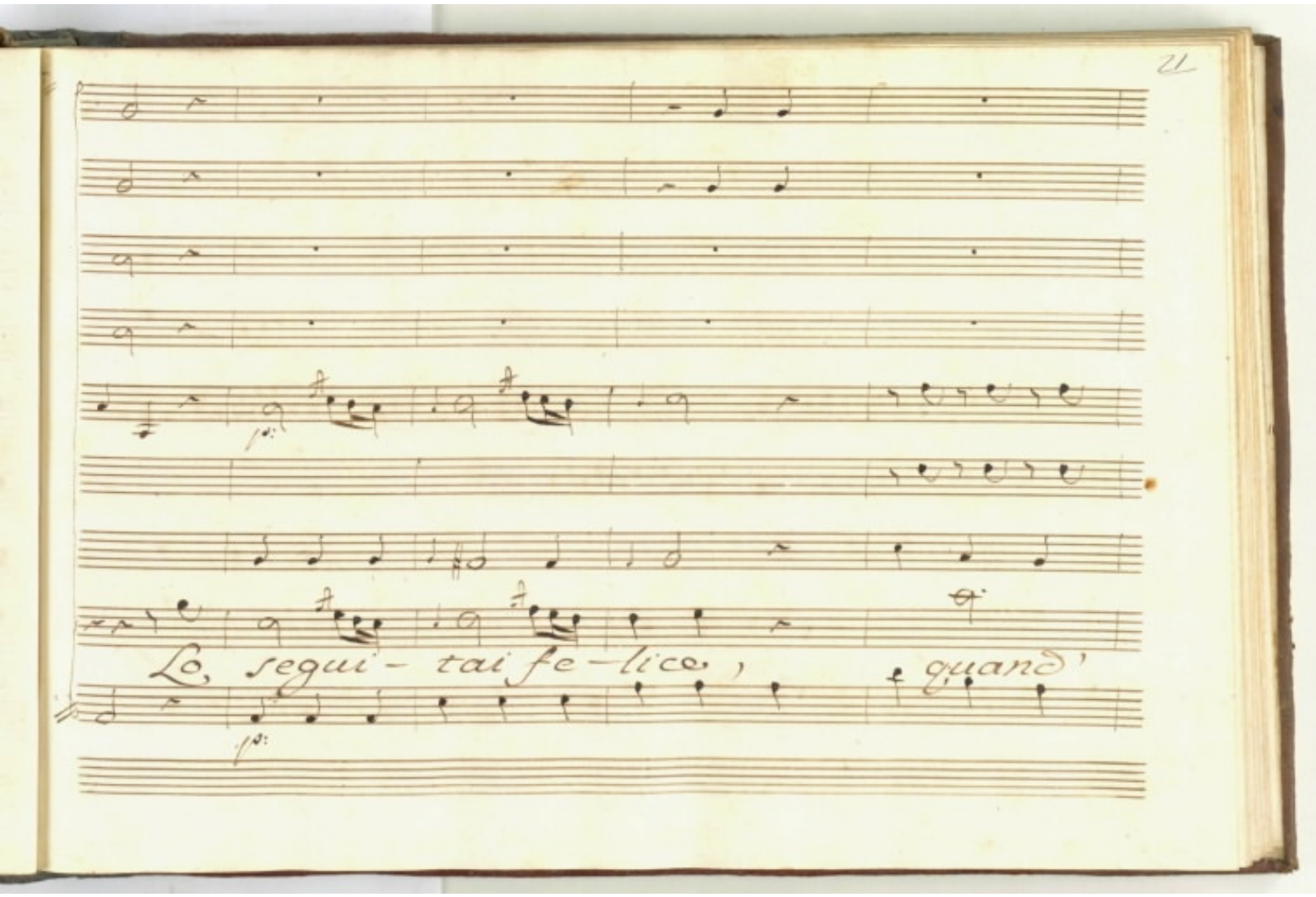
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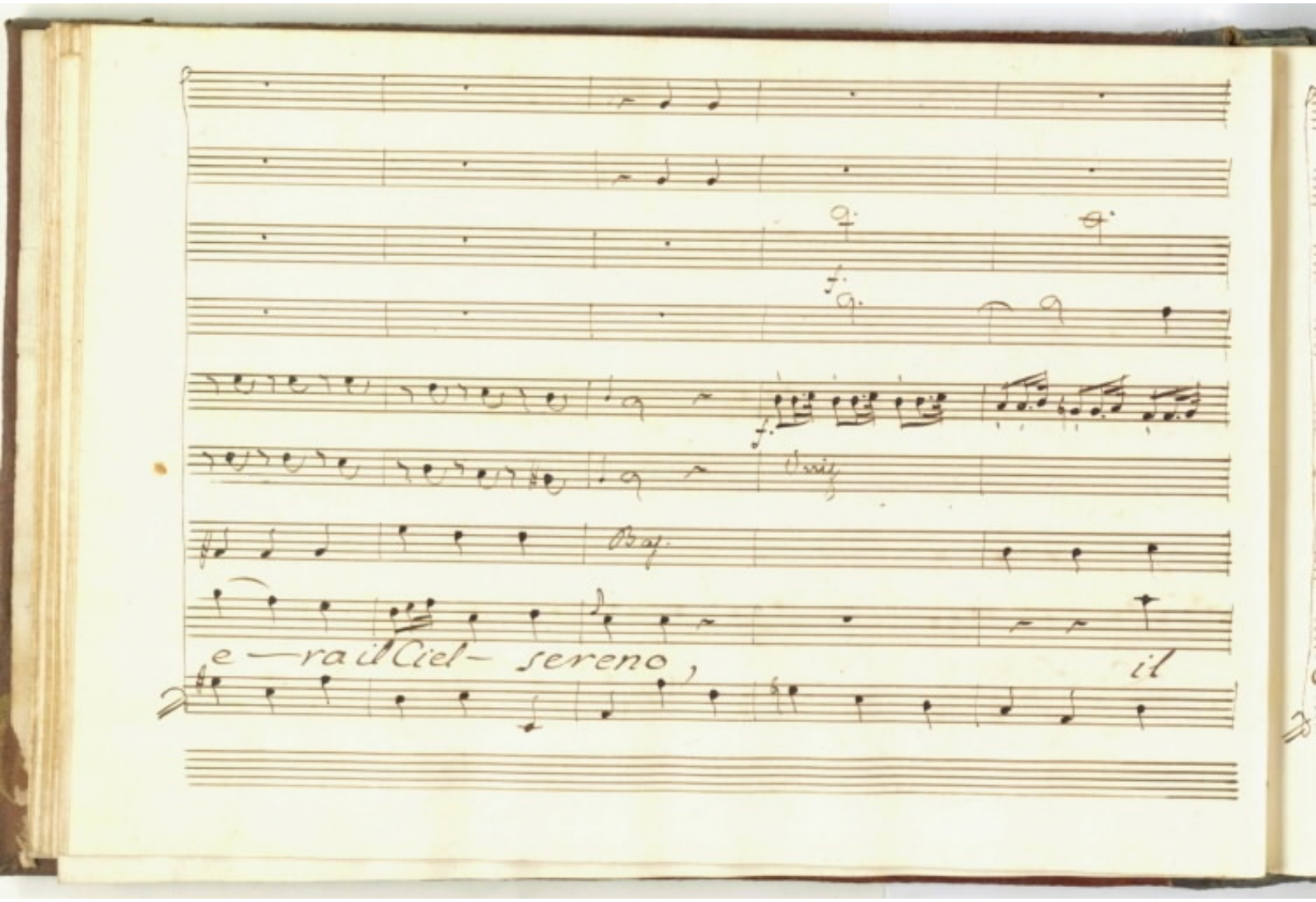
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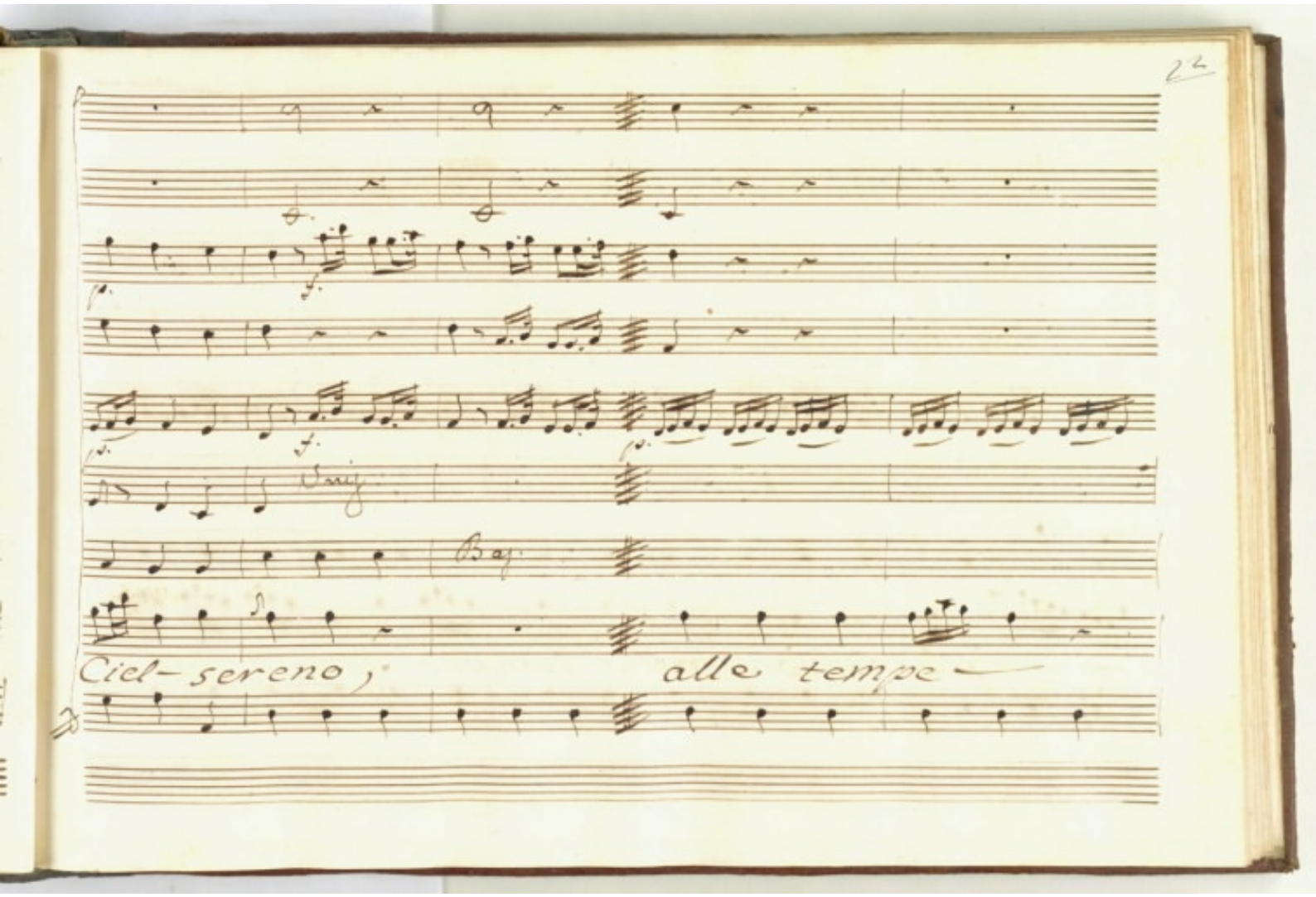
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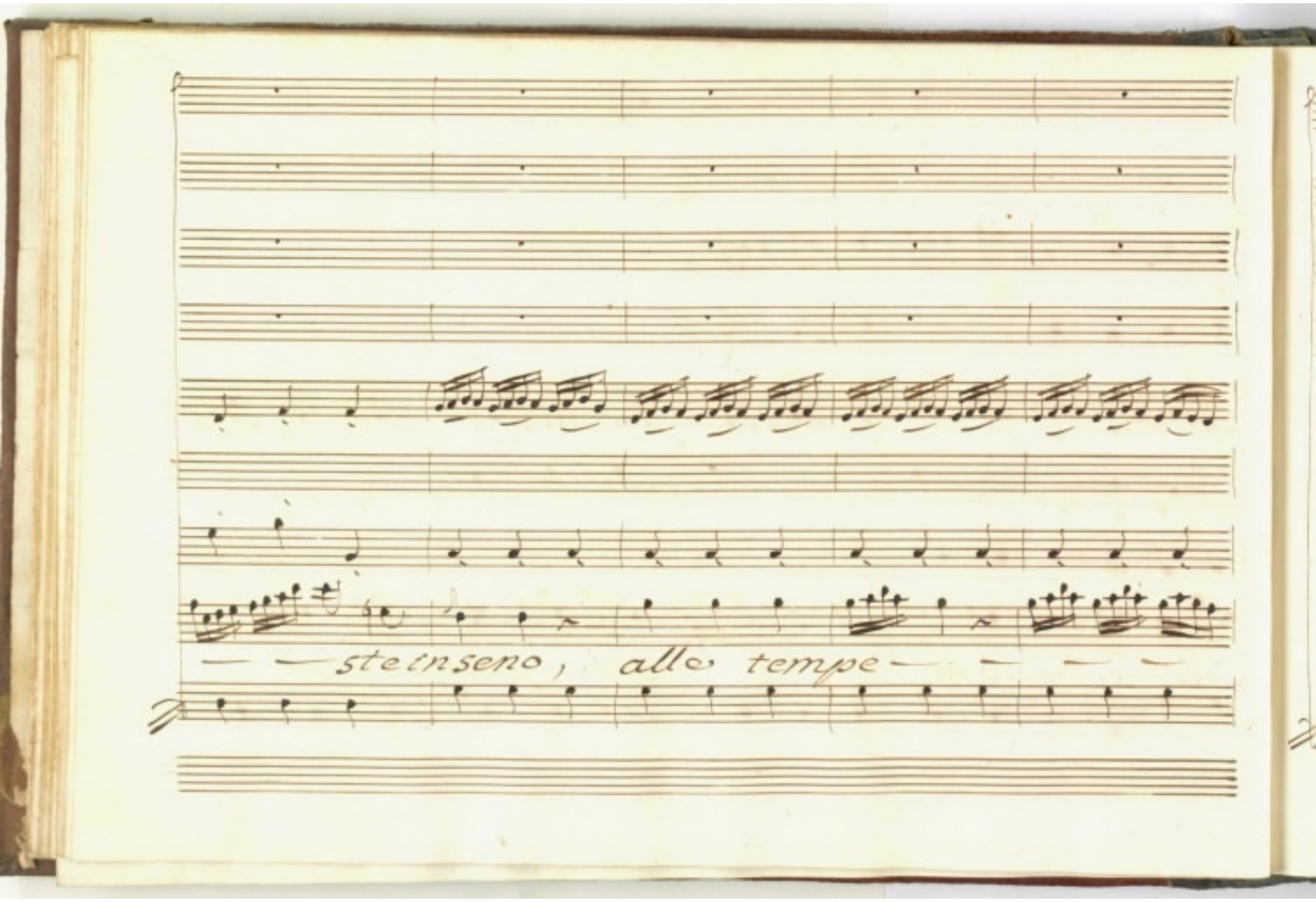
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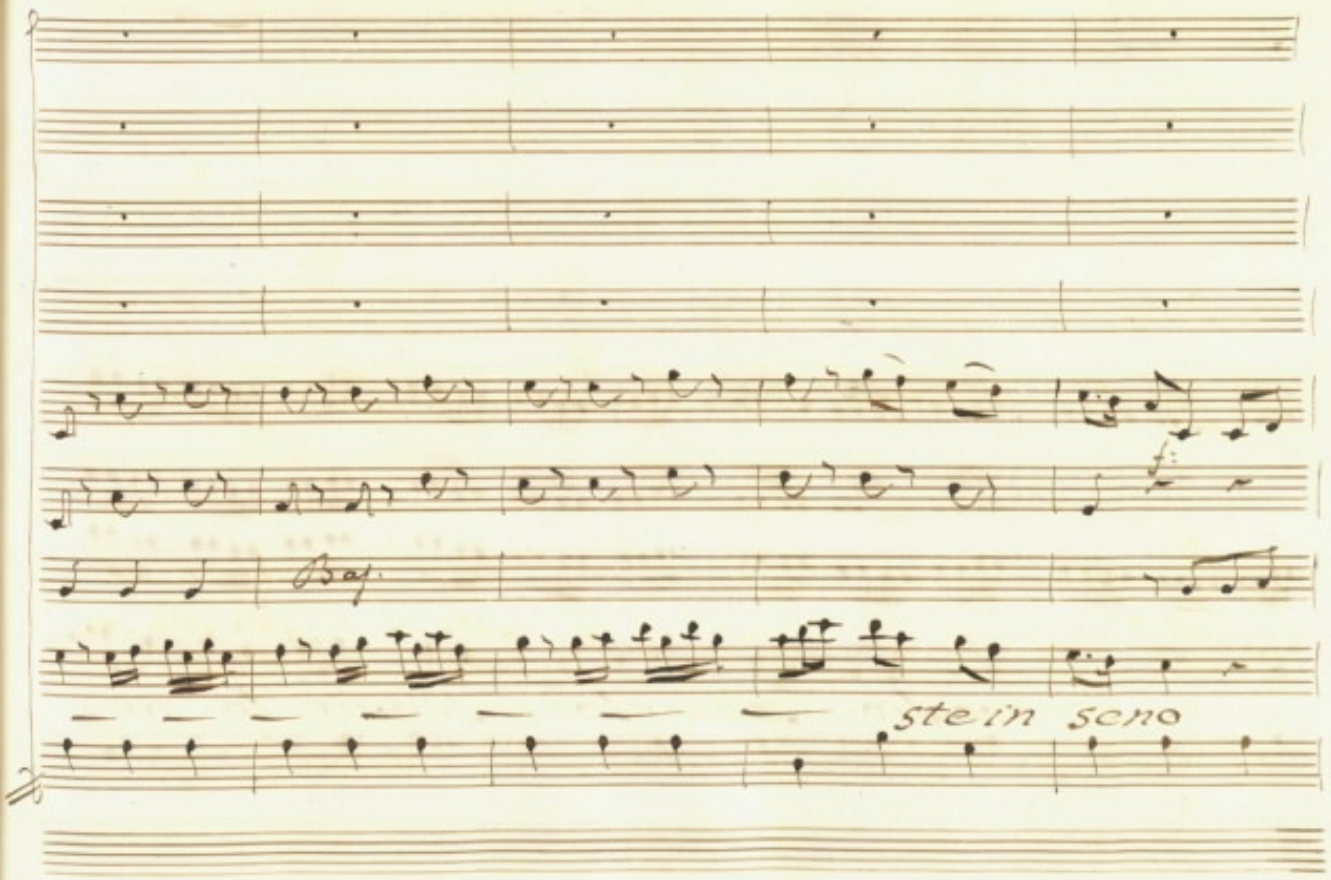
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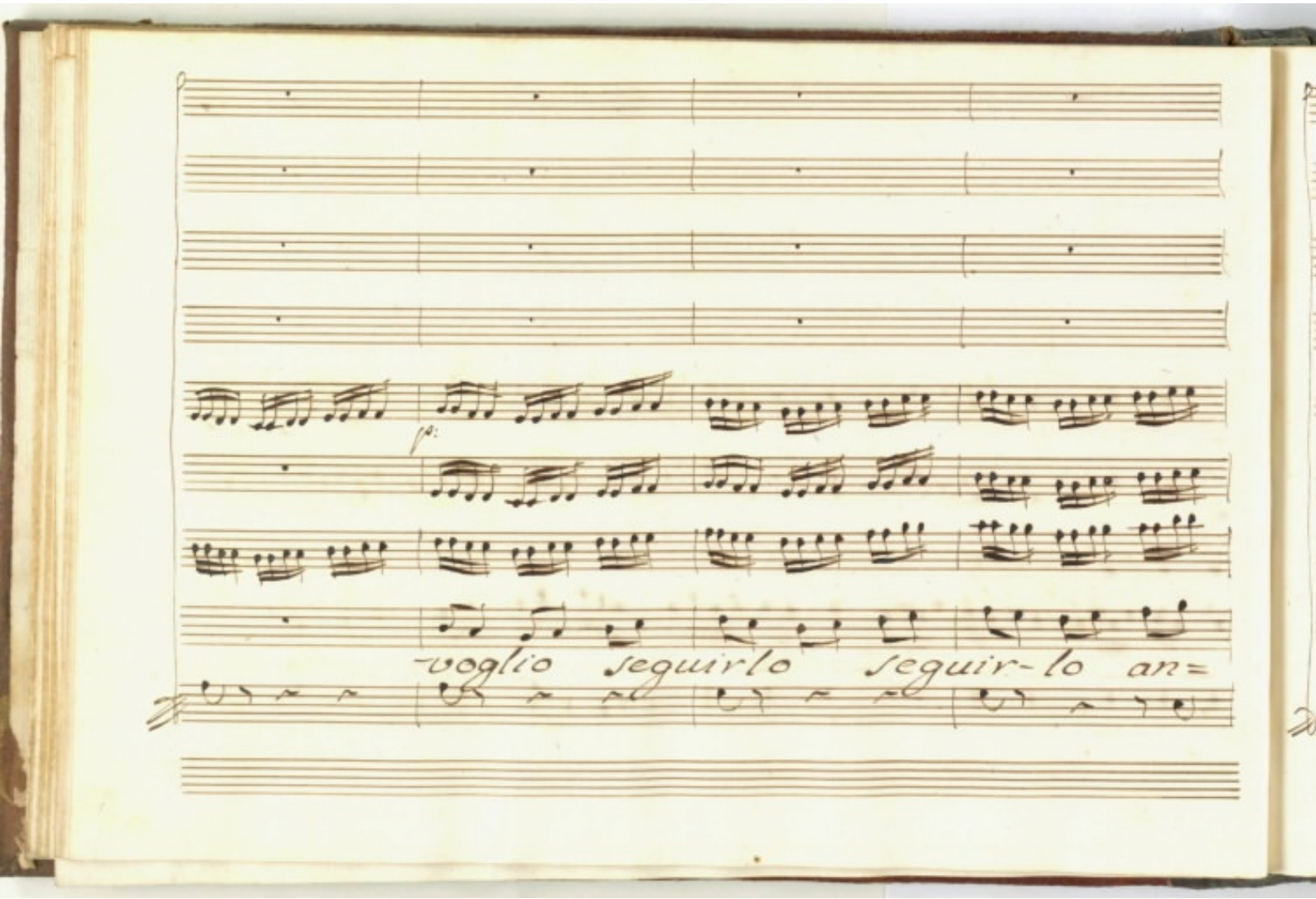
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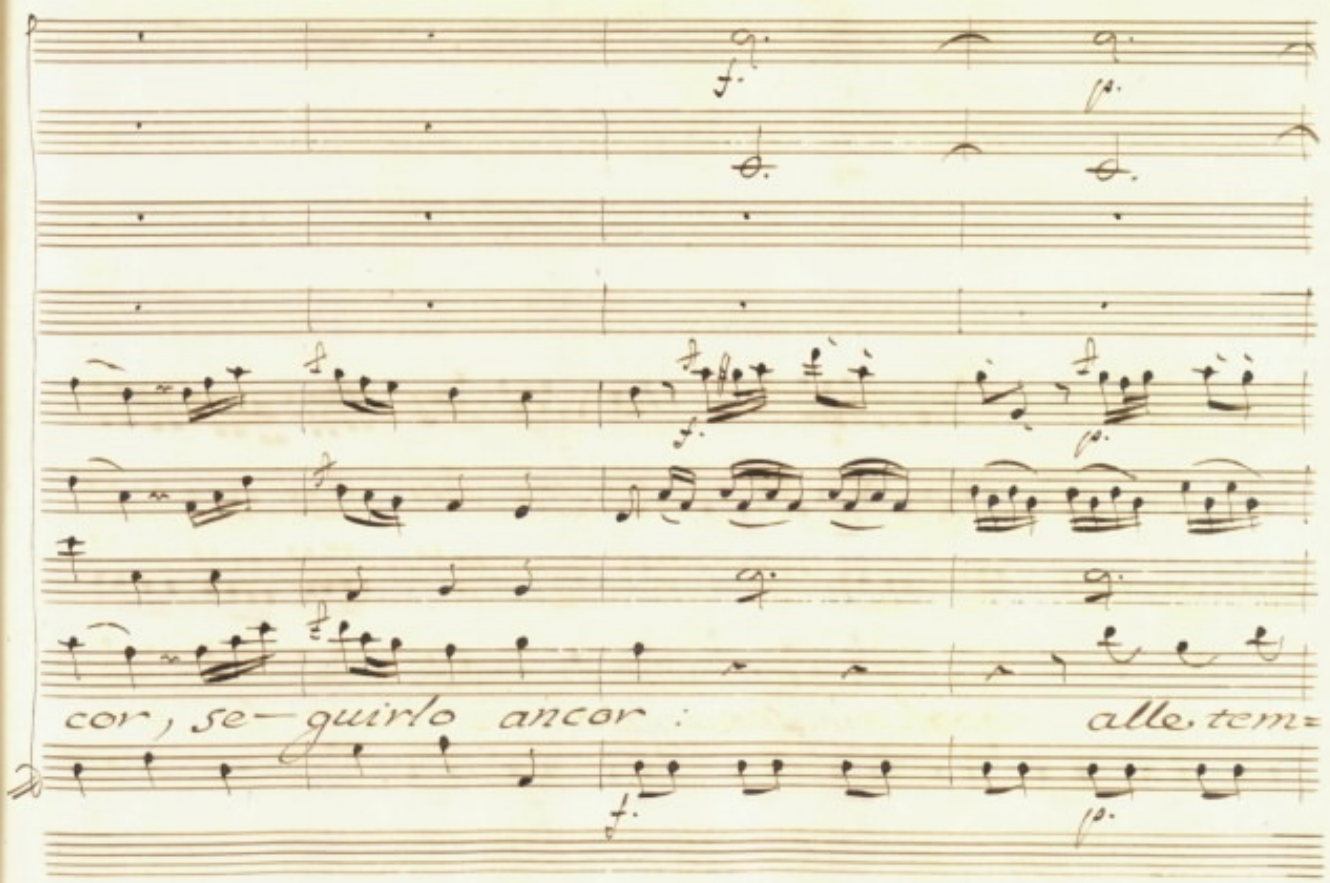
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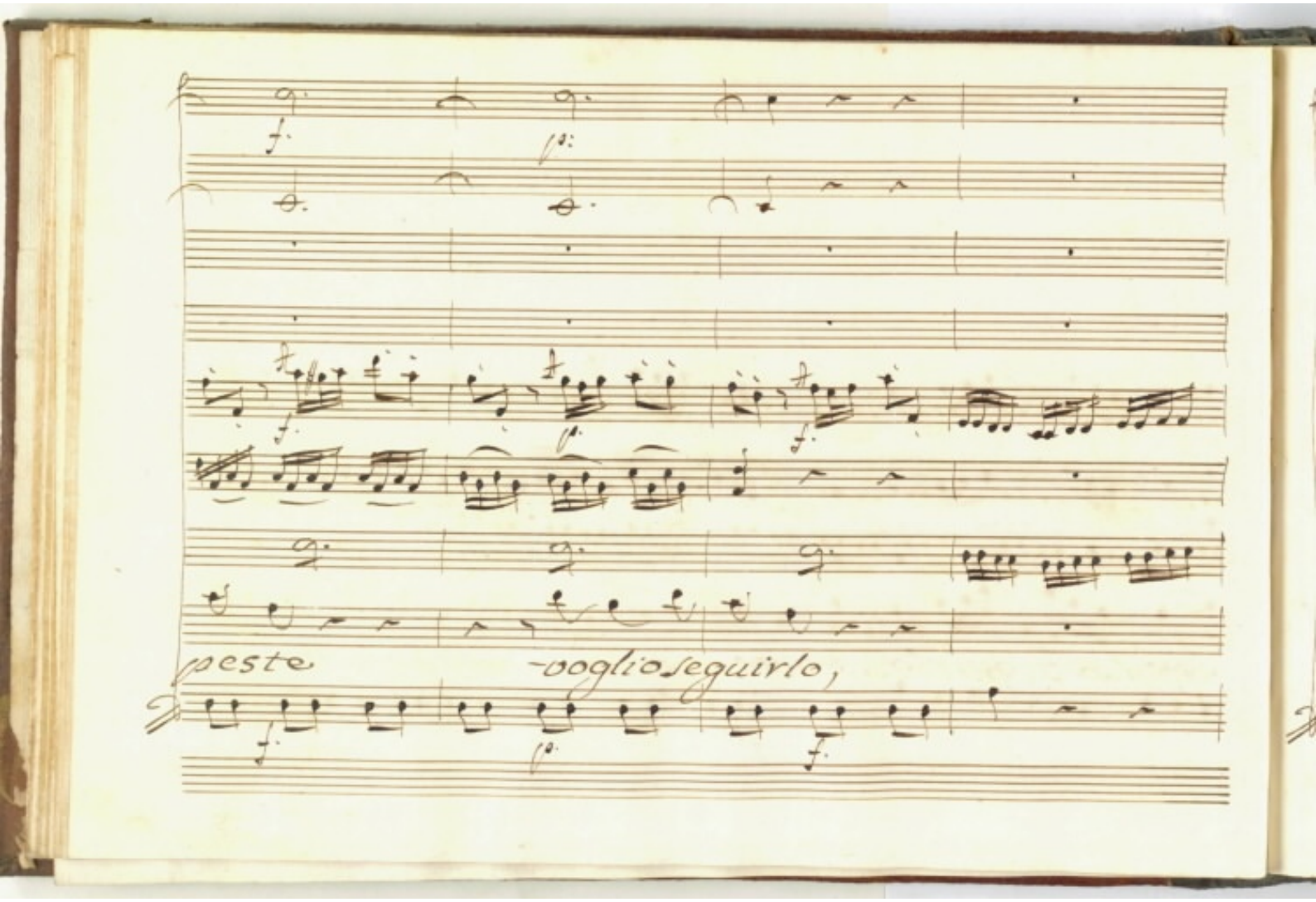
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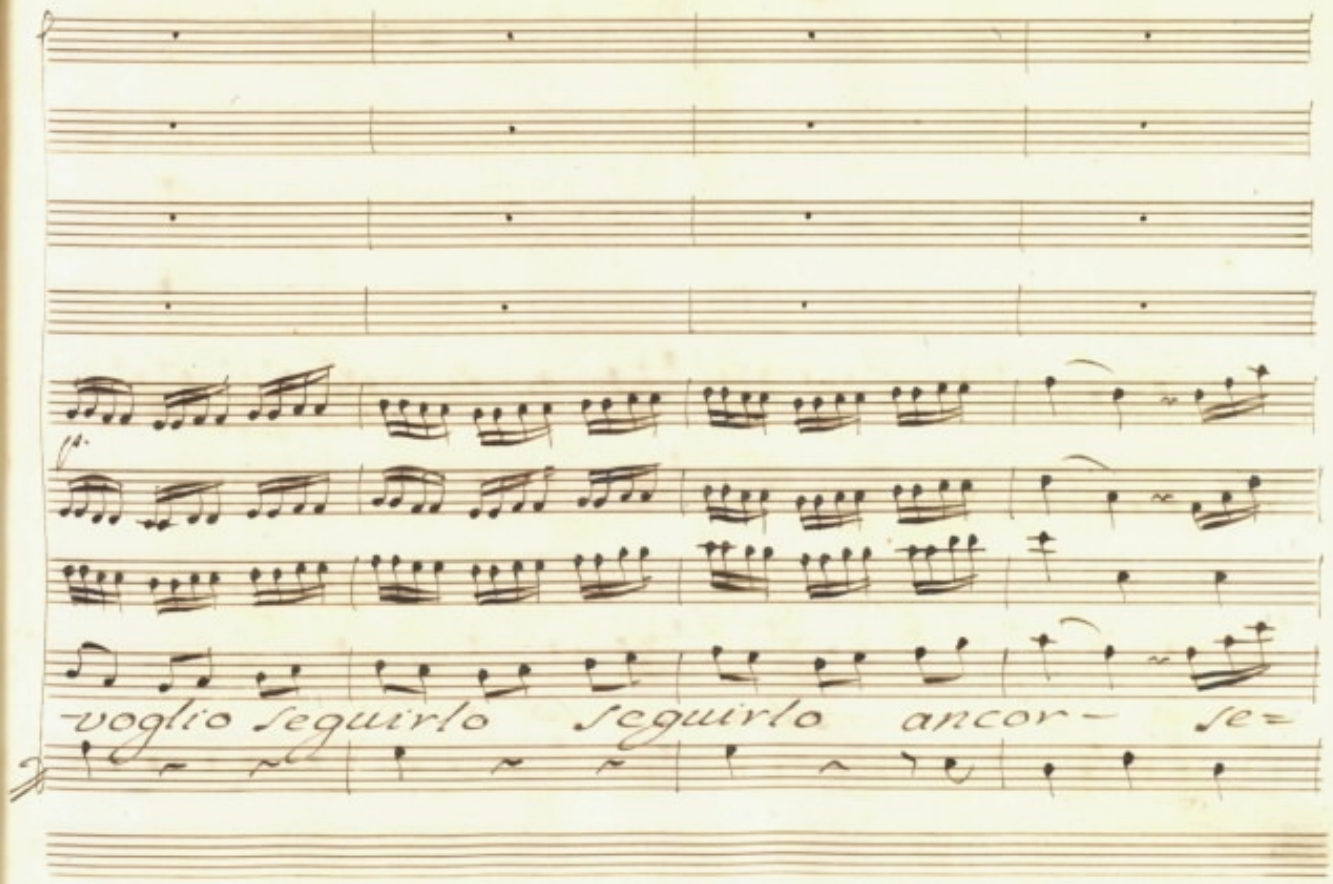
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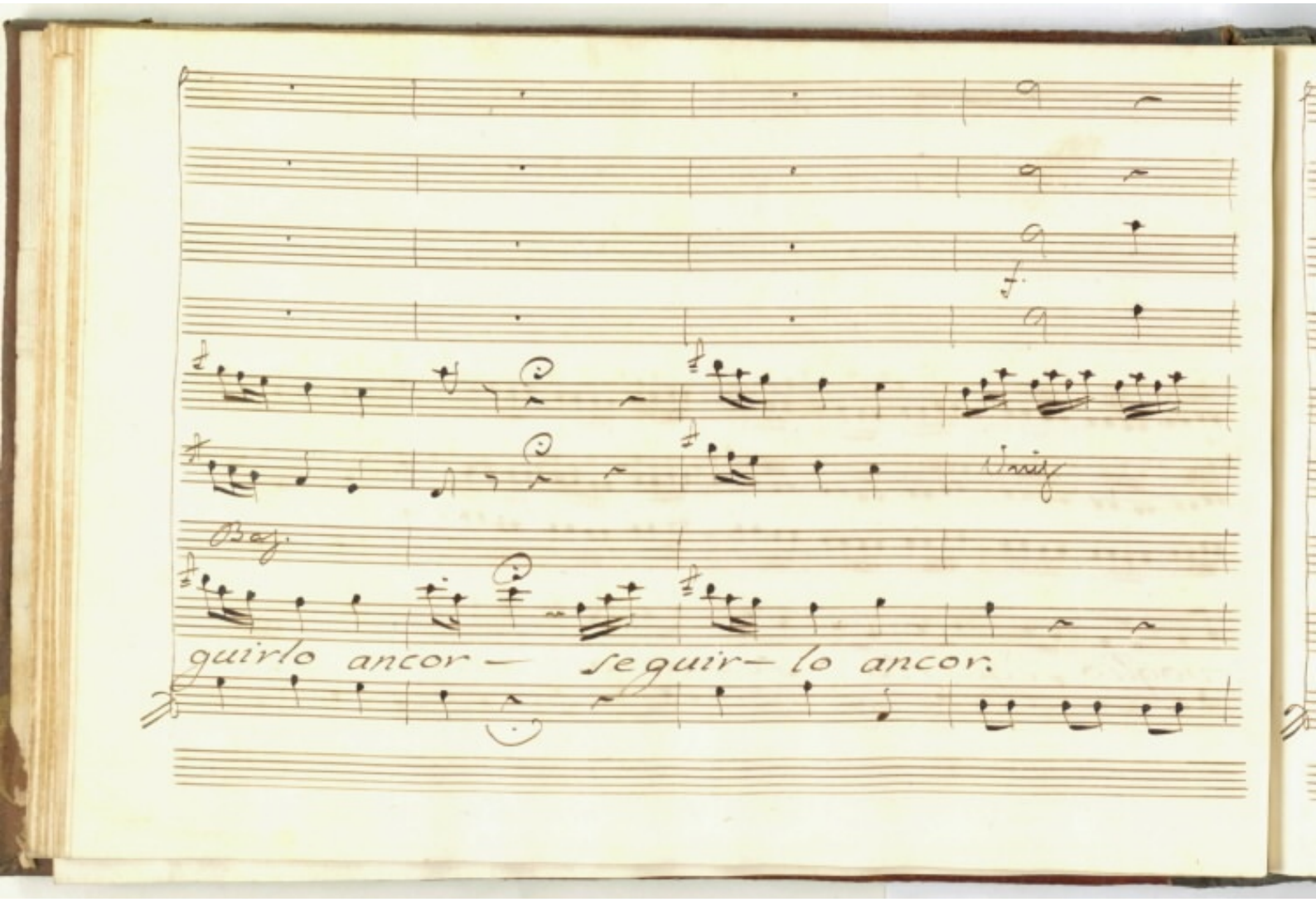
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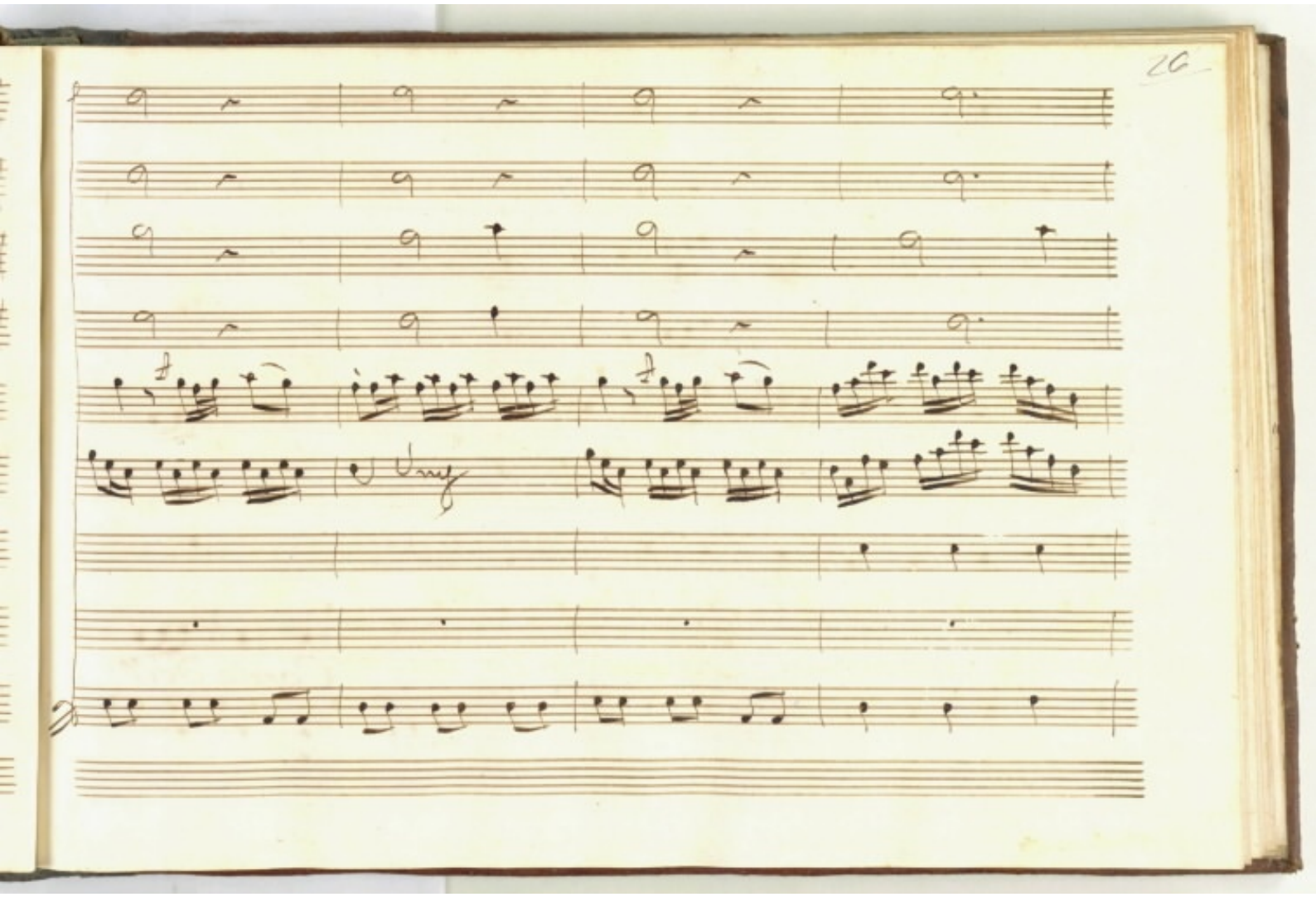

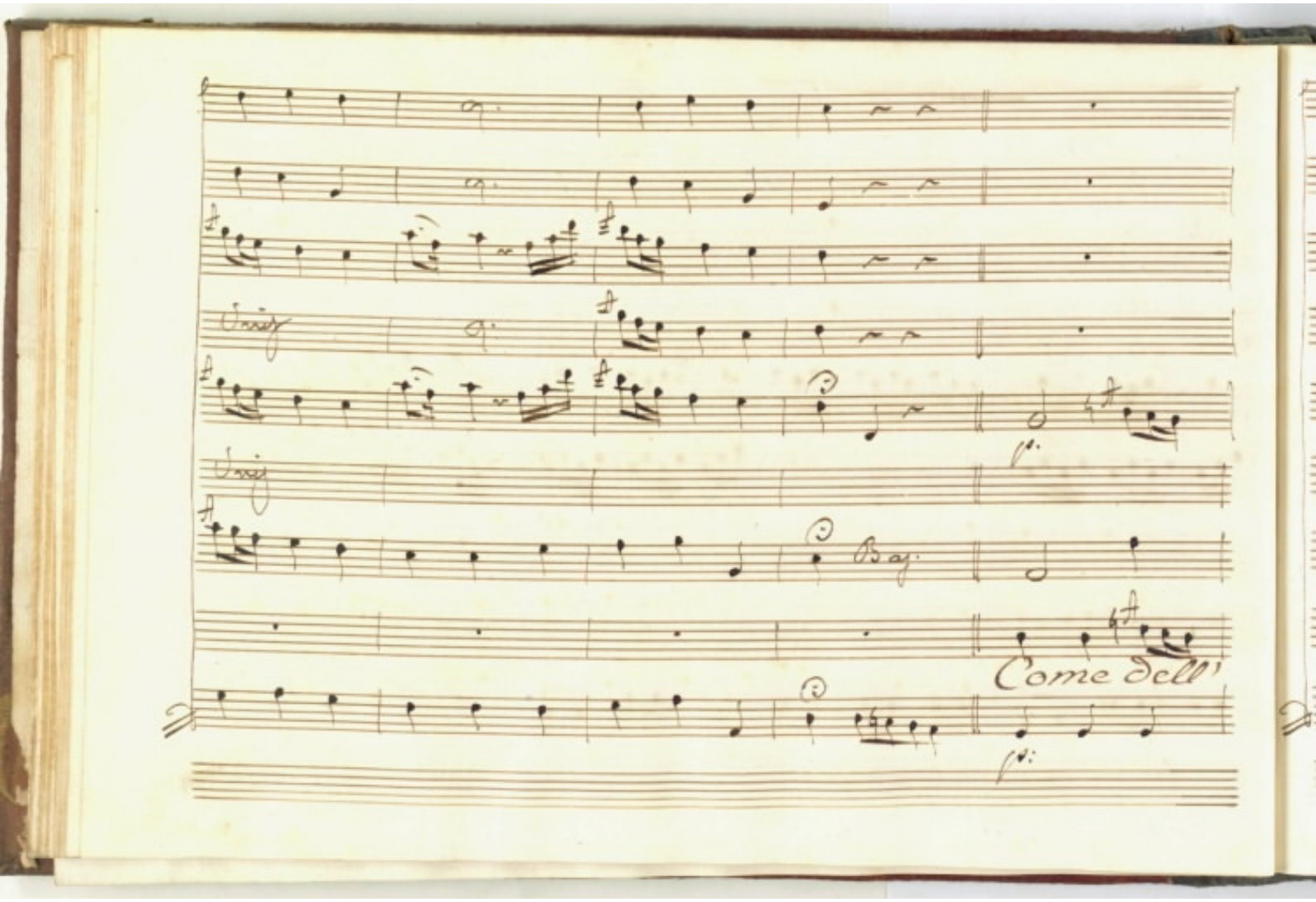
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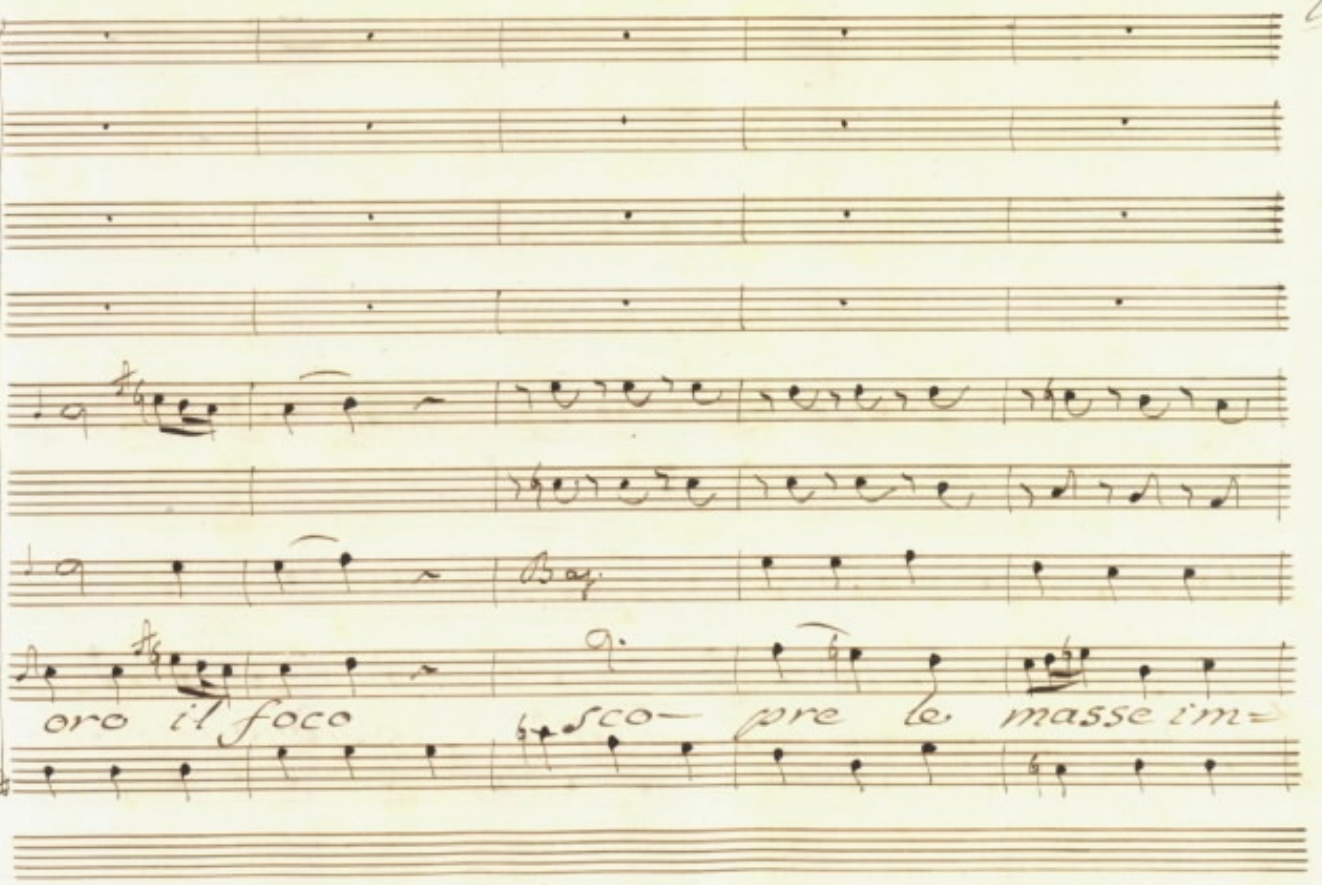
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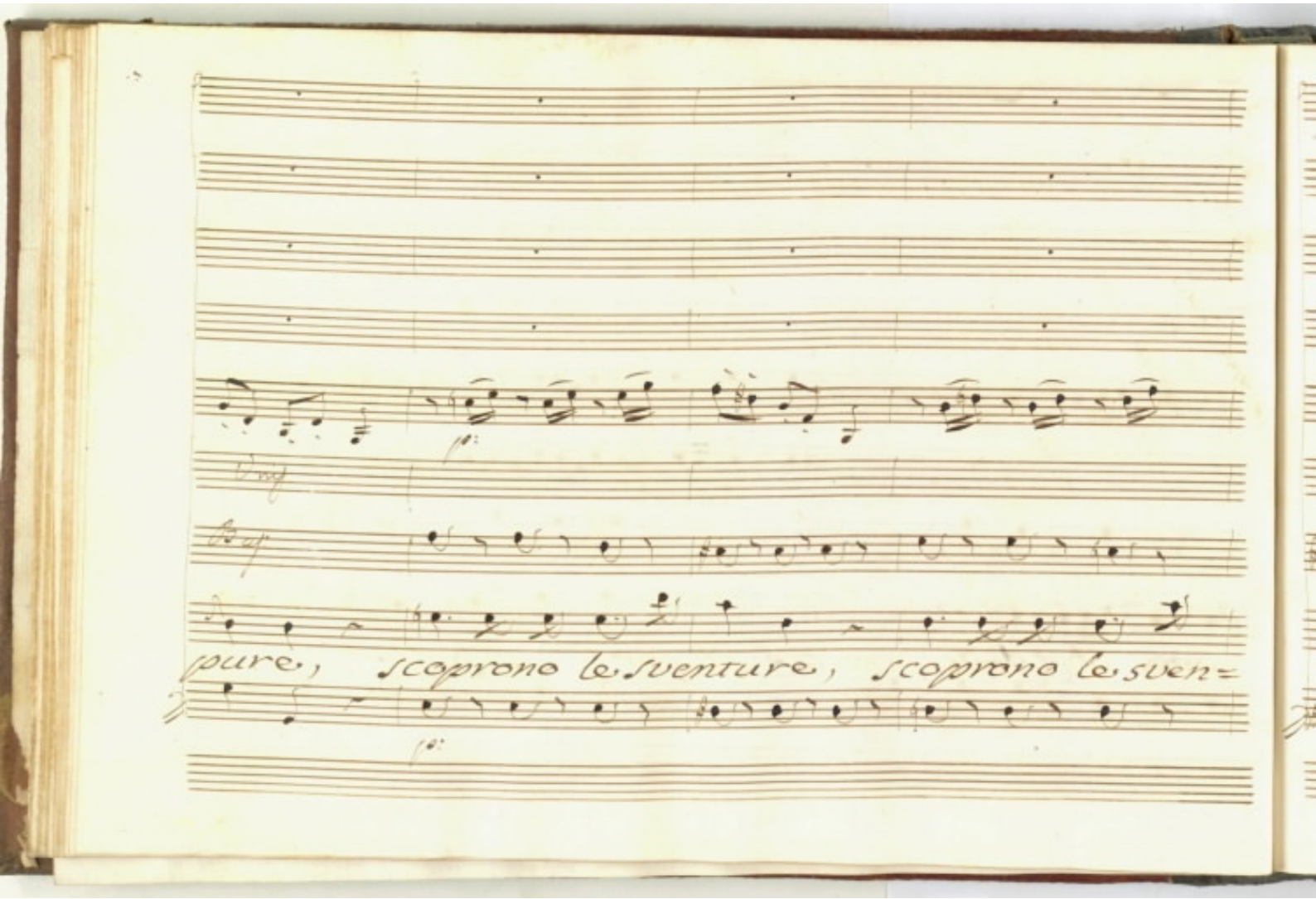
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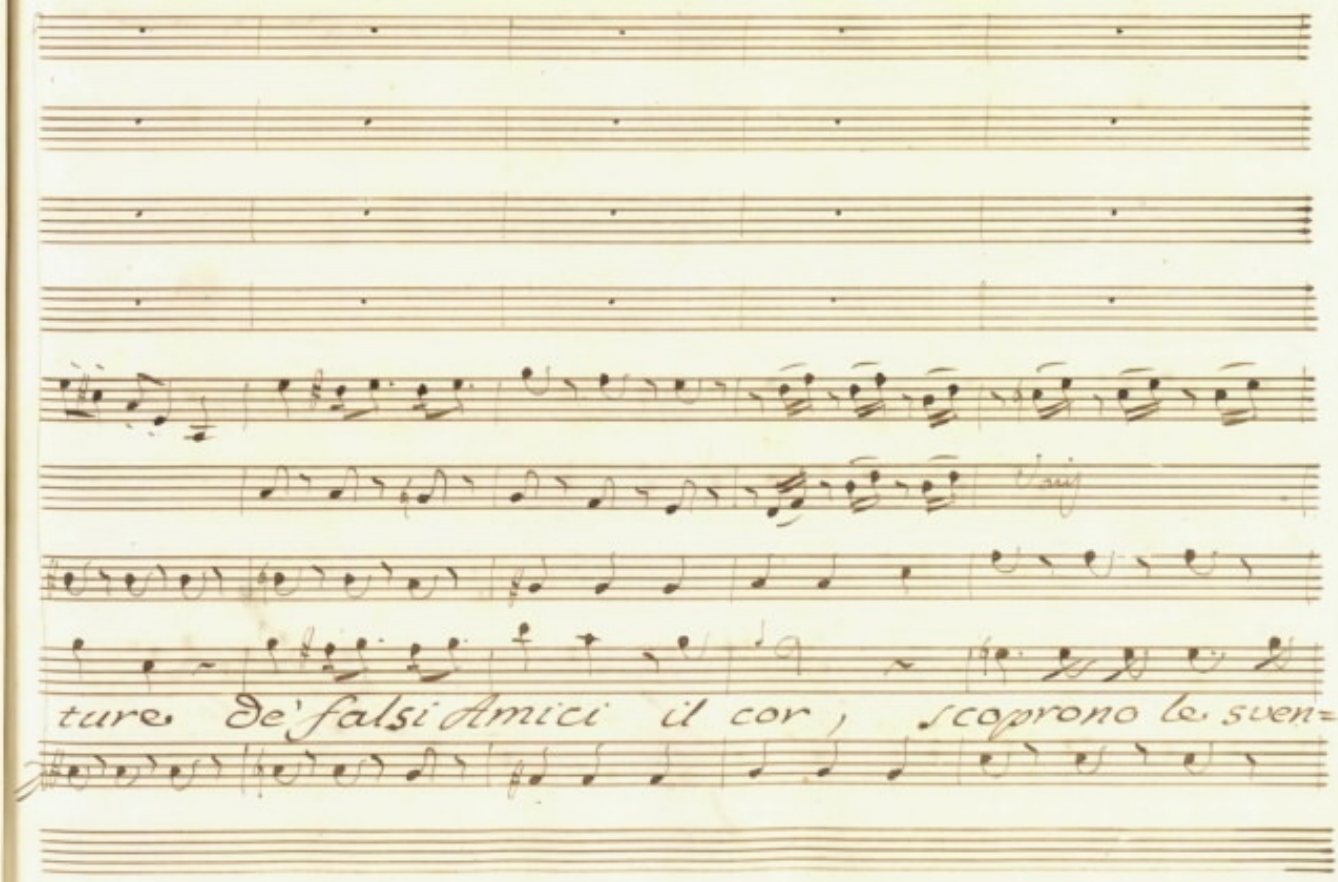
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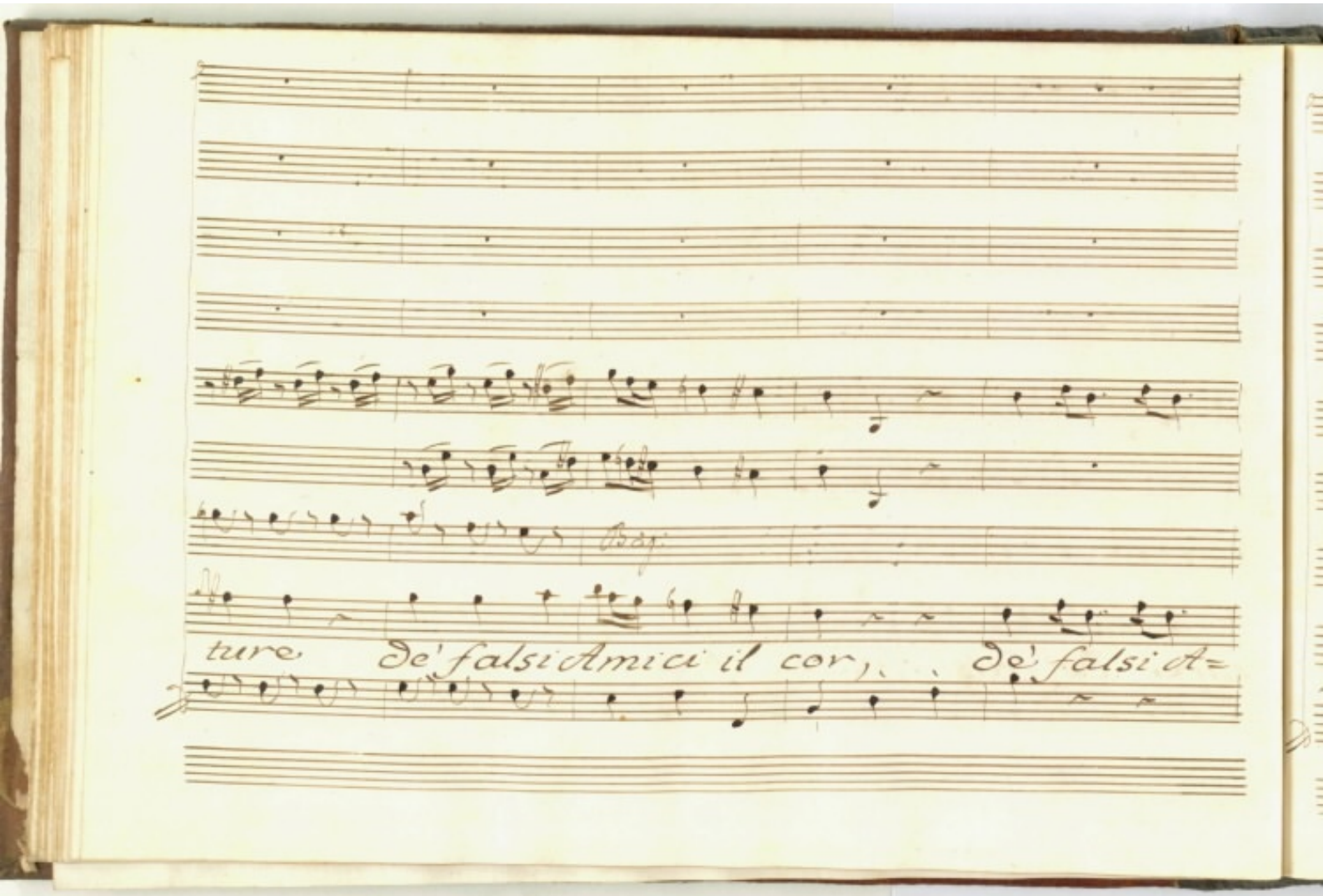
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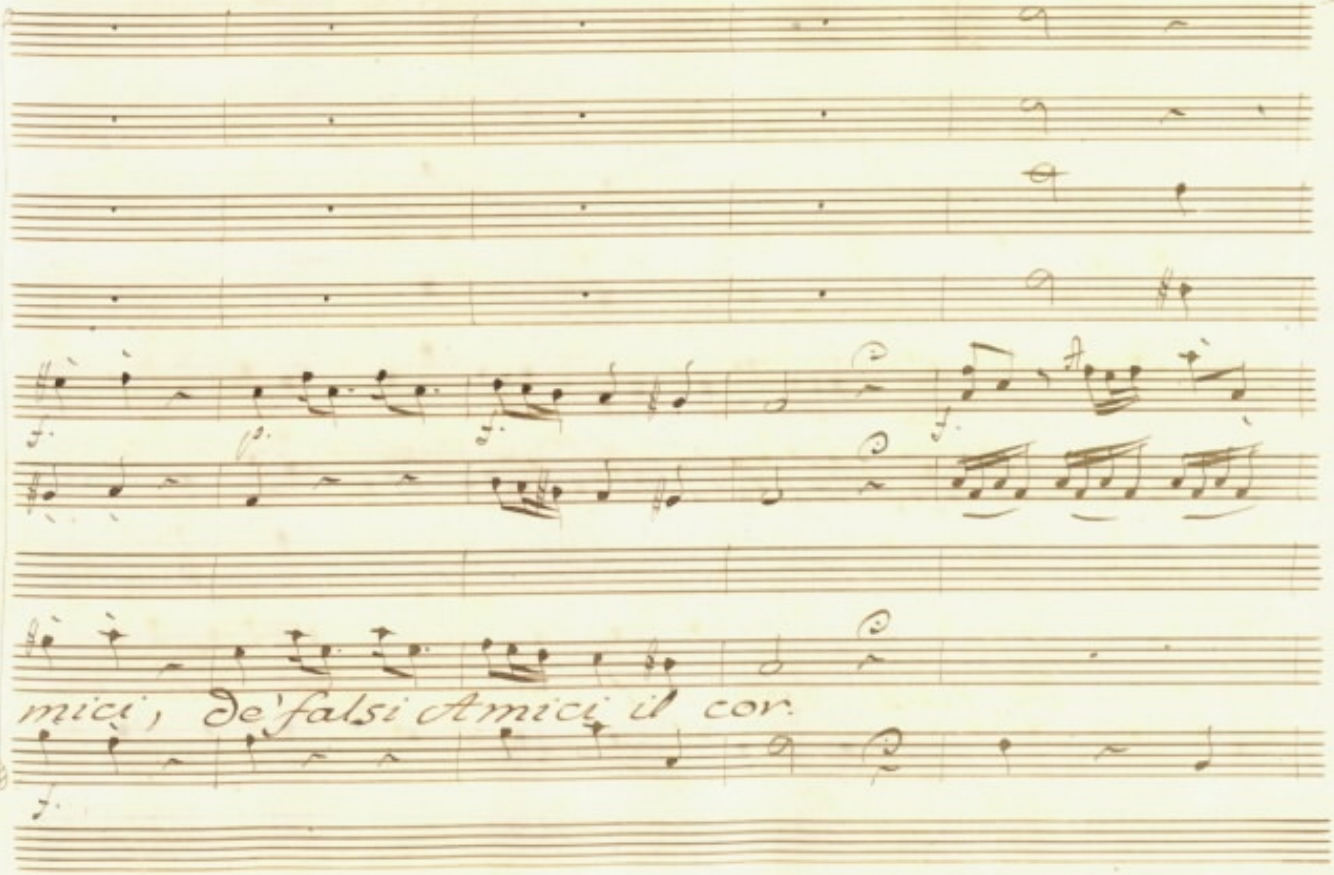
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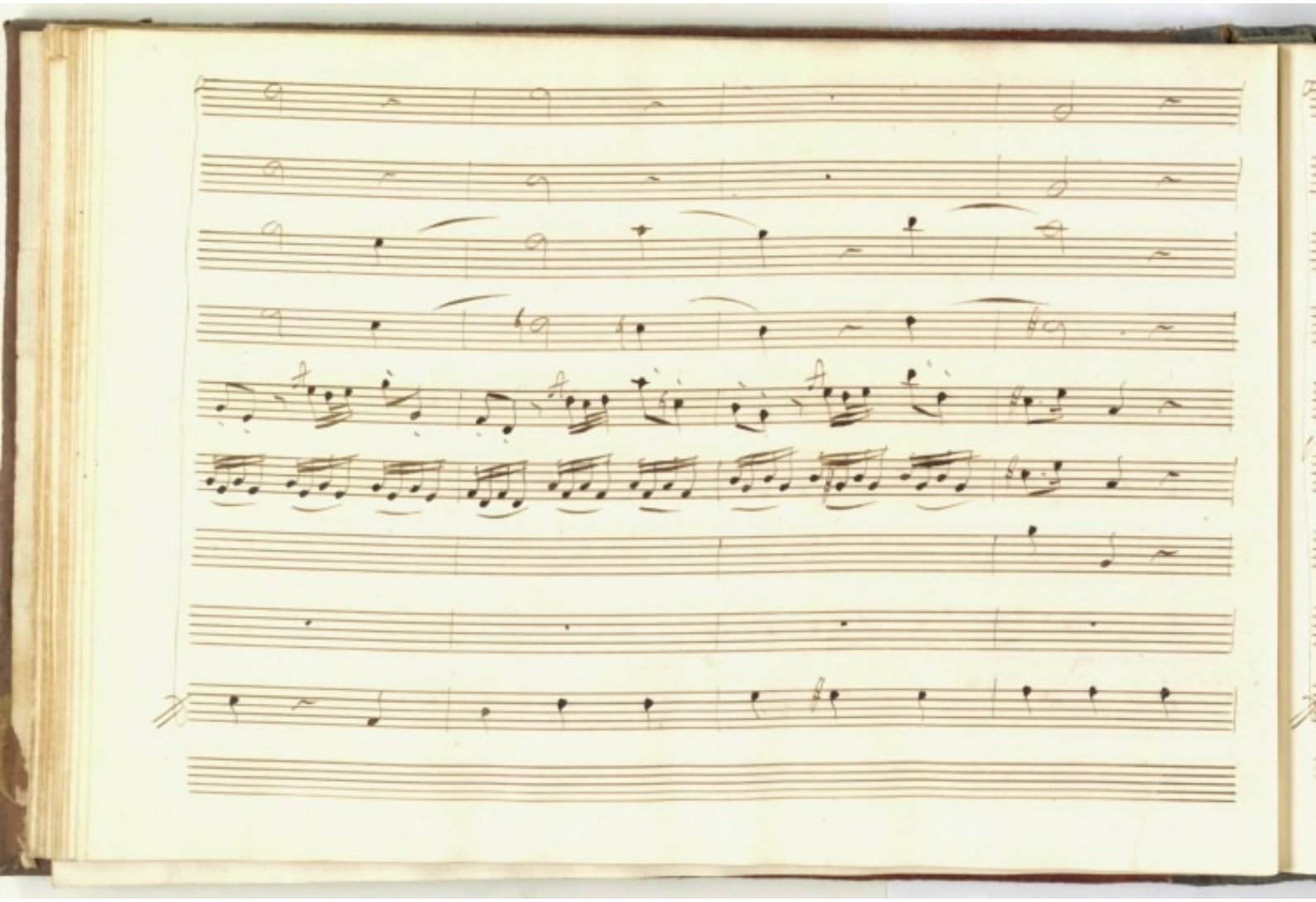

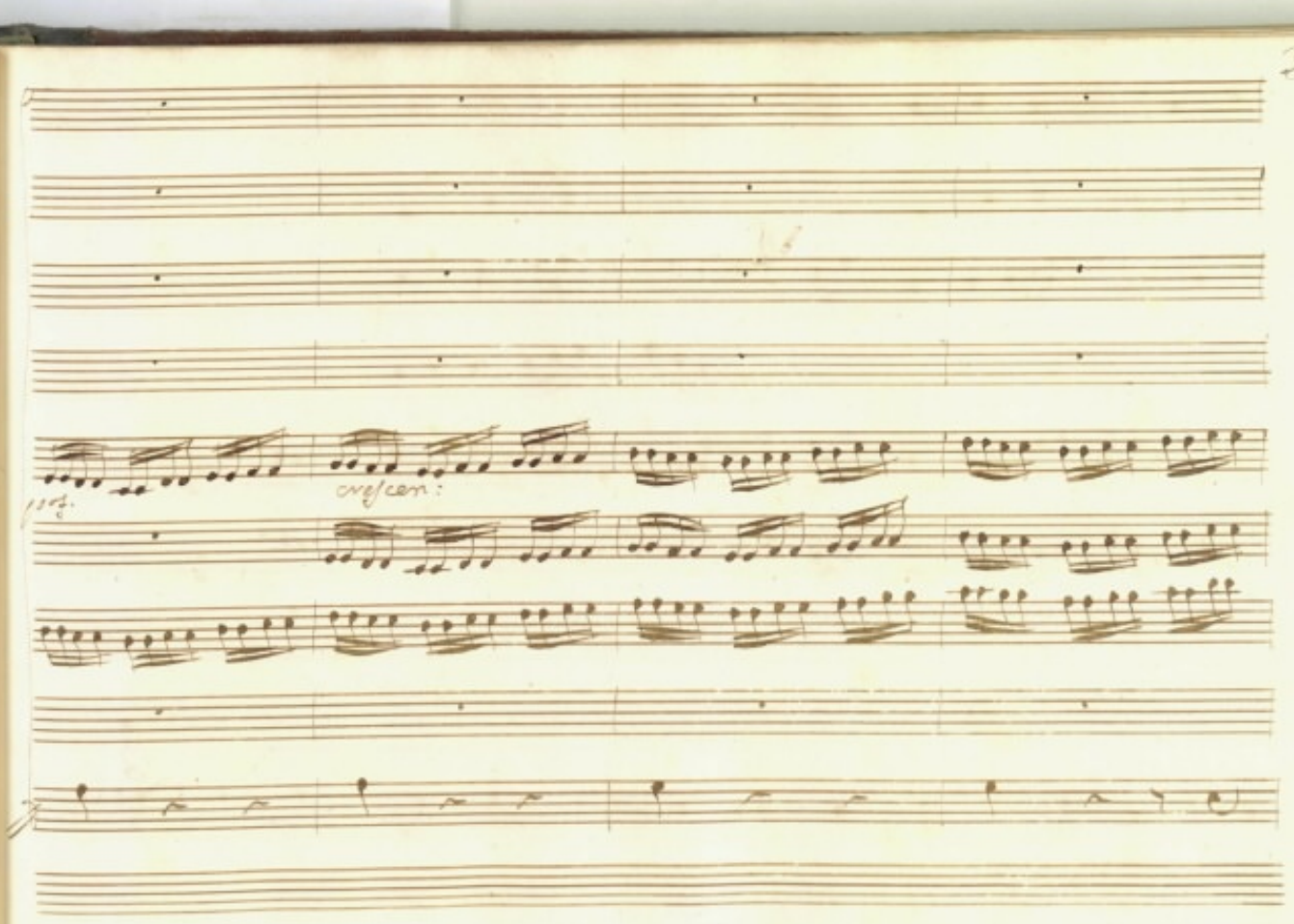
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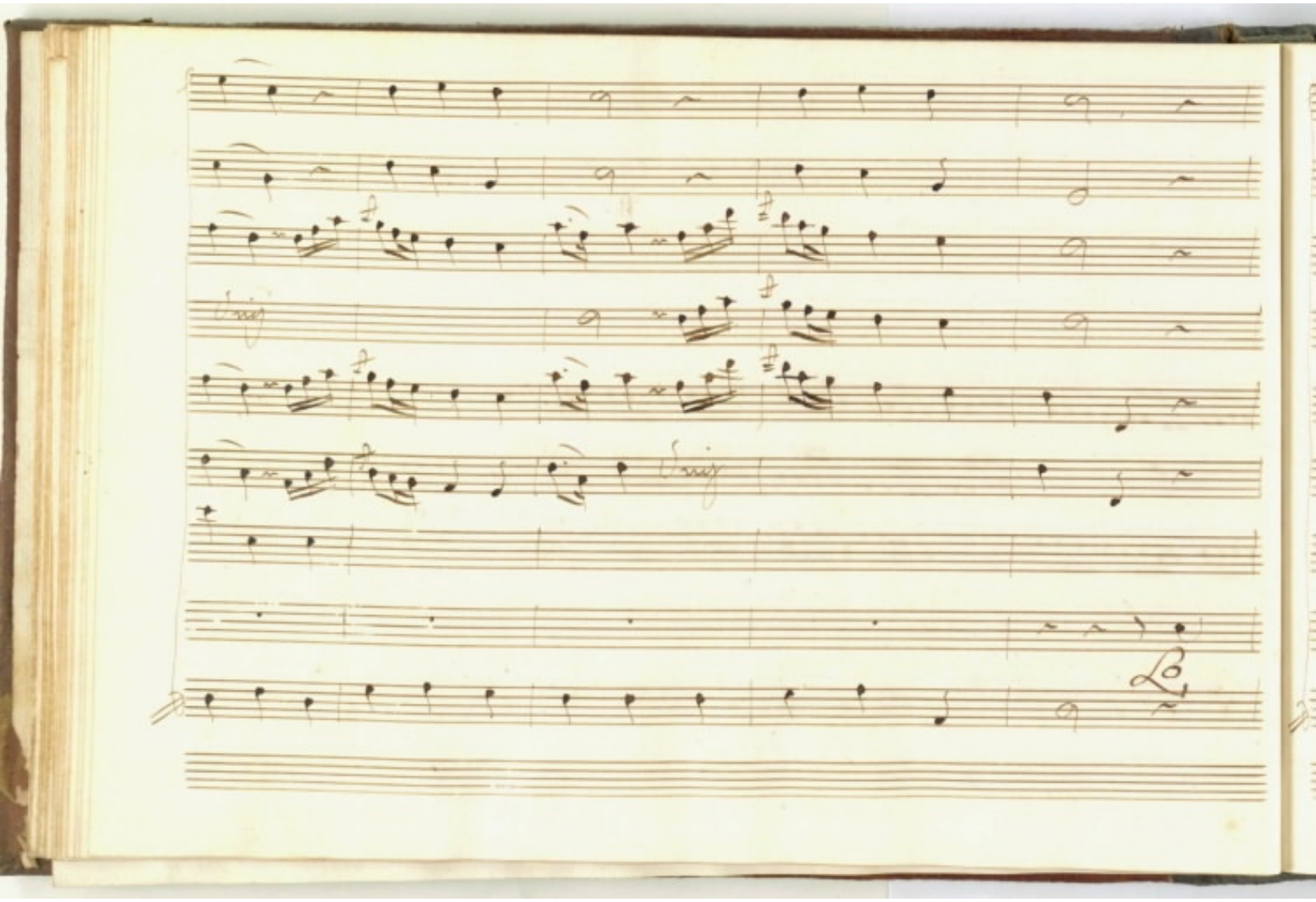

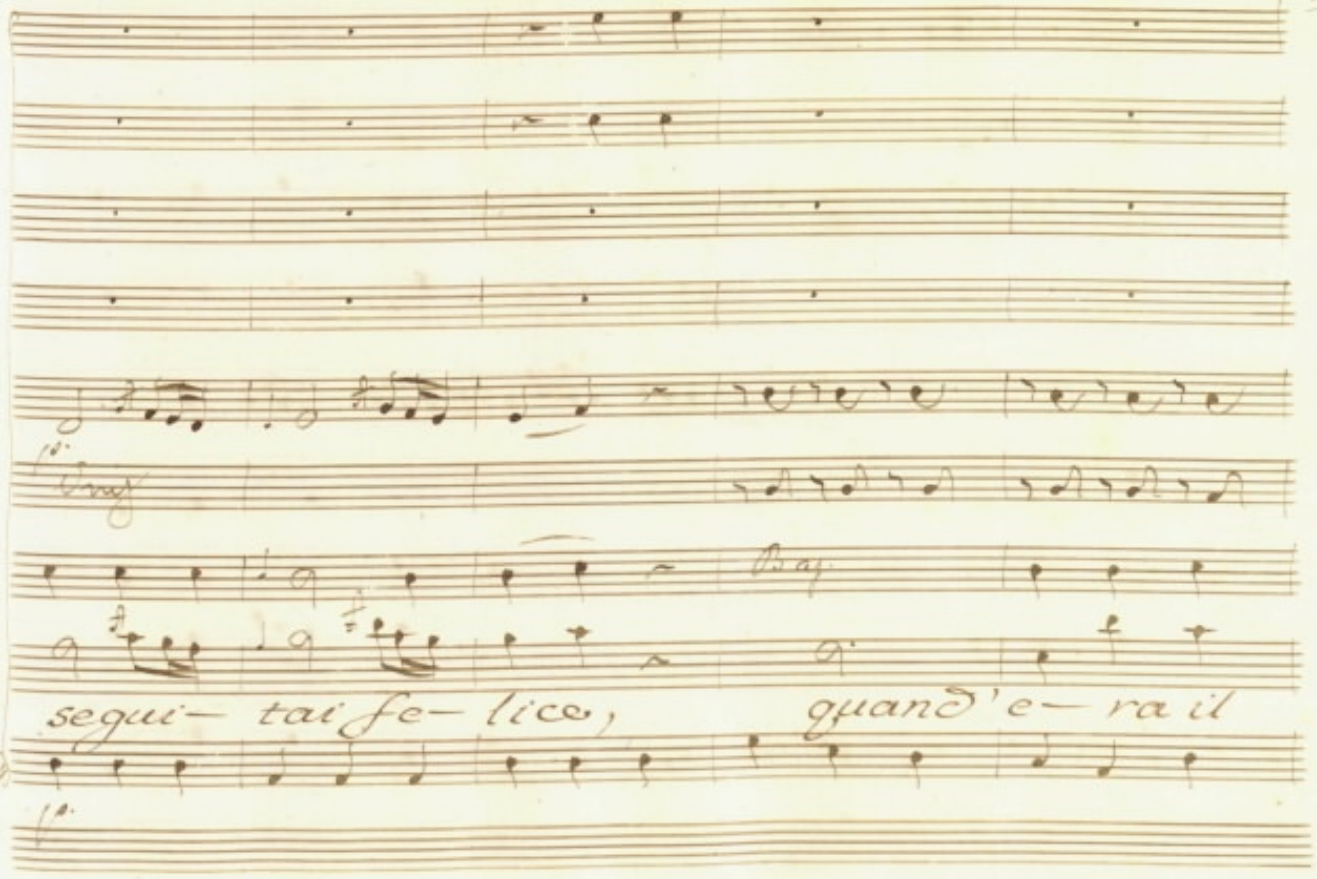
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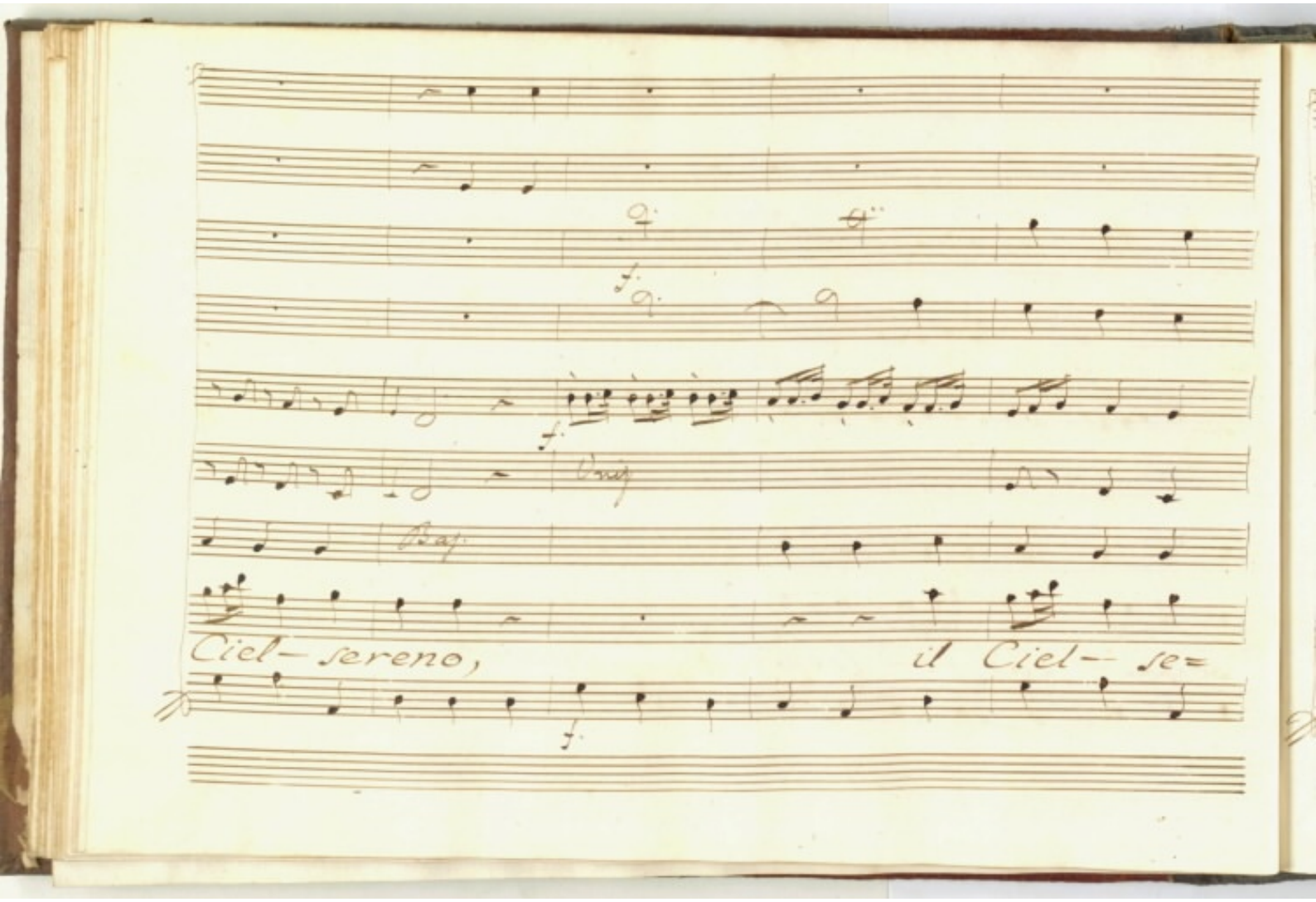
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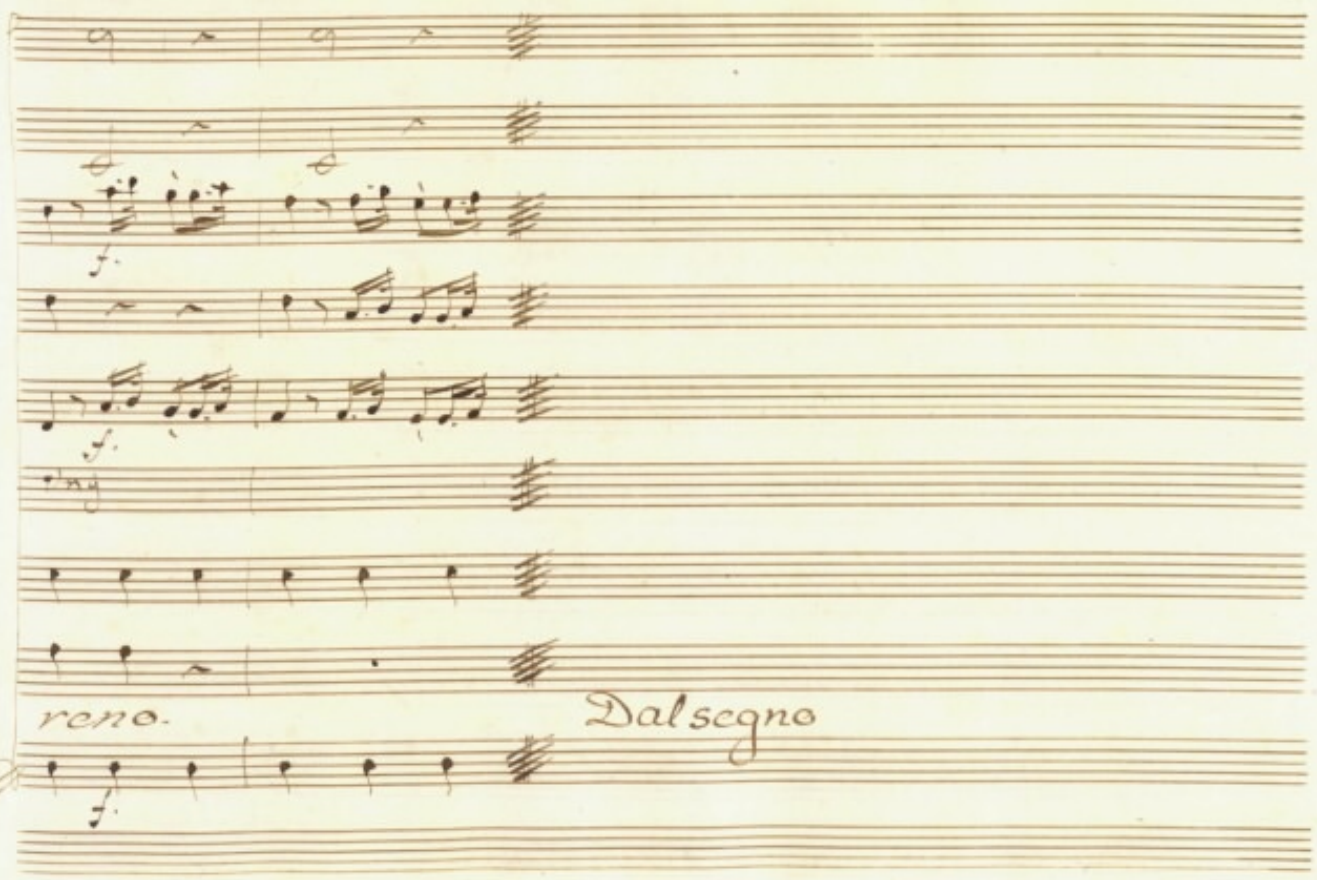
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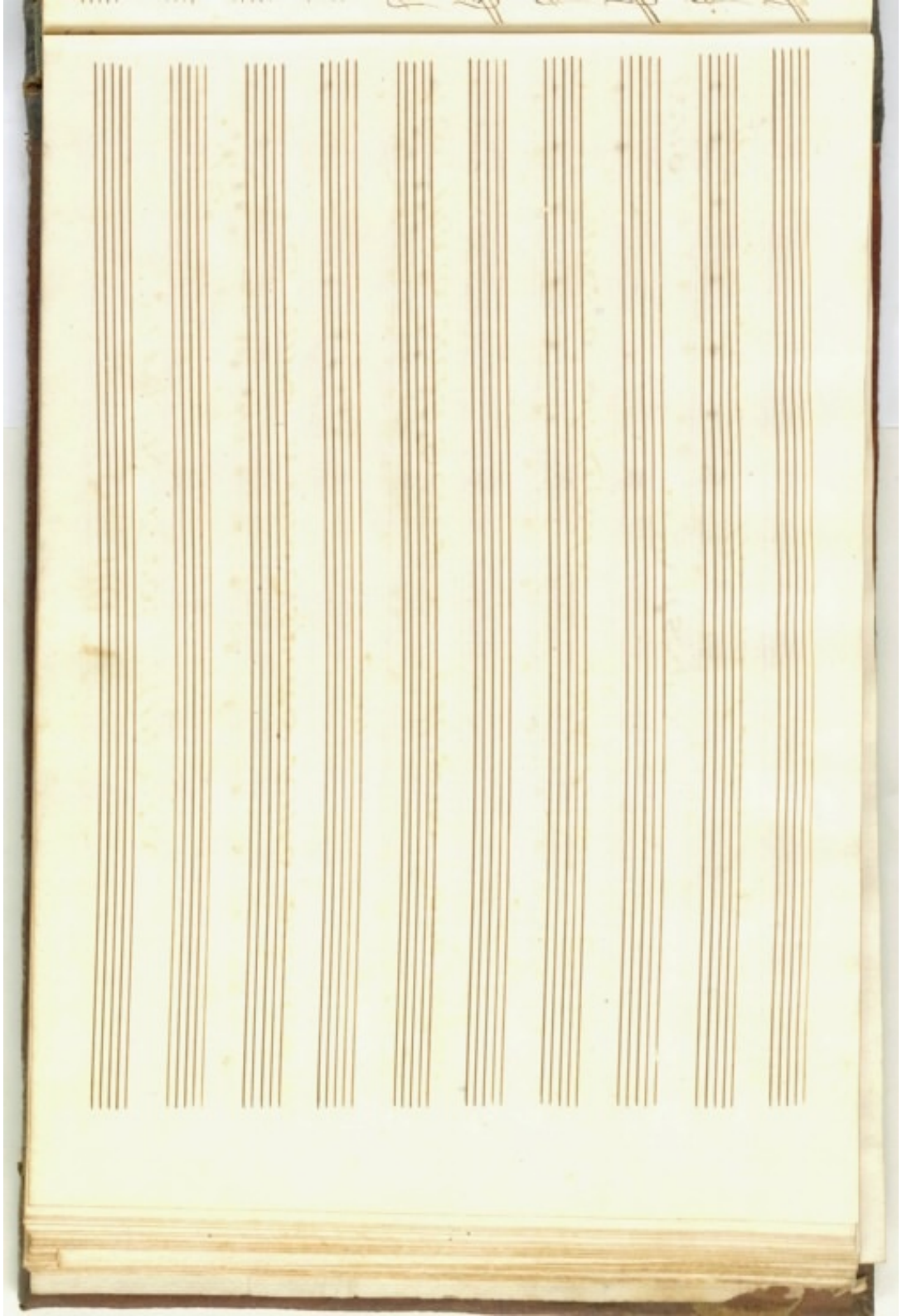


Scena V.

Argene, e poi Aminta

Arg.

C'pure a mio dispetto sento pietade an=

Am.

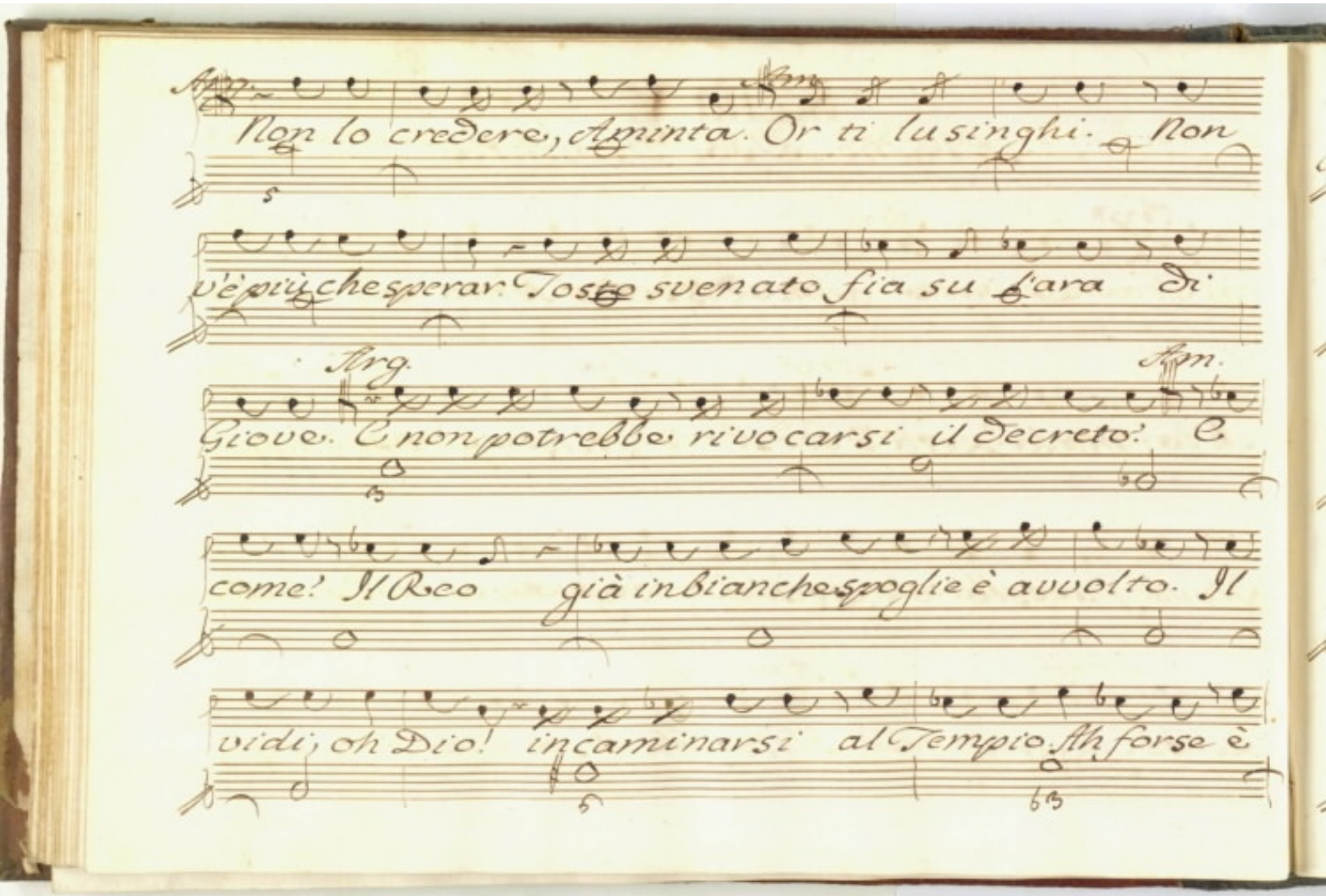
ch'io; ma la pietà detesto. Misero! Dove fuggo?

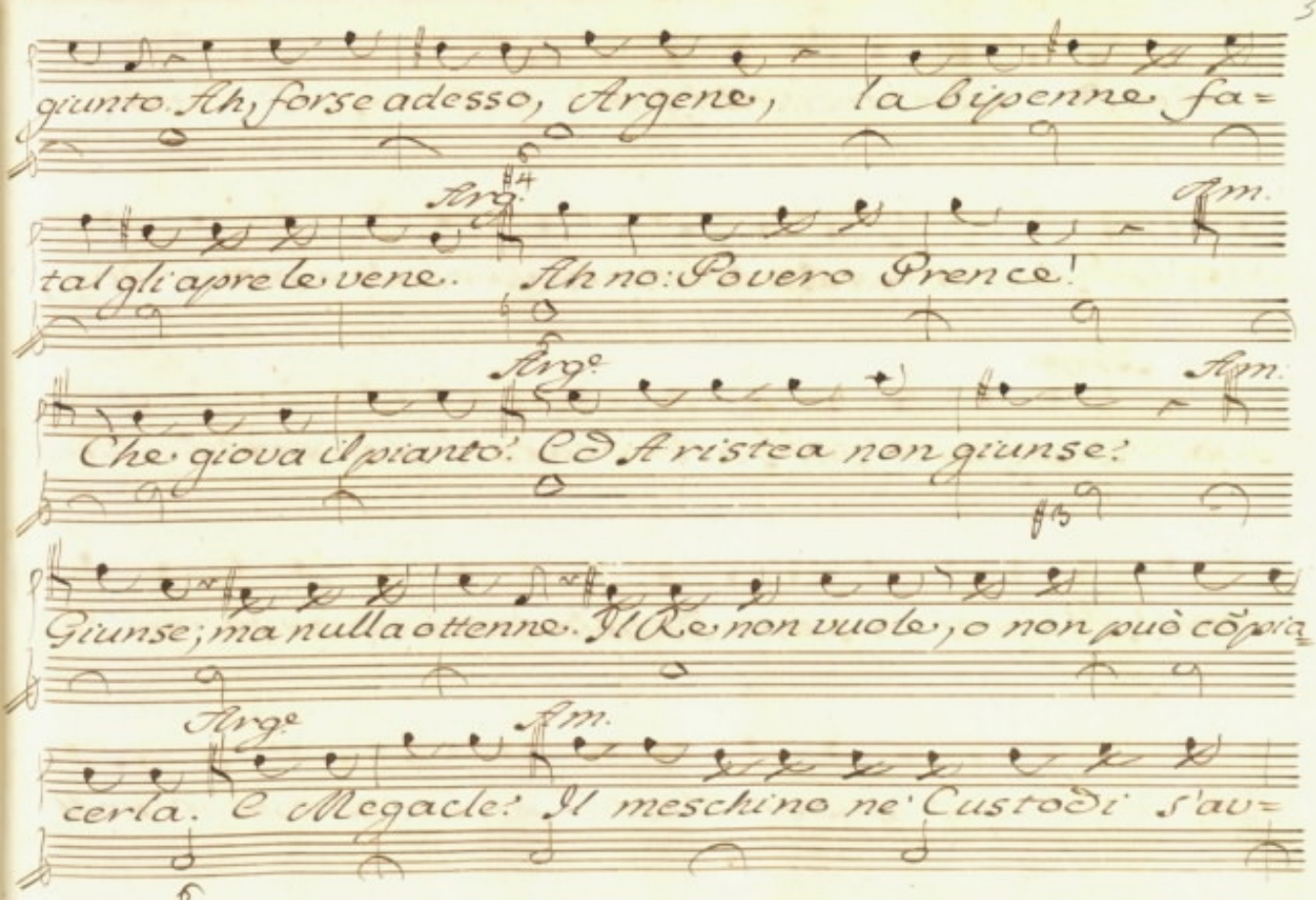
Arg:

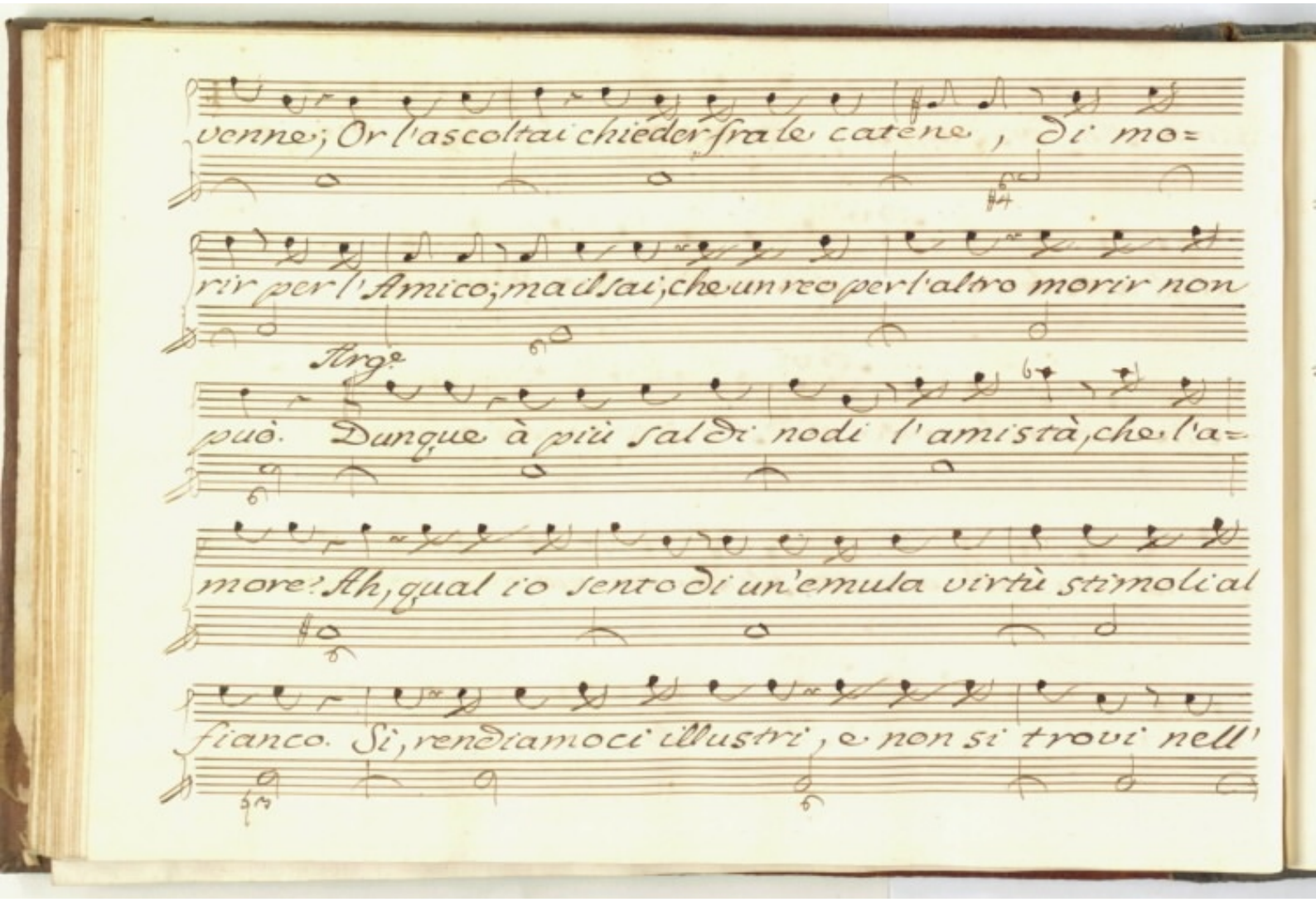
Oh dì funesto! oh Liçida infelice! C'forse e=

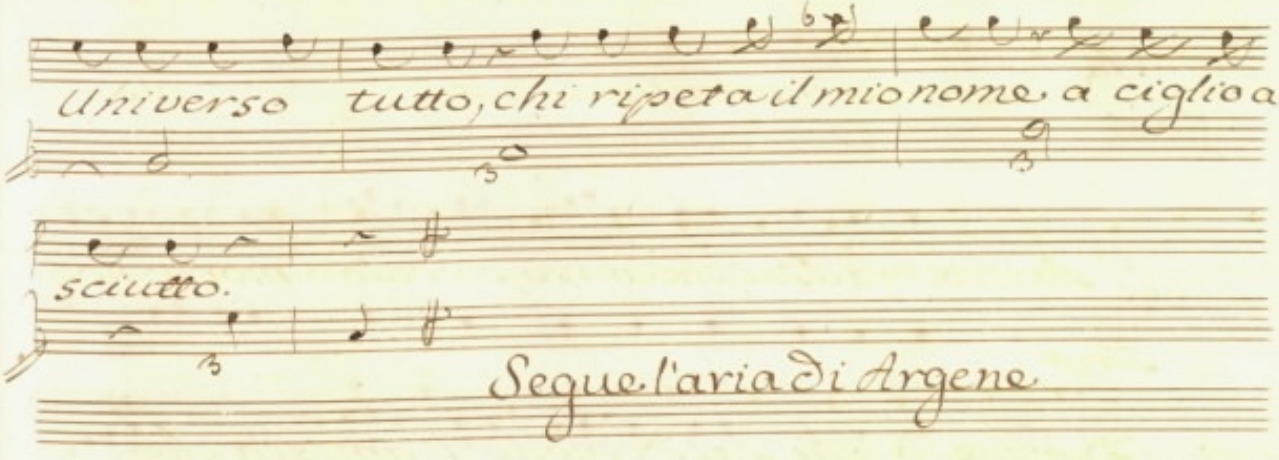
Am.

stinto quel traditor? No; ma il sarà fra poco.

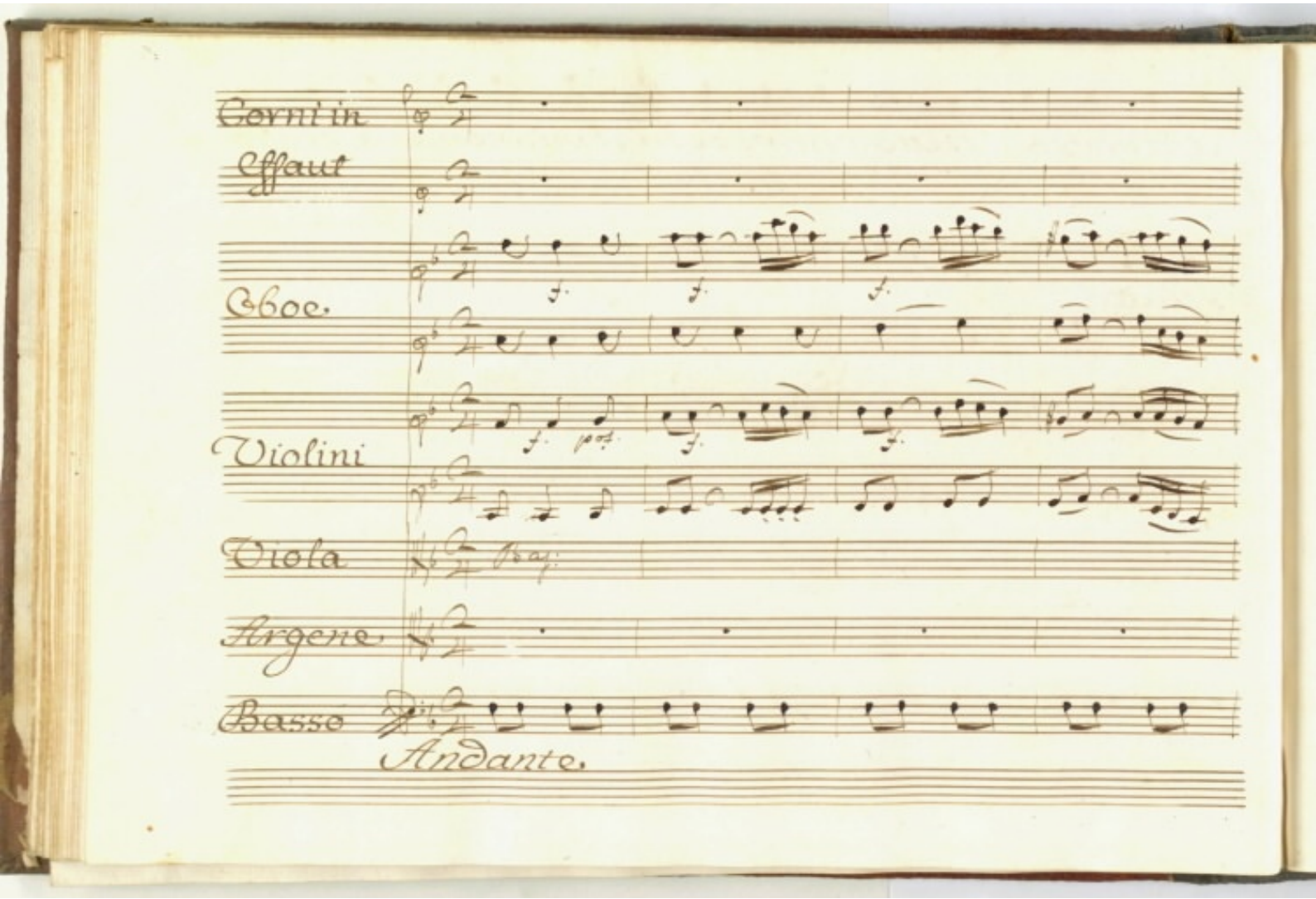

Non lo credere, Aminta. Or ti lusinghi. Non
v'è più che sperar. Tosto svenato fia su l'ara di
Giove. E non potrebbe rivocarsi il decreto? E
come! Il Reo già in bianche spoglie è avvolto. Il
vidi; oh Dio! incaminarsi al Tempio Ah forse è

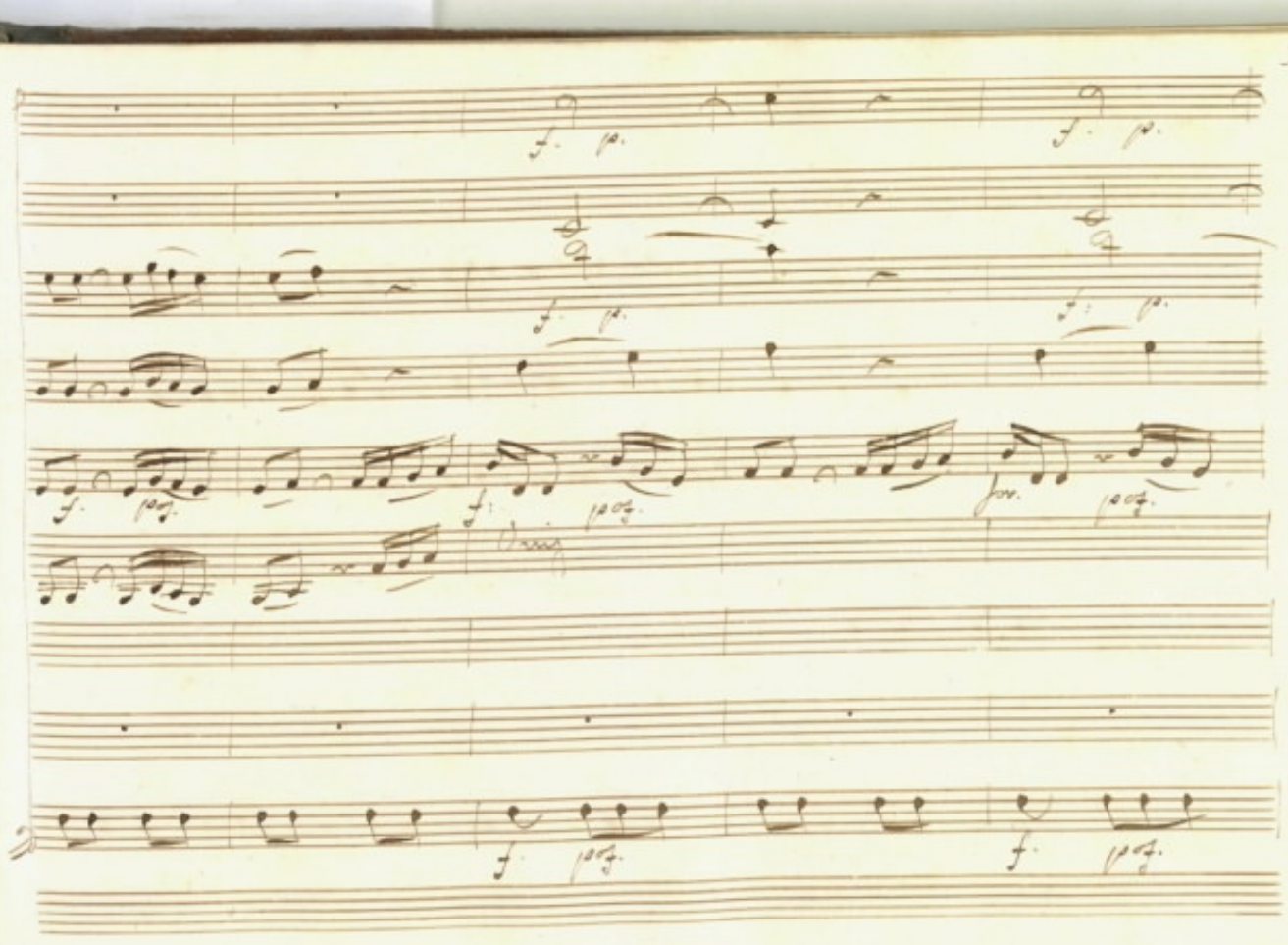

giunto. Ah, forse adesso, Argene, la bipenne fa=
Arg.
Am.
tal gli apre le vene. Ah no: Povero Prence!
Arg.
Am.
Che giova il pianto? ed Aristea non giunse?
Giunse; ma nulla ottenne. Il Re non vuole, o non può cõpia=
Arg.
Am.
cerla. E Megacle? Il meschino ne' Custodi s'av=


venne; Or l'ascoltai chieder fra le catene, di mo=
rir per l'Amico; ma il sai, che un reo per l'altro morir non
Virg.
può. Dunque à più sal di nodi l'amistà, che l'a=
more? Ah, qual io sento di un'emula virtù stimoli al
fianco. Si, rendiamoci illustri, e non si trovi nell'



Segue l'aria di Argene


Corni in
Effaut
Oboe.
Violini
Viola
Fagore.
Basso
Andante.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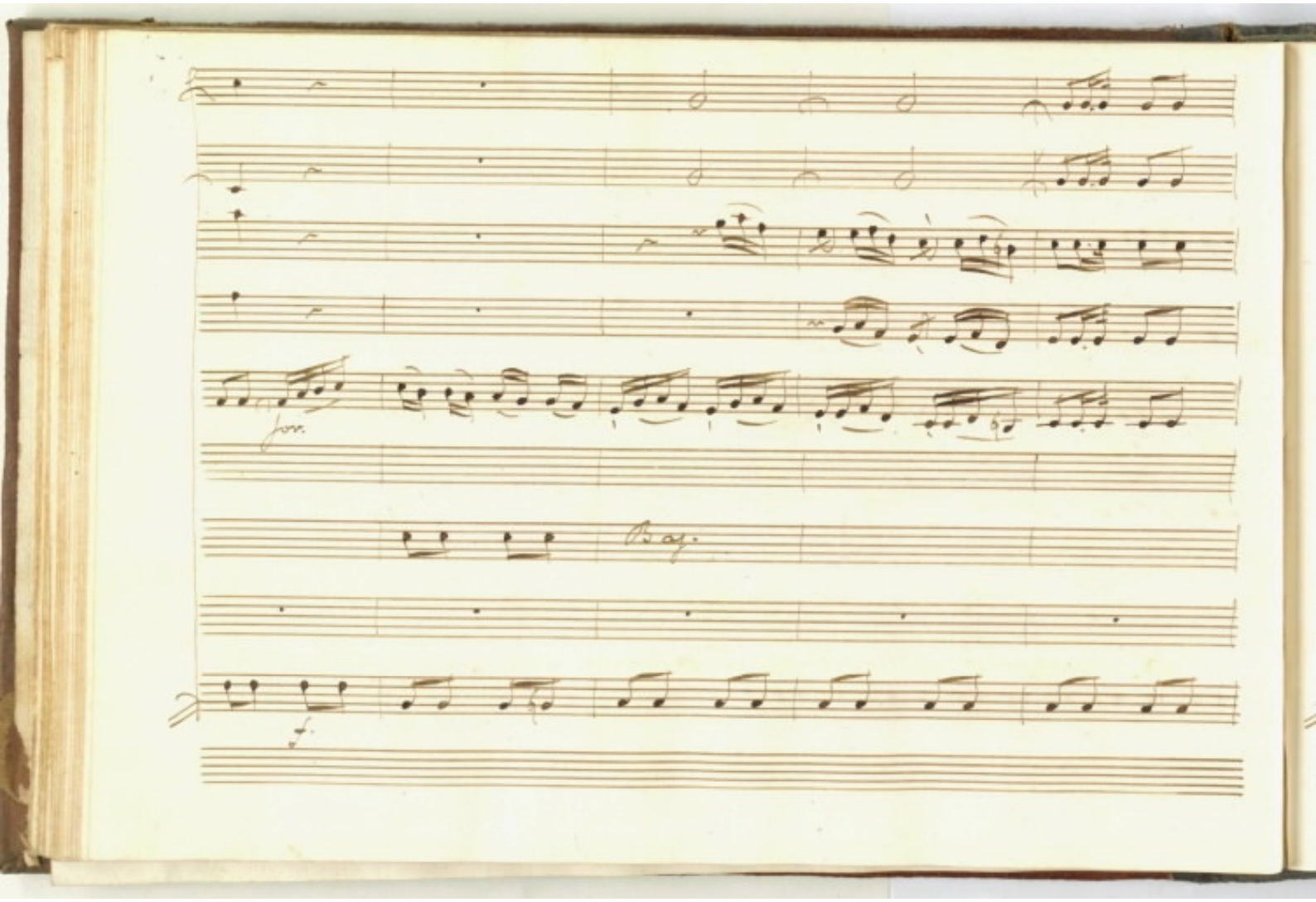
f. pocz.
fov. pocz.
Vivace
f. pocz.
f. pocz.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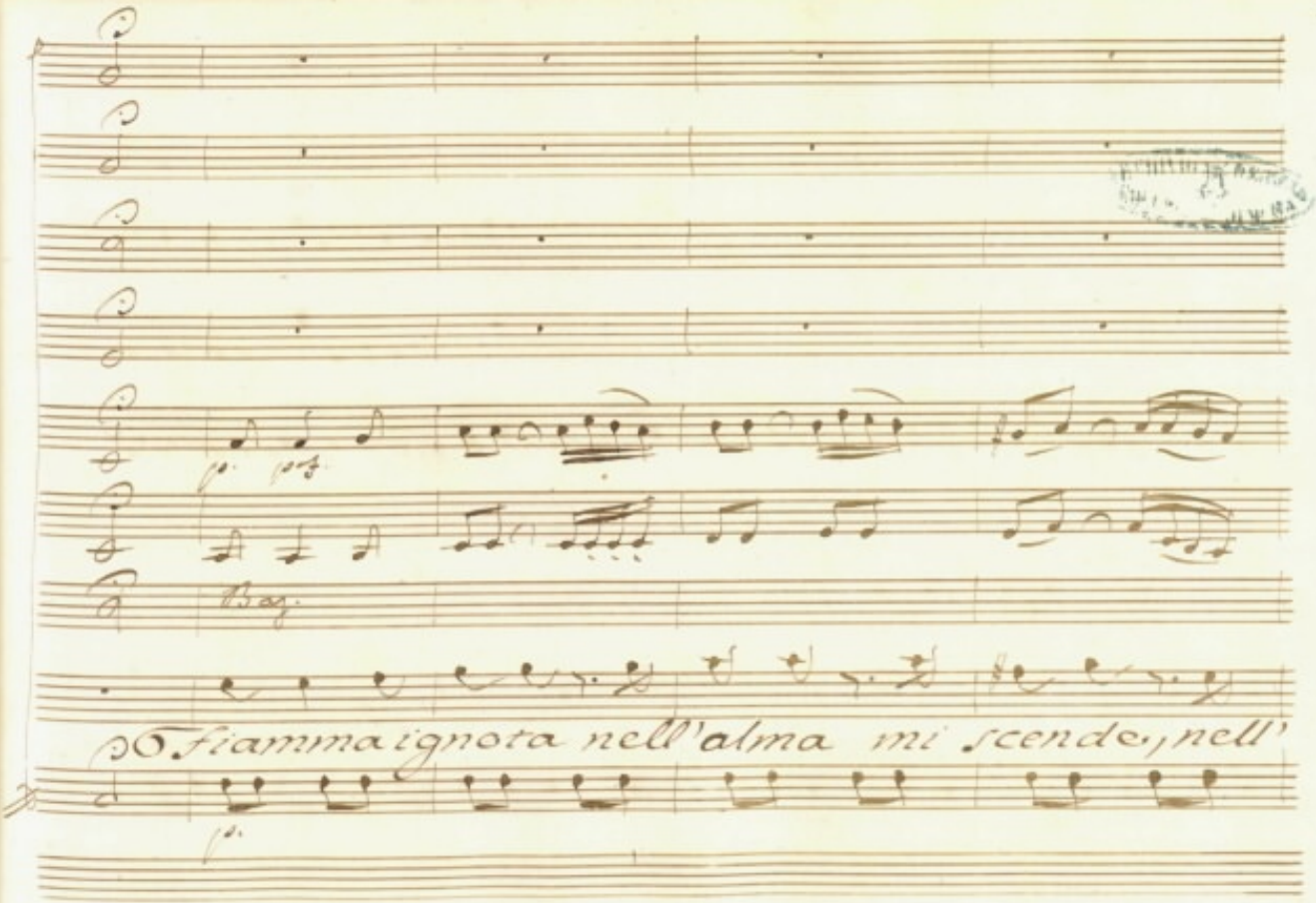
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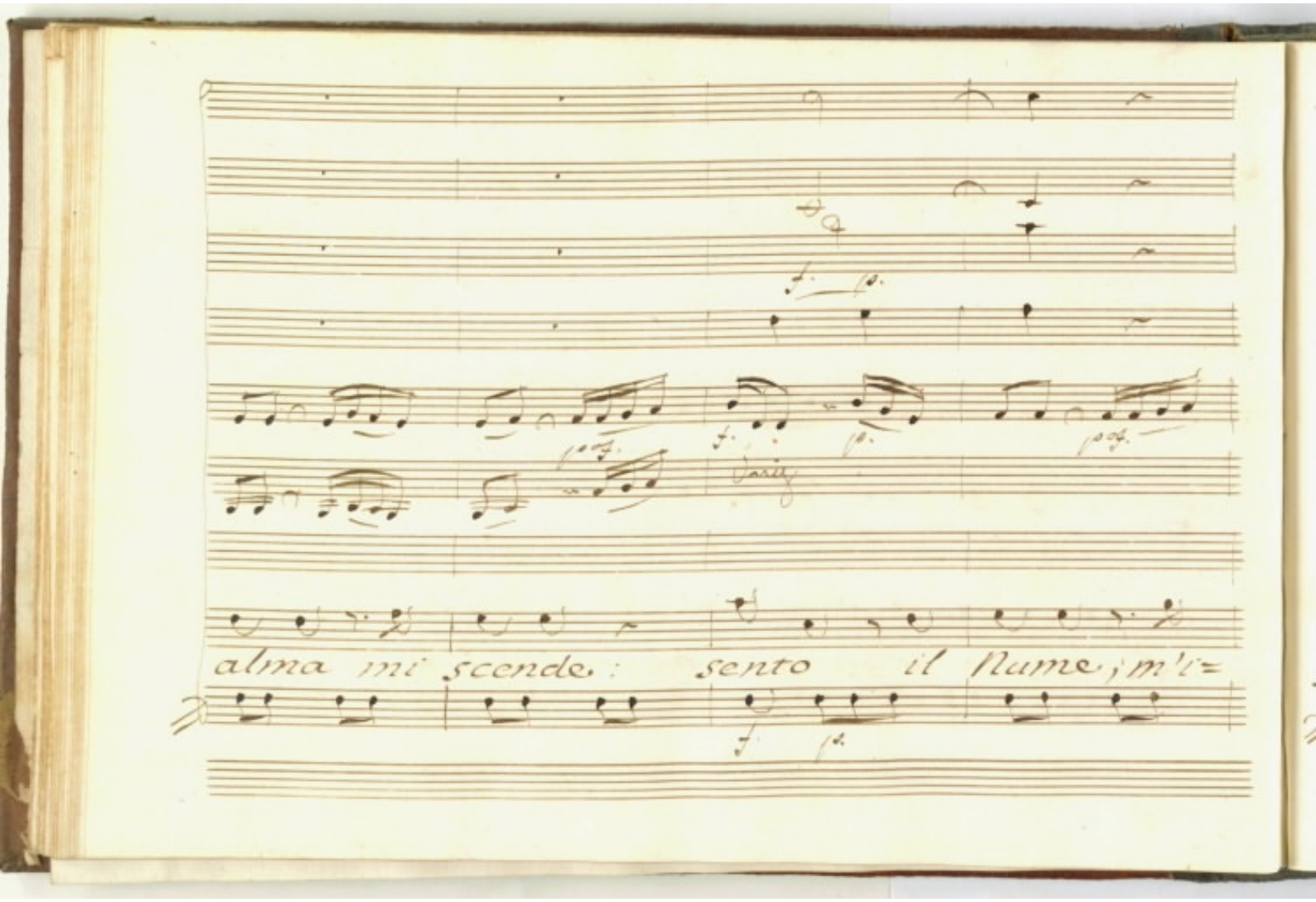
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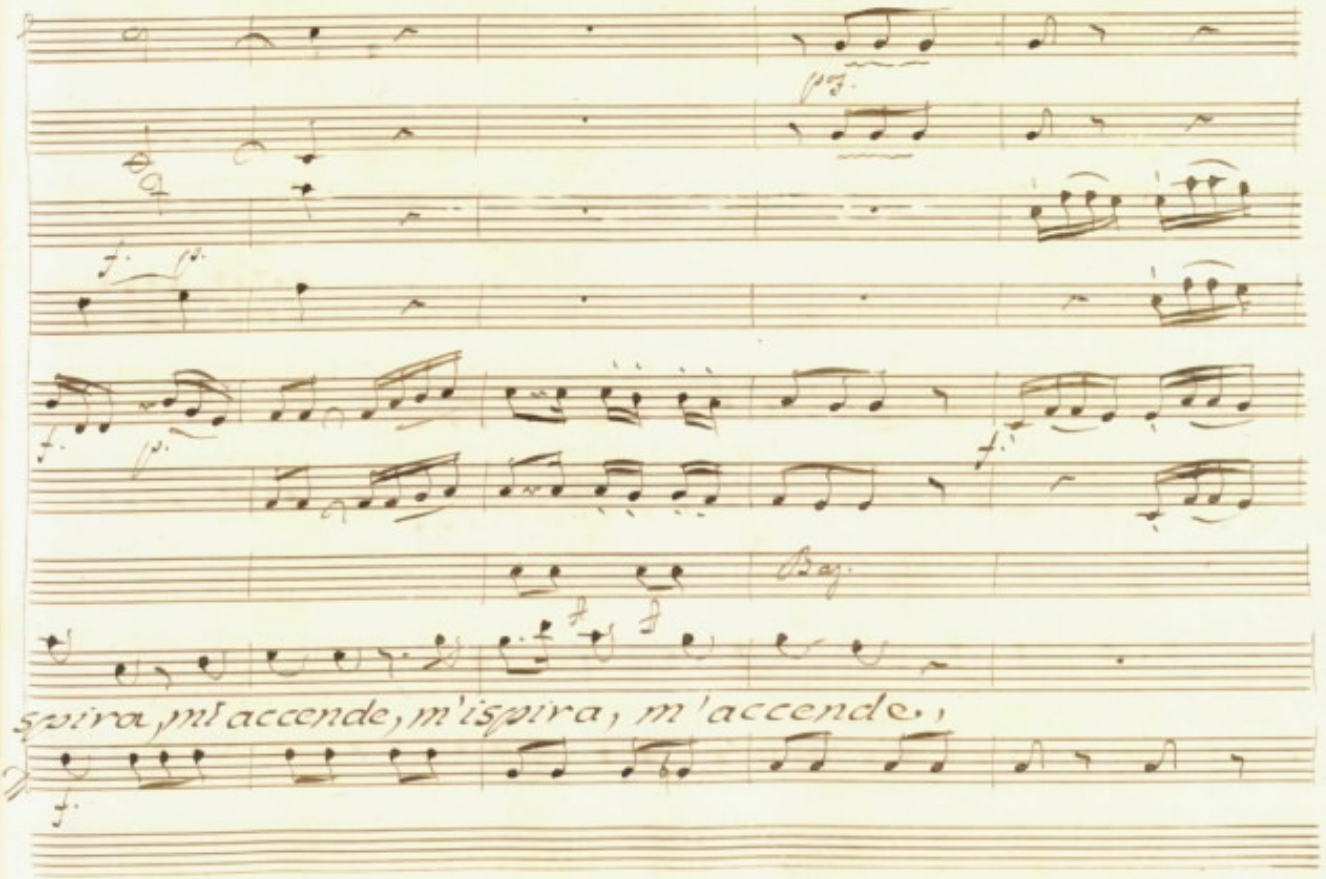
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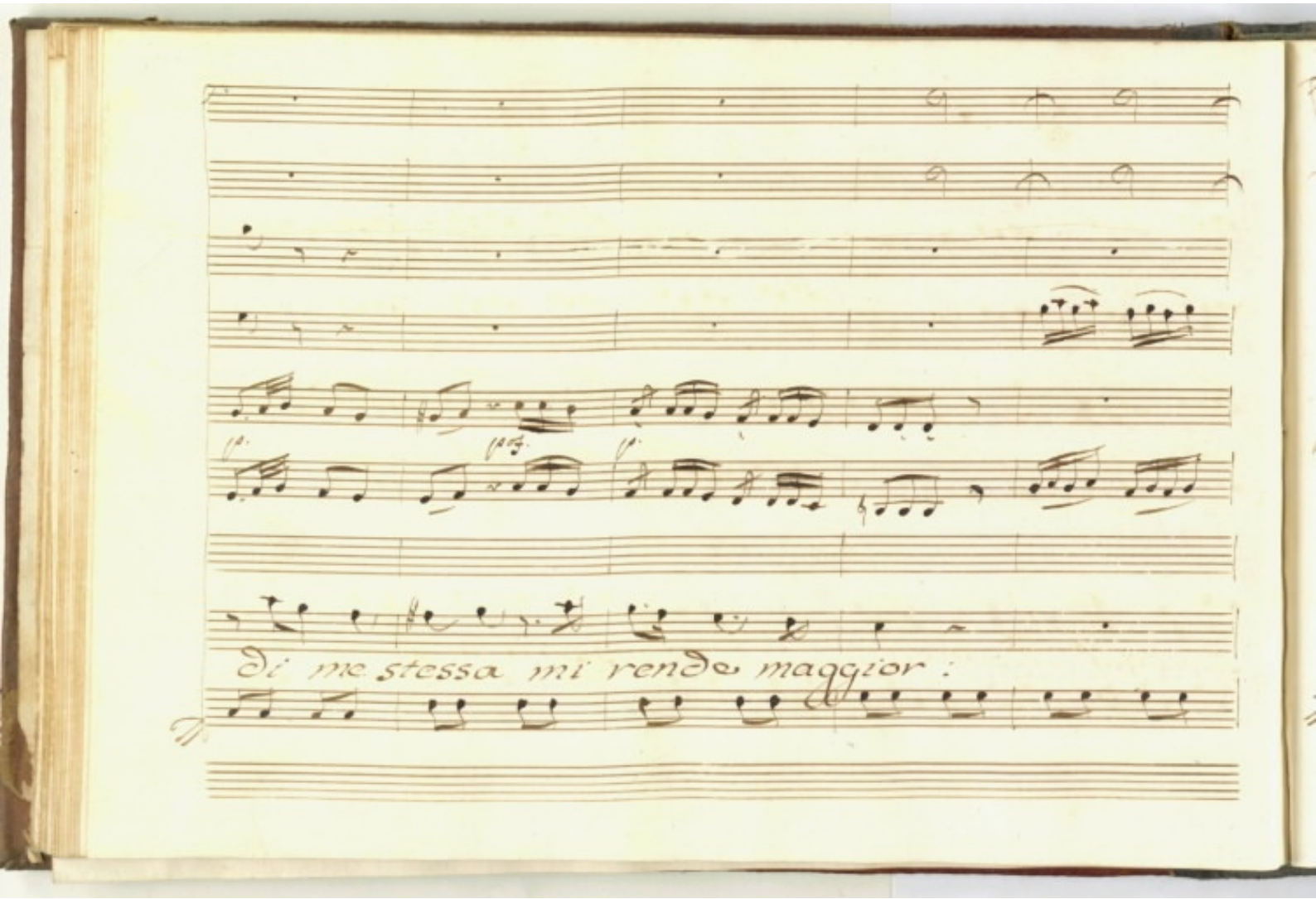
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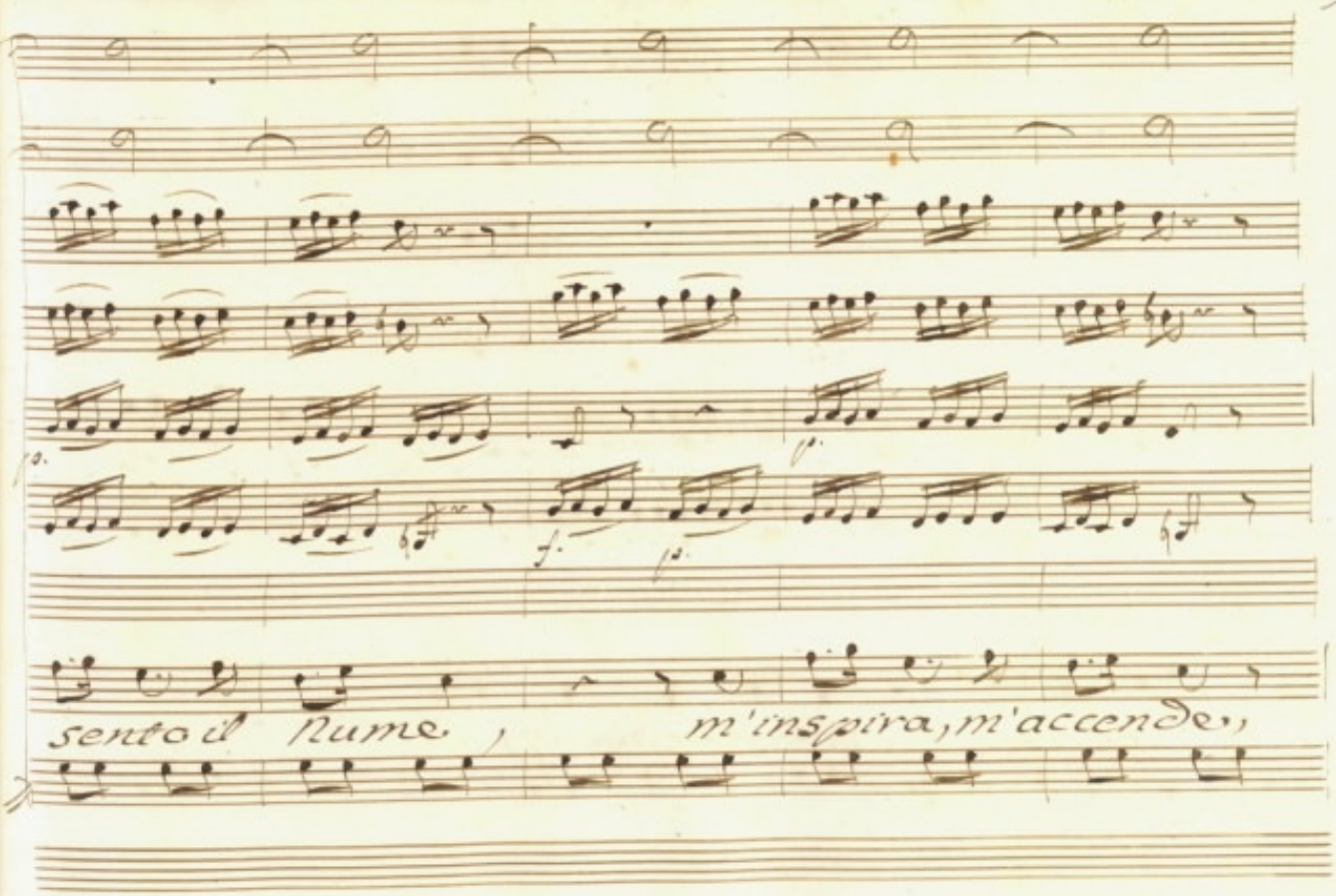
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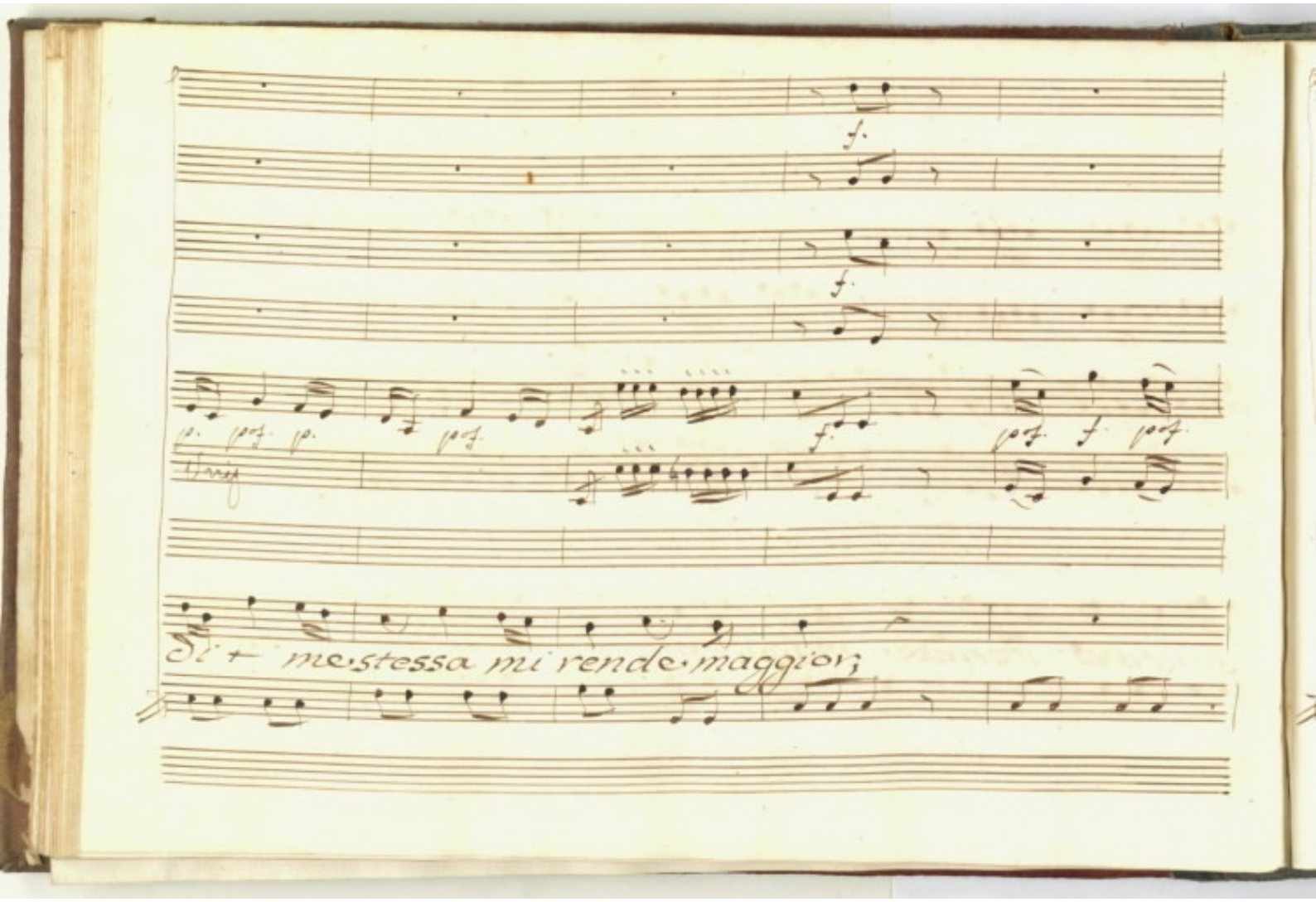
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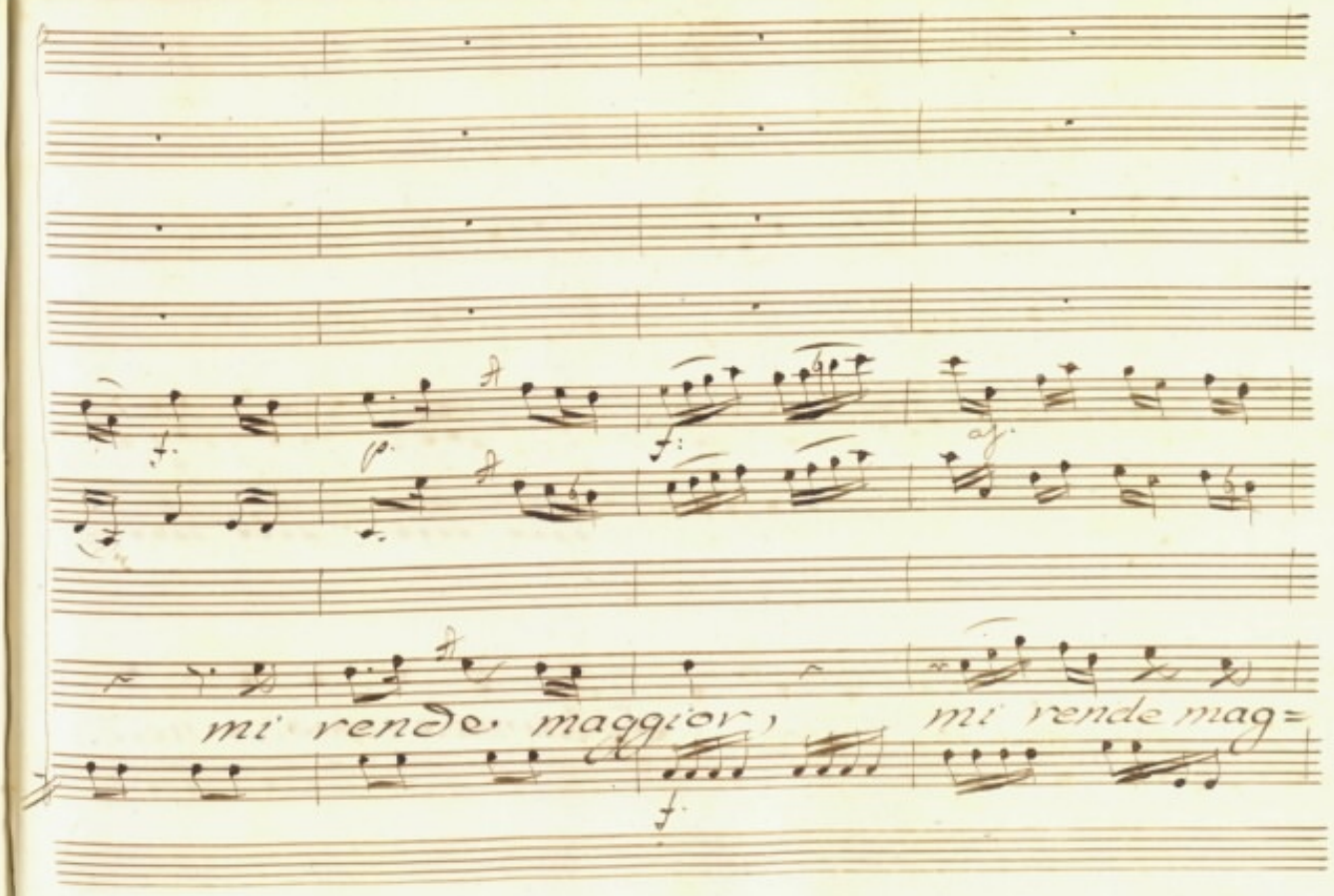
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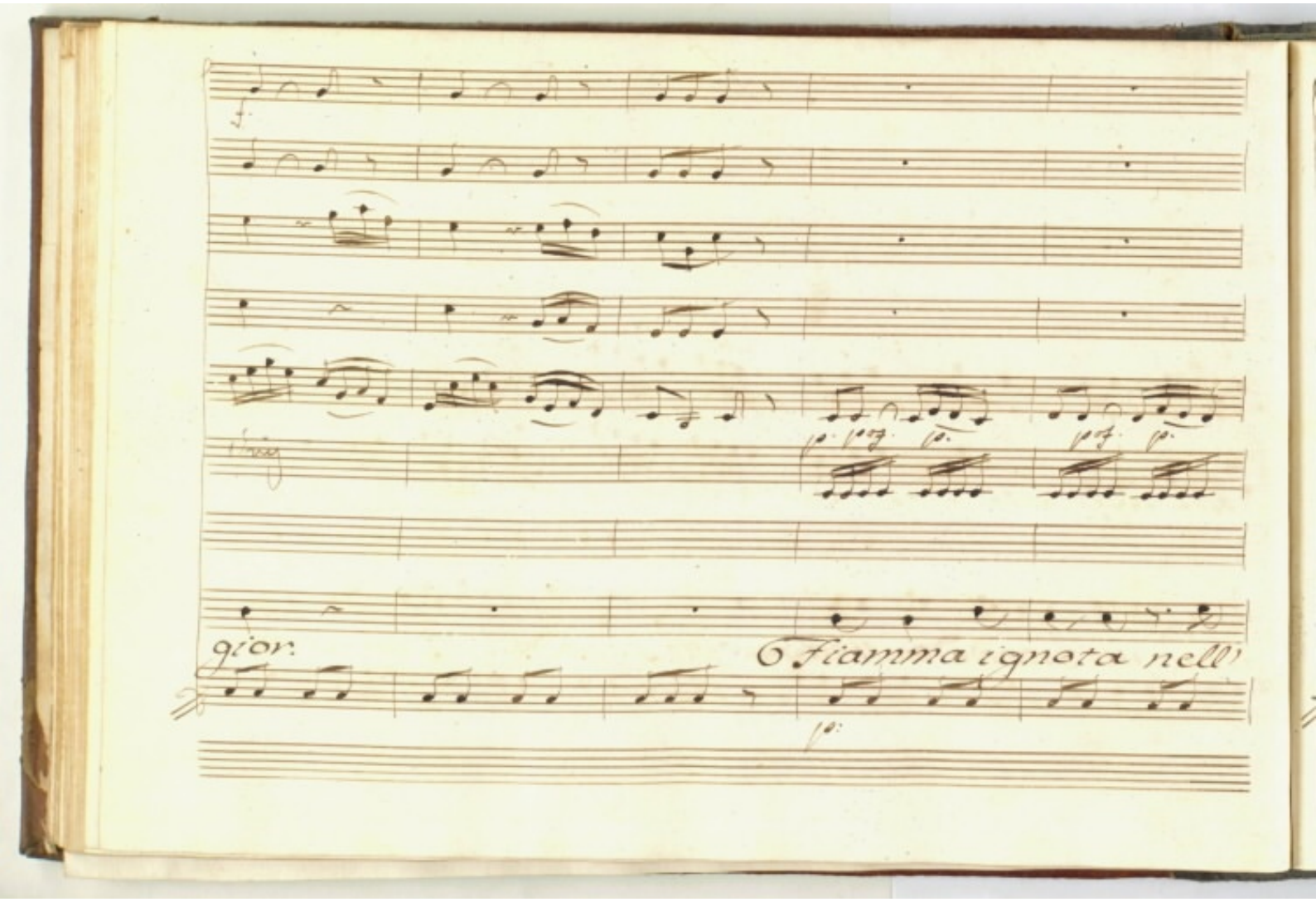
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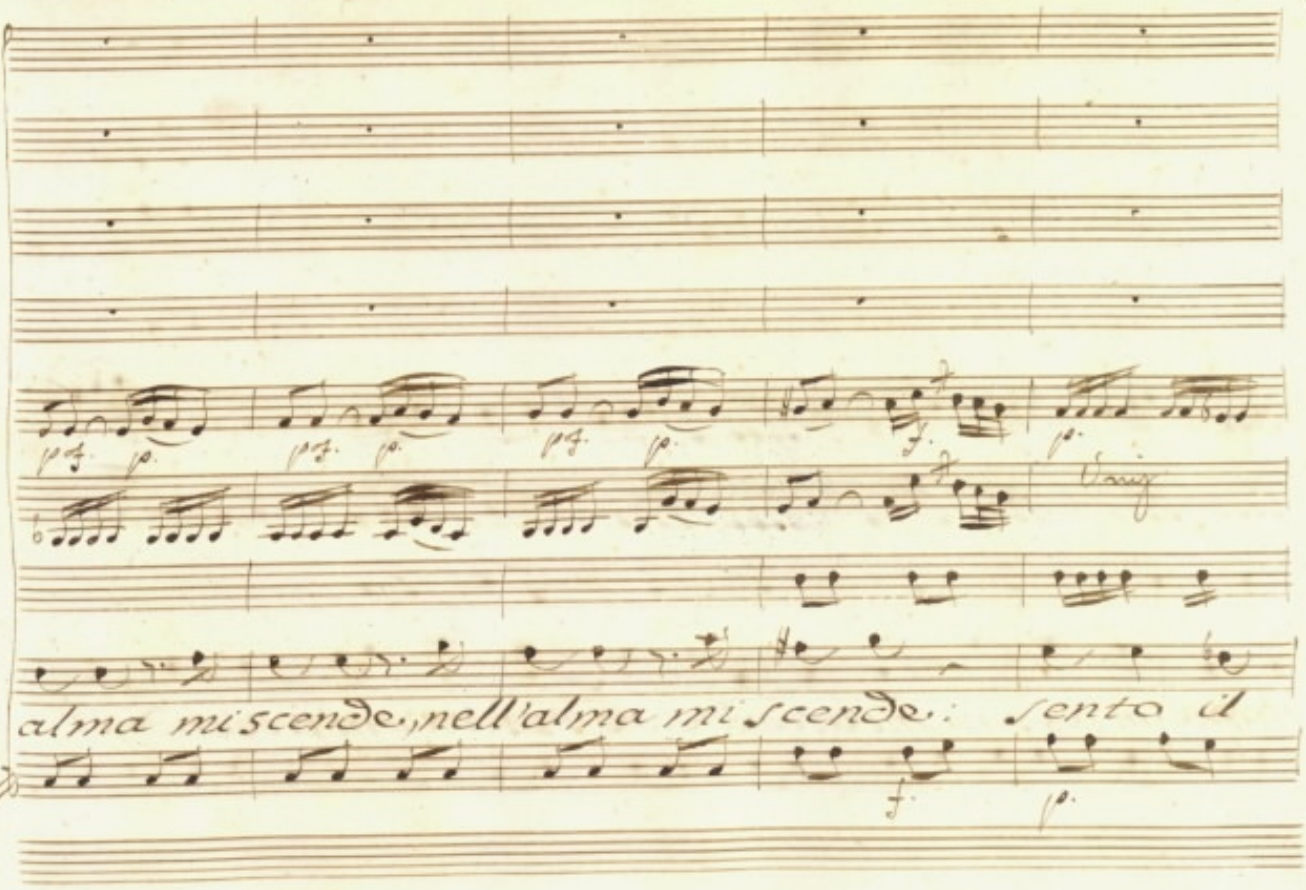
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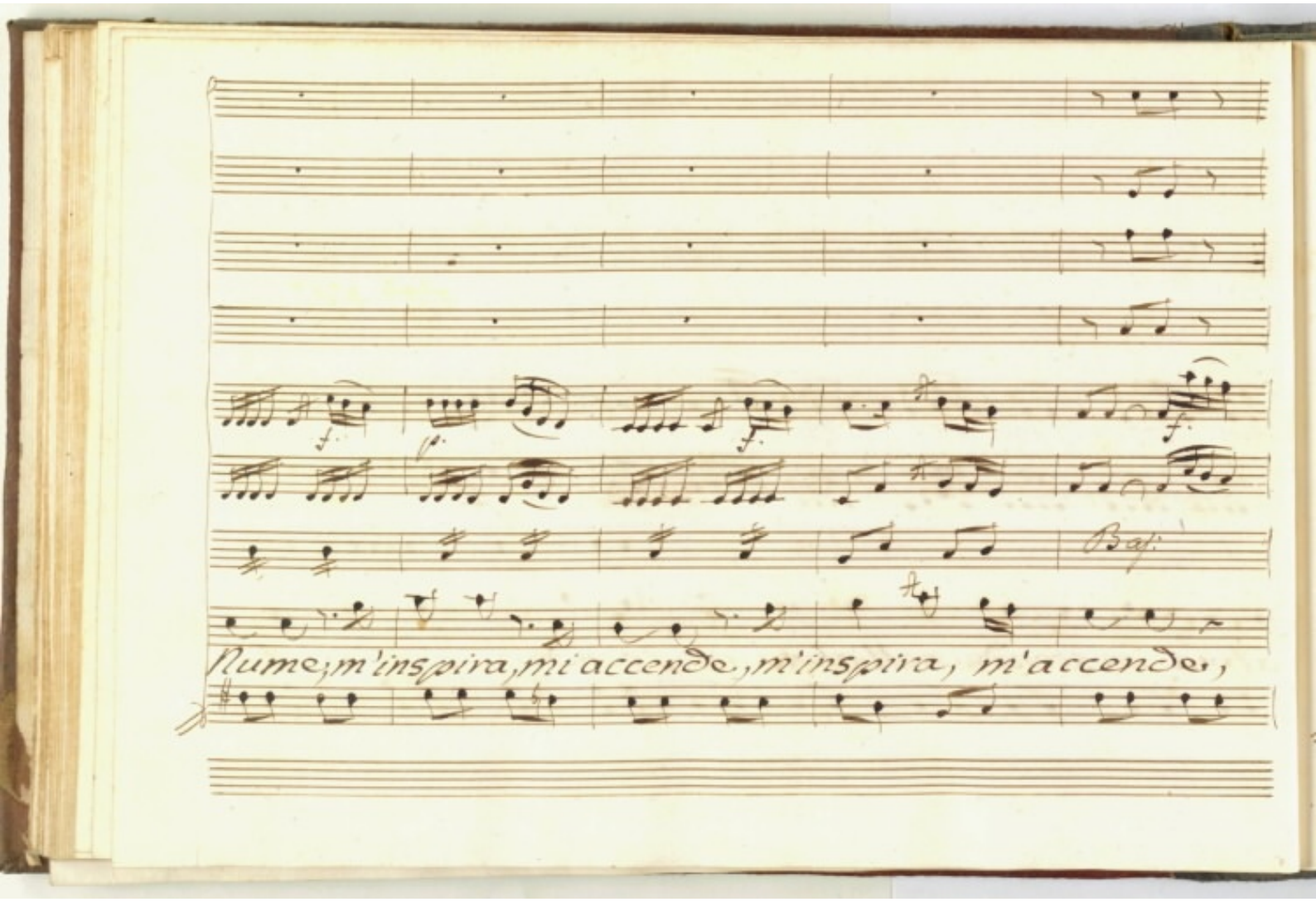
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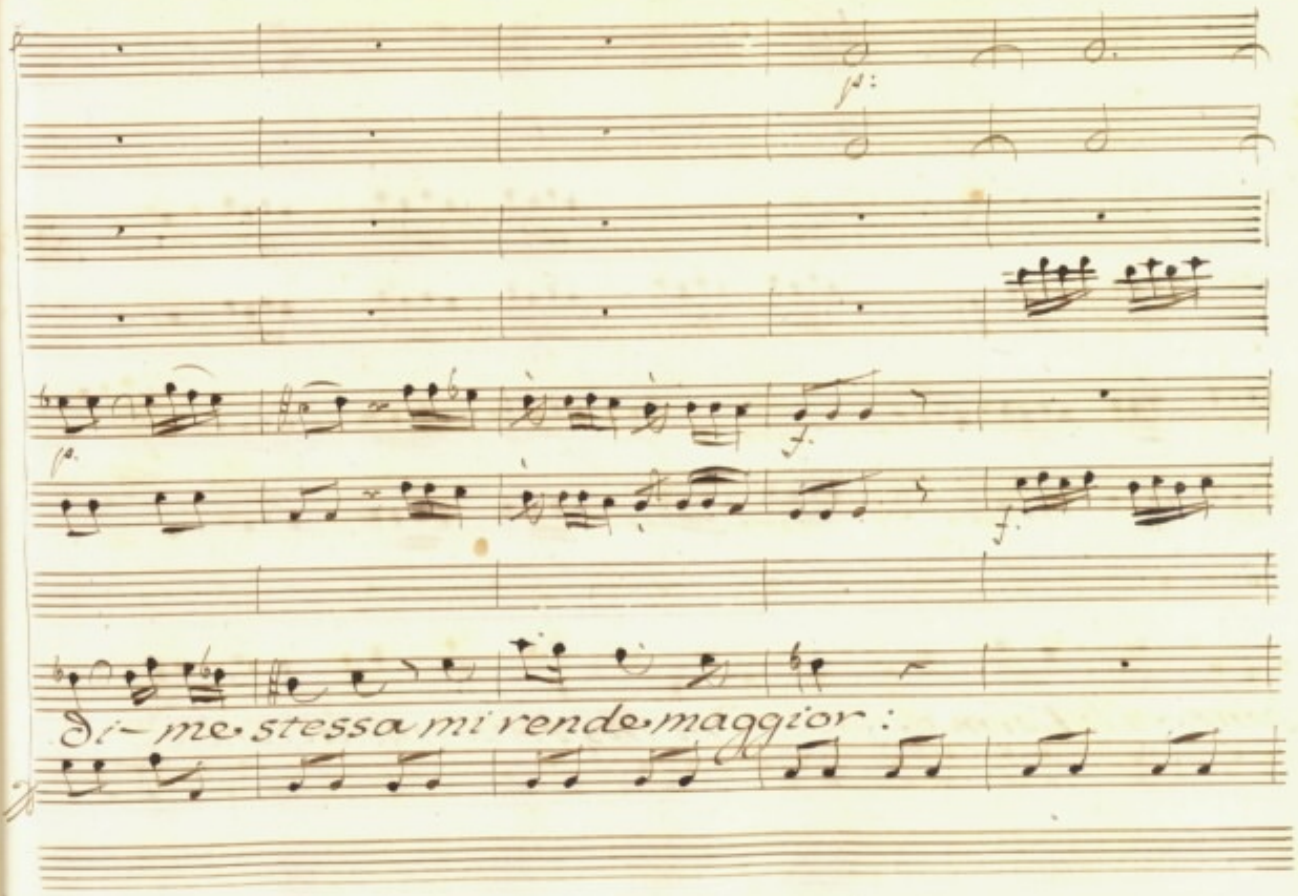
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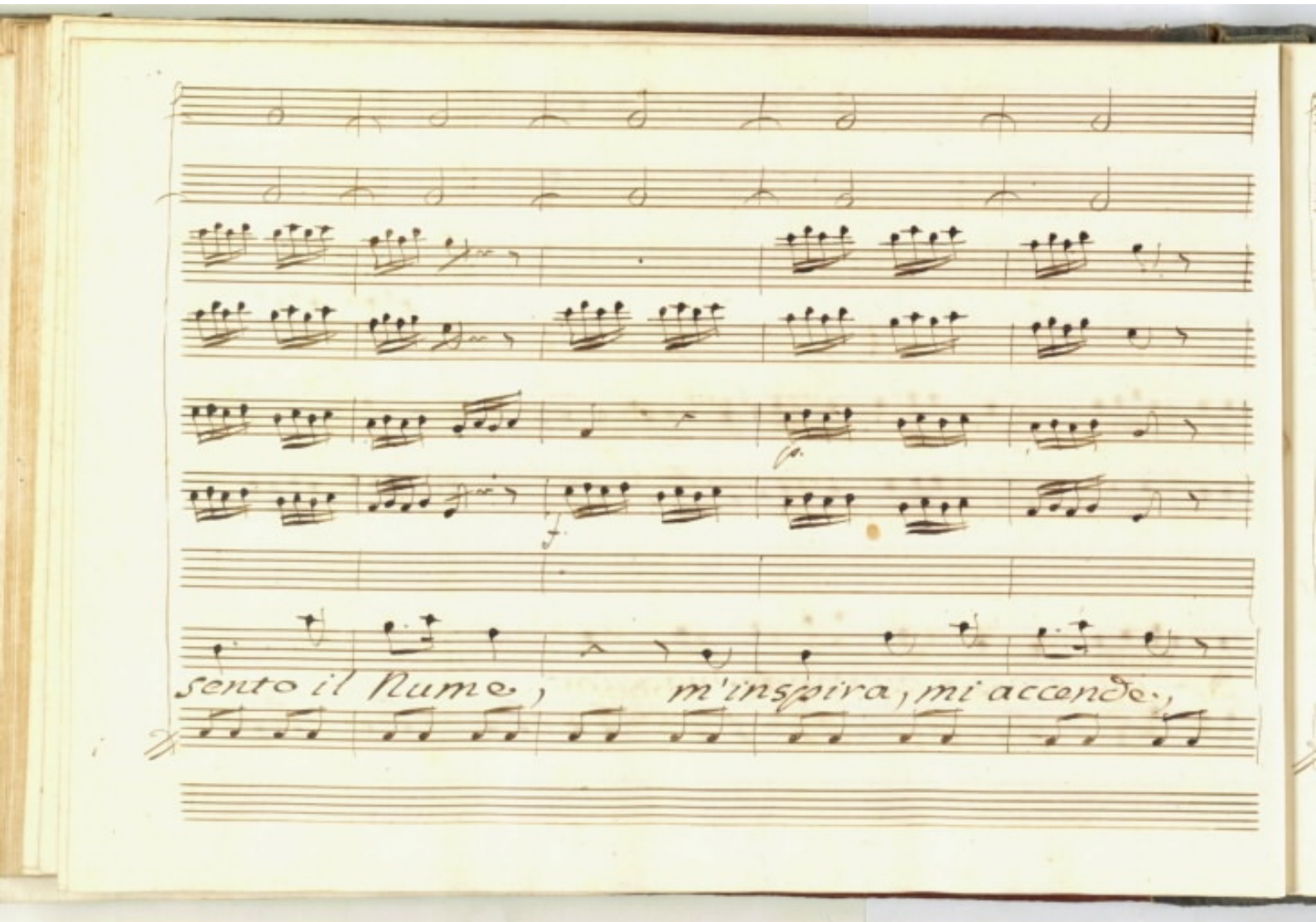
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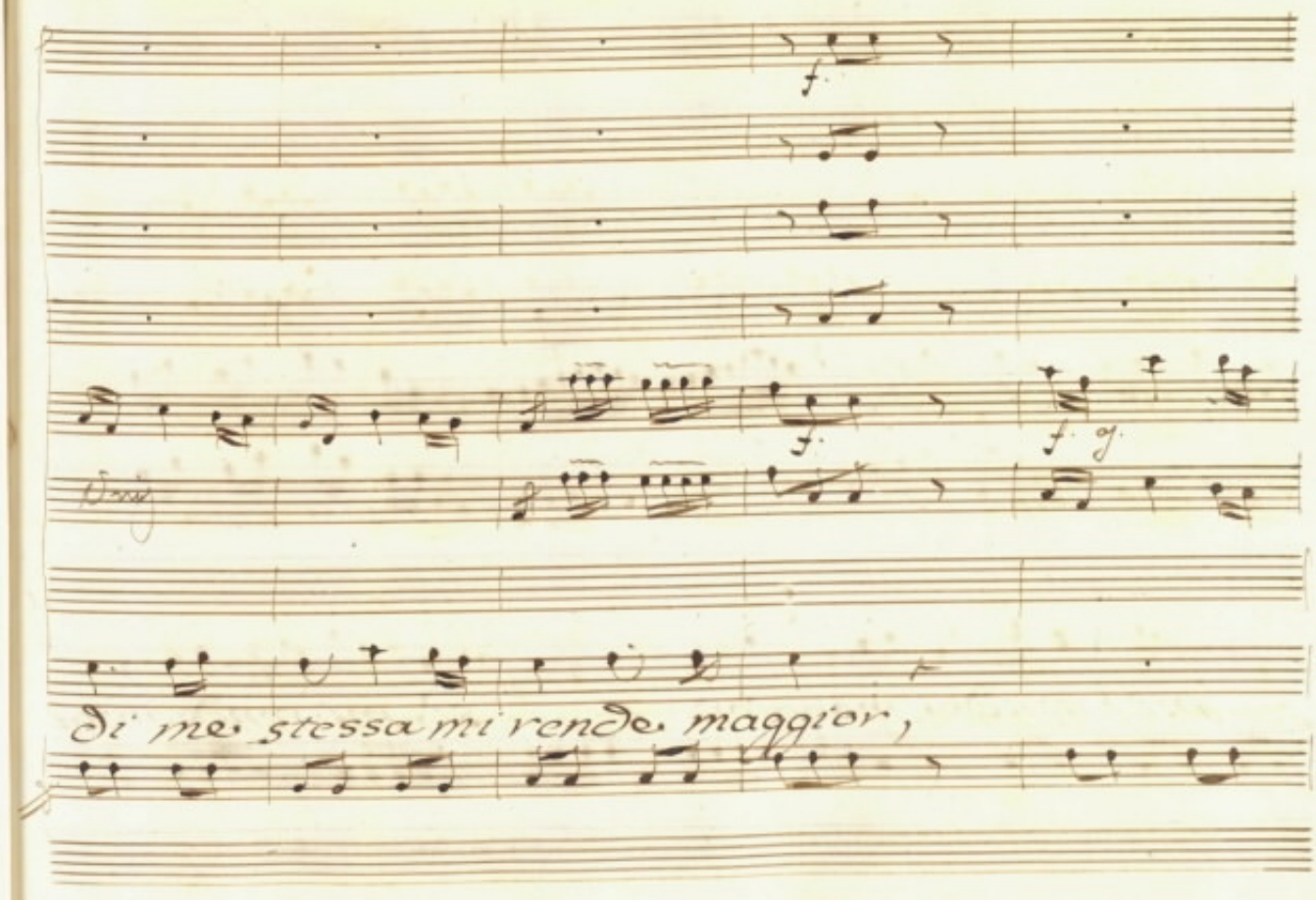
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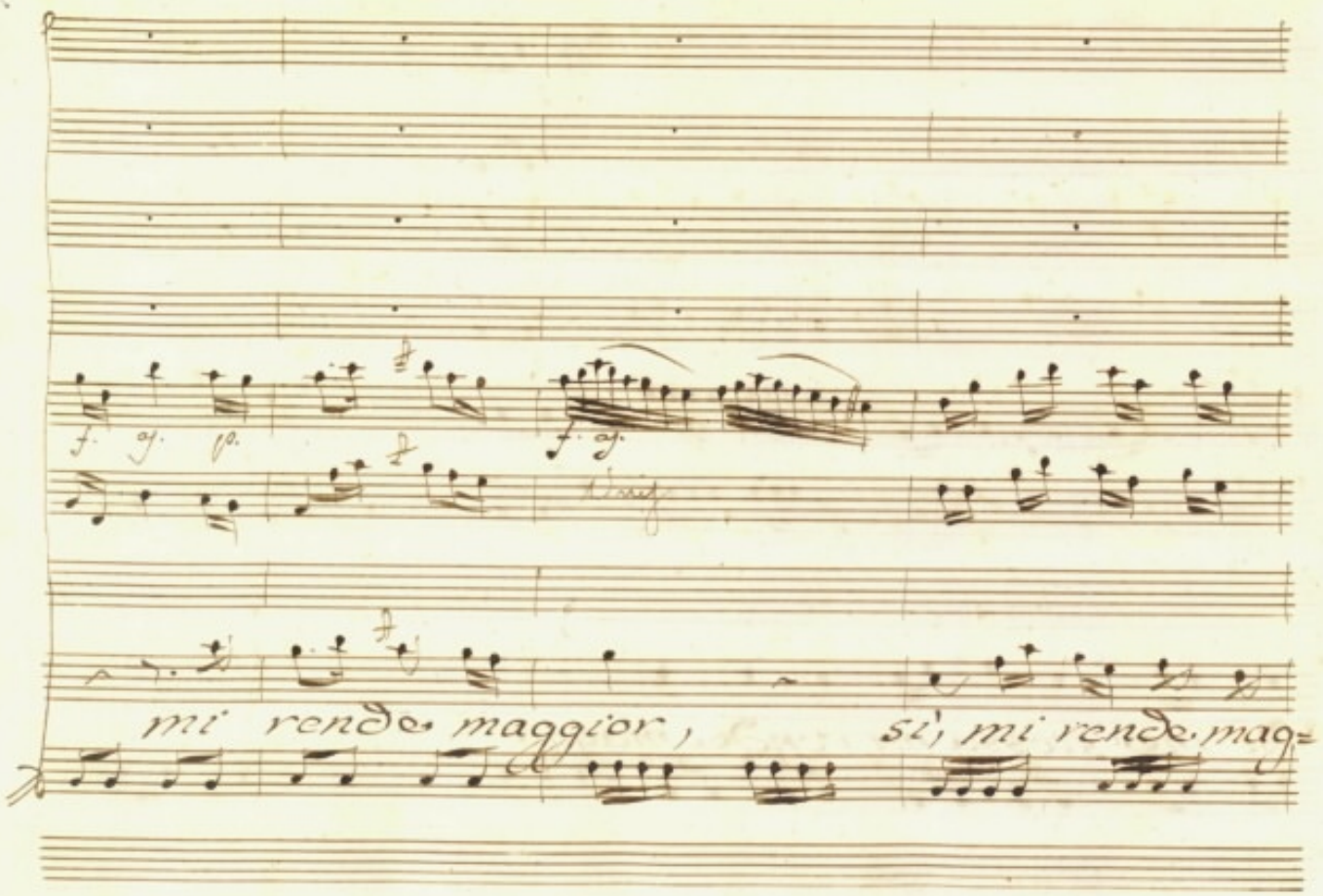
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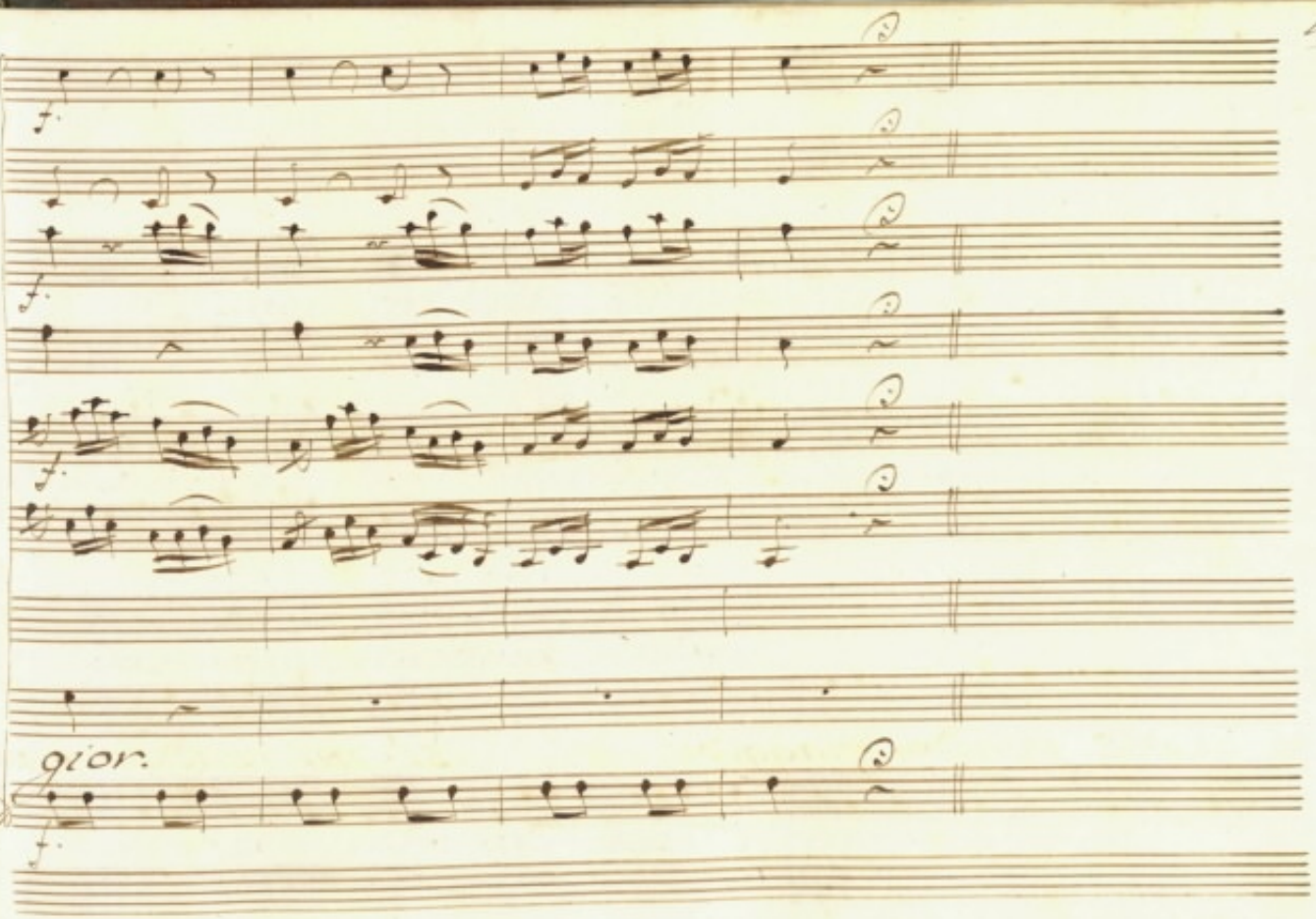
mi rende maggior,
sì, mi rende mag=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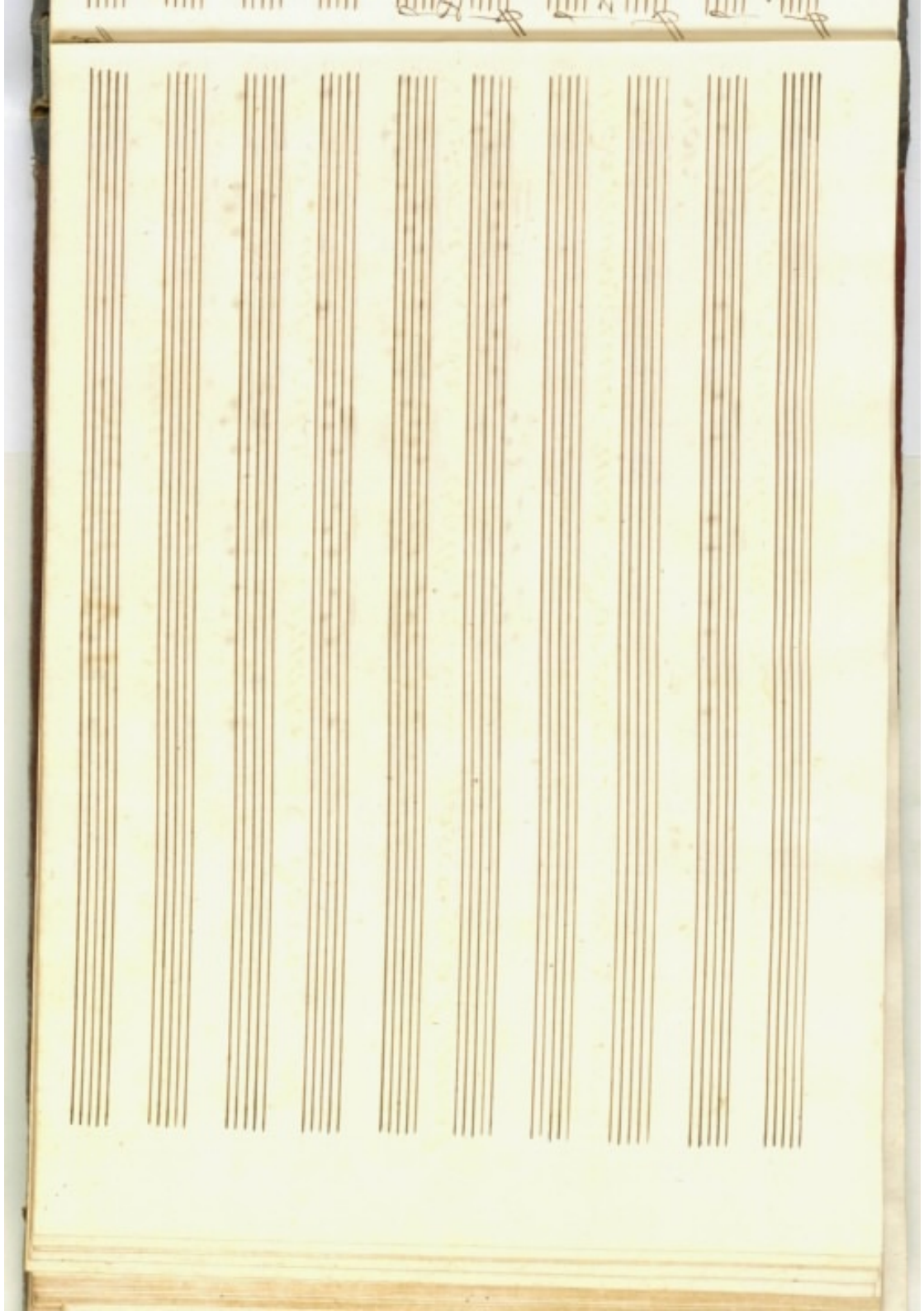


Scena VI.

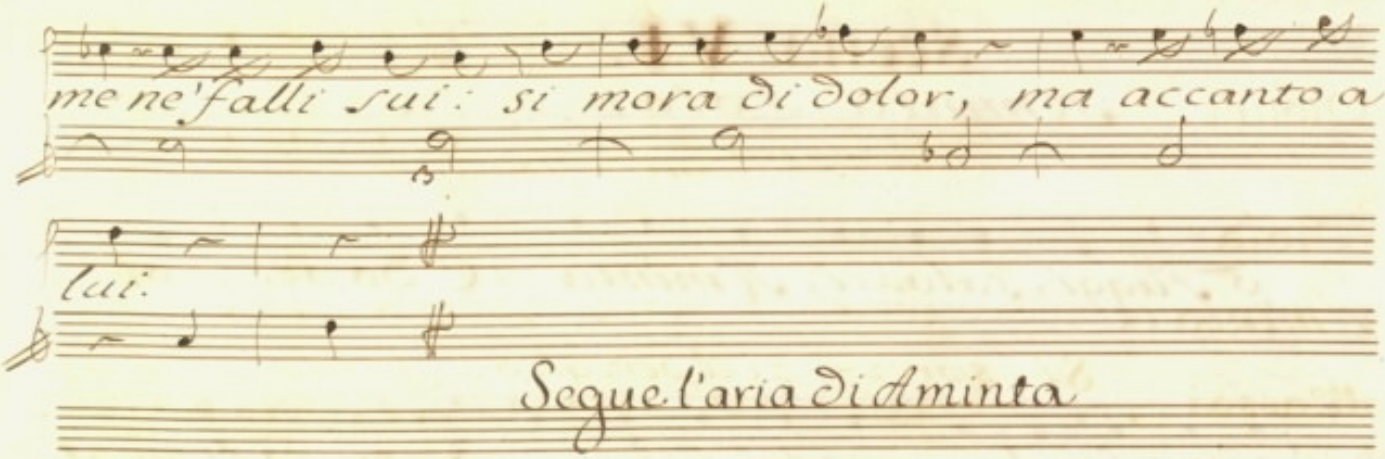
Aminta solo.

O Fuggi, salvati, Aminta... E dove, oh

Dio! senza Liçida -vado? A Regie fasce io l'innal=

zai da sconosciuta cuna; ed or potrei senza esso partir co=

si? No, si ritorni al Tempio, Liçida involva



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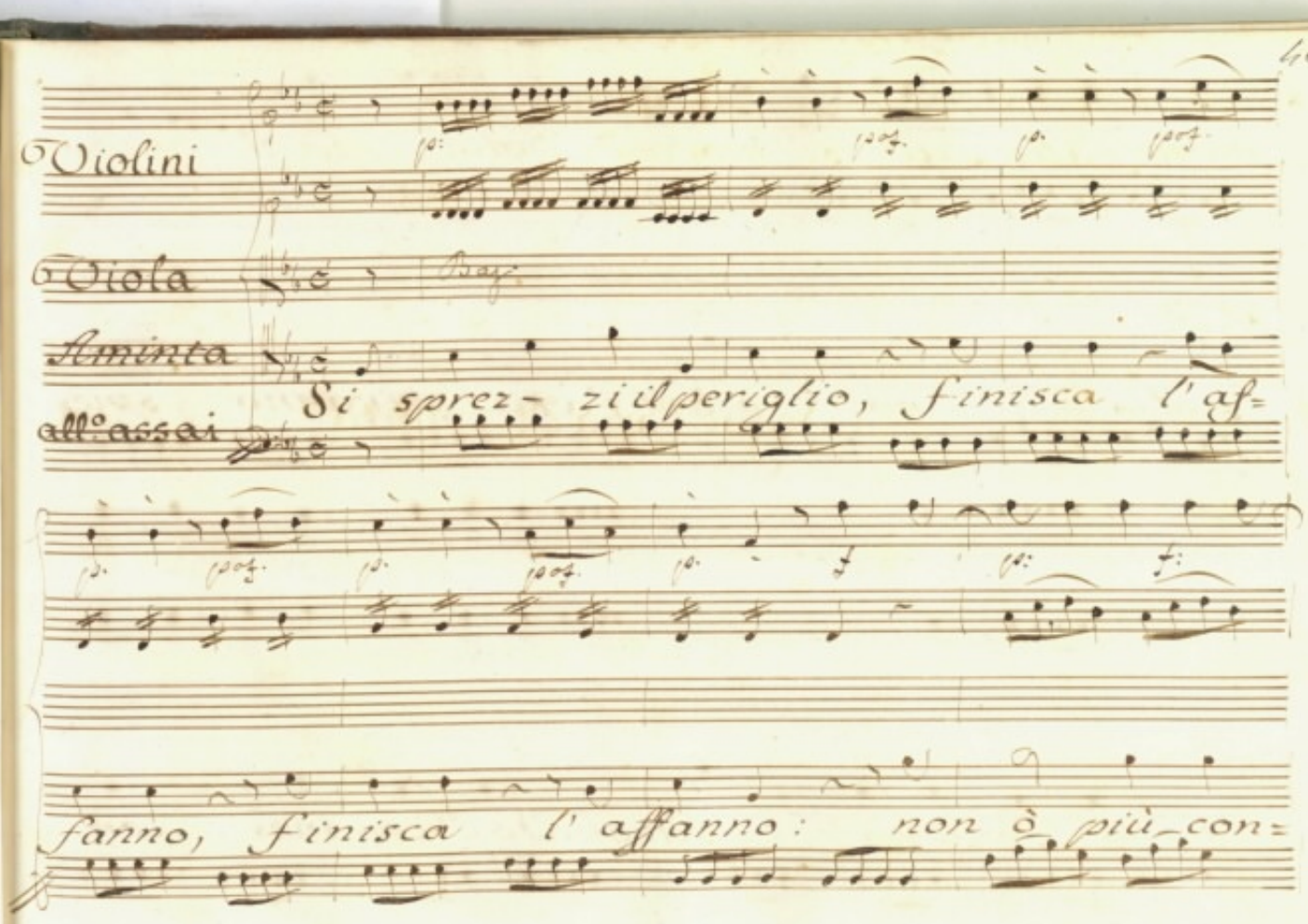
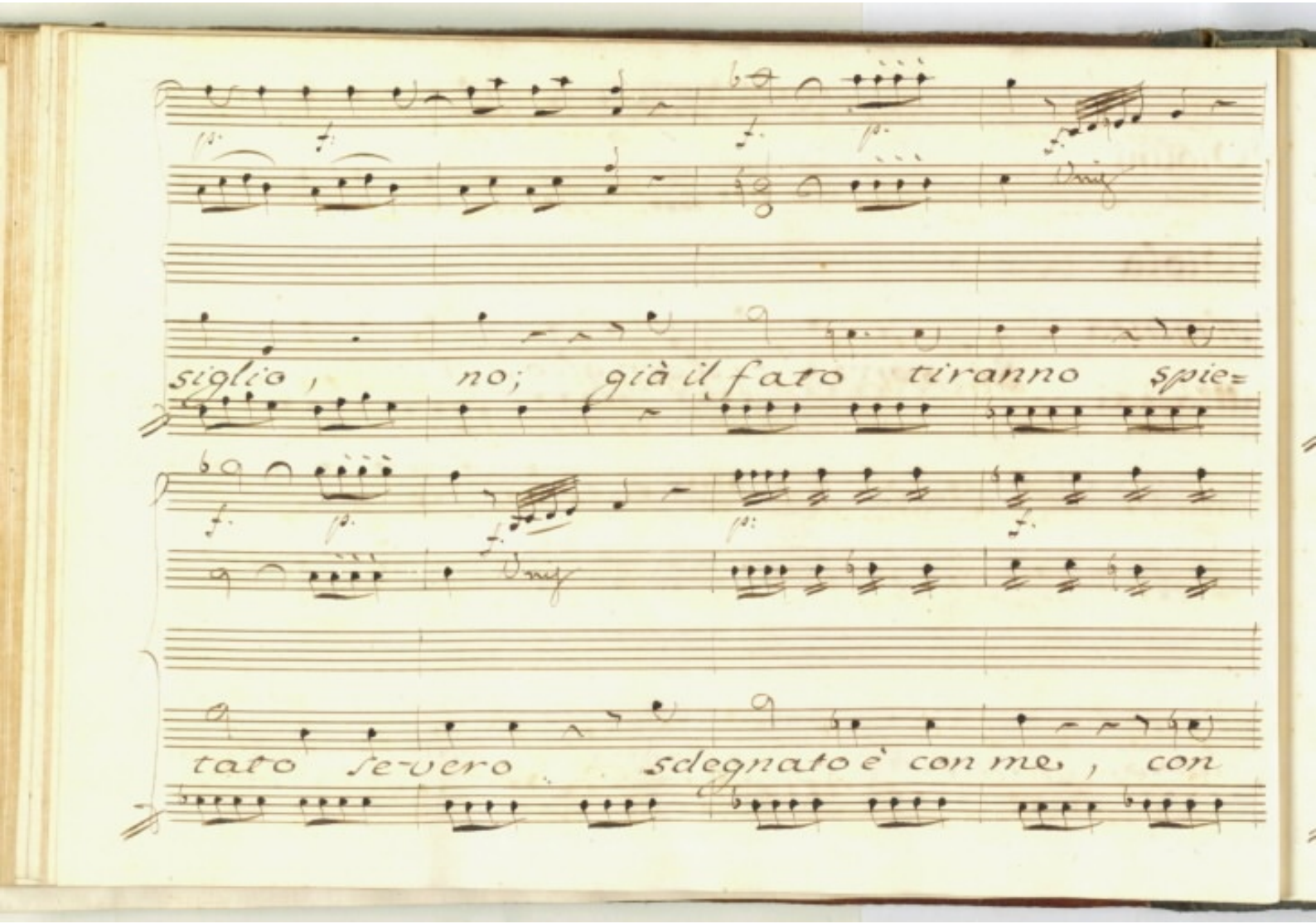
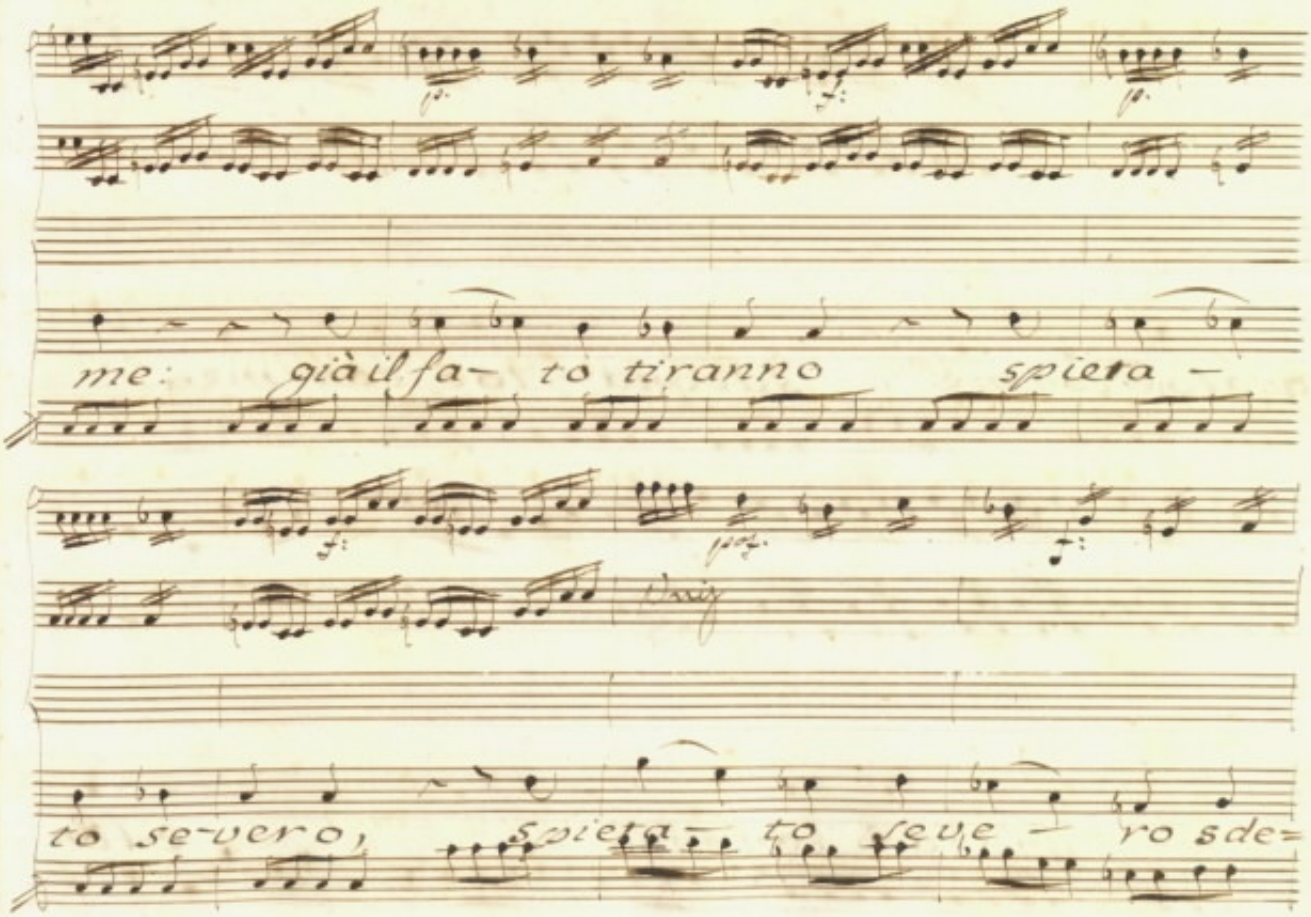
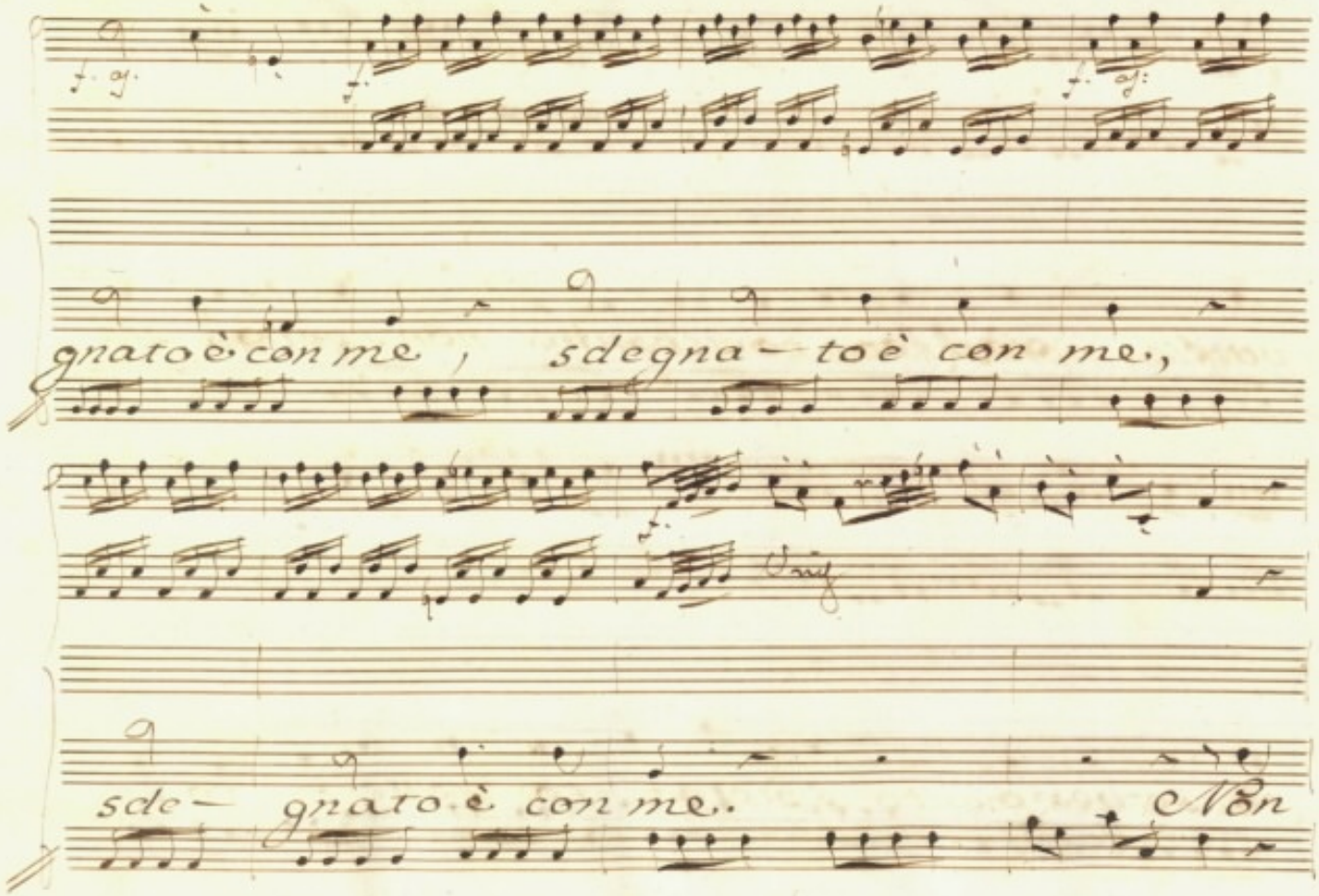
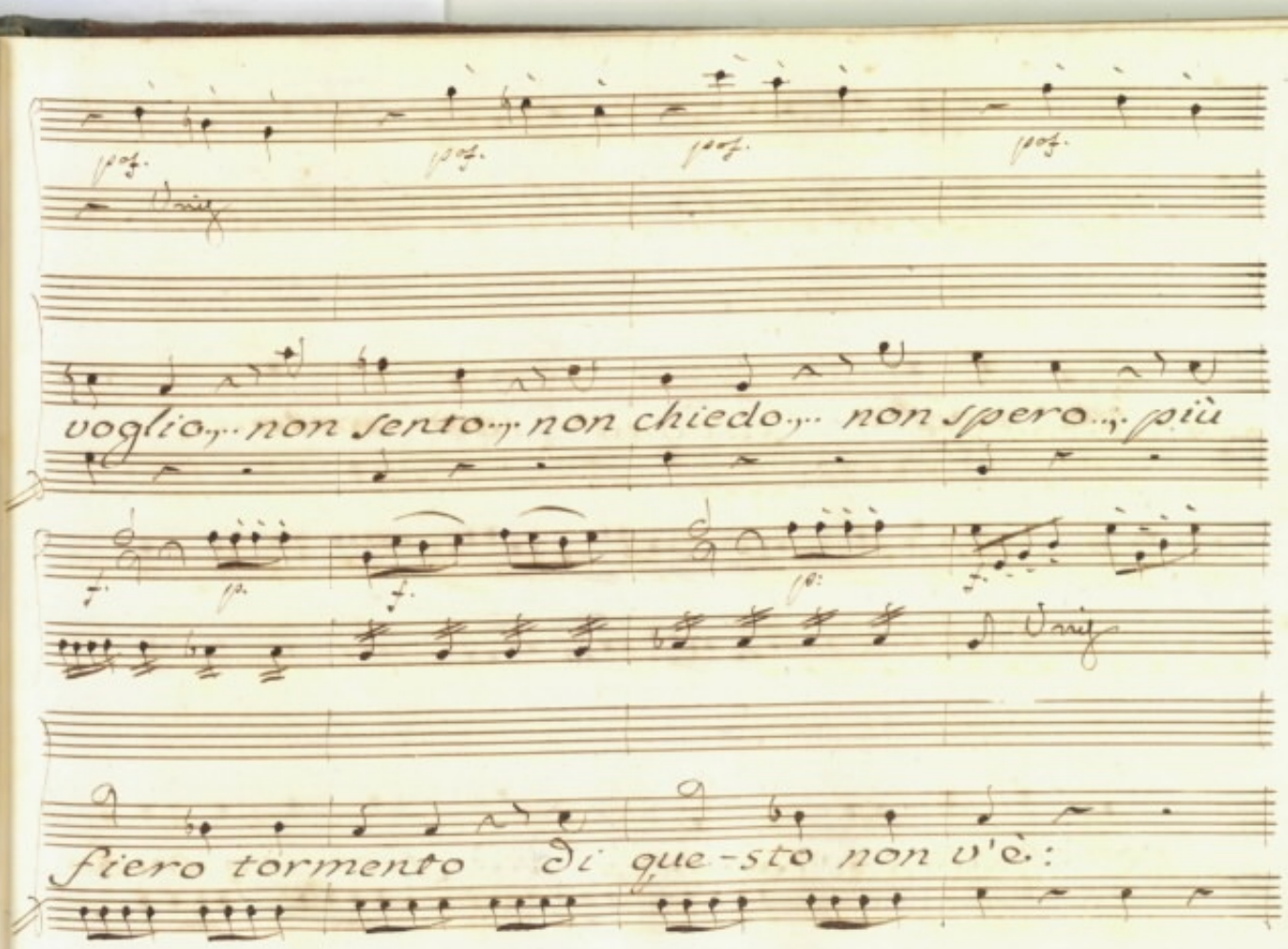
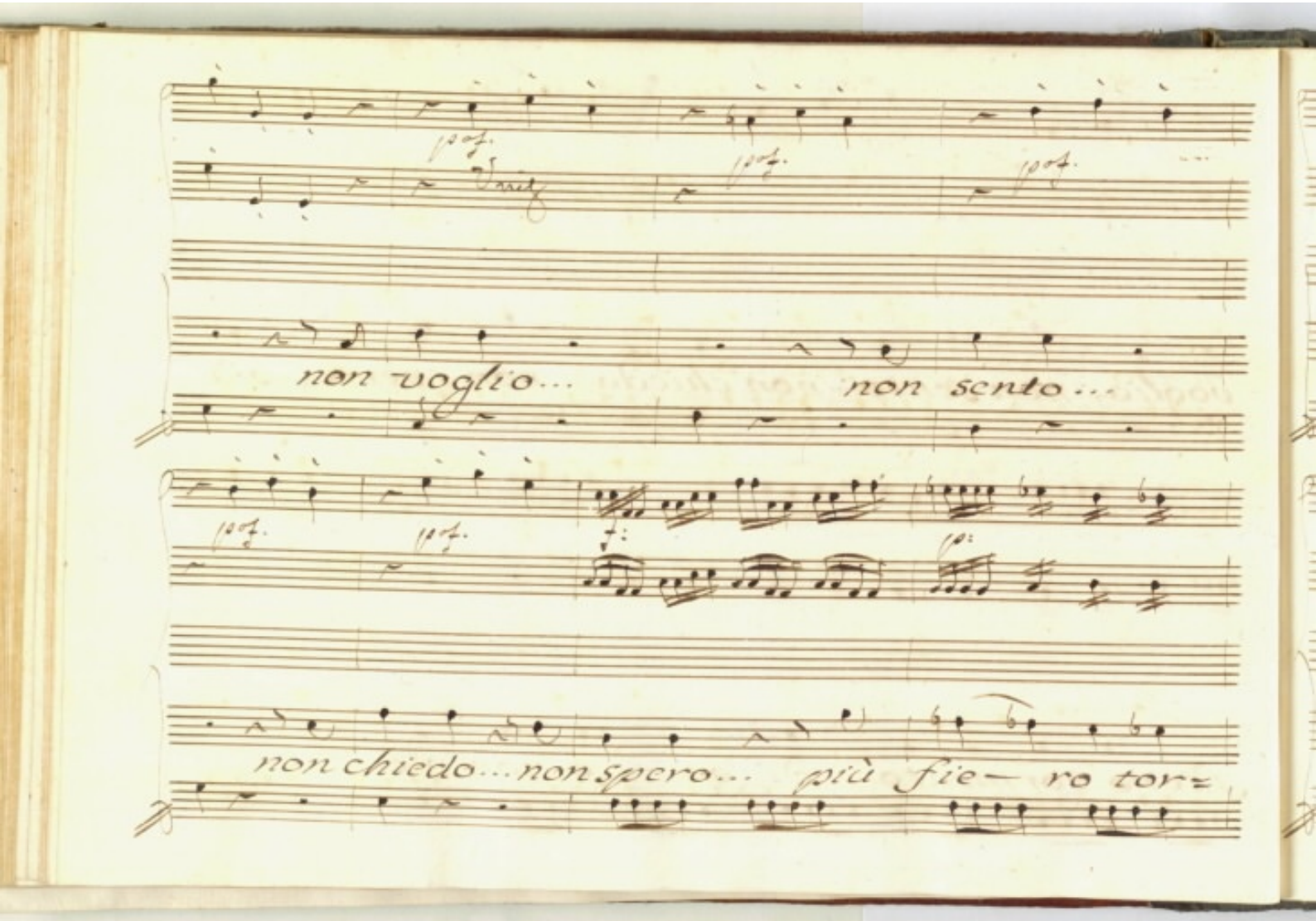

Violini
Viola
Aminta
Si sprez- zi il periglio, finisca l' af=
all.o assai
fanno, finisca l' affanno: non ò più con=

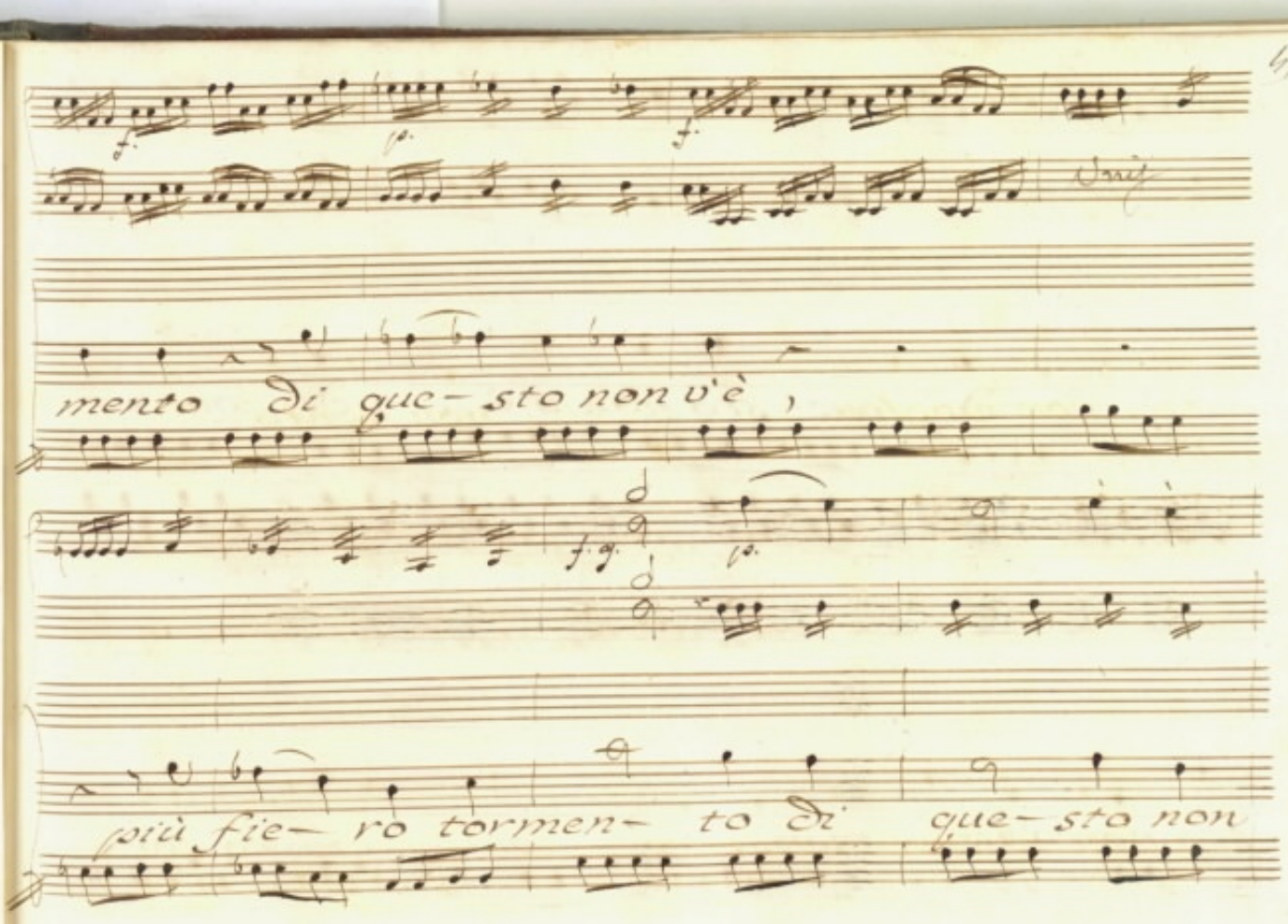

siglio , no; già il fato tiranno spie=
tato se-vero sdegnato è con me , con

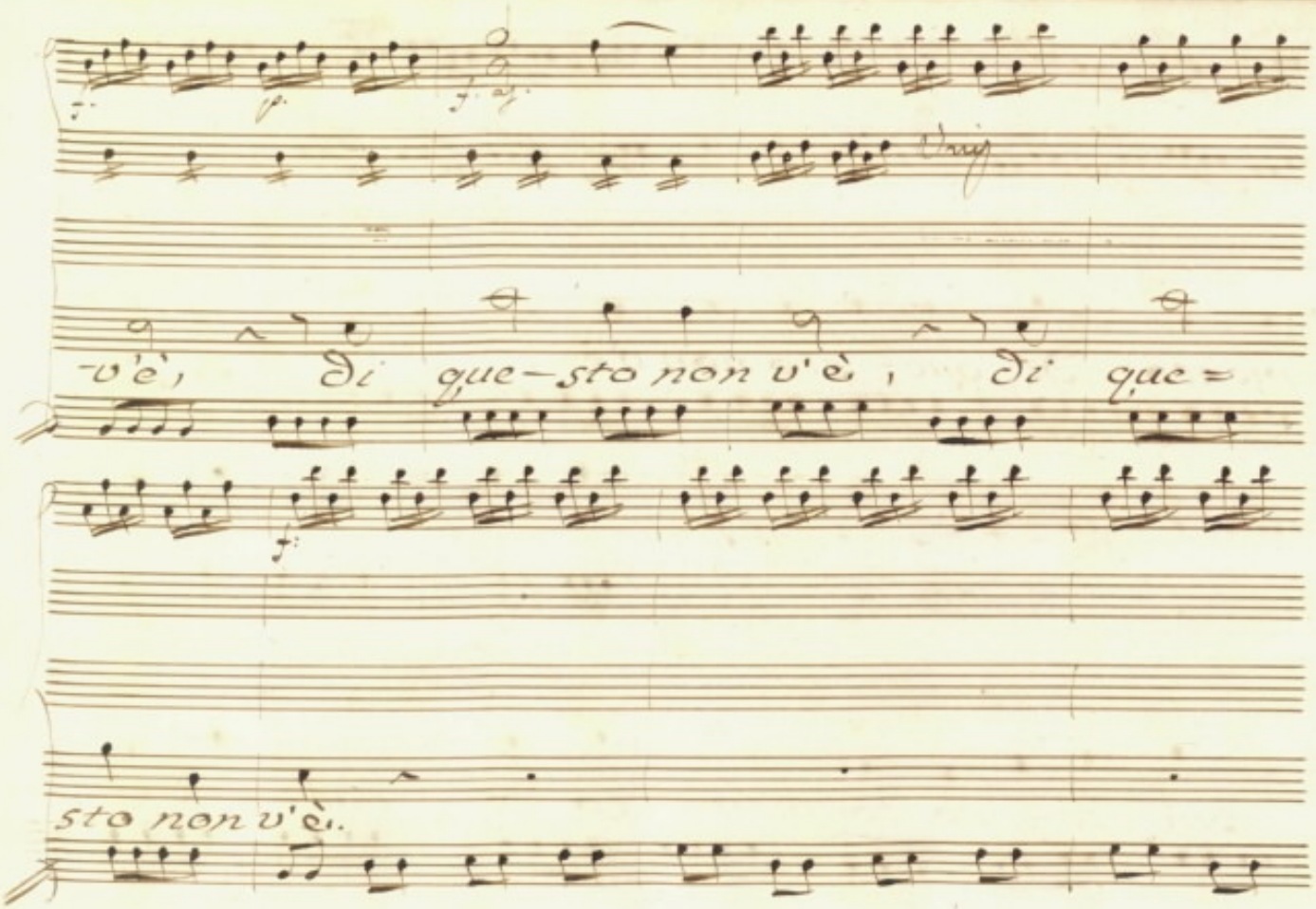

me: già il fa- to tiranno spieta -
to se-vero, spieta- to reve- ro sde=

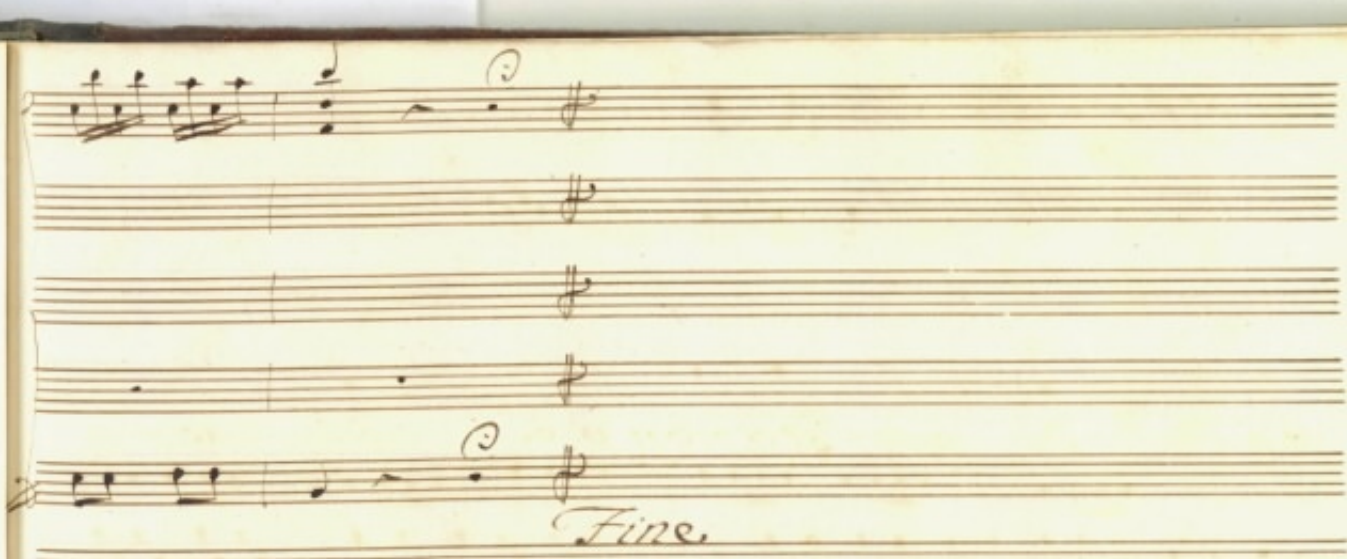

gnato è con me , sdegna – to è con me.,
sde – gnato è con me.
Non


voglio non sento non chiedo non spero più
fiero tormento di que-sto non v'è:


non voglio... non sento...
non chiedo... non spero... più fie— ro tor=


mento di que- sto non v'è ,
più fie- ro tormen- to di que- sto non


-v'è, Di que-sto non v'è, Di que=
sto non v'è.


Fine.

Scena VII.

Clistene, Licida, Alcandro, e Coro.

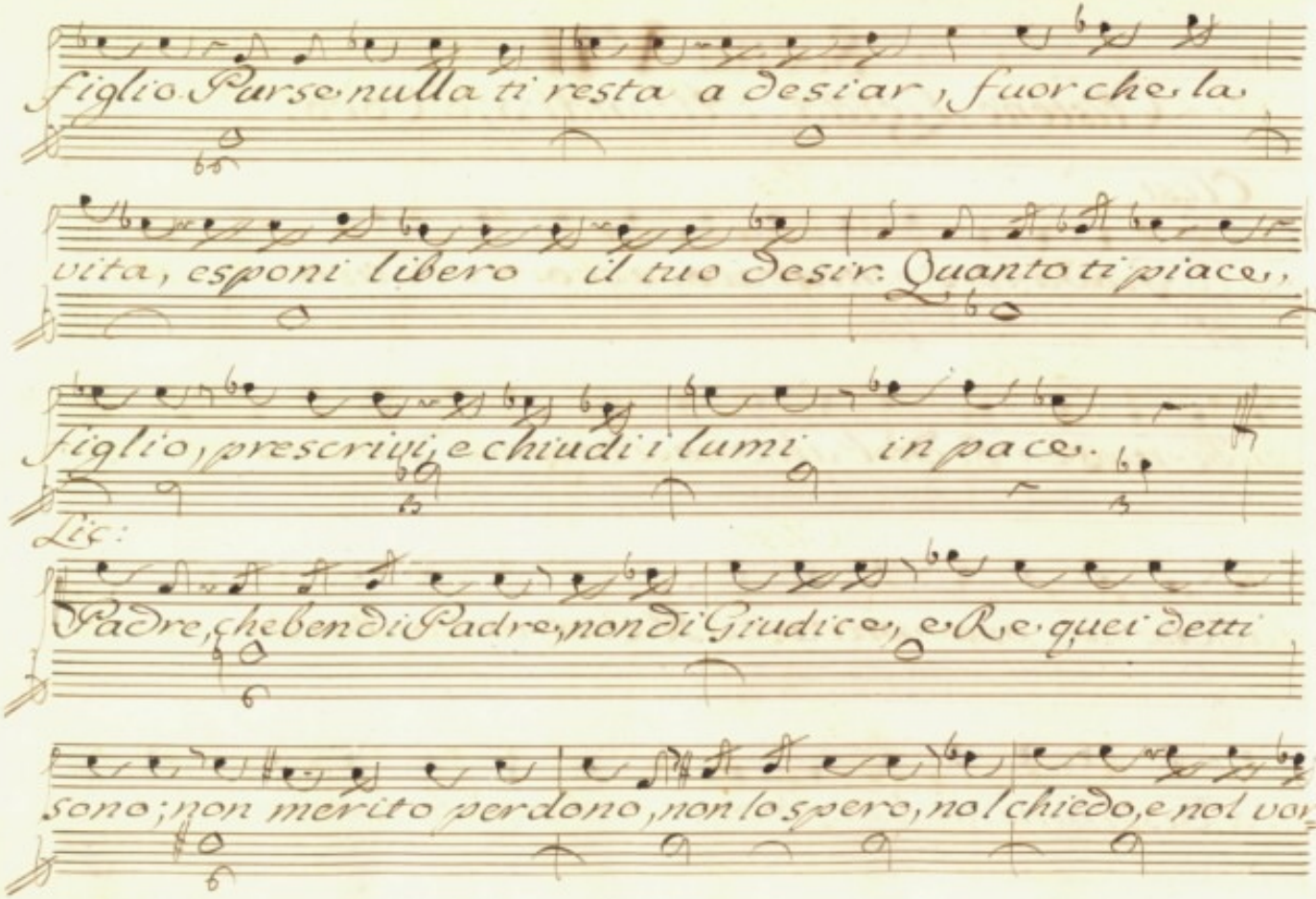
Clist.

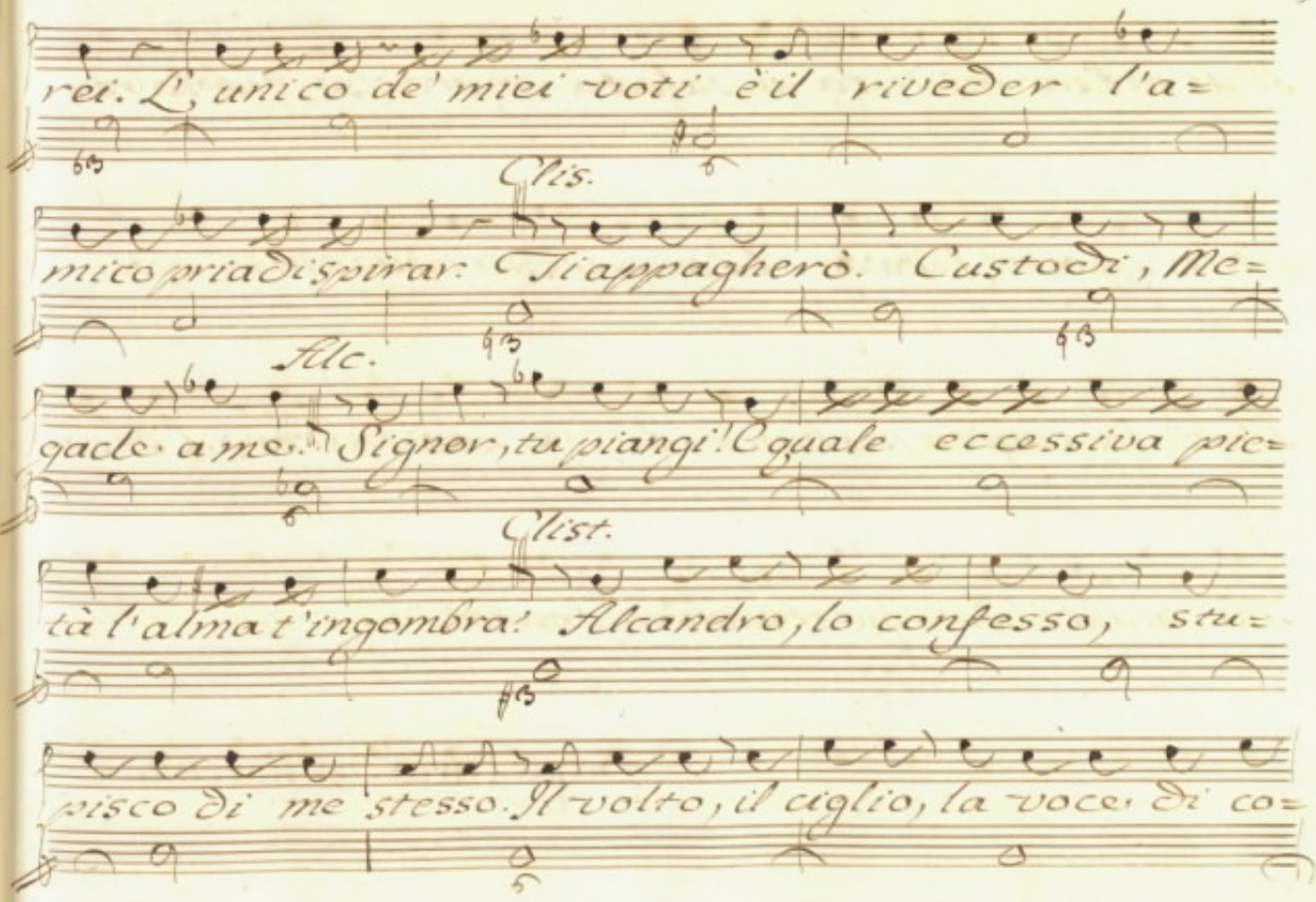
Giovane sventurato, ecco vicino de'

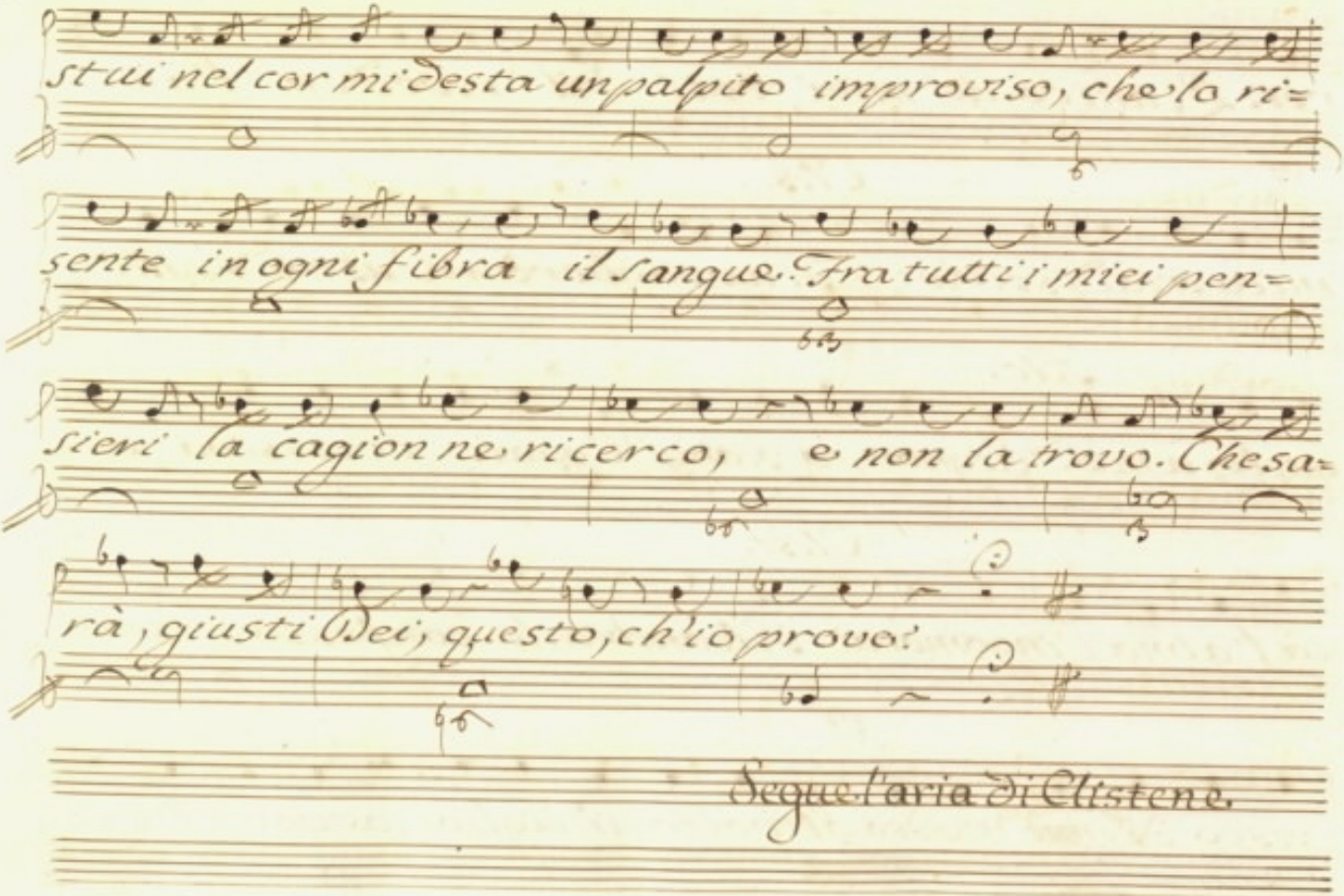
tuoi miseri dì l'ultimo istante. Santa pietà mi

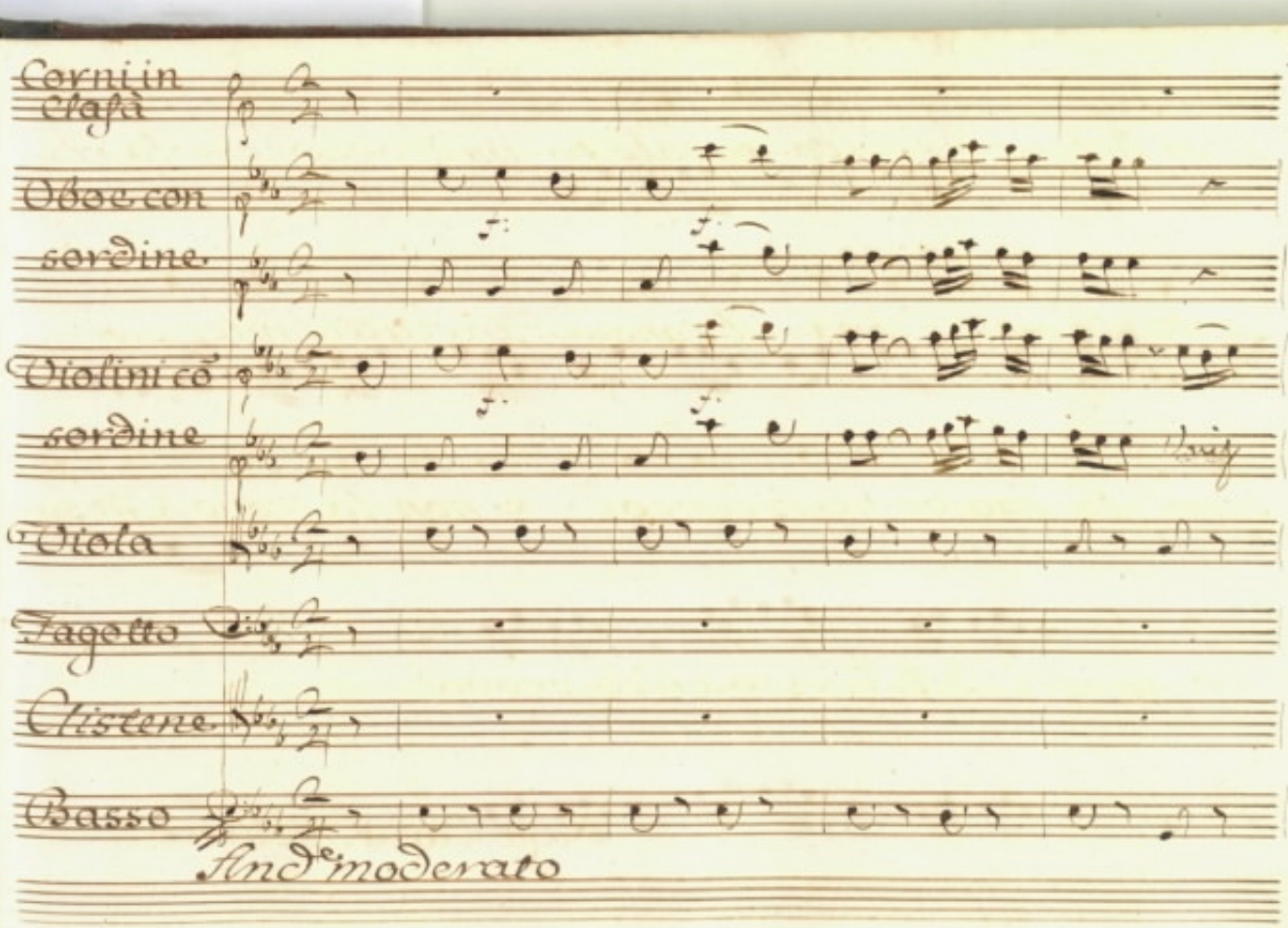
fai, che non oso mirarti. Il Ciel volesse, che potess'

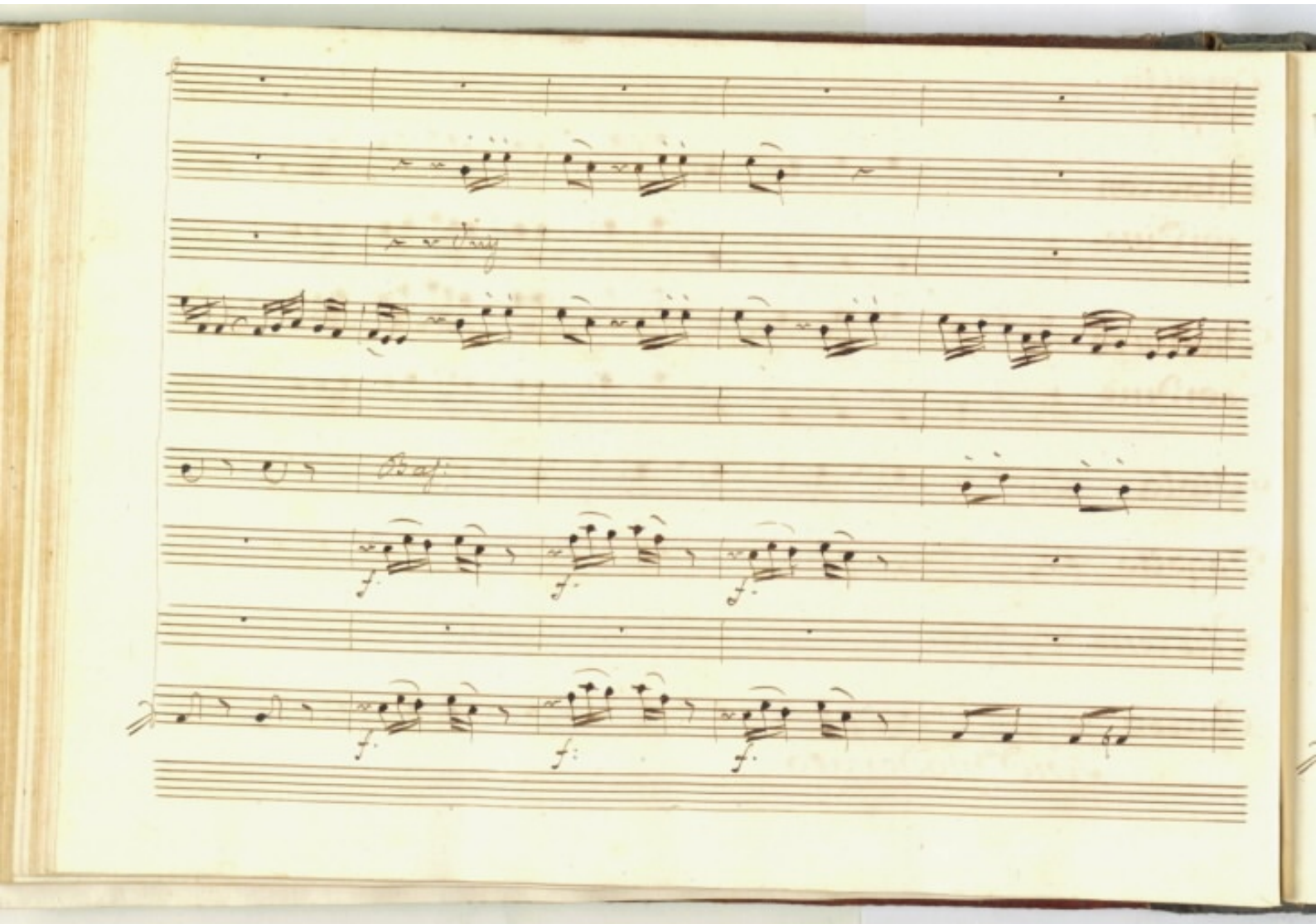
io dissimular l'errore; ma non lo posso, o

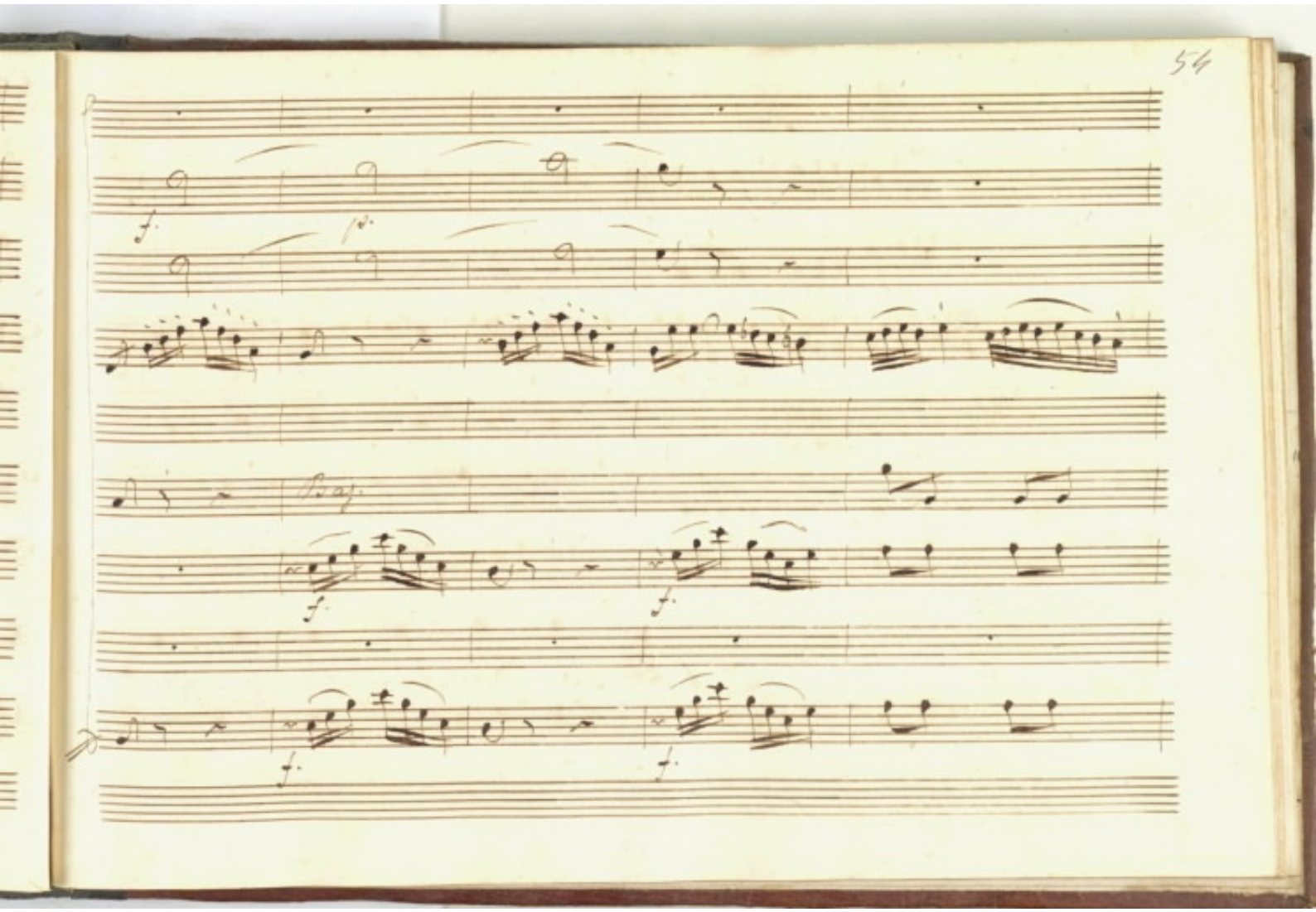

figlio. Pur se nulla ti resta a desiar, fuor che la
vita, esponi libero il tuo desir. Quanto ti piace,
figlio, prescrivi, e chiudi i lumi in pace.
Lic:
Padre, che ben di Padre, non di Giudice, e Re quei detti
sono; non merito perdono, non lo spero, no! chiedo, e nol vo


rei. L'unico de' miei voti è il riveder l'a=
Clis.
mico pria di spirar: Ti appagherò. Custodi, Me=
Alc.
gacle a me. Signor, tu piangi! Oquale eccessiva pie=
Clist.
tà l'alma t'ingombra! Alcandro, lo confesso, stu=
pisco di me stesso. Il volto, il ciglio, la voce di co=


stui nel cor mi desta un palpito improviso, che lo ri=
sente in ogni fibra il sangue. Fra tutti i miei pen=
sieri la cagion ne ricerco, e non la trovo. Che sa=
rà, giusti Dei, questo, ch'io provo!
Segue l'aria di Clistene.


Corni in
Clafà
Oboe con
sordine.
Violini cõ
sordine
Viola
Fagotto
Clistere
Basso
Fin d'e moderato

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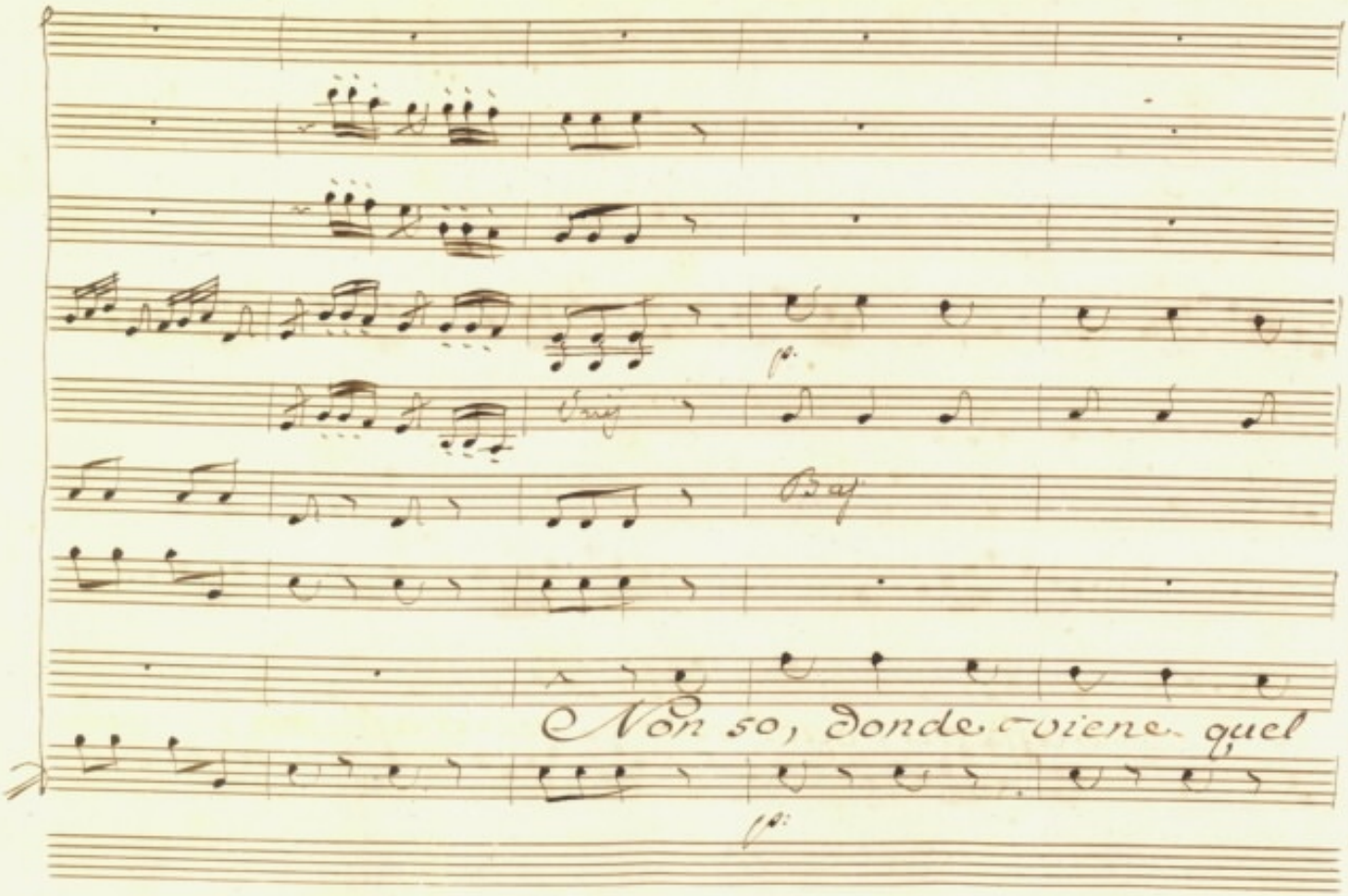
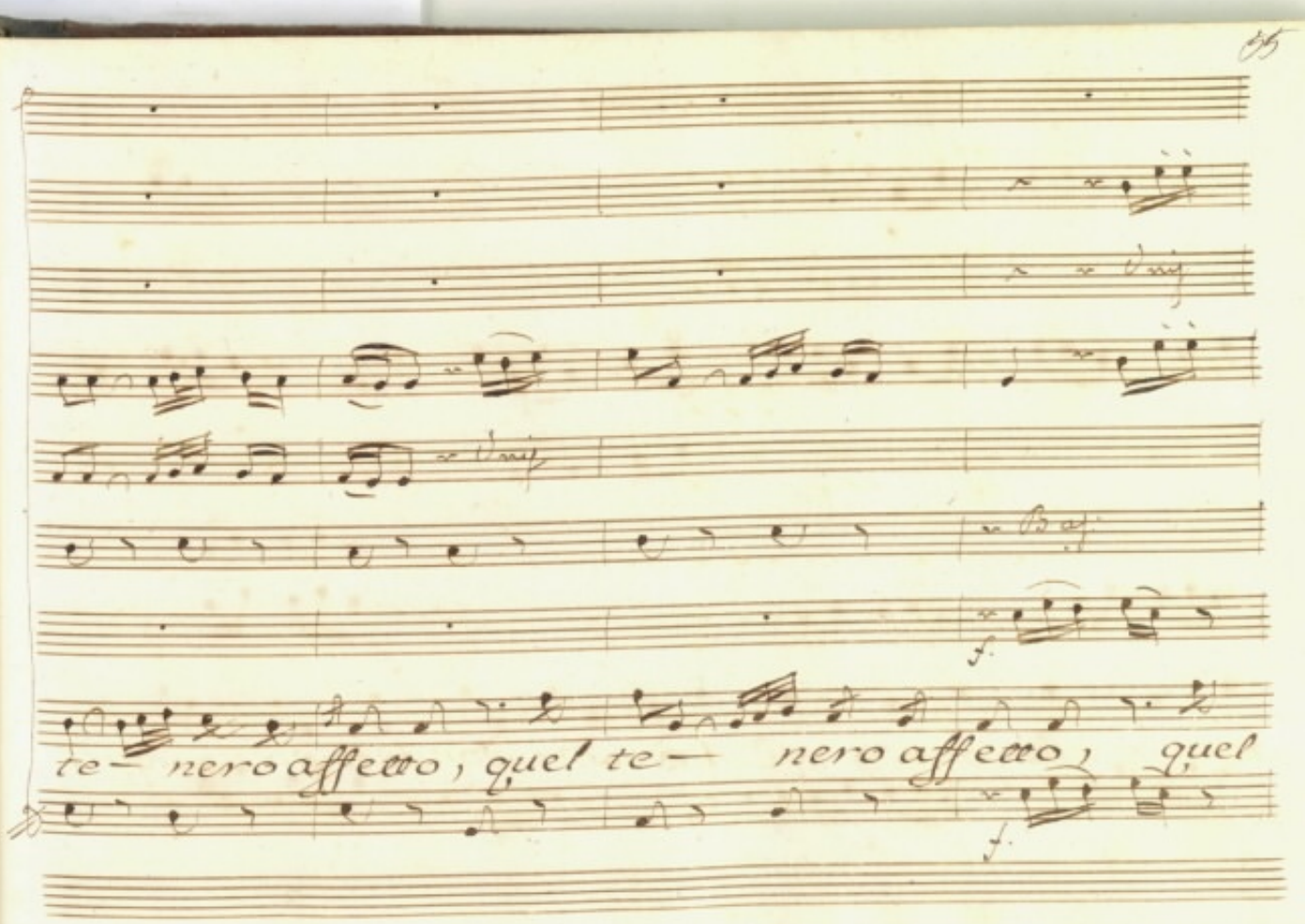
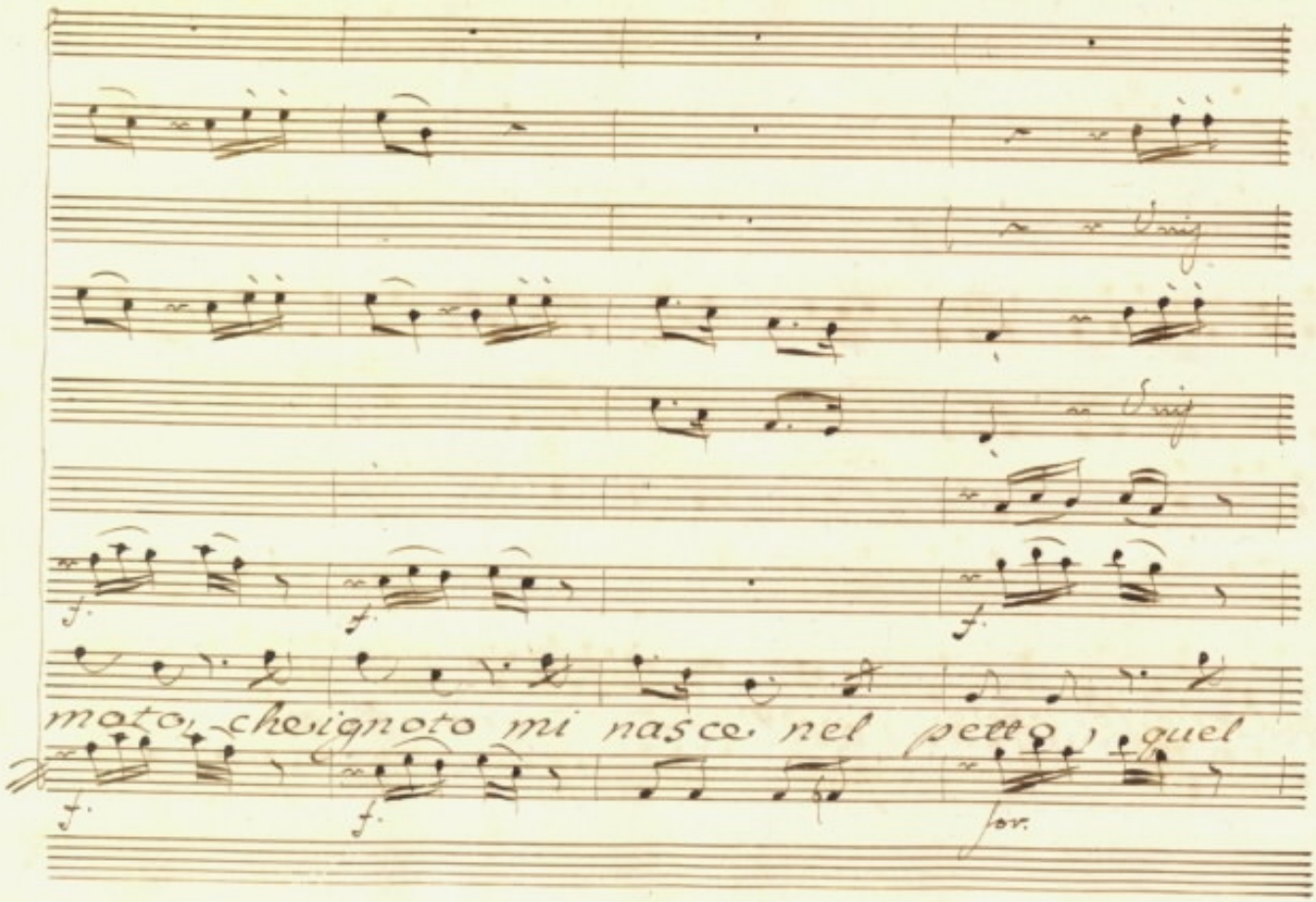
f.
f.
f.
f.


Non so, donde viene quel


te— nero affetto, quel te— nero affetto, quel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f.
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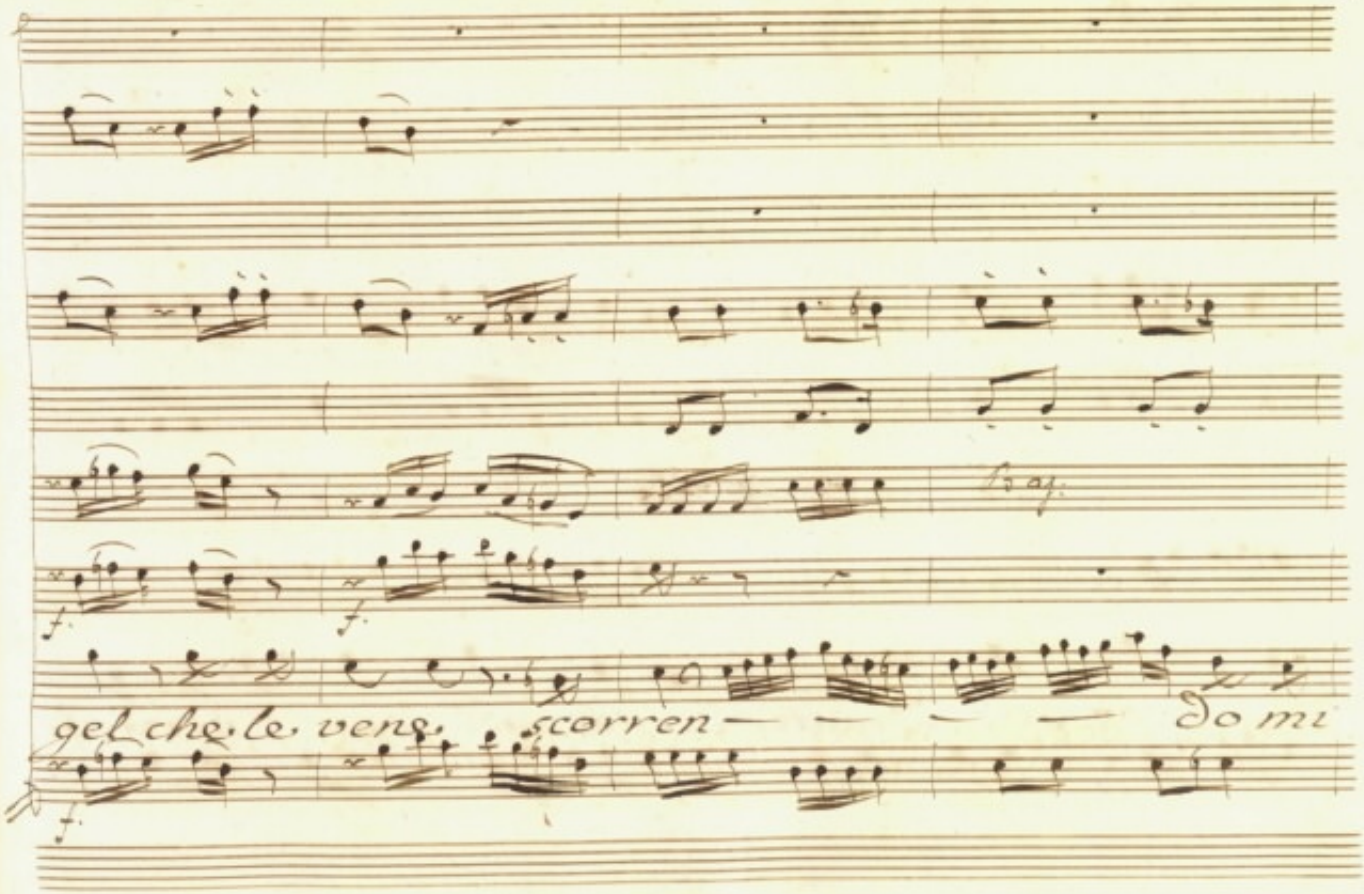
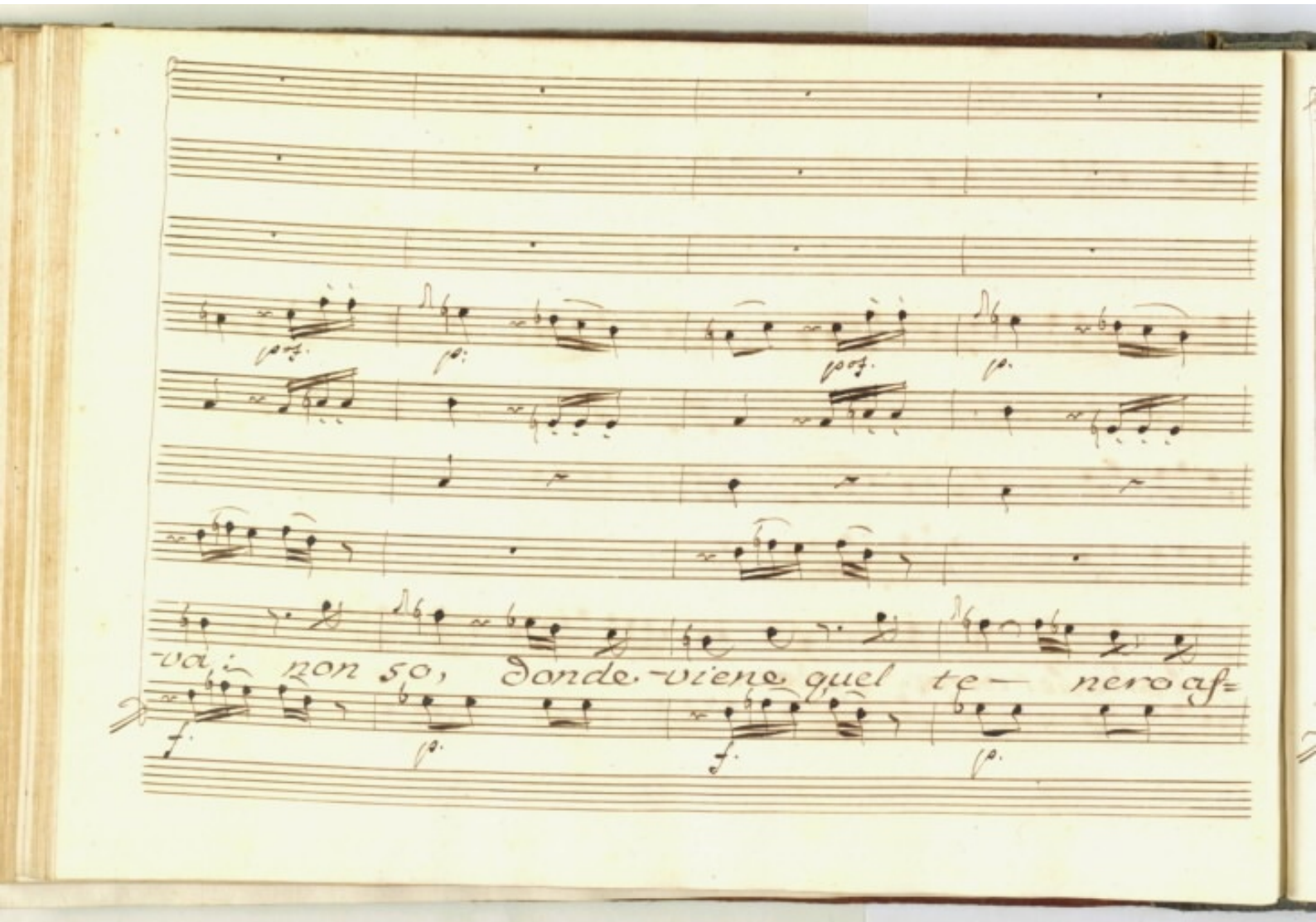
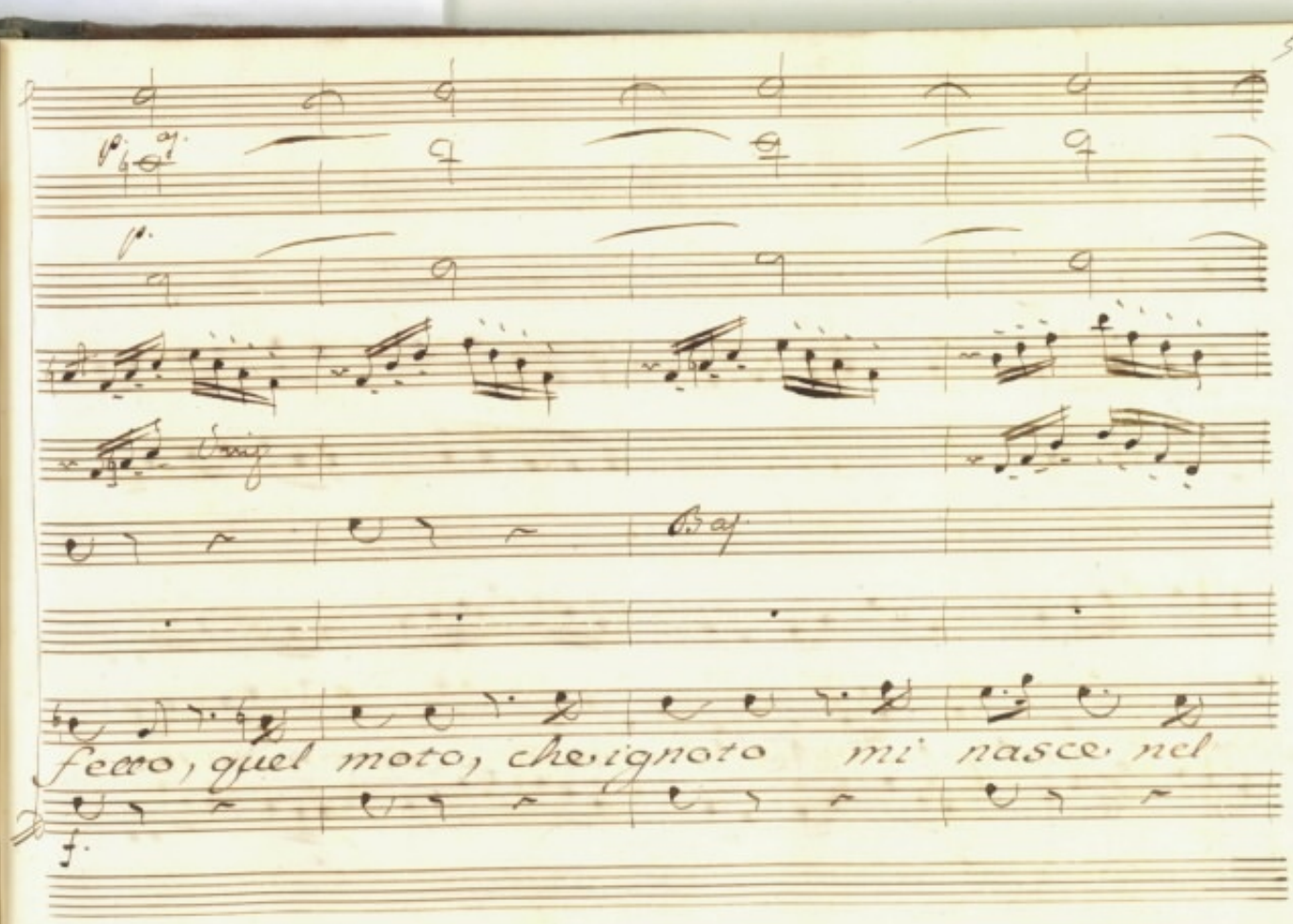
f.
for.
moto, che ignoto mi nasce nel petto, quel


gel che le vens scorren — — — — do mi


va, in non so, donde viene quel te— nero af=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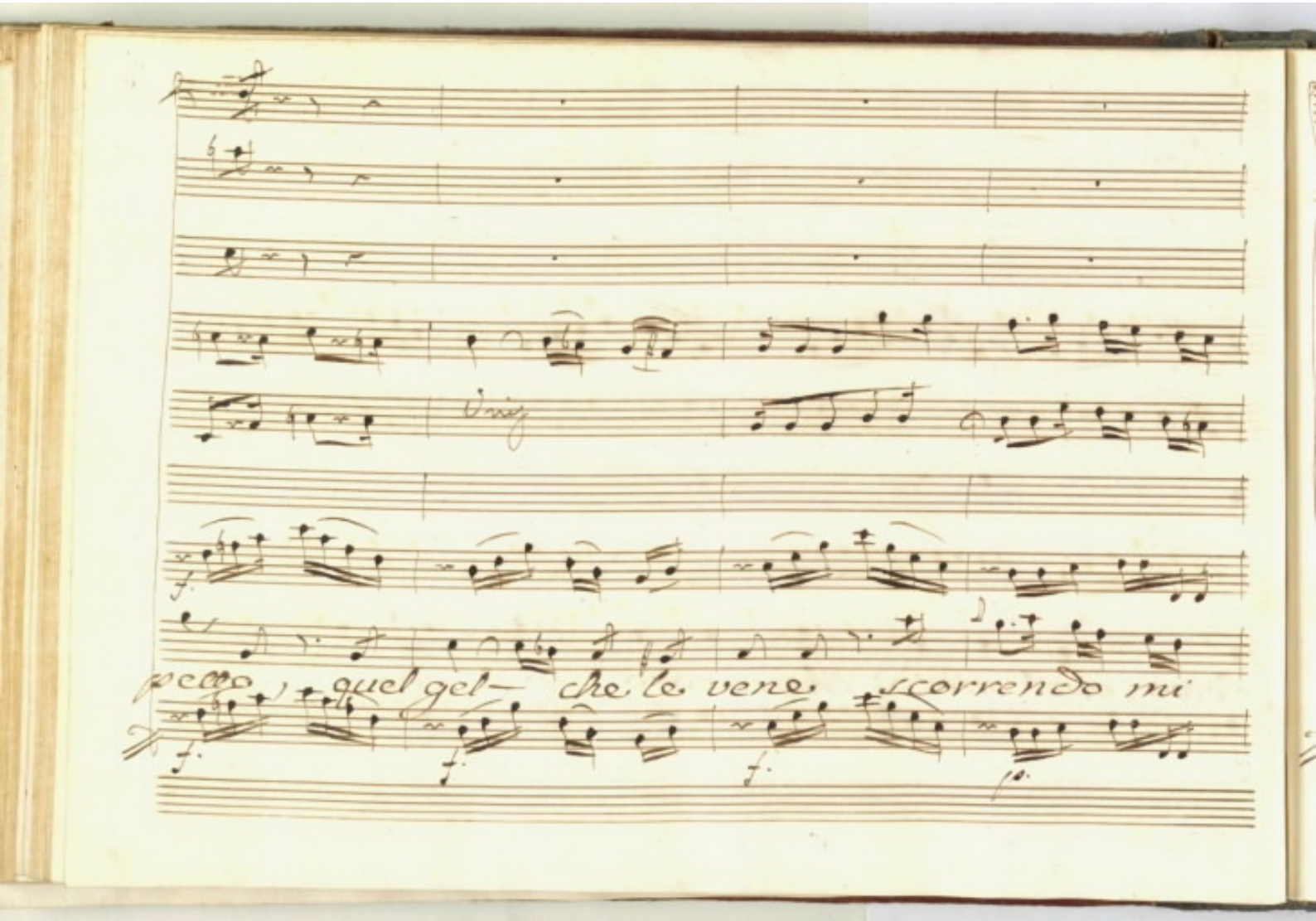
p.
Bass
Bass
fecco, quel moto, che ignoto mi nasce nel
f.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Unis
f.
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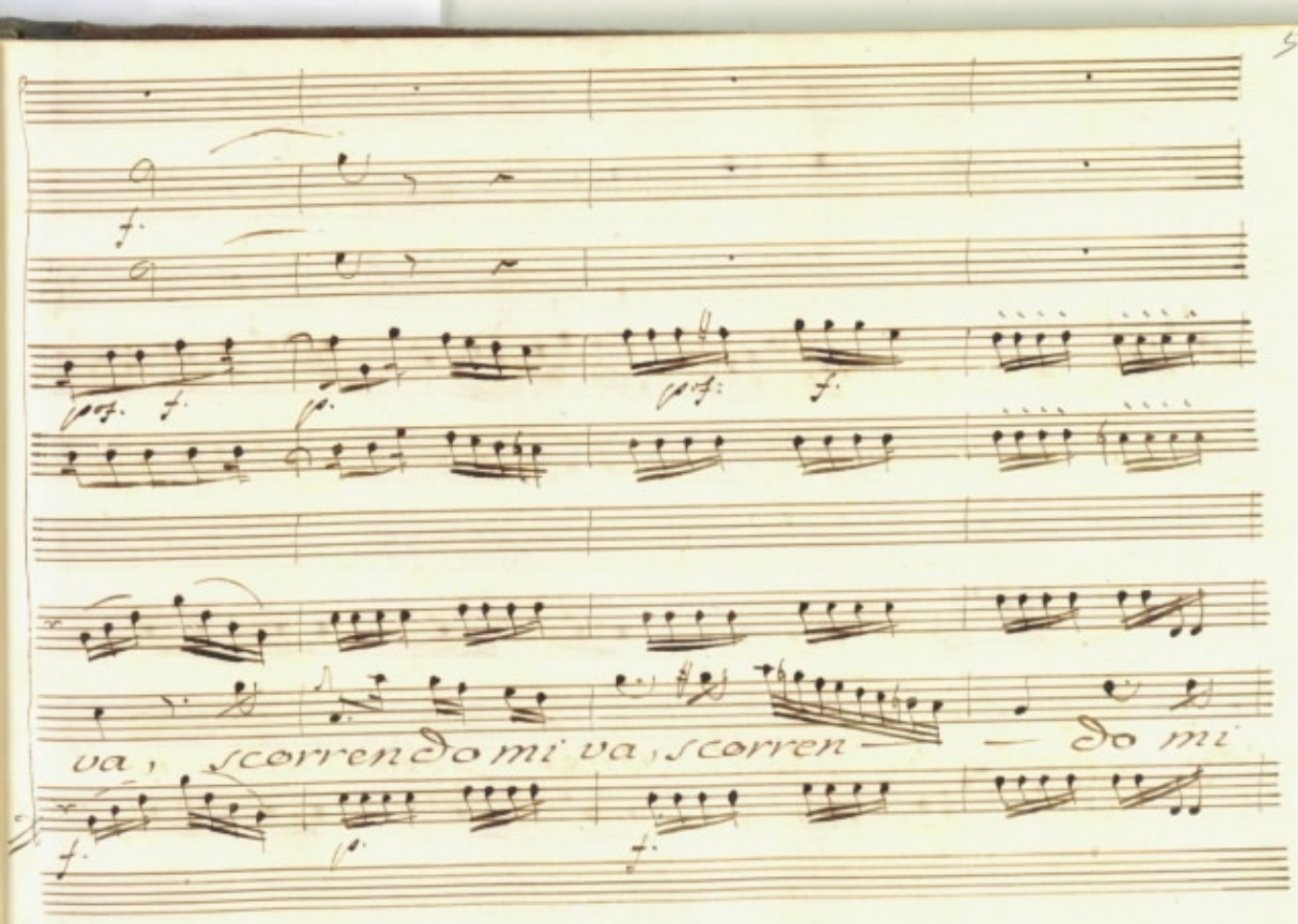
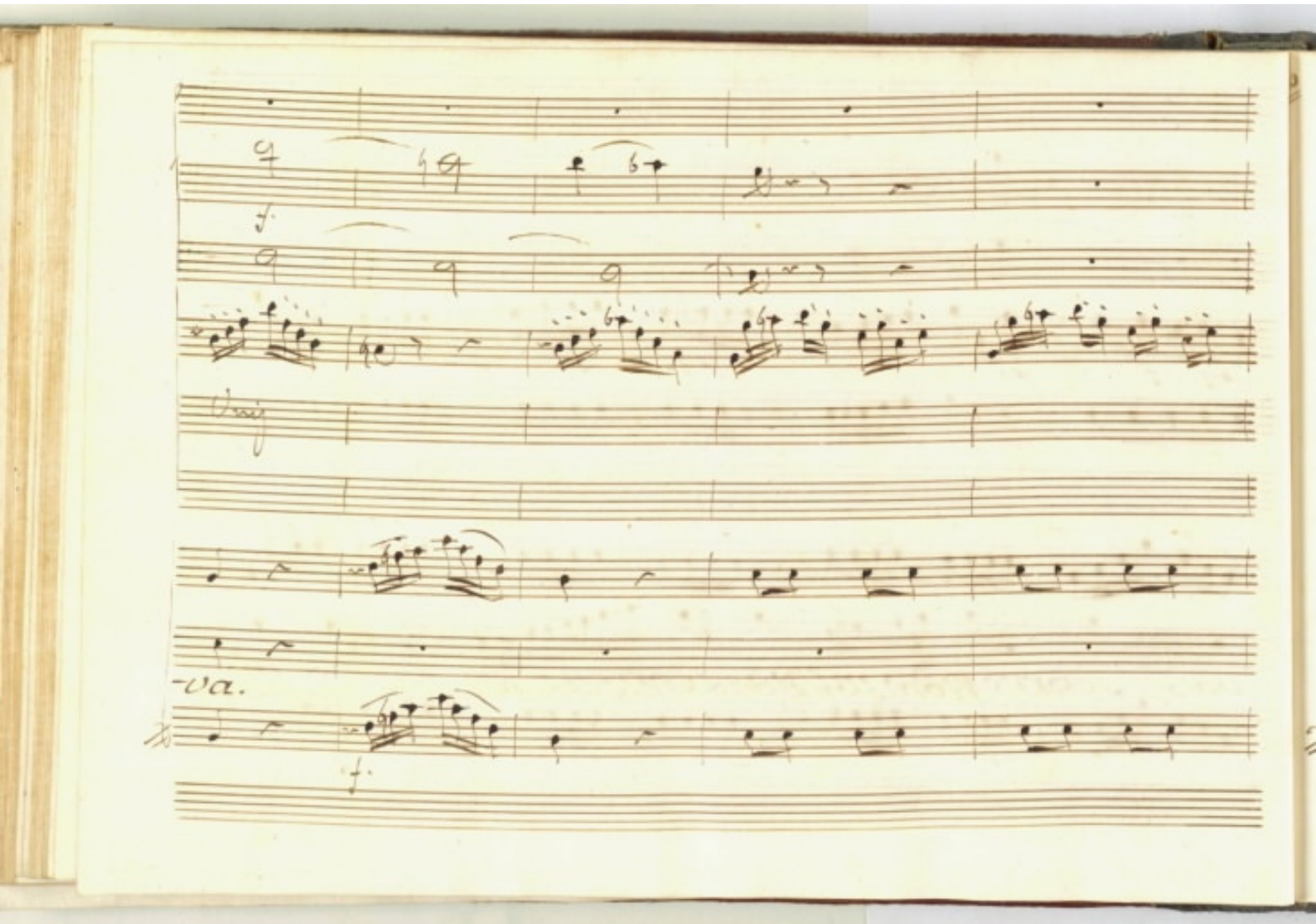
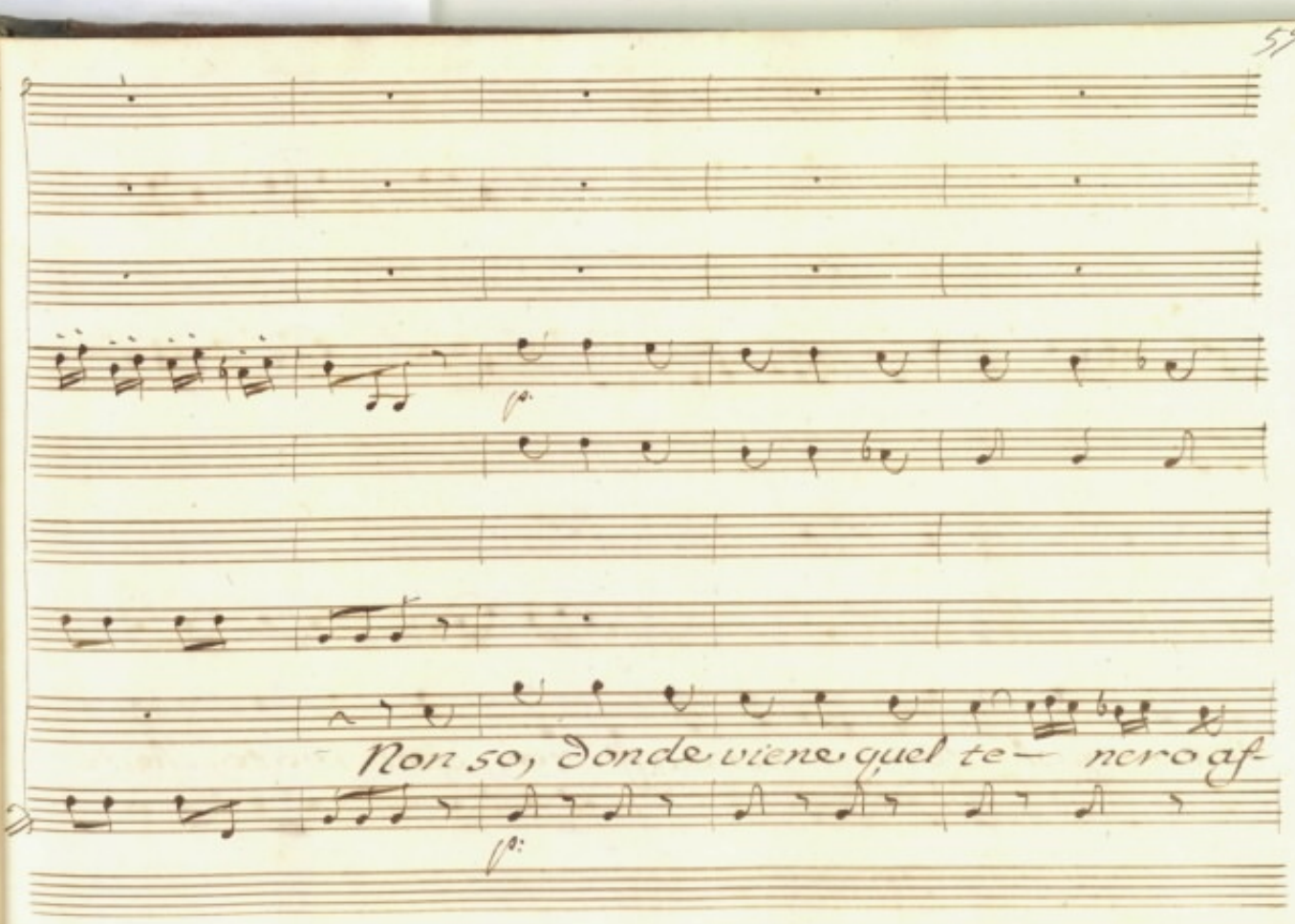
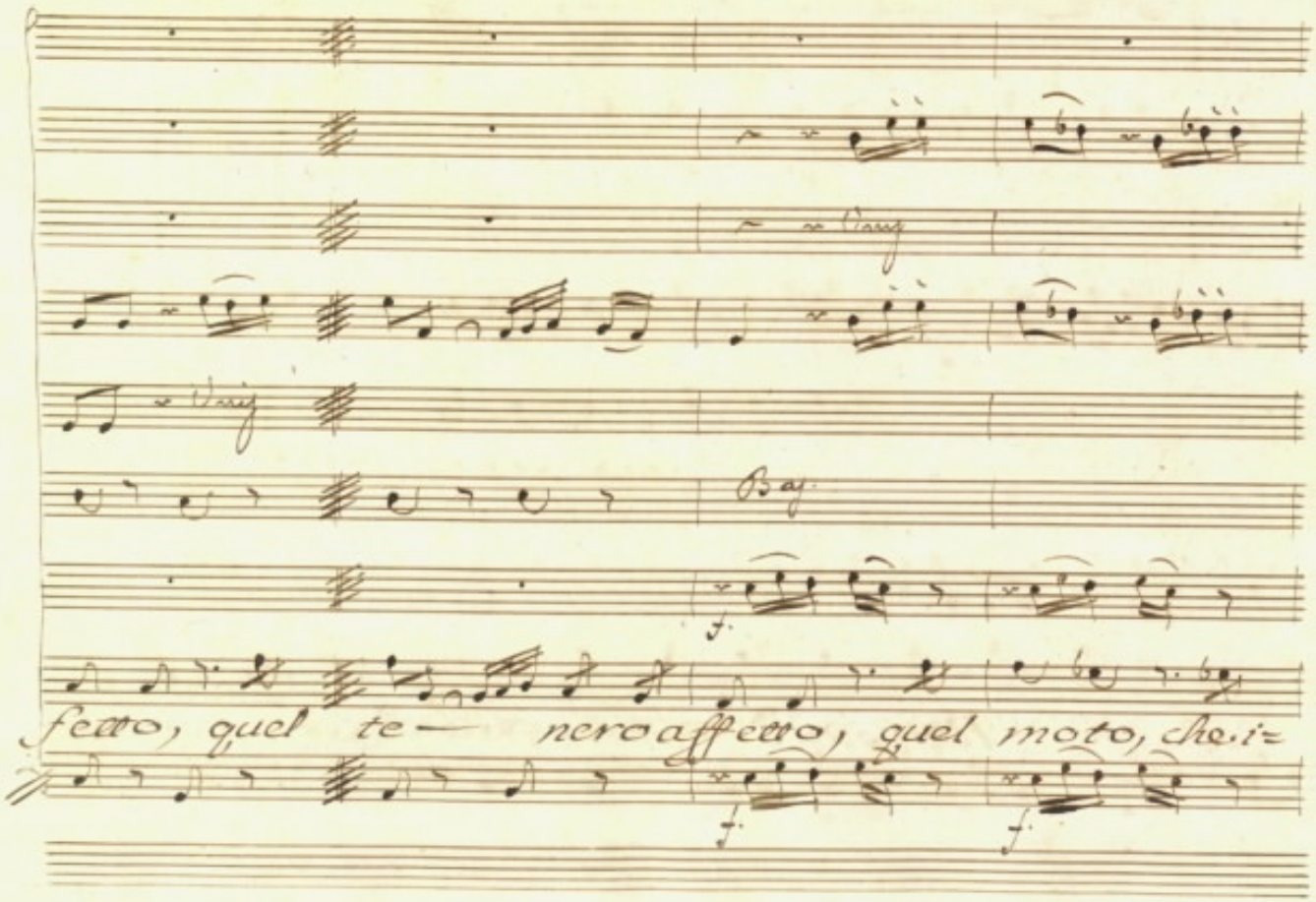
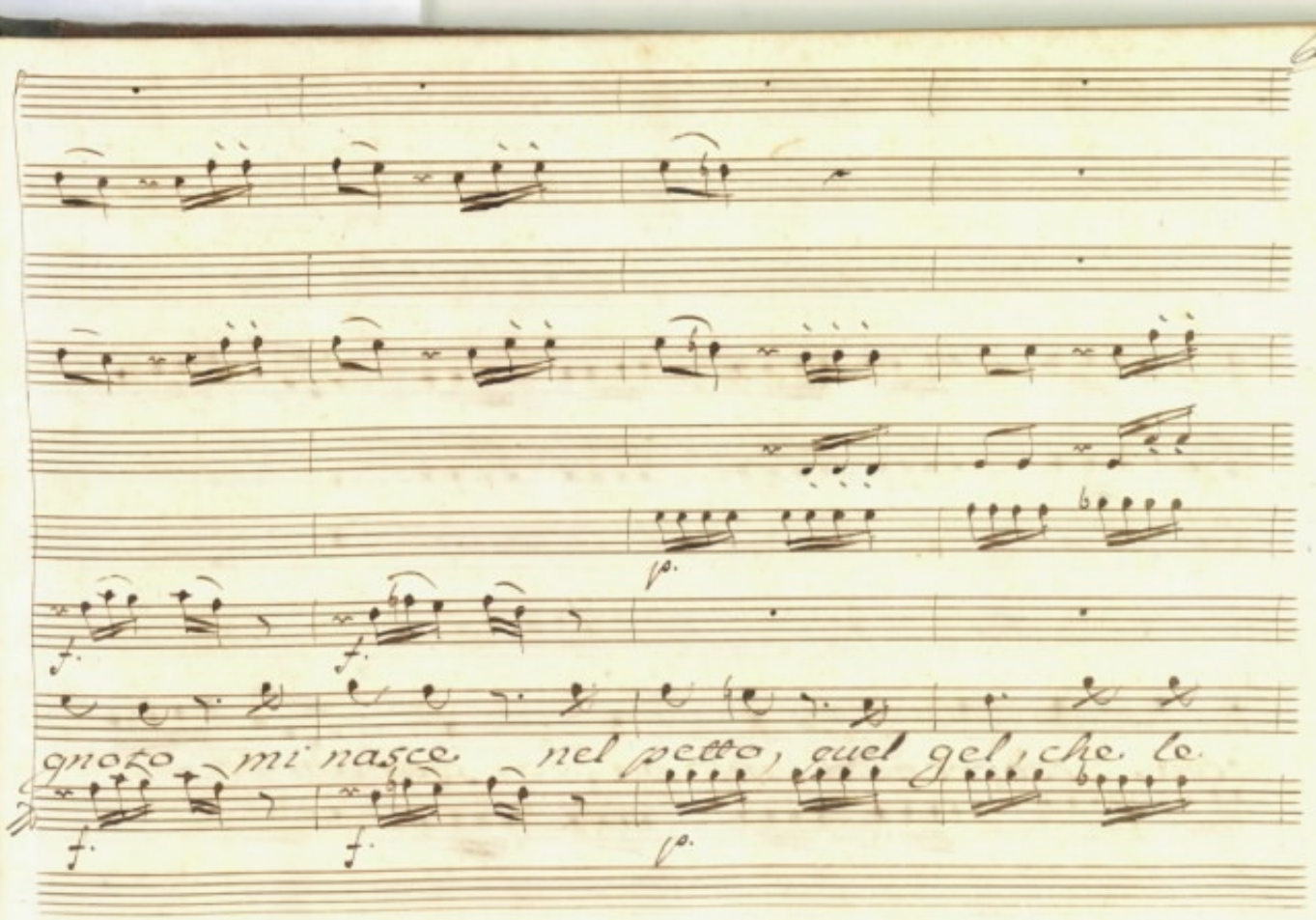
p.
quel gel— che le vene scorrendo mi


va, scorrendo mi va, scorren — — do mi


-va.


fp.
Non so, donde viene quel te— nero af-
fp:


Bass
Bass
Bass
f.
f.
f.
fetto, quel te— nero affetto, quel moto, che i=


p.
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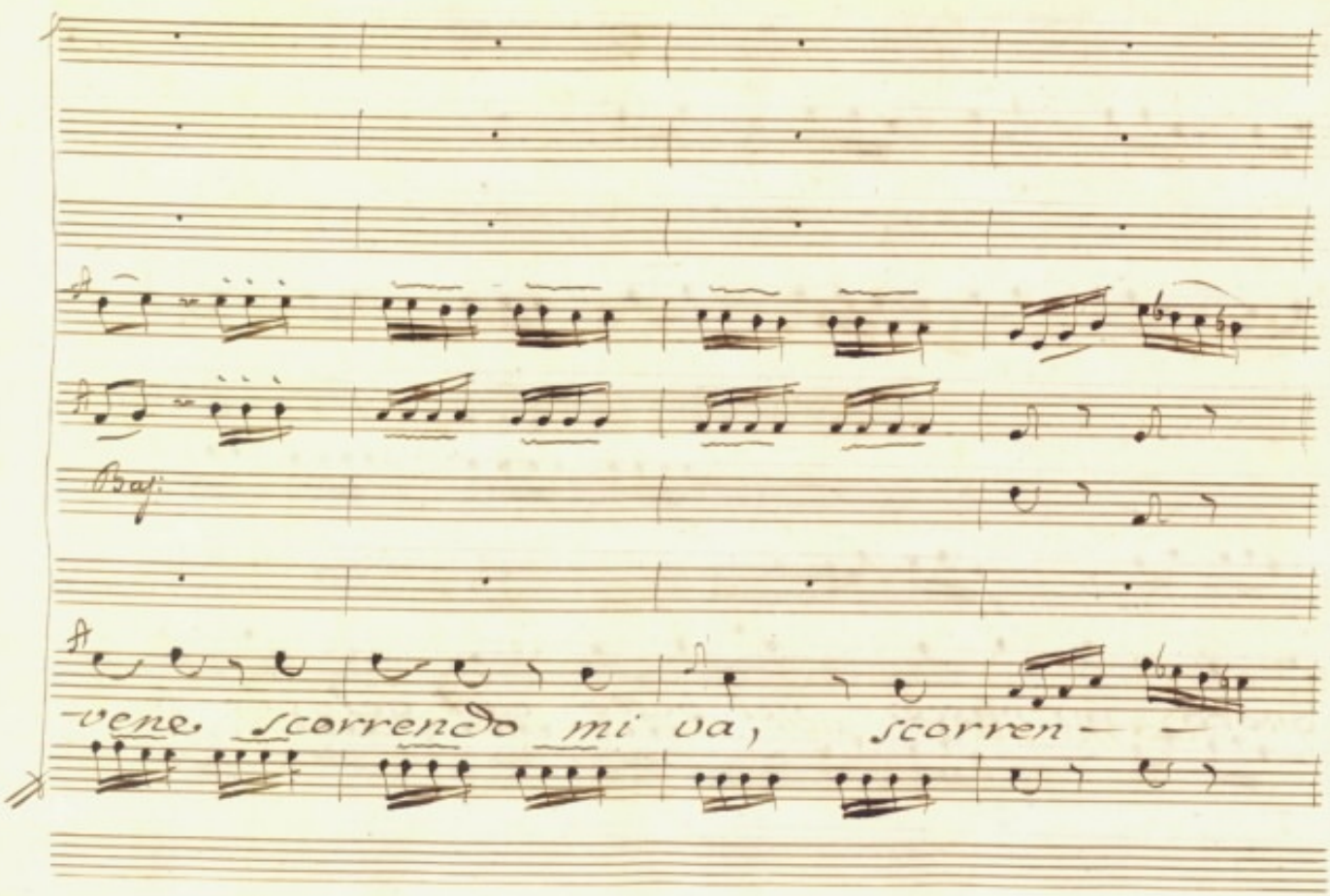
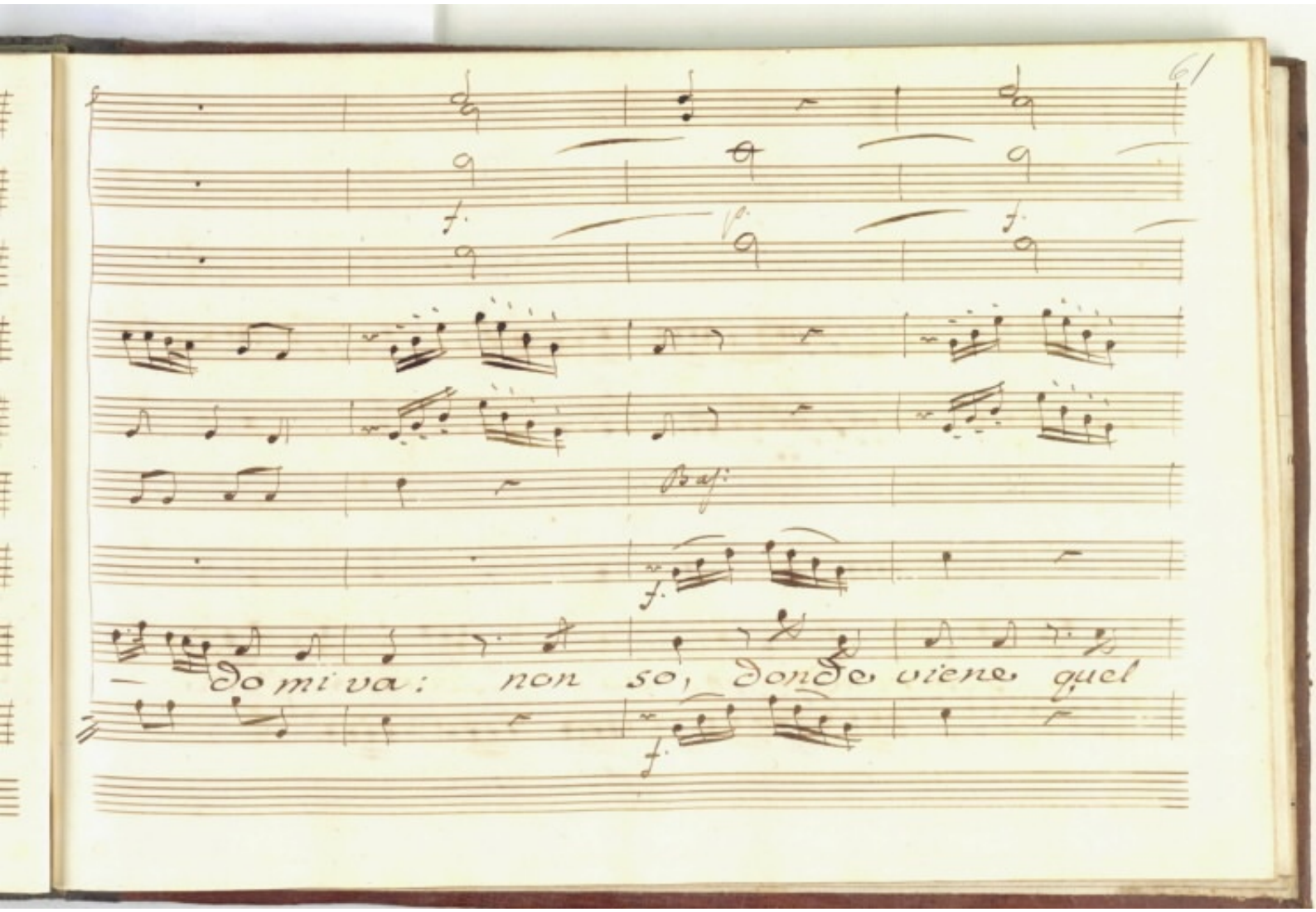
gnoto mi nasce nel petto, quel gel, che lo
f.
f.
p.


Bas:
-vene, scorrendo mi va, scorren- -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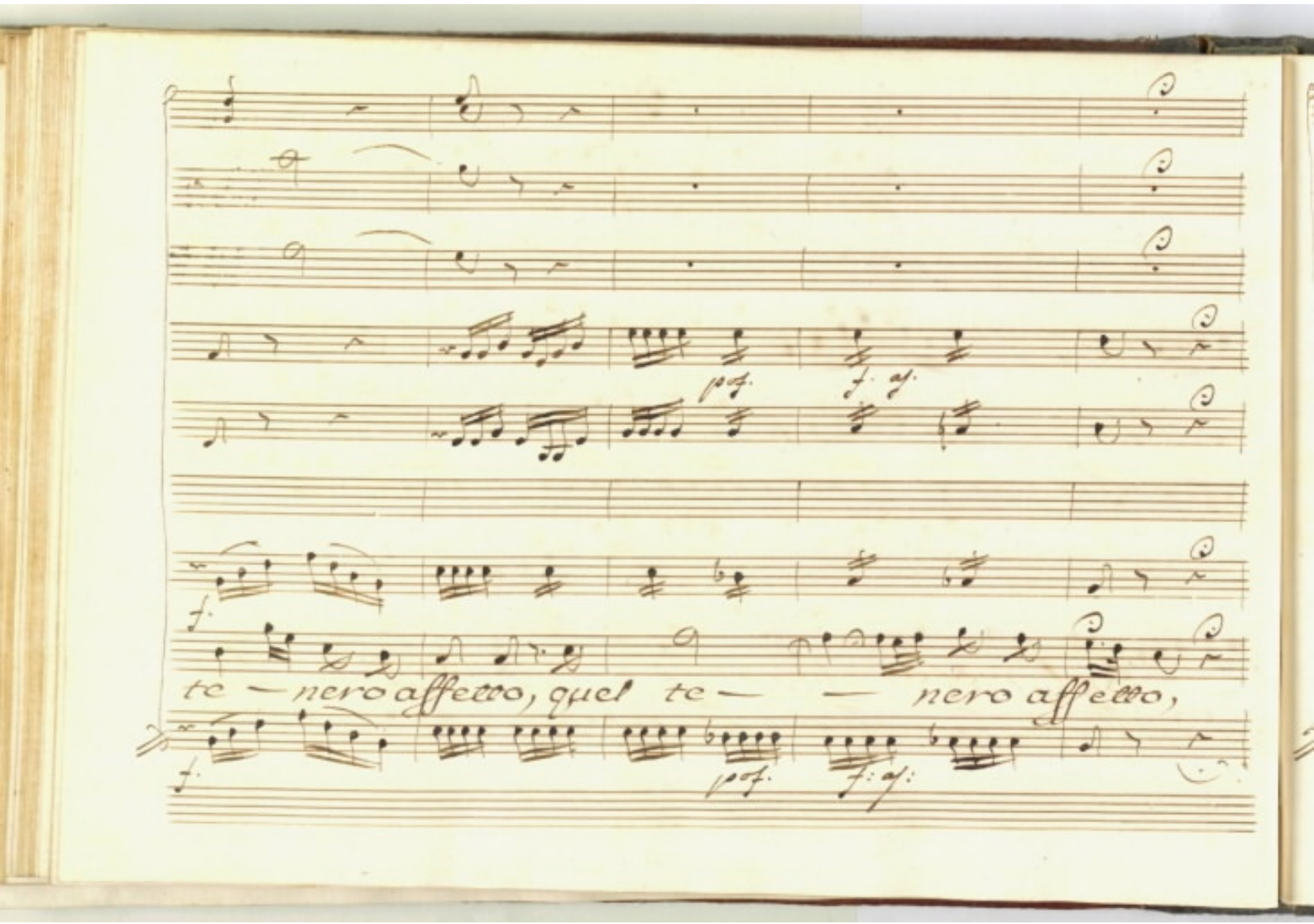
f.
p.
f.
Bass
f.
— do mi va: non so, donde viene quel
f.


p f.
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te — nero affetto, quel te — — nero affetto,
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p f.
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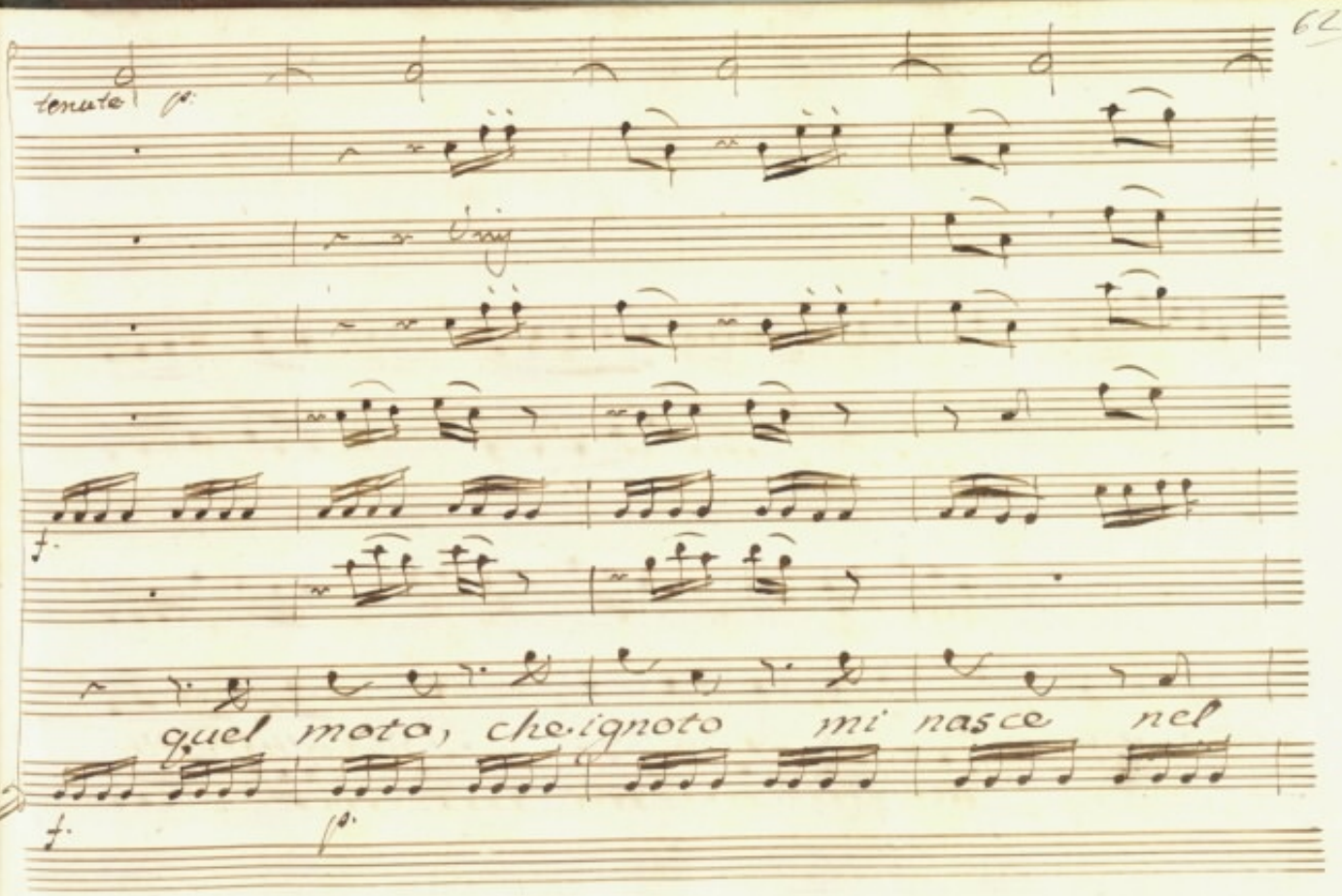
tenute
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quel moto, che ignoto mi nasce nel
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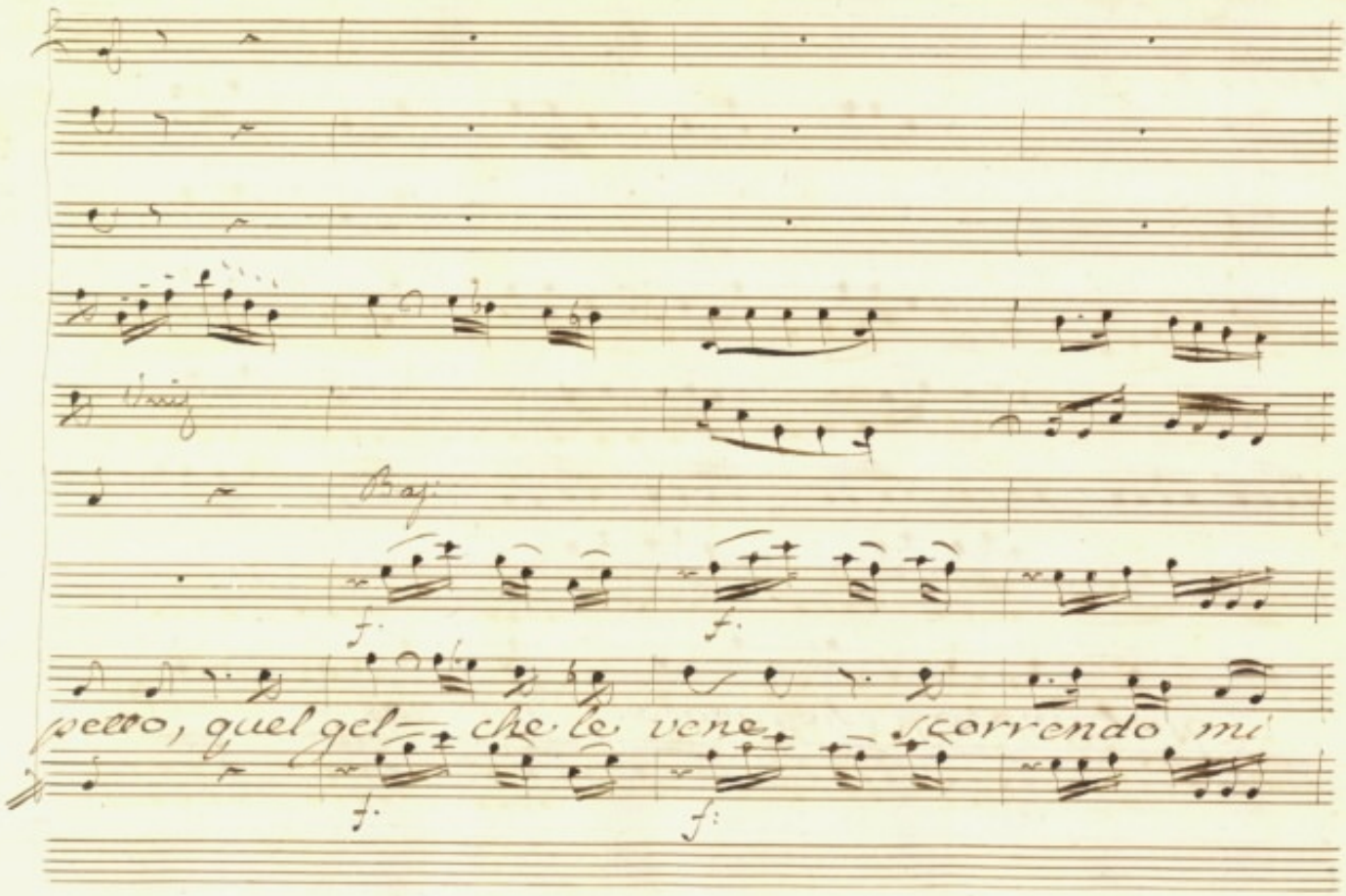
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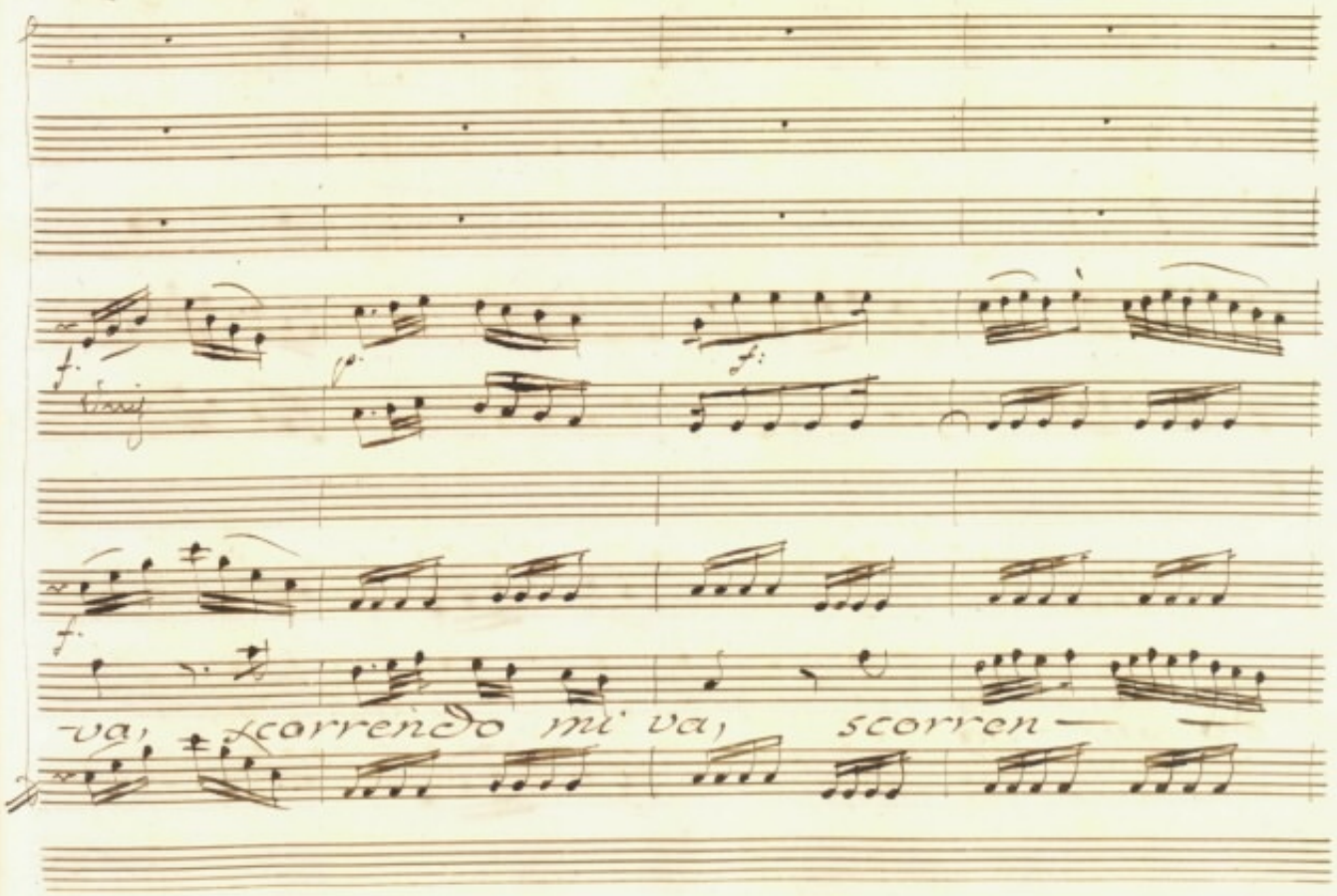
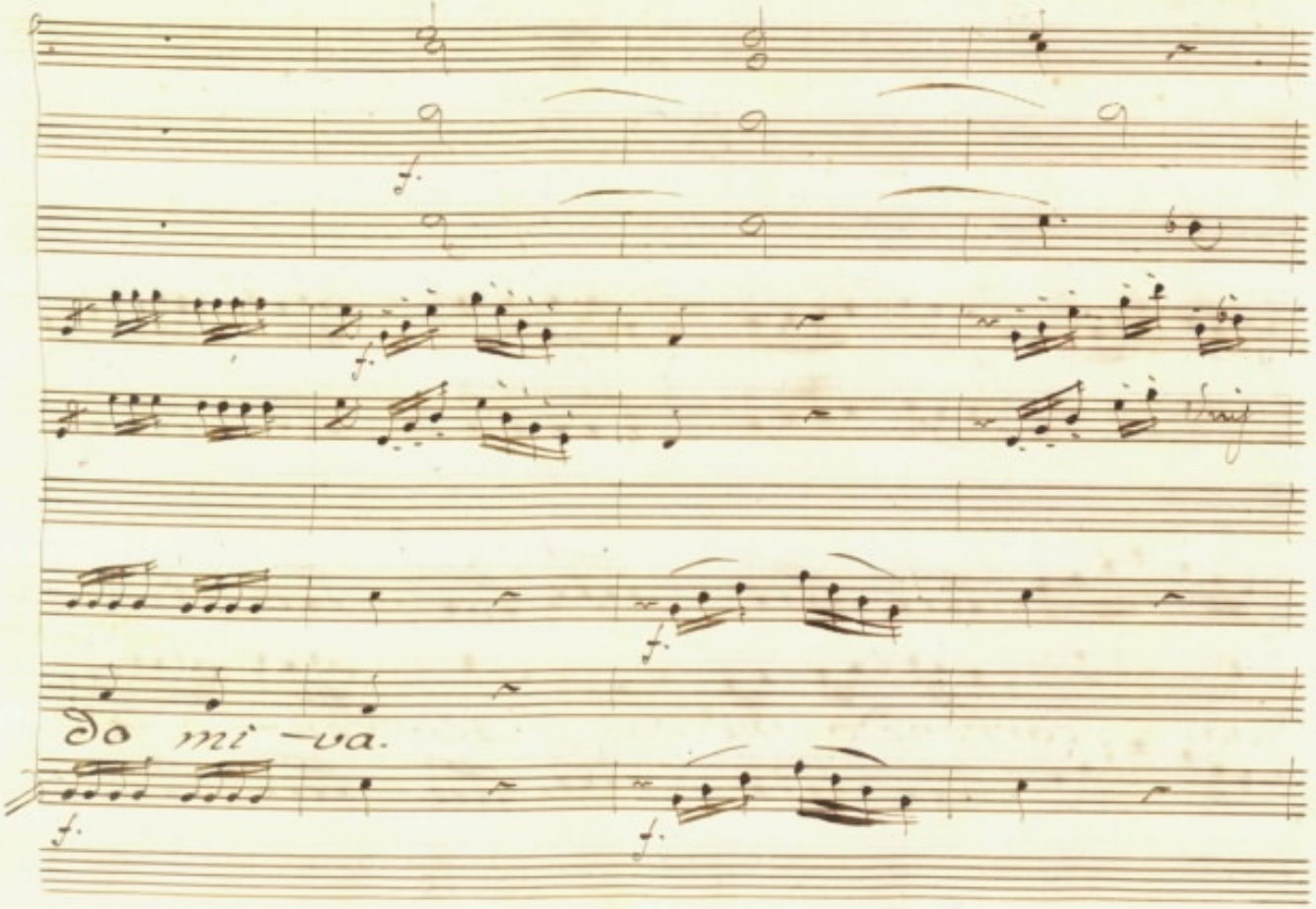
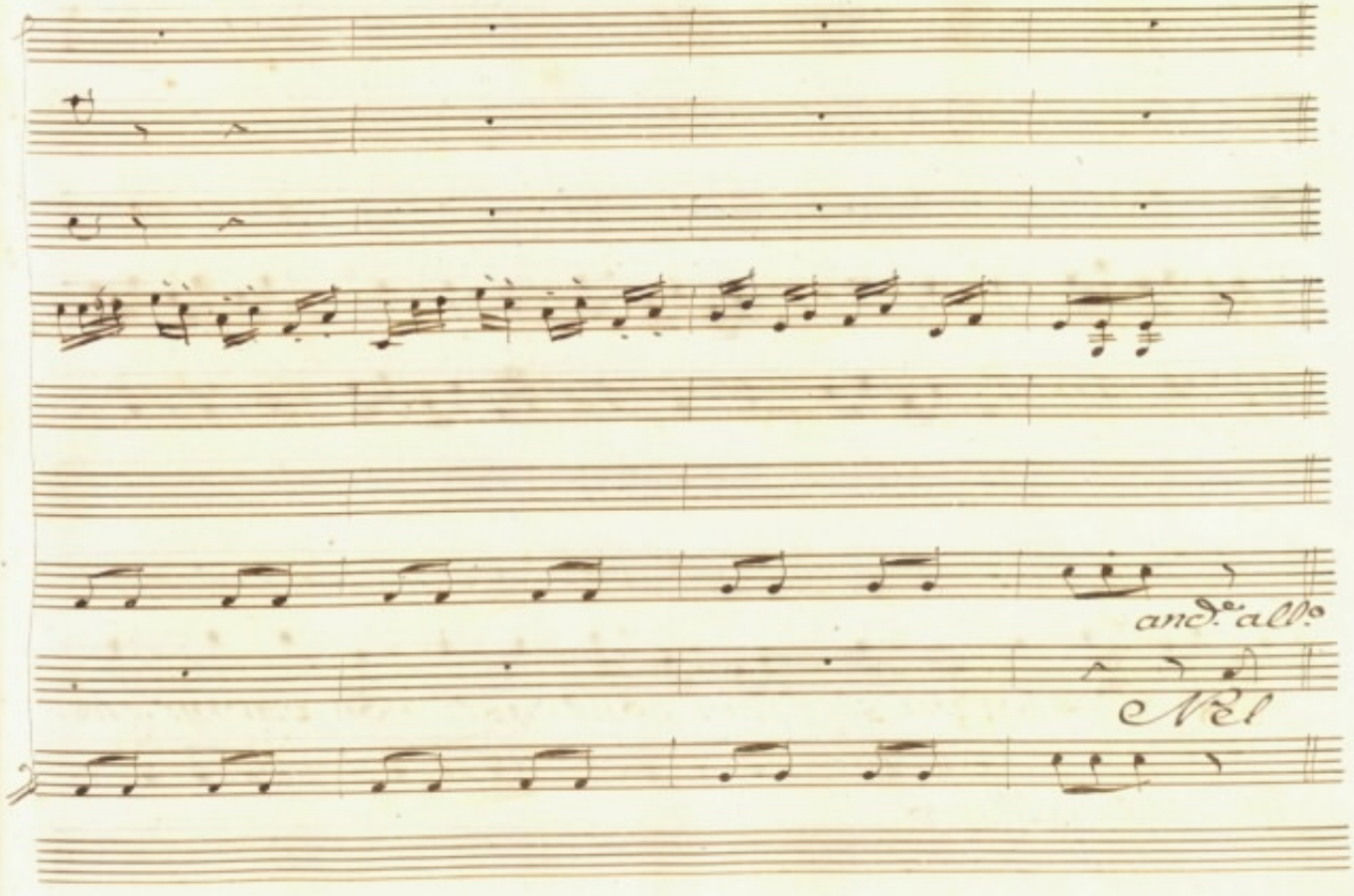
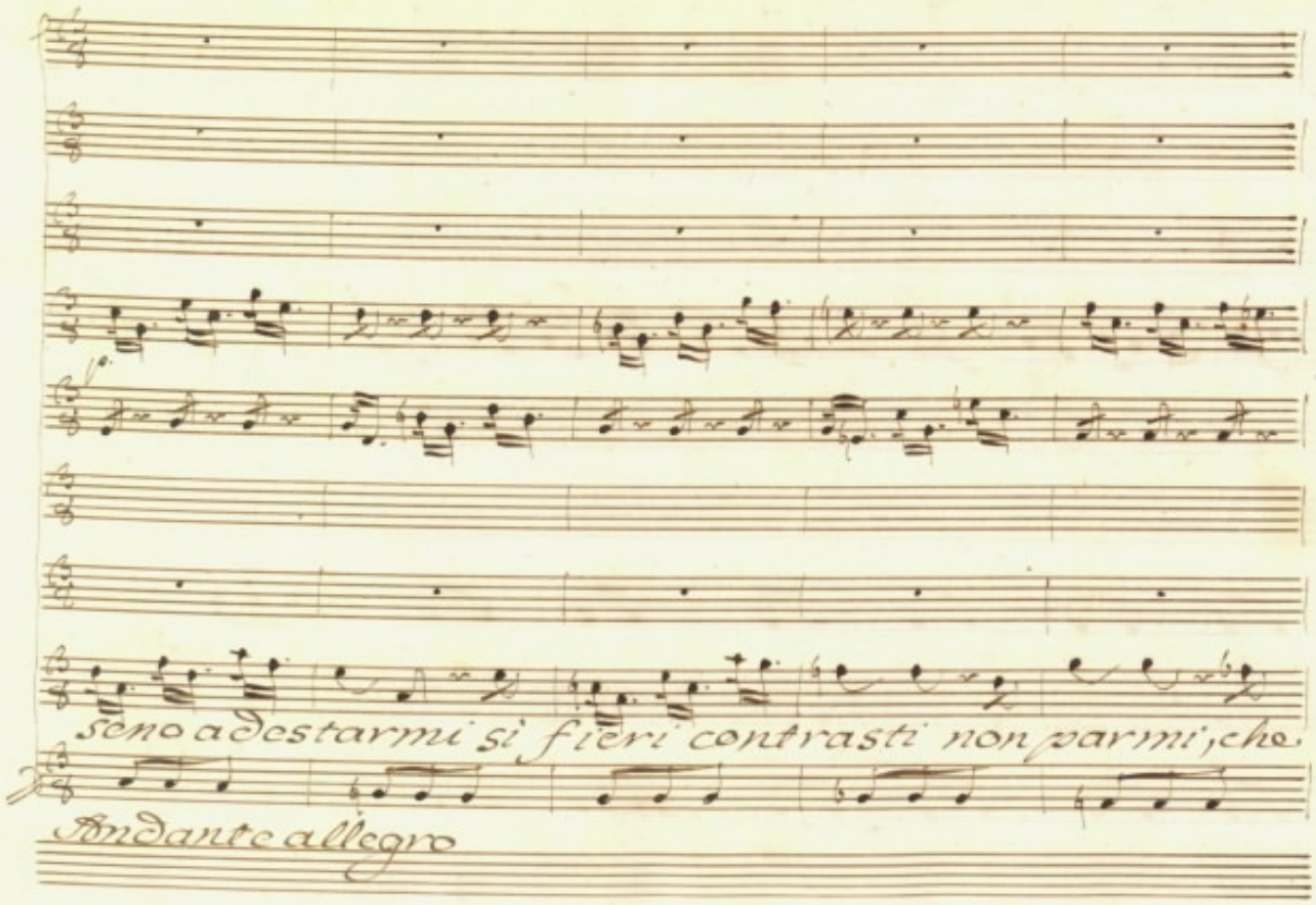
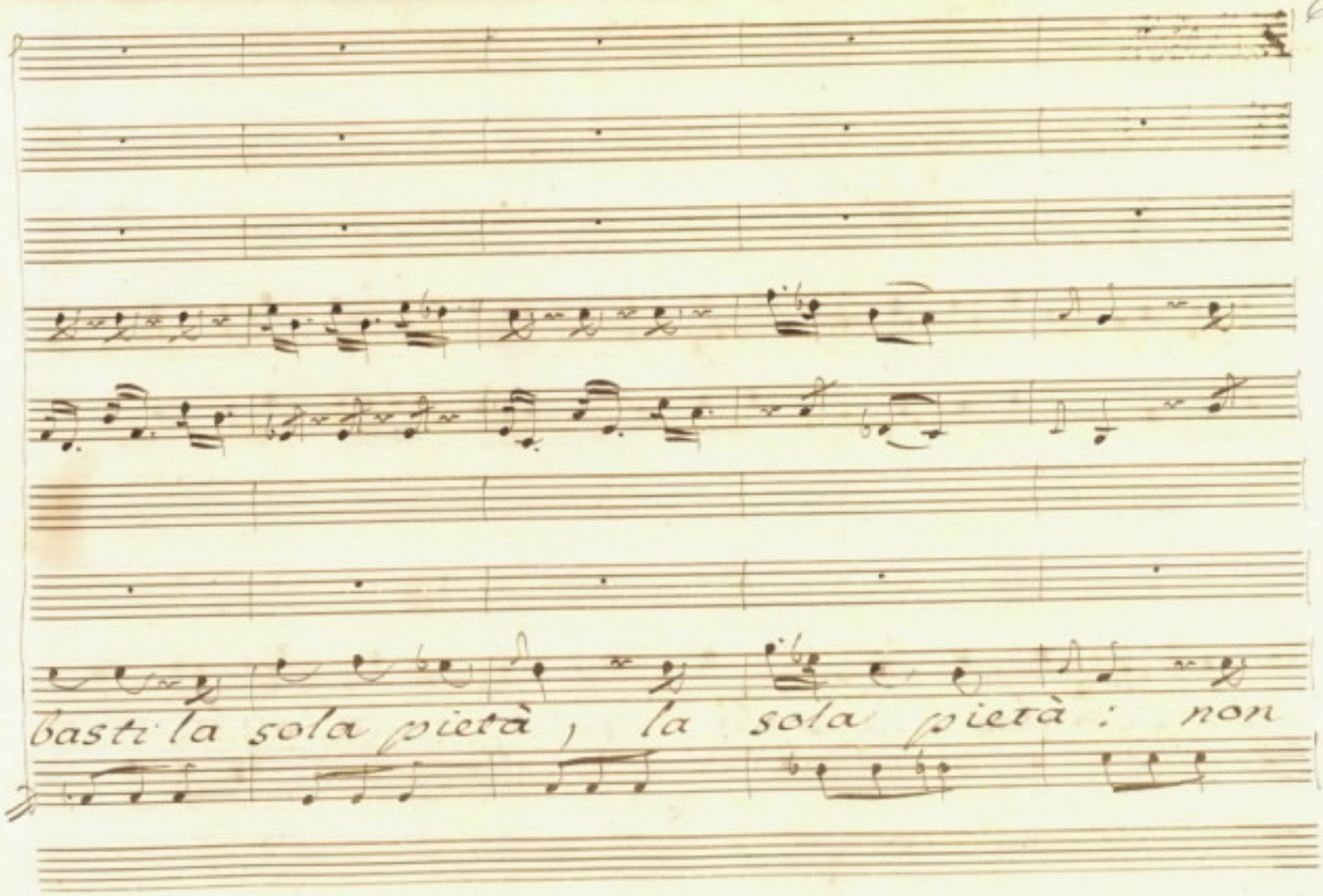
f.
pecco, quel gel — che le vene — sgorrendo mi
f.
f.

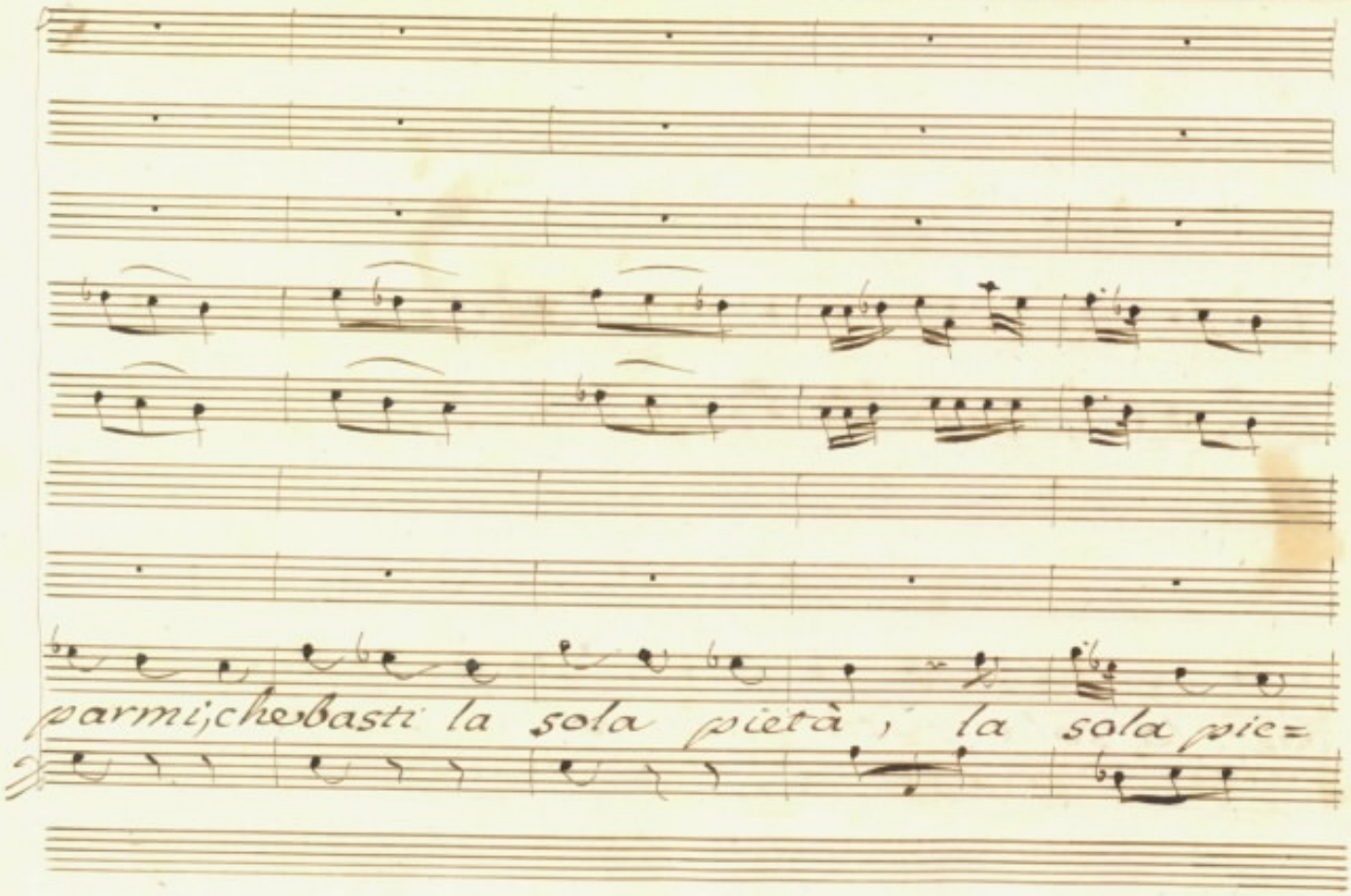

va, scorrendo mi va, scorren

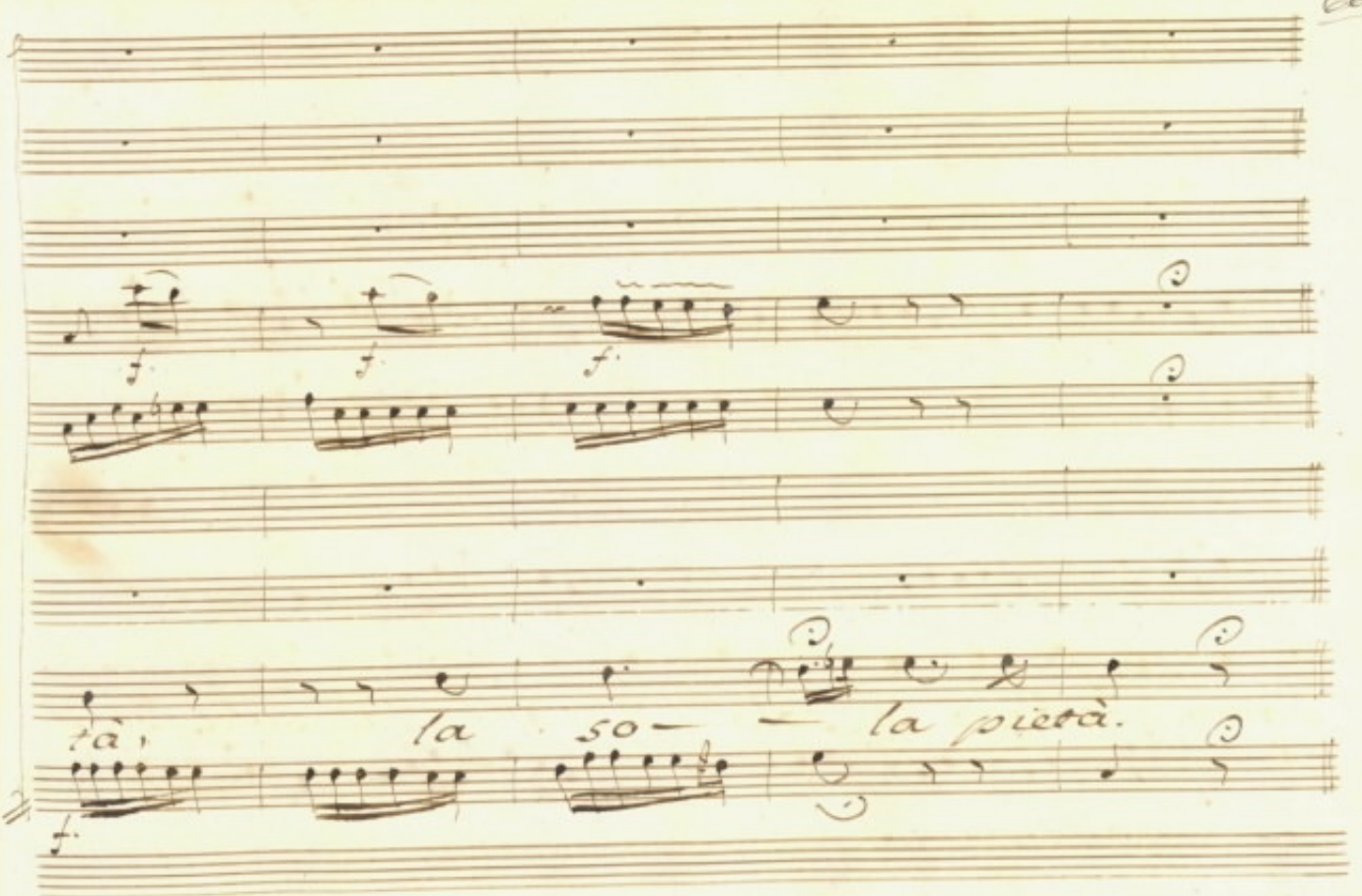

do mi – va.

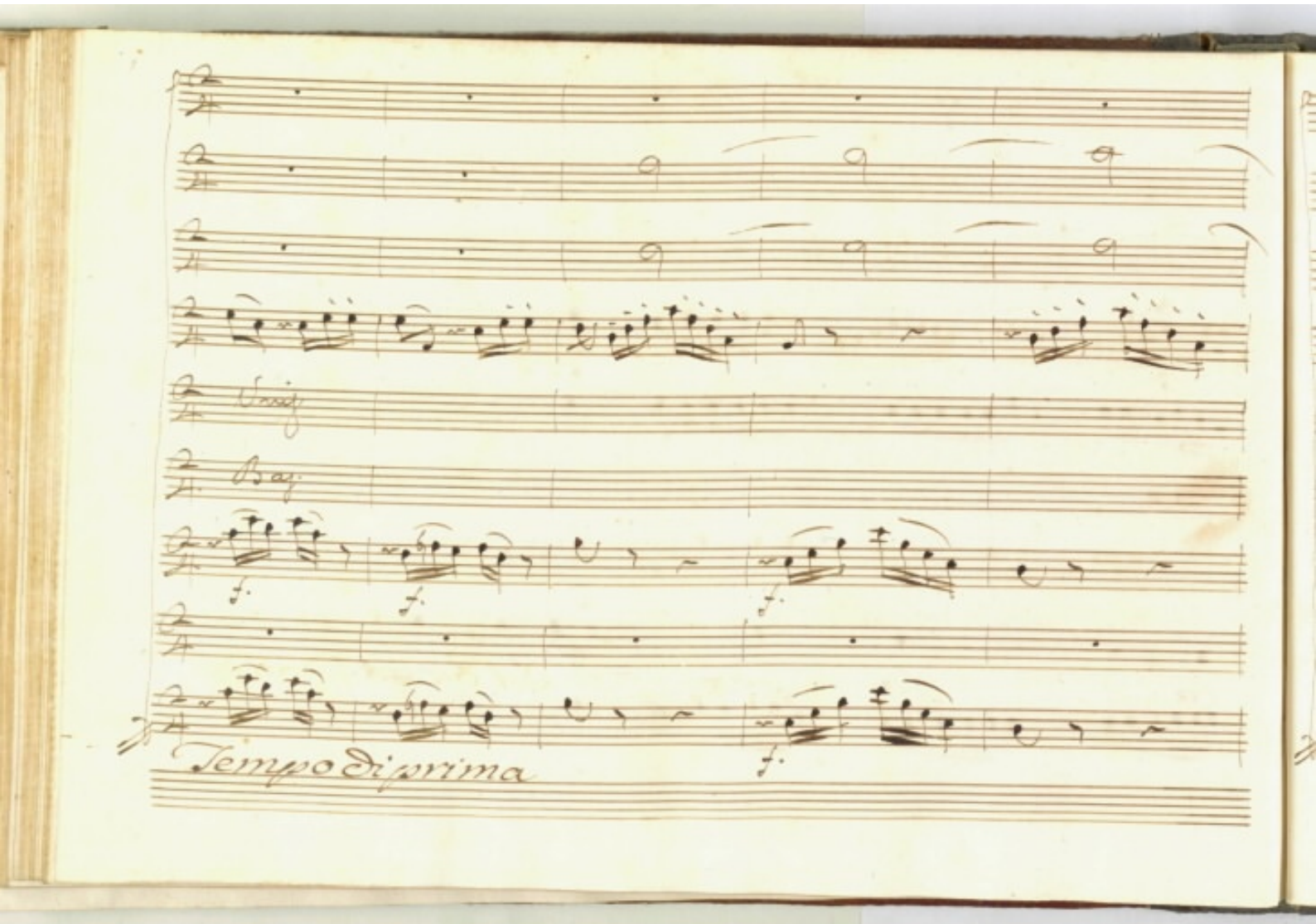

and.te all.o
Rl

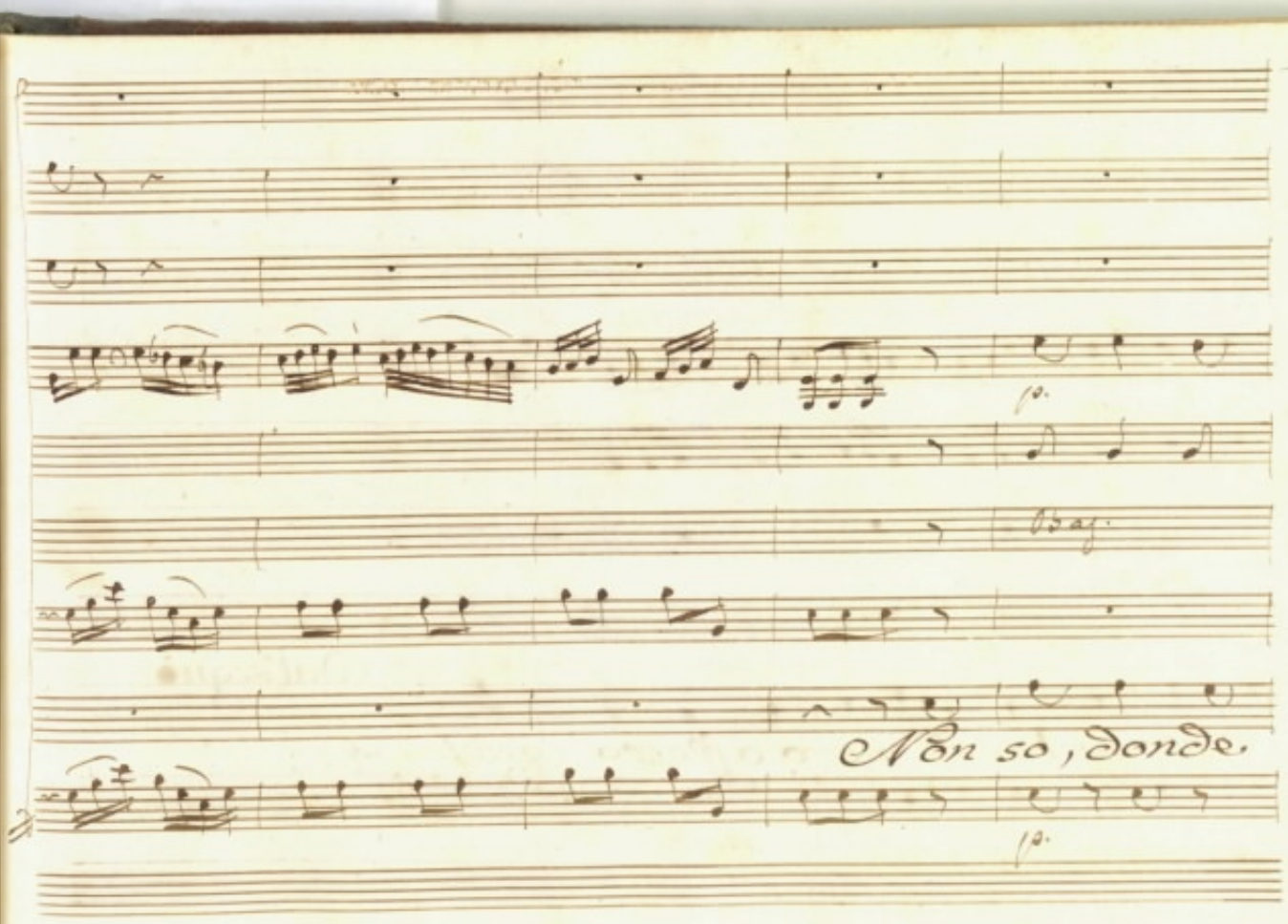

sono a destarmi sì fieri contrasti non parmi, che
Andante allegro

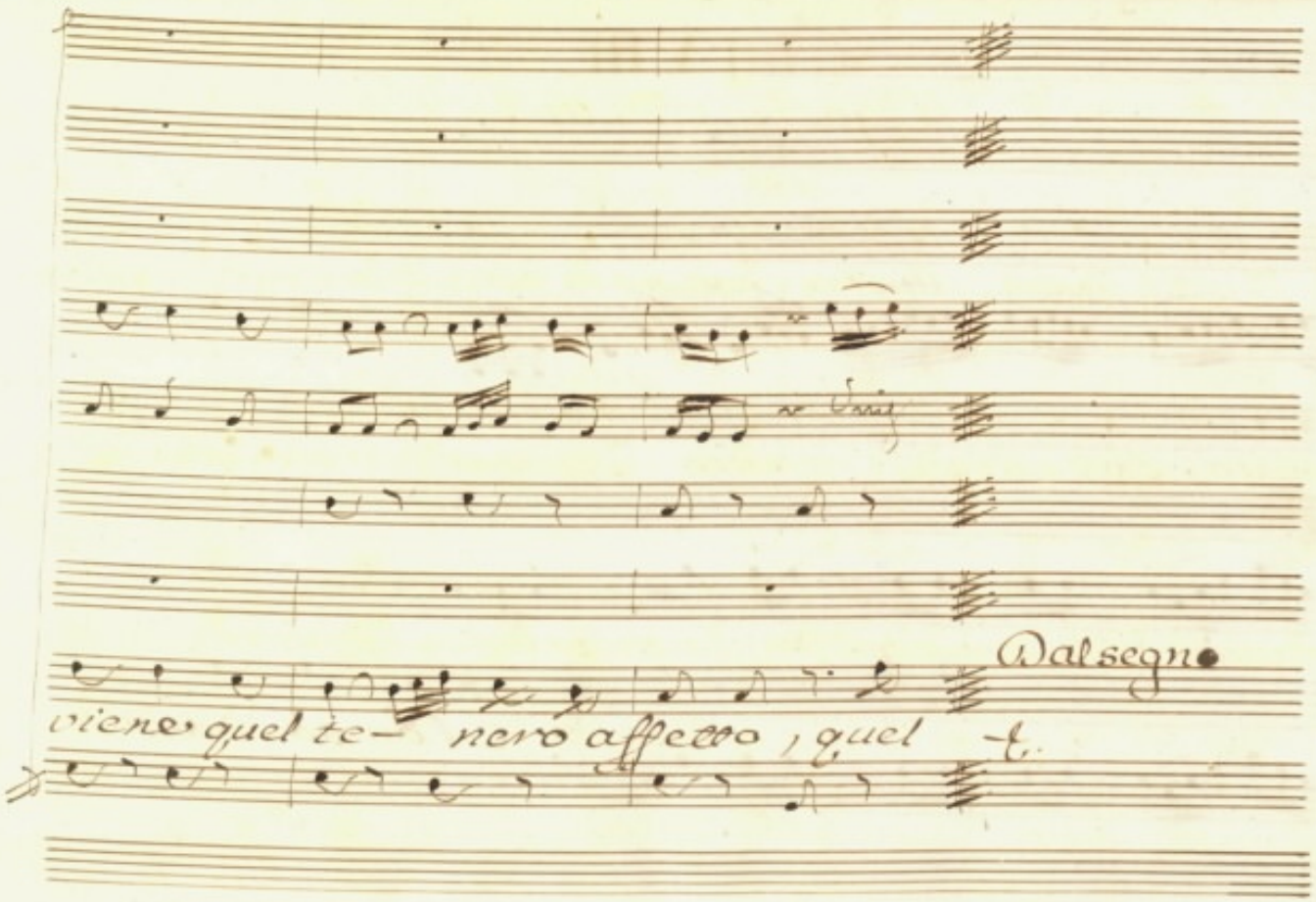

basti la sola pietà, la sola pietà: non


parmi; che basti la sola pietà; la sola pie=


f.
f.
f.
tà, la so— — la pietà.
f.


Unis.
Bas.
f.
f.
f.
Tempo di prima
f.


p.
Non so, donde.
p.


Dal segno
viene quel te- nero affetto, quel -to.

Scena VIII.

Megacle, e detti.

Lic.

Ah, vieni, illustre esempio di verace amistà. Megacle a-

Meg.

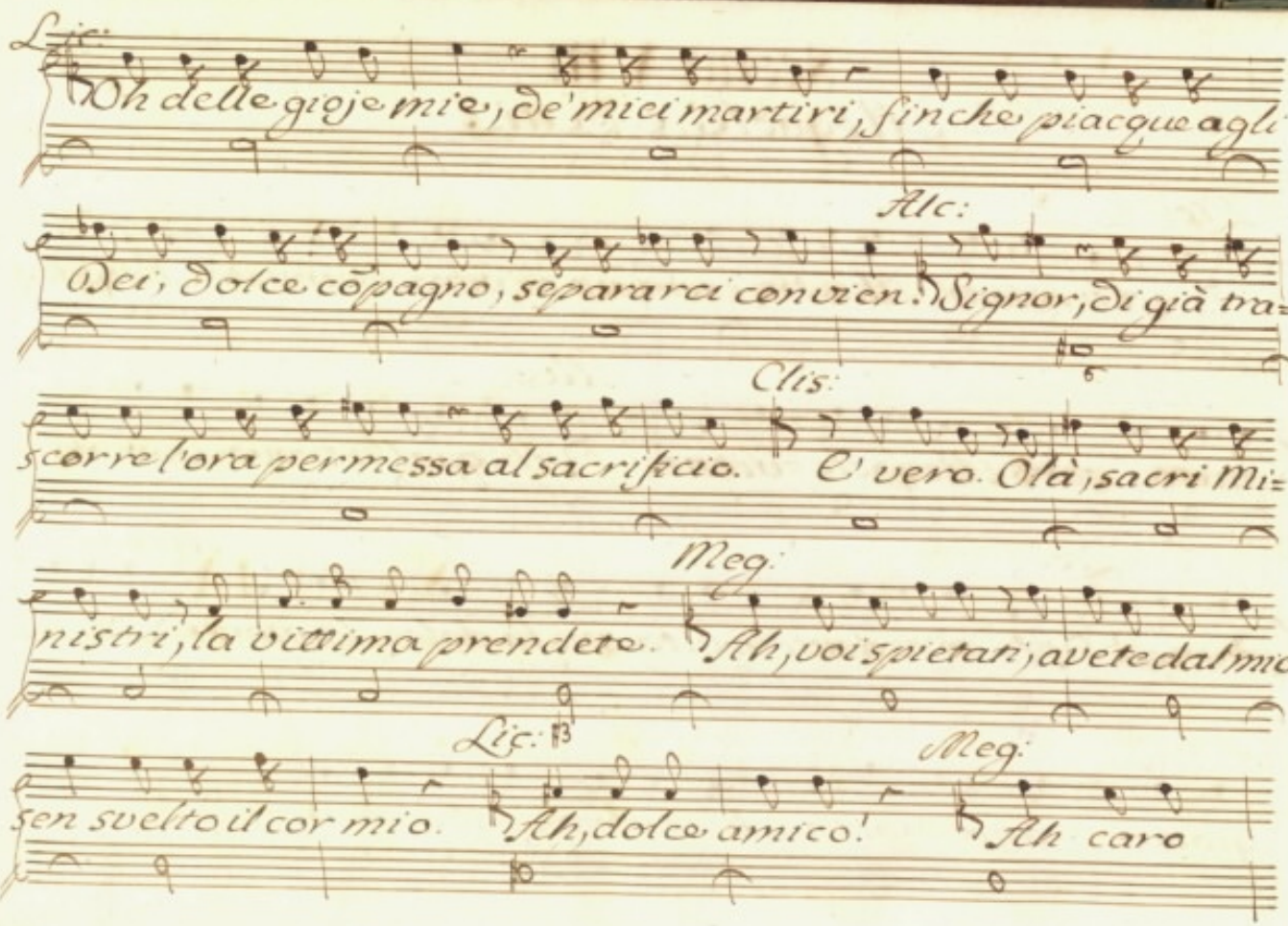
mato, caro Megacle - vieni. Ah, qual ti trovo, povero

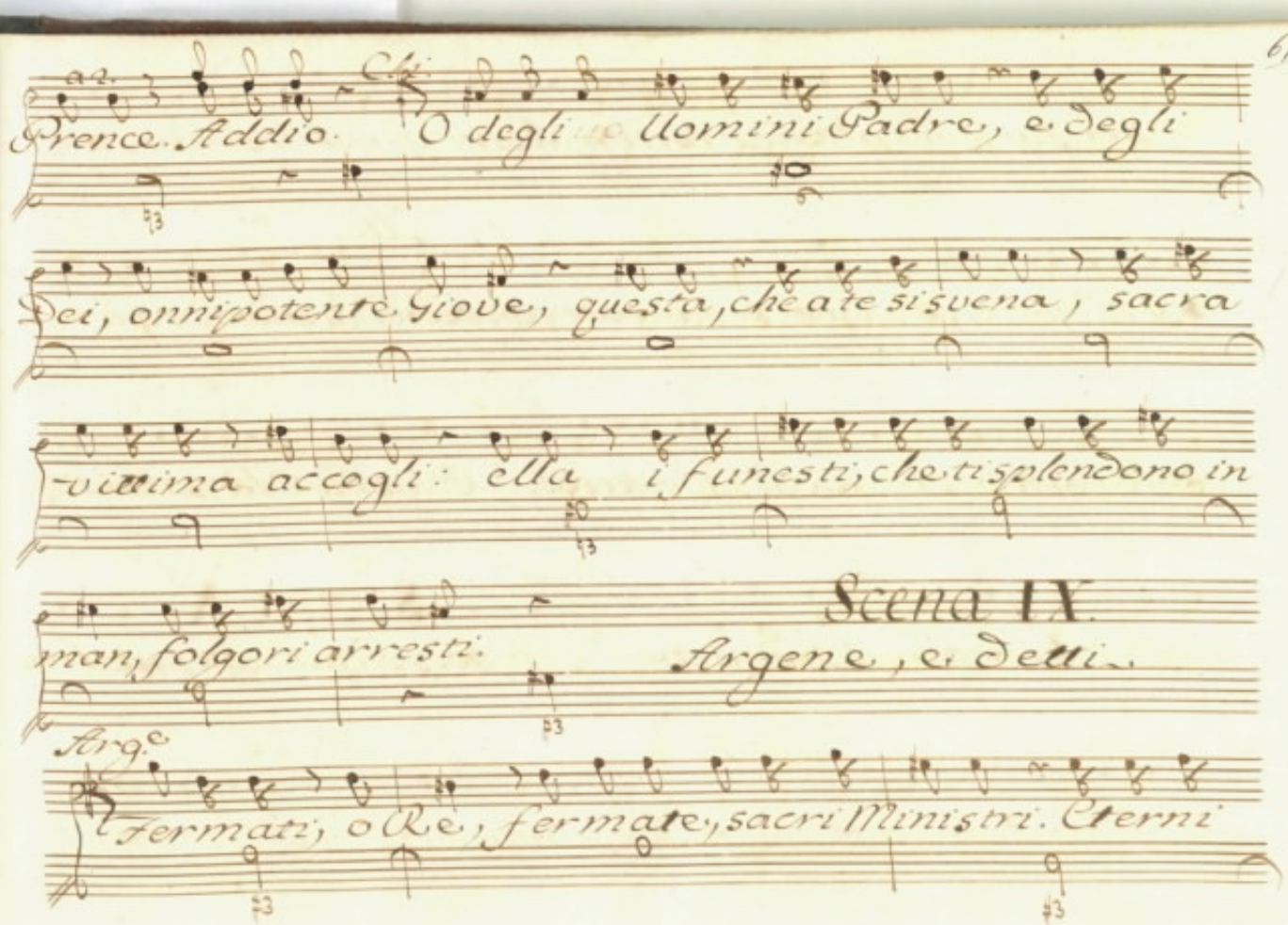
Lic.

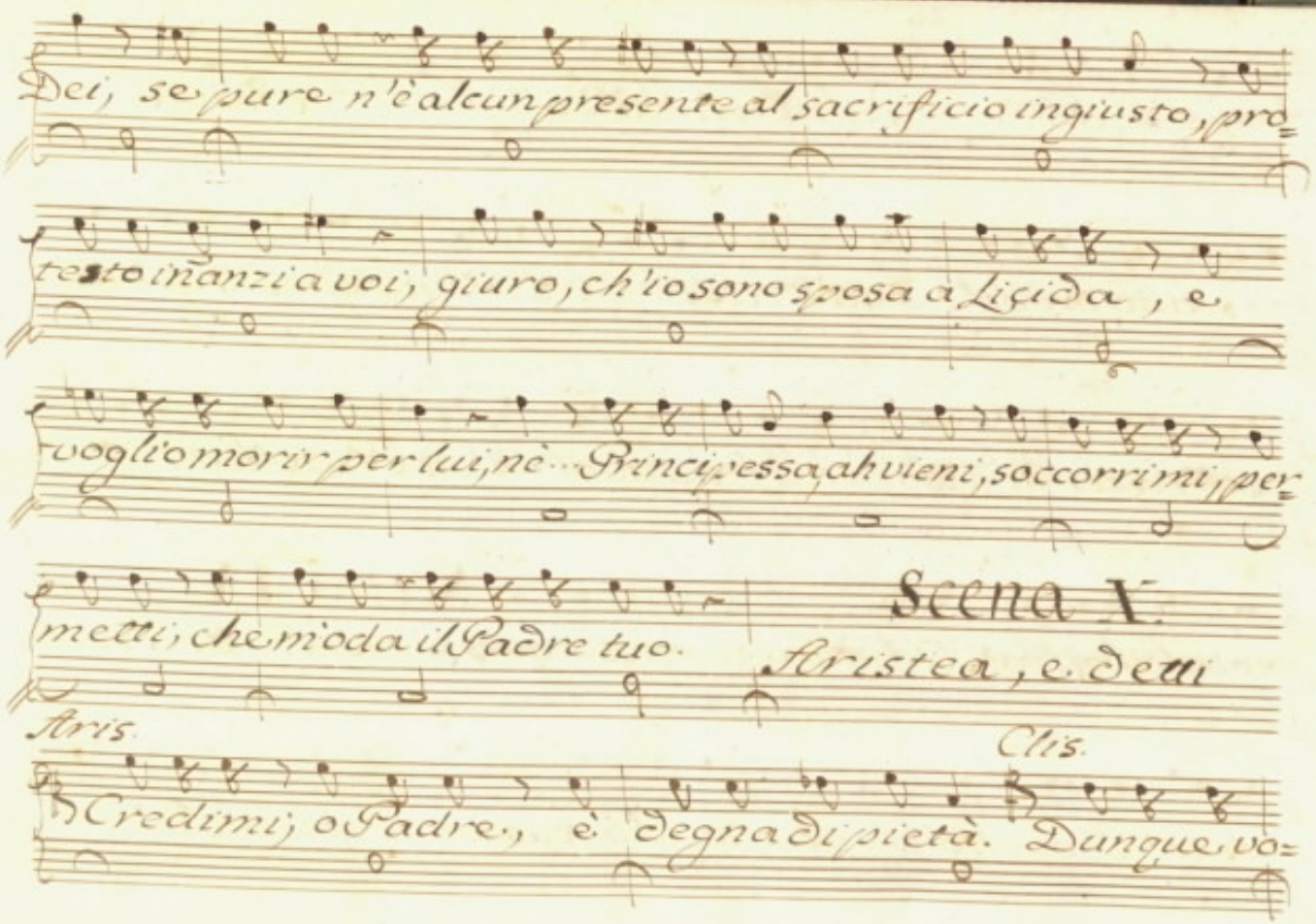
Prence! Il rivederti in vita mi fa dolce la morte. Che mi

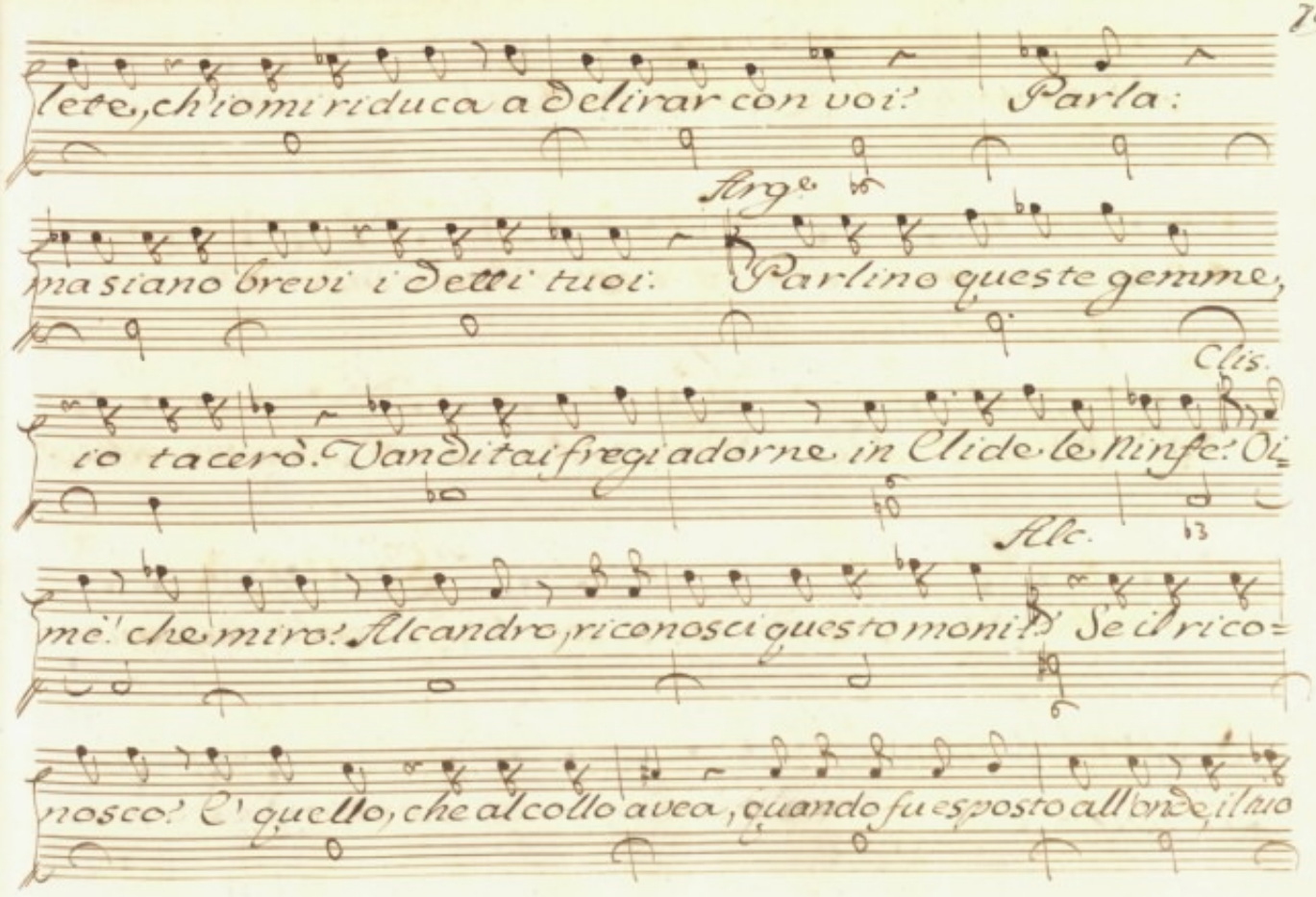
Meg.

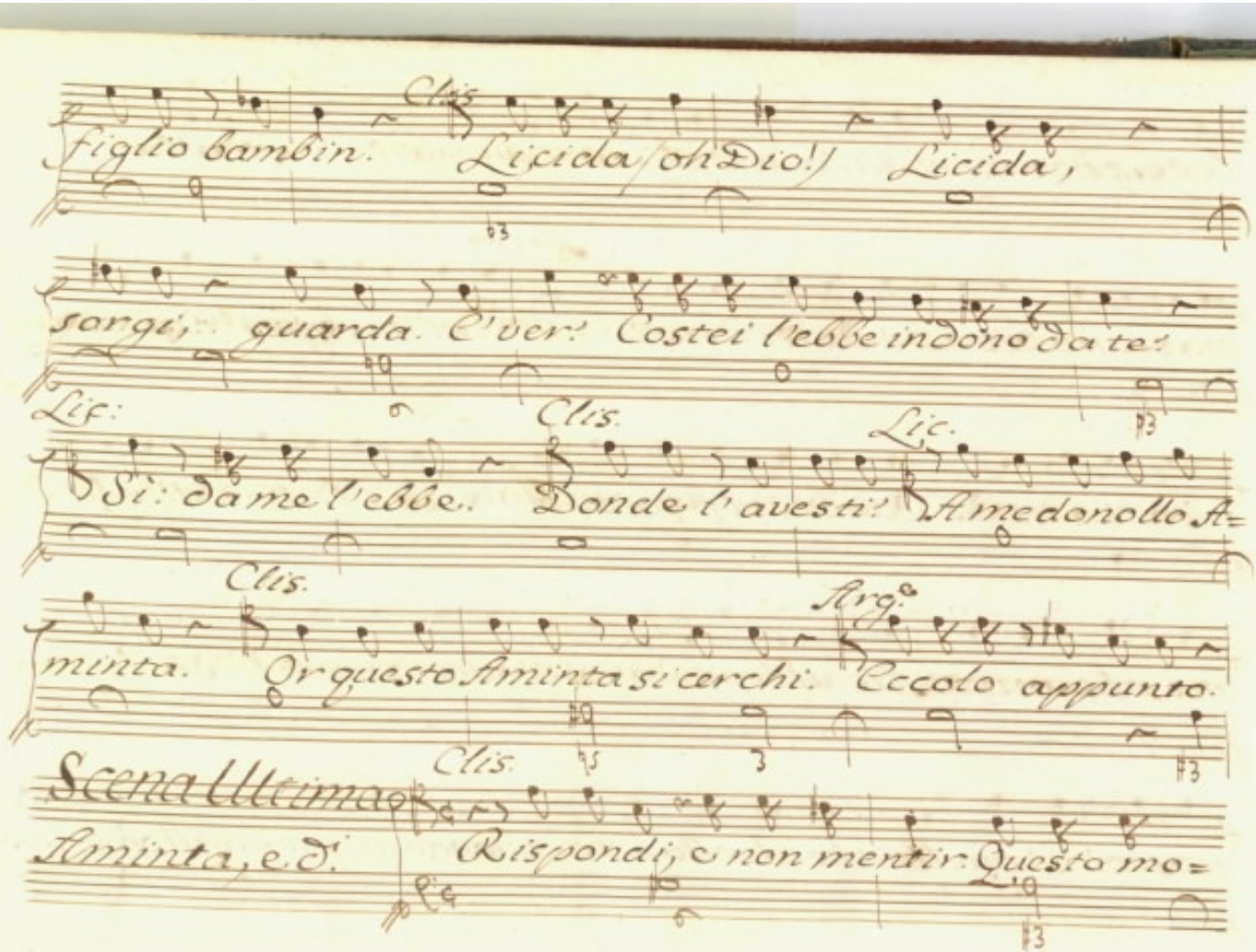
giova una vita, che invano voglio offrir per la tua!


Lic:
Oh delle gioje mie, de' miei martiri, finche piacque agli
Alc:
Dei, dolce compagno, separarci convien. Signor, di già tra=
Clis:
scorre l'ora permessa al sacrificio. E' vero. Olà, sacri Mi=
Meg:
nistri, la vittima prendete. Ah, voi spietati, avete dal mio
Lic:
Meg:
sen svelto il cor mio. Ah, dolce amico! Ah caro


Prence. Addio. O degli uomini Padre, e degli
Dei, onnipotente Giove, questa, che a te si svena, sacra
vittima accogli: ella i funesti, che ti splendono in
Scena IX.
man, folgori arresti. Argene, e detti.
Arg.e
Fermati, o Re, fermate, sacri Ministri. Eterni


Dei, se pure n'è alcun presente al sacrificio ingiusto, pro=
resto inanzi a voi, giuro, ch'io sono sposa a Liçida, e
voglio morir per lui, nè... Principessa, ah vieni, soccorrimi, per=
metti, che m'oda il Padre tuo.
Scena X.
Aristea, e detti
Aris.
Clis.
Credimi, o Padre, è degna di pietà. Dunque, vo=


lete, ch'io mi riduca a delirar con voi? Parla:
Arg.
ma siano brevi i detti tuoi: Parlino queste gemme,
Clis.
io tacerò. Vandi tai fregi adorne in Clide le Ninfe? Oi-
Alc.
mè! che miro? Alcandro, riconosci questo monile? Se il rico-
nosco? E' quello, che al collo avea, quando fu esposto all'onde il suo


Clis.
figlio bambin. Licida, (oh Dio!) Licida,
sorgi, guarda. E' ver? Costei l'ebbe in dono da te?
Lif:
Clis.
Lic.
Sì: da me l'ebbe. Donde l'avesti? Amedonollo A=
Clis.
Arg.
minta. Or questo Aminta si cerchi. Eccolo appunto.
Scena Ultima
Clis.
Aminta, e d.
Rispondi, e non mentir: Questo mo=

Clit. Alc.

nile. Donde avesti? Signor, da mano ignota. Ah, d'un antico er=

rore, mio Re, son reo; deh me'l perdona: il tutto fedel=

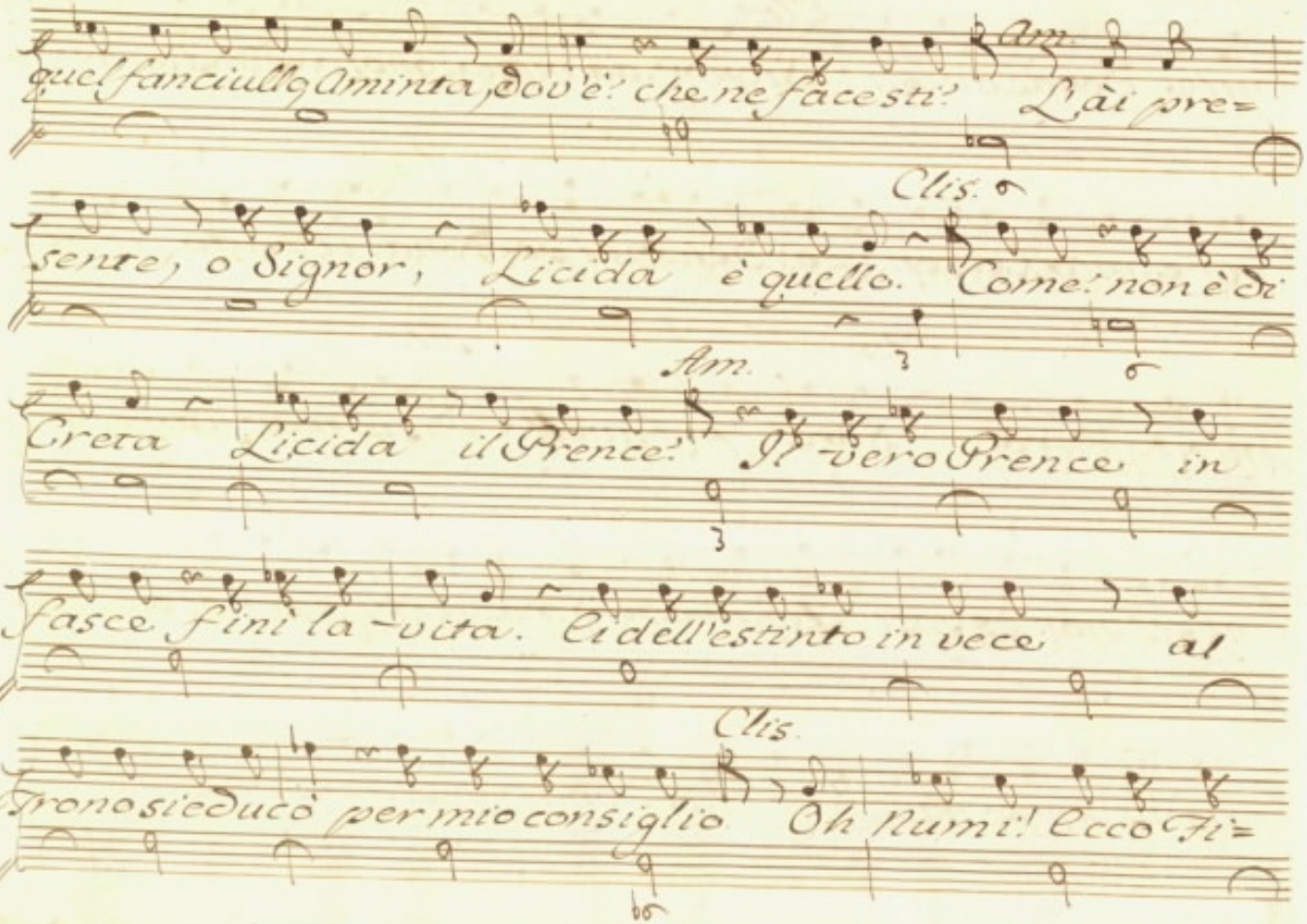
Clis. Alc:

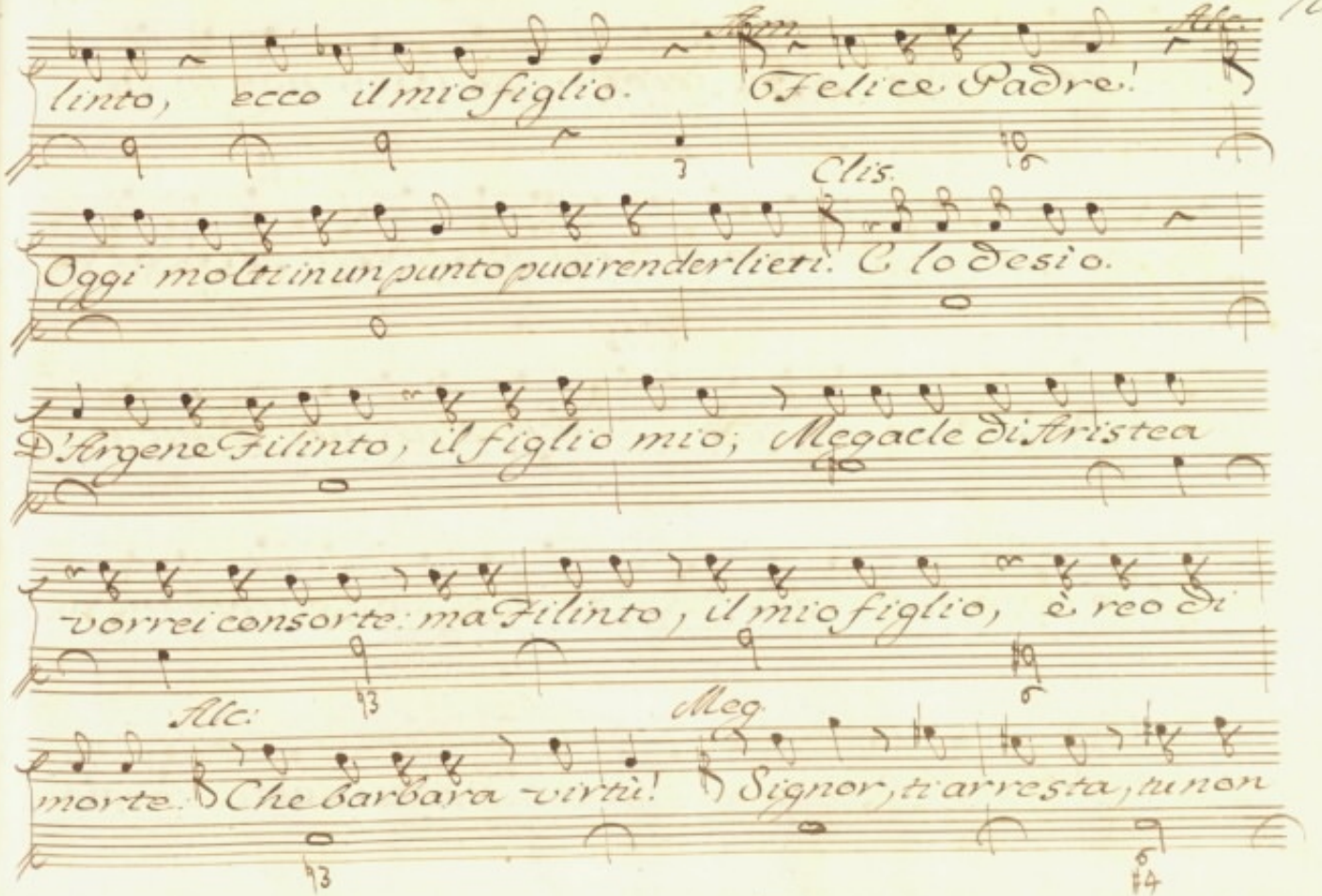
mente dirò. Sorgi, e favella. Al mar, come impo=

nesti, non esposi il Bambin. Straniero, e ignoto co=

Clis.

stui mi venne inanzi, e gliel donai, pietà mi vinse.


quel fanciullo Aminta, dov'è? che ne facesti? L'ài pre=
Clis.
sente, o Signor, Licida è quello. Come! non è di
Am.
Creta Licida il Prence? Il vero Prence in
fasce finì la vita. Ei dell'estinto in vece al
Clis.
Trono sieducò per mio consiglio Oh Numi! Ecco Fi=


linto, ecco il mio figlio. Felice Padre!
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Oggi molti in un punto puoi rendere lieti. Lo desio.
D'Argene Filinto, il figlio mio; Megacle di Aristea
vorrei consorte: ma Filinto, il mio figlio, è reo di
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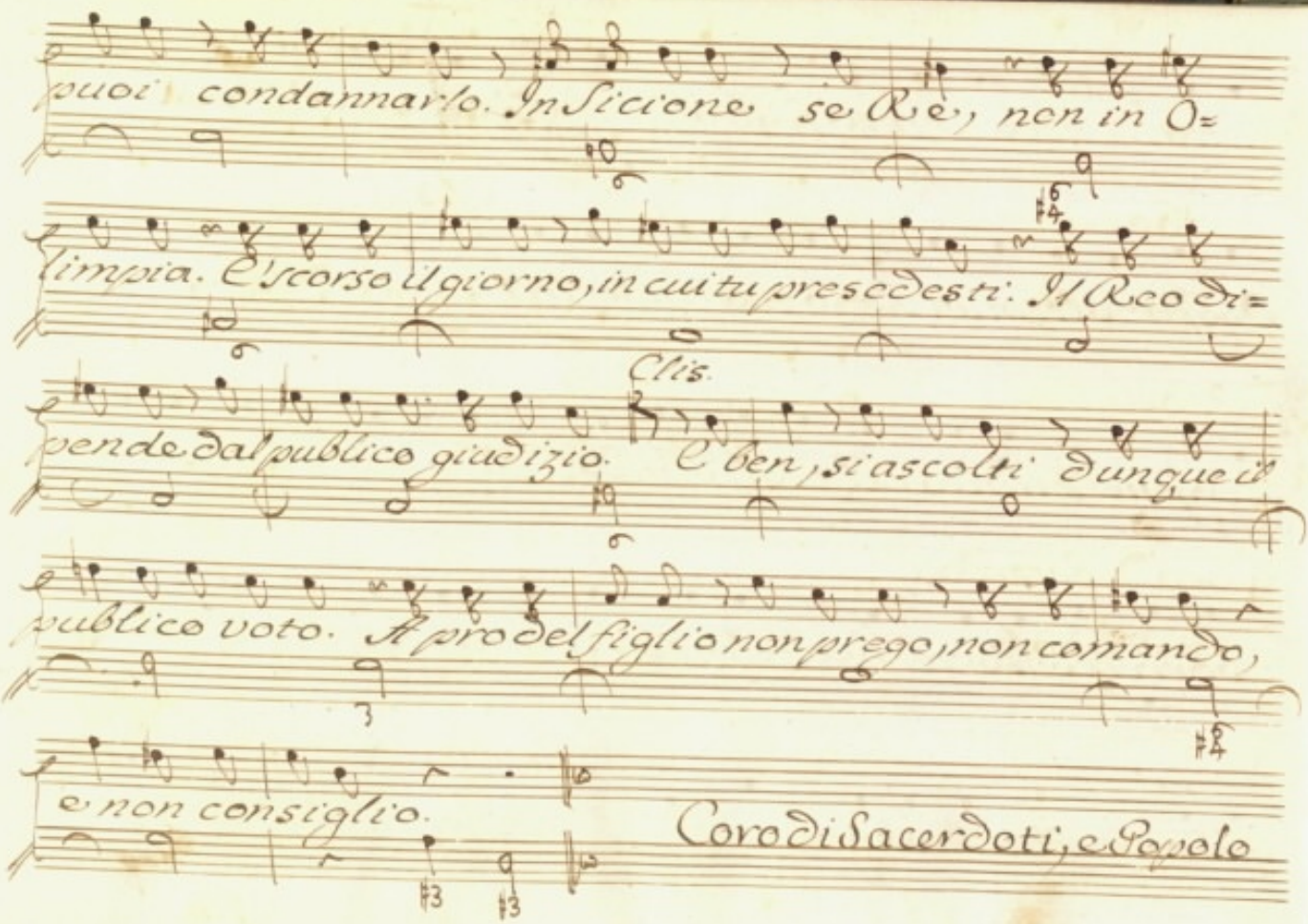
morte. Che barbara virtù! Signor, ti arresta, tu non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limpia. E' scorso il giorno, in cui tu prescedesti. Il Reo di=
Clis.
pende dal publico giudizio. E ben, si ascolti dunque il
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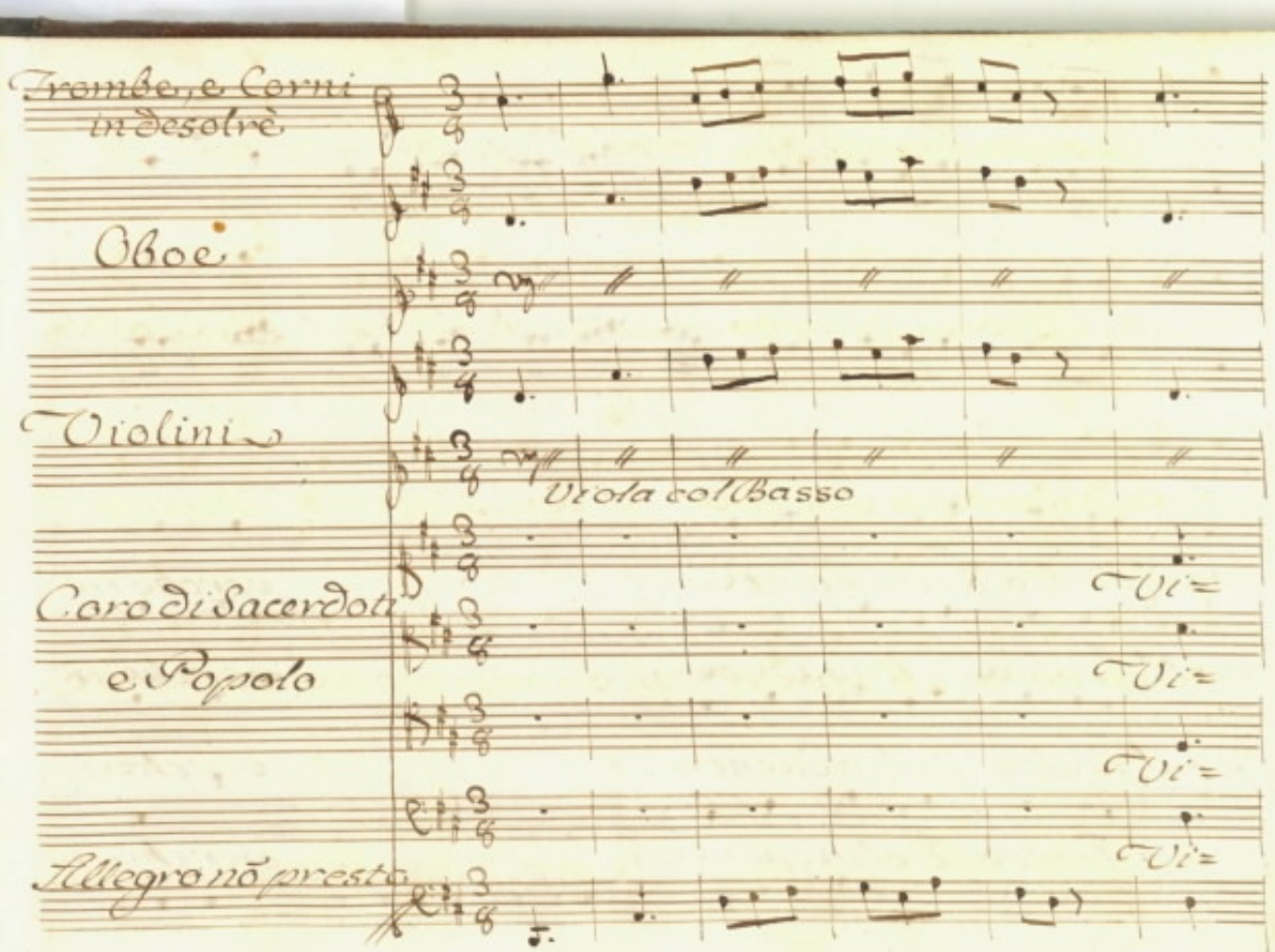
Coro di Sacerdoti, e Popolo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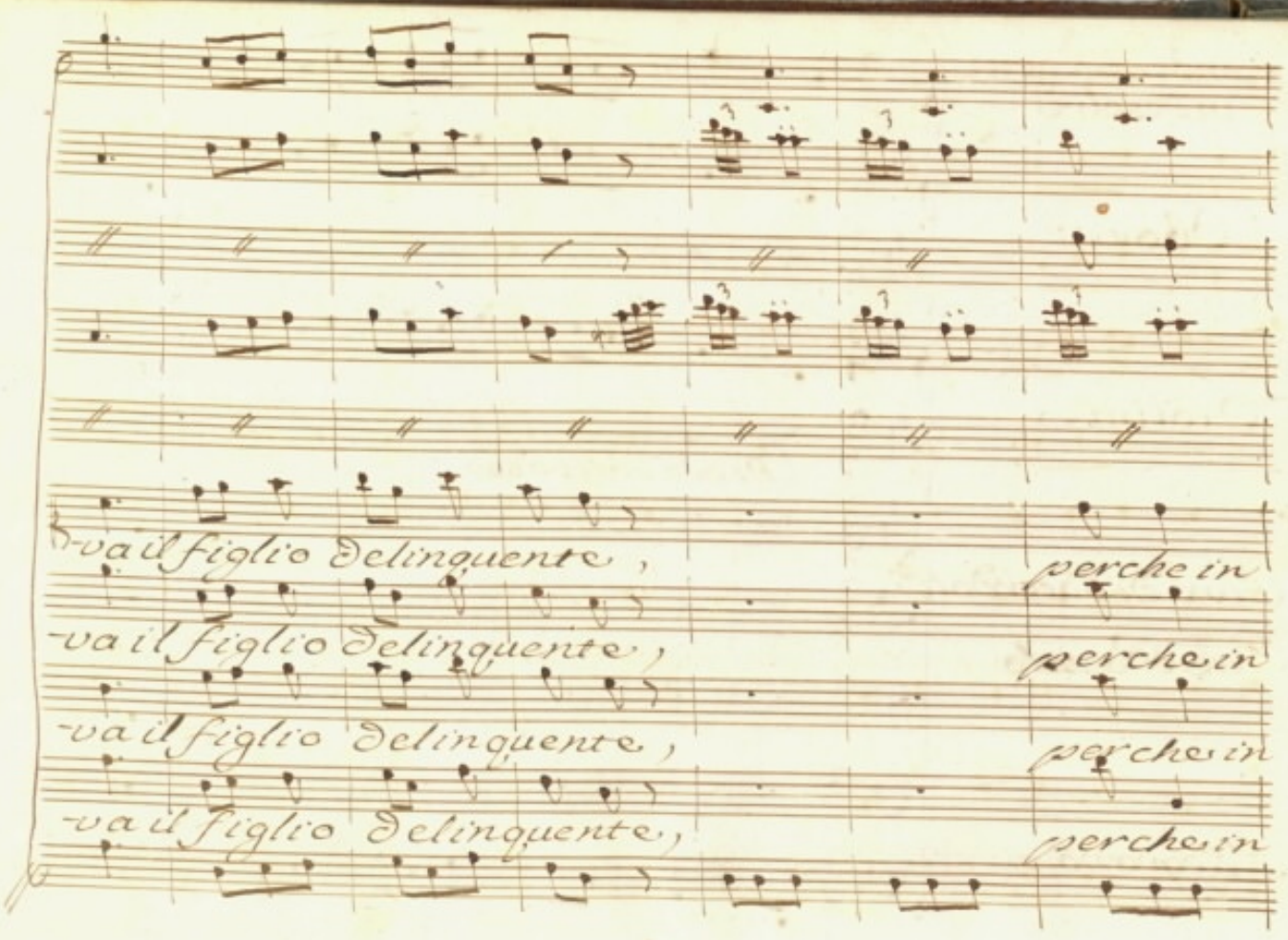
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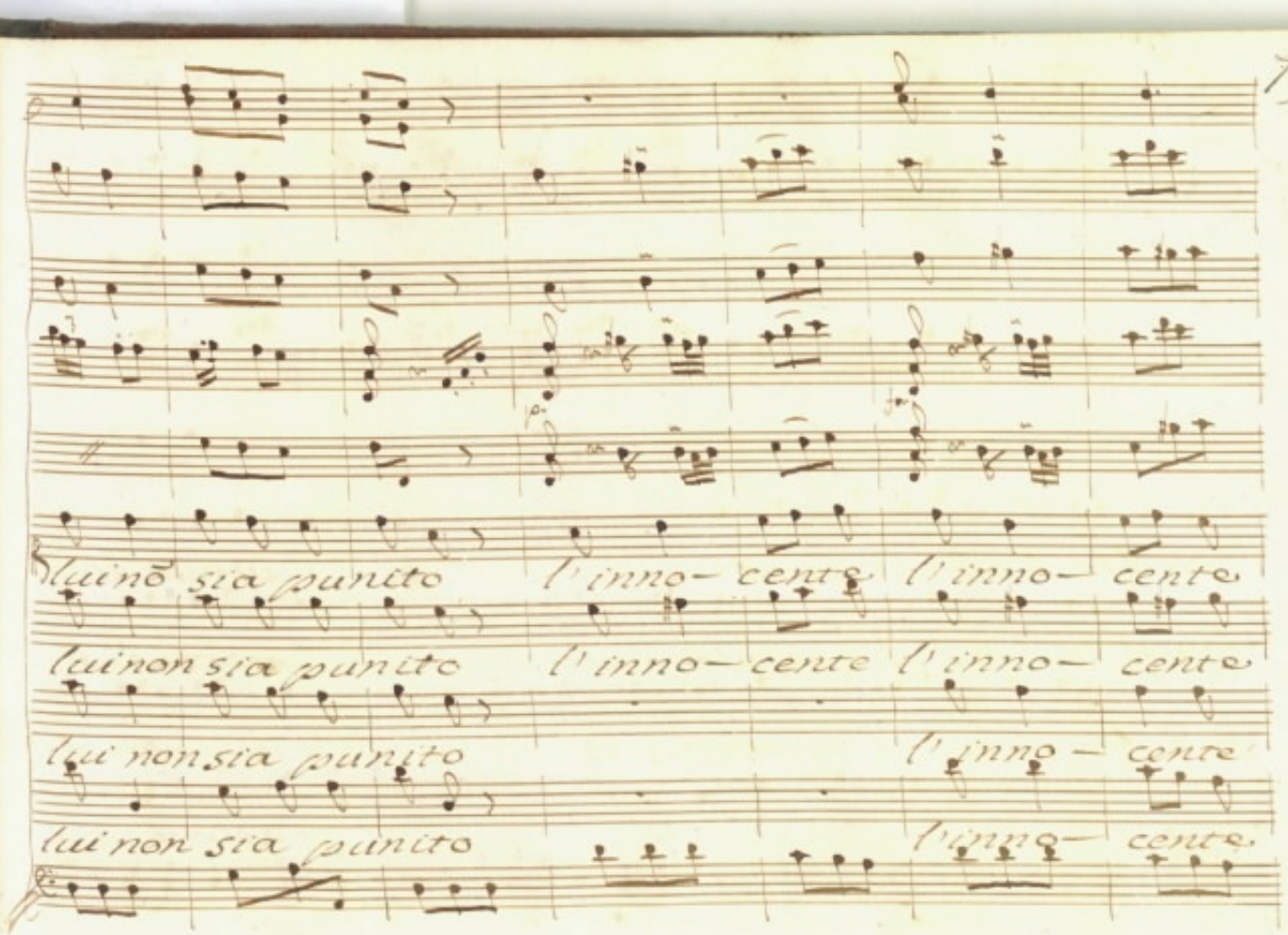
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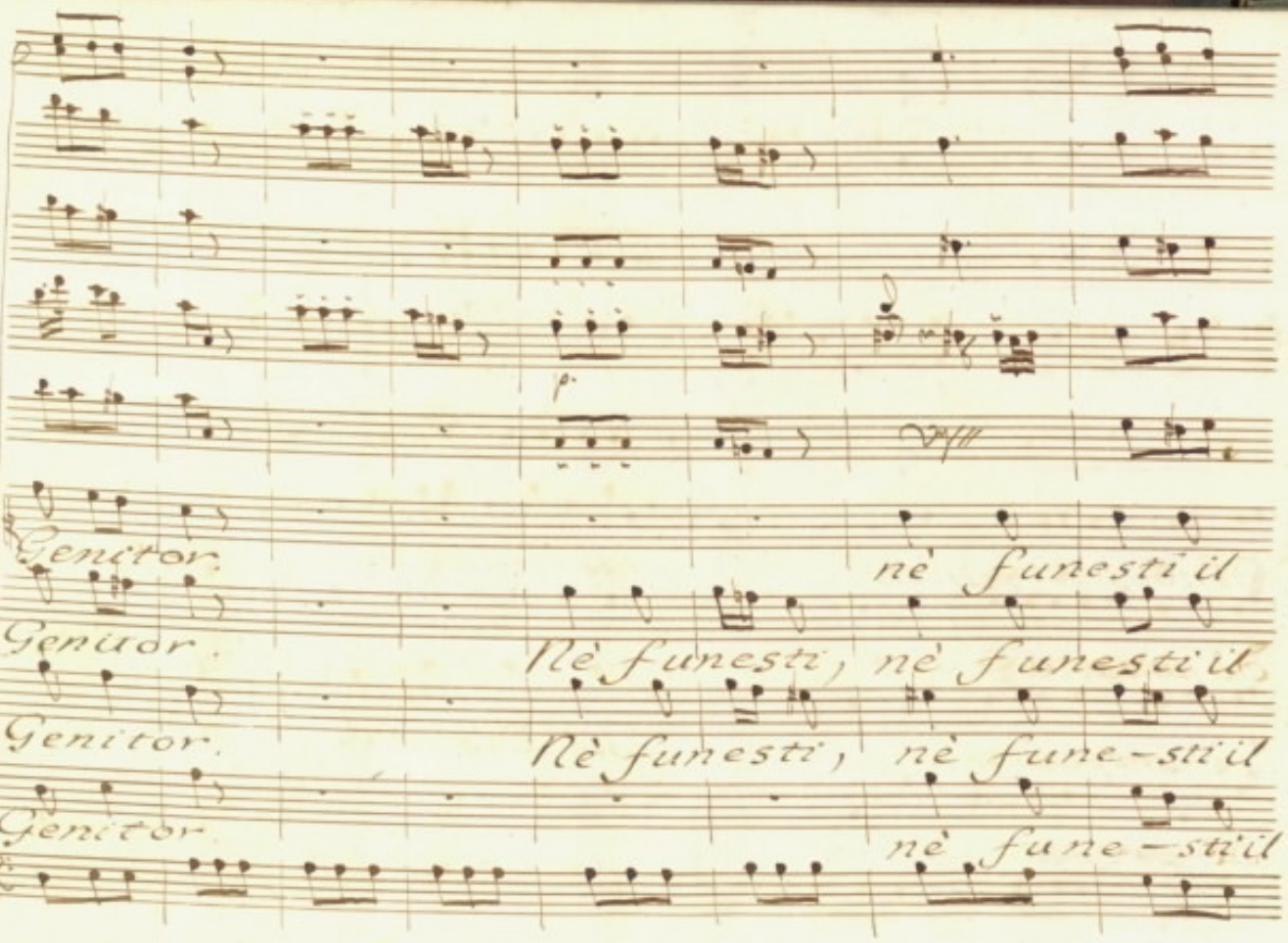
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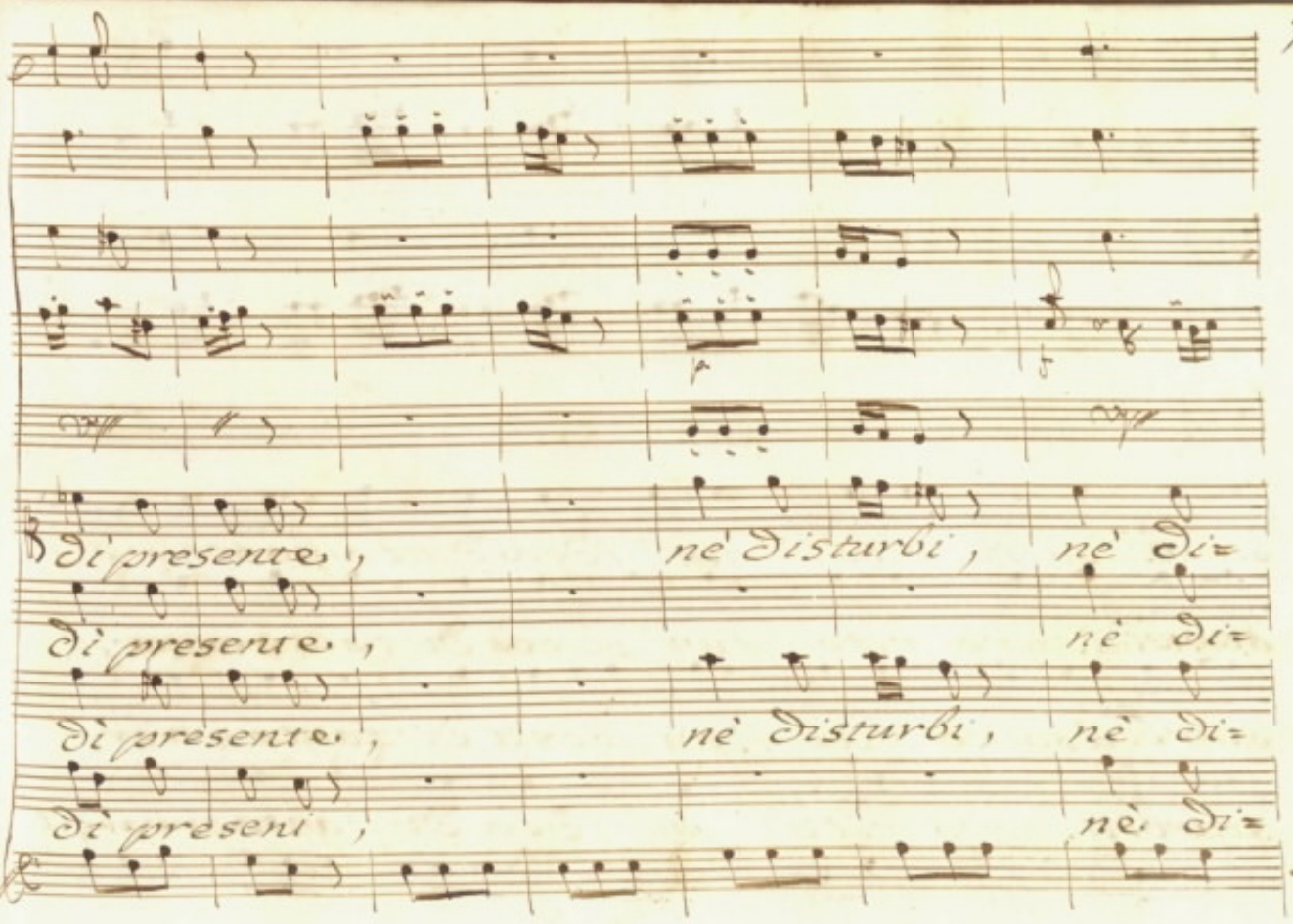
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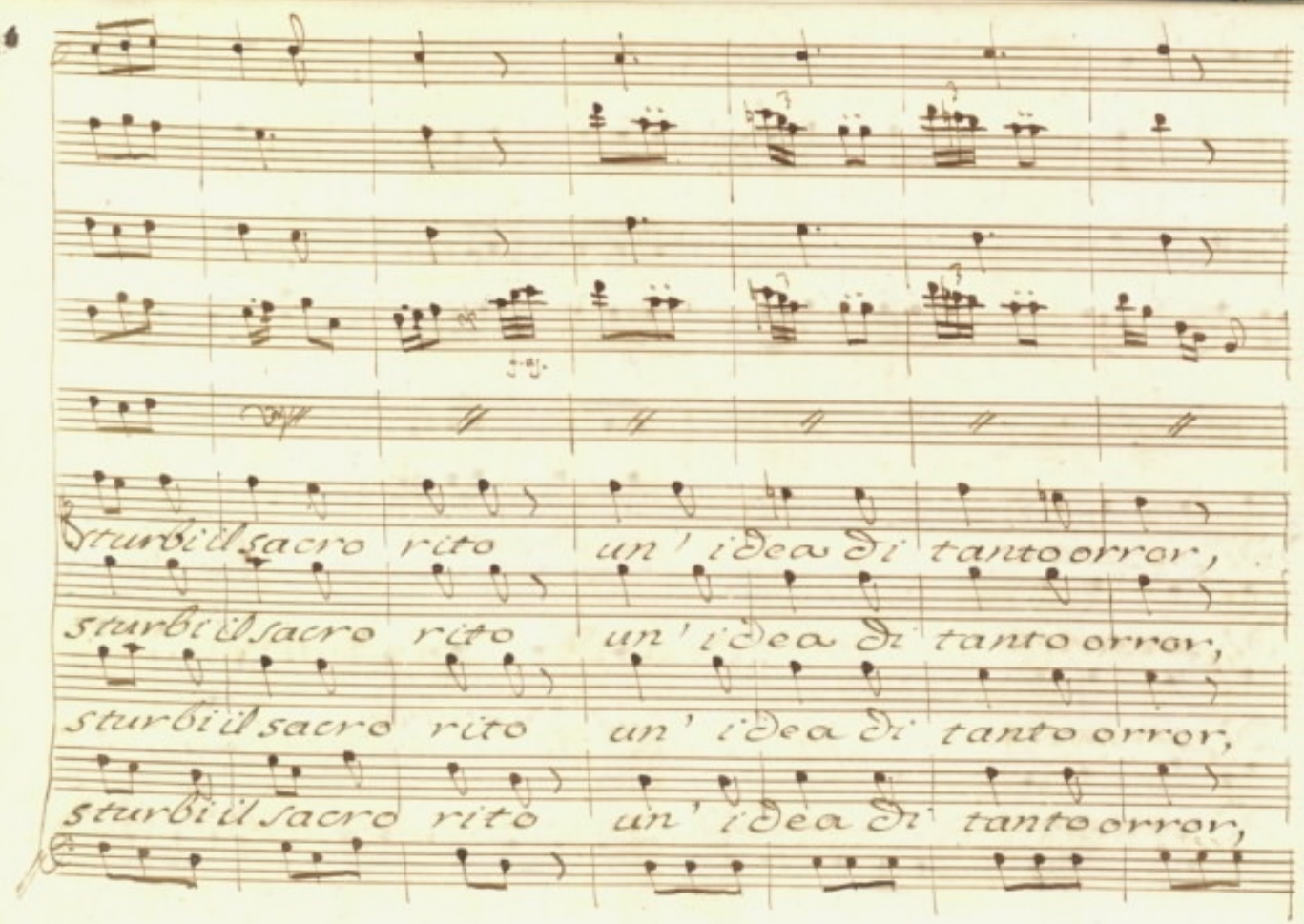
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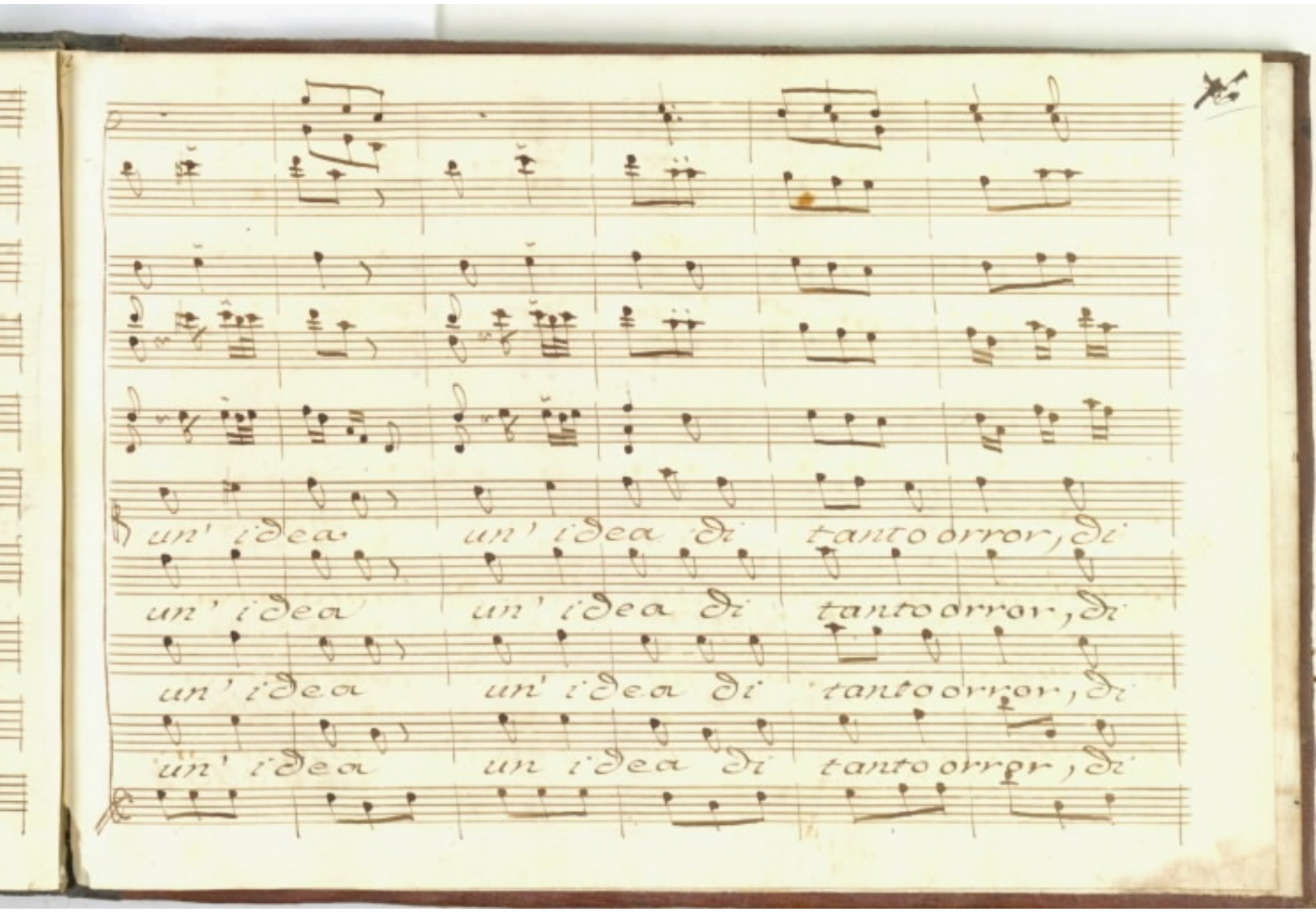
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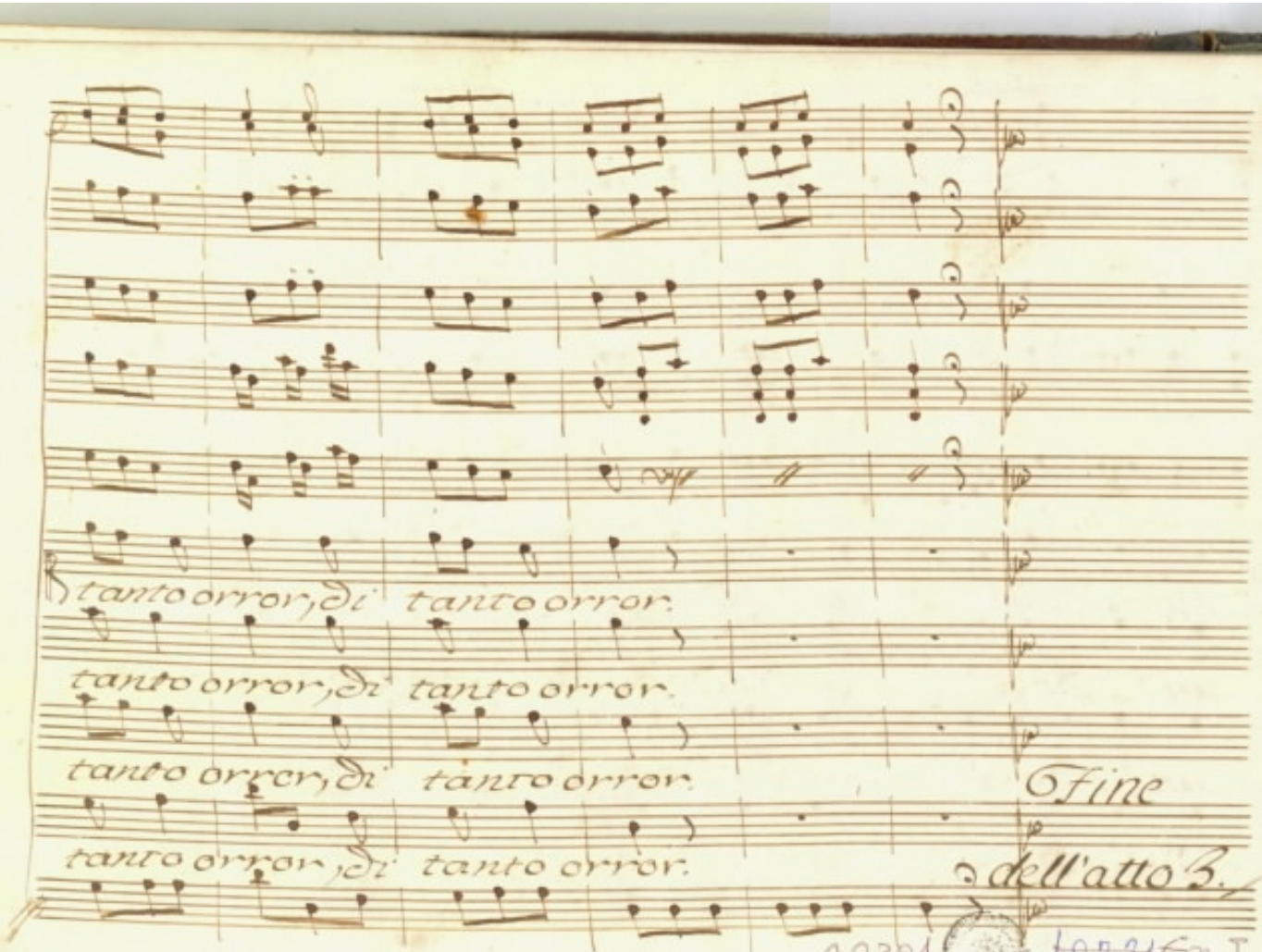
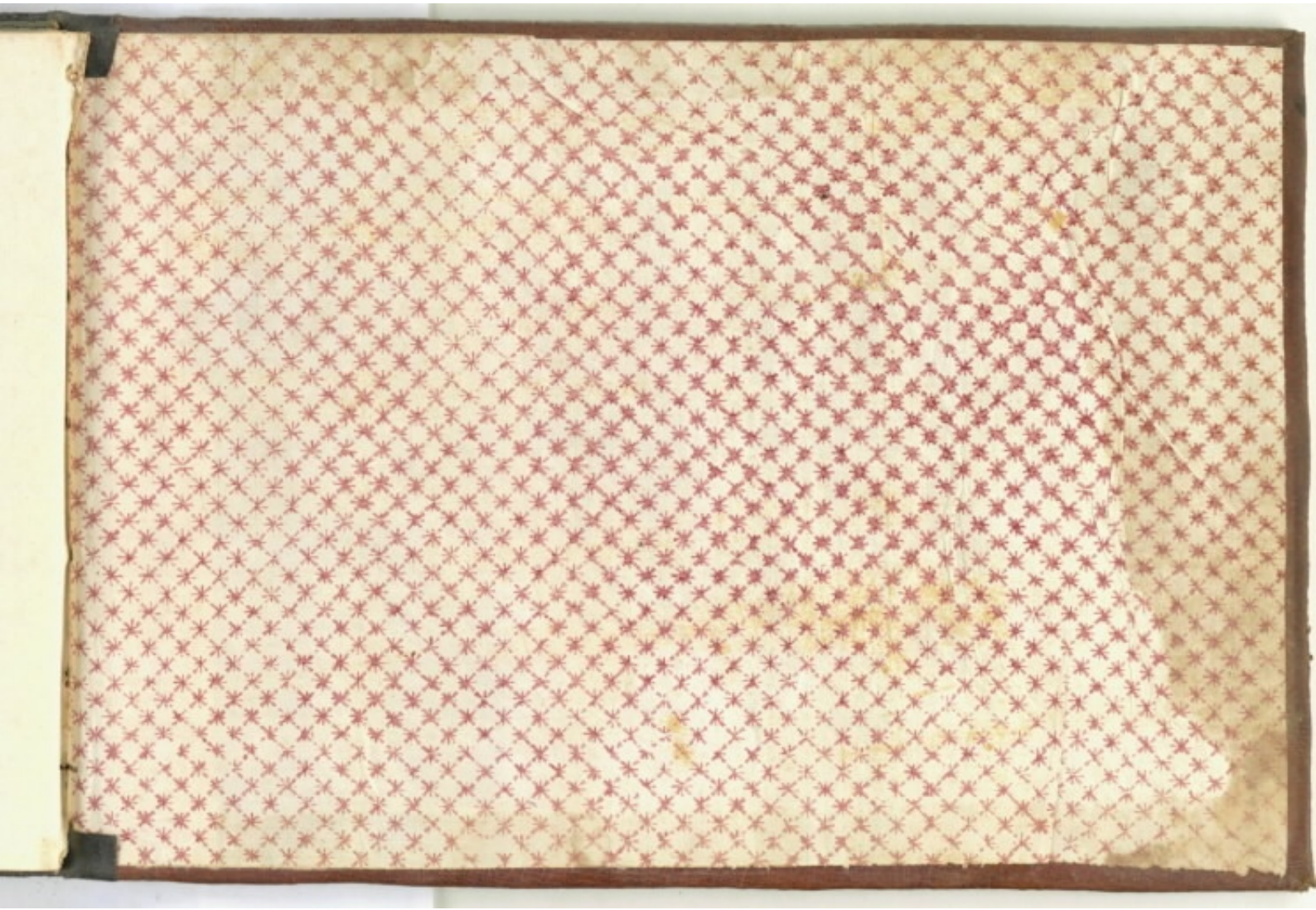
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