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Arise!

for SATB a cappella

Perusal Score

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The text of *Arise!* is from Song of Songs 2:10-13 in both the original Hebrew, which is traditionally attributed to King Solomon, and its English translation, which I adapted to be more melodic and easy to understand.

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English Text

Arise, my darling, and come away;
The winter is past, the rains are over and gone!
And flowers are blooming throughout the land,
It's time to sing,
and birdsong fills our land with music;
Green figs form on the fig tree,
and grapevines give sweet perfume,
Arise, my darling, and come away!

- Song of Songs 2:10-13 (my translation)

Hebrew Text

קוּמִי לָךְ רַעְיָתִי יָפָתִי וּלְכִי־לָךְ׃
כִּי־הִנֵּה הַסְּתָו עָבָר הַגֶּשֶׁם חָלַף הָלַךְ לוֹ׃
הַנִּצָּנִים נִרְאוּ בָאָרֶץ
עֵת הַזָּמִיר הִגִּיעַ
וְקוֹל הַתּוֹר נִשְׁמַע בְּאַרְצֵנוּ׃
הַתְּאֵנָה חָנְטָה פַּגֶּיהָ
וְהַגְּפָנִים סְמָדַר נָתְנוּ רֵיחַ
קוּמִי לָךְ רַעְיָתִי יָפָתִי וּלְכִי־לָךְ׃

- שִׁיר הַשִּׁירִים

Transliteration

Kumi lakh, rayati, yafati, ul'khi lakh;
Ki hinei ha-s'tav avar, ha-geshem khalaf halakh lo!
Ha-nitzanim nir-u ba-aretz,
Eit ha-zamir higi-ah,
V'kol ha-tor nishma b'artzeinu;
Ha-t'einah khantah fagei-ah,
V'ha-g'fanim s'madar na-t'nu rei-akh,
Kumi lakh, rayati, yafati, ul'khi lakh!

Pronunciation Guide

Letter	IPA	English	Hebrew
a	a	b<u>a</u>ll	*y<u>a</u>f<u>a</u>ti*
e	ɛ	<u>e</u>gg	*g<u>e</u>sh<u>e</u>m*
i	i	f<u>ie</u>ld	*hazam<u>i</u>r*
o	o	p<u>o</u>tat<u>o</u>	*k<u>o</u>l*
u	u	d<u>u</u>de	*k<u>u</u>mi*
'	ə	b<u>a</u>nan<u>a</u>	*ul'khi*
ei	ei	<u>ei</u>ght	*hin<u>ei</u>*
kh	χ	Ba<u>ch</u>	*la<u>kh</u>*
tz	ts	ge<u>ts</u>	*ni<u>tz</u>anim*
r	r	light trill	*s'mada<u>r</u>*

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Arise!

Song of Songs 2:10-13

King Solomon (traditionally), ~10th century BCE

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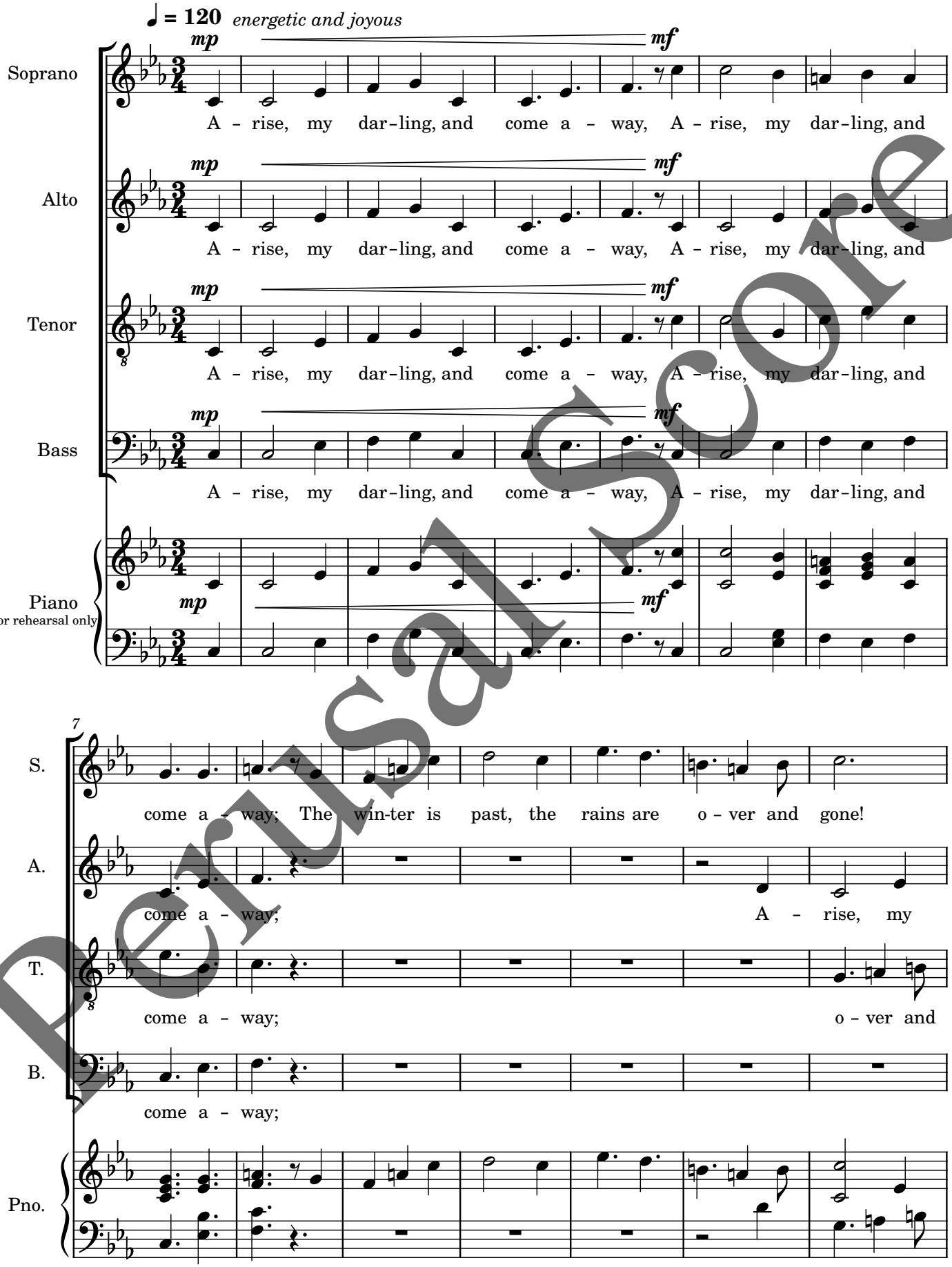

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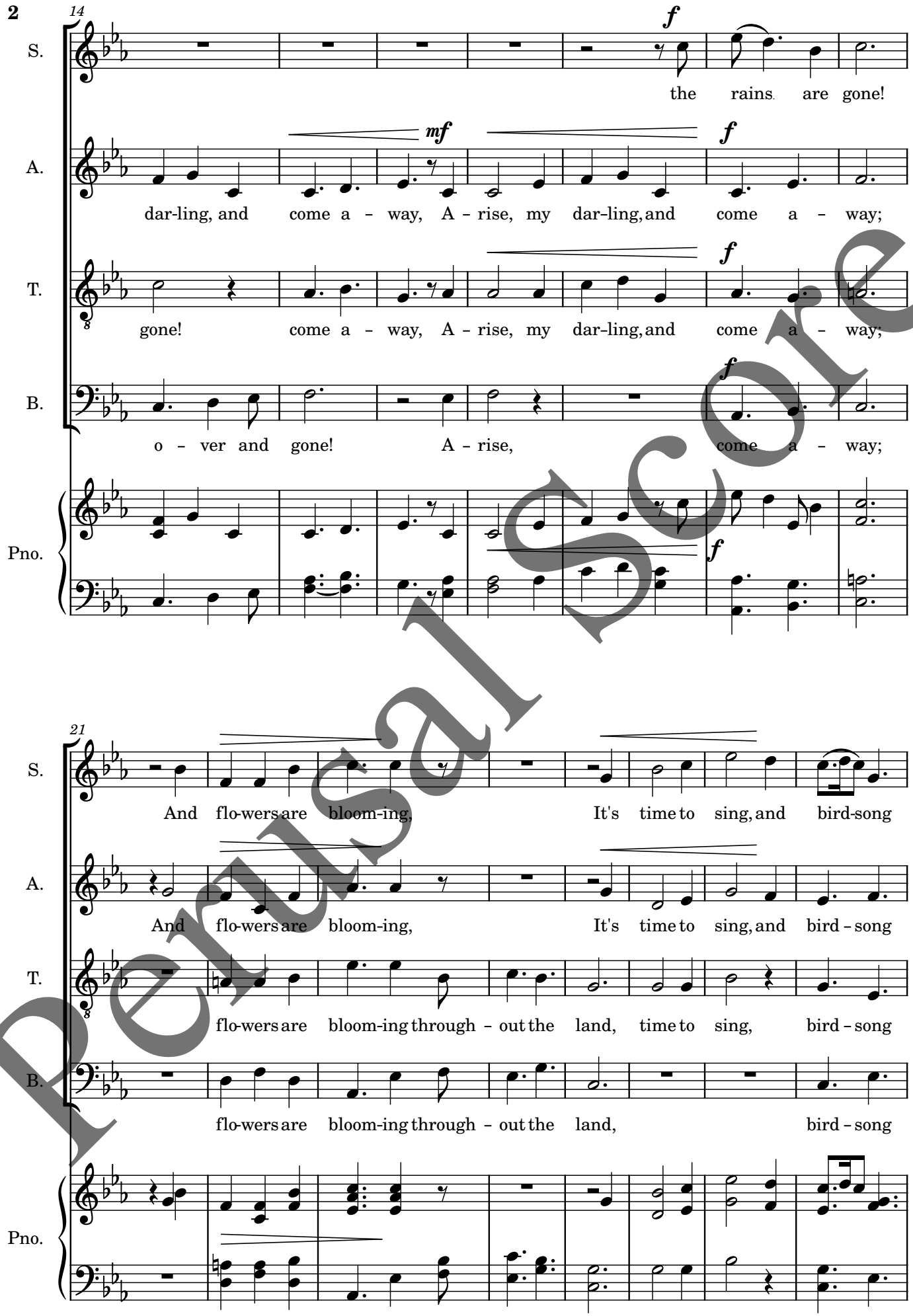

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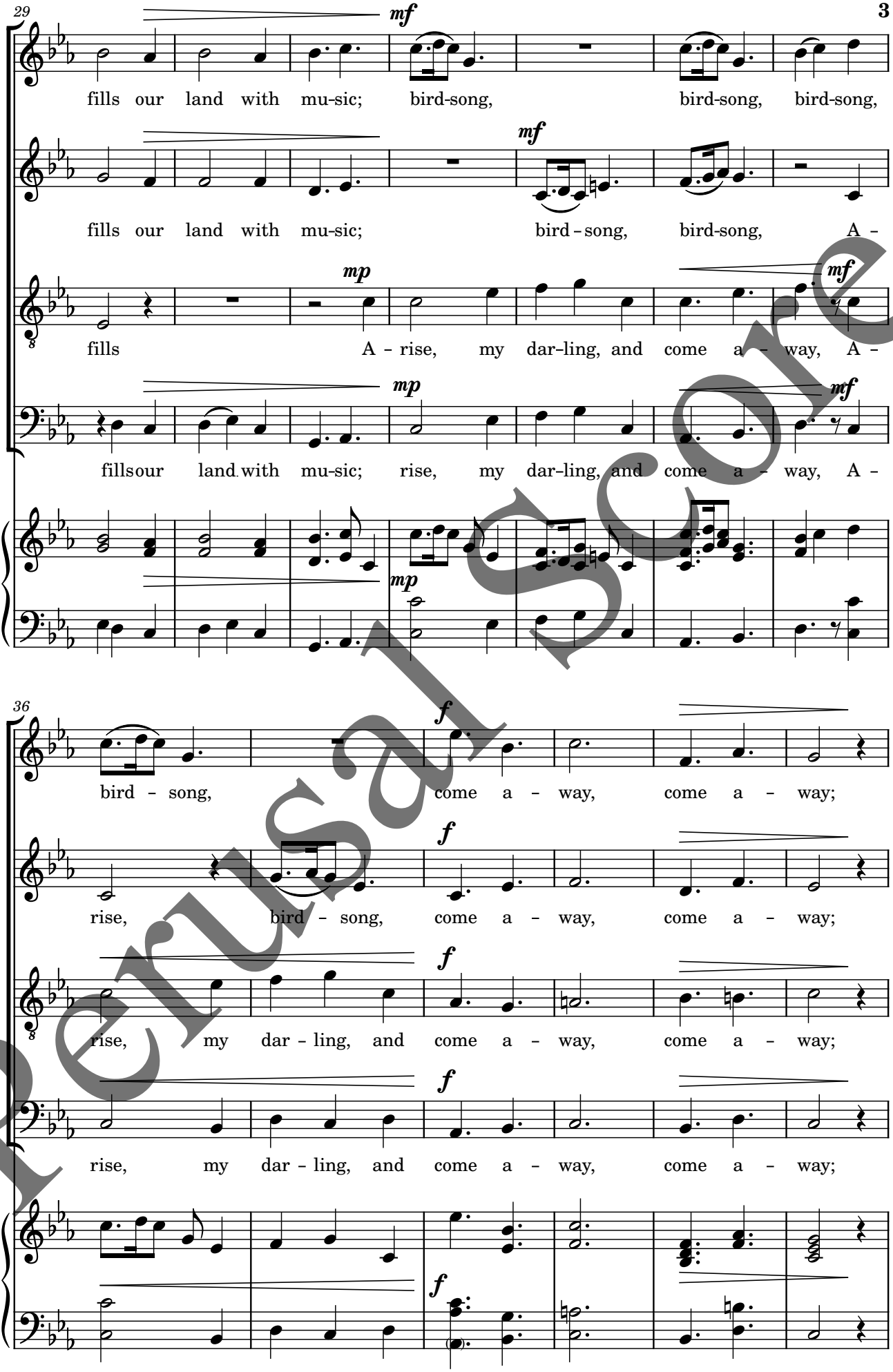

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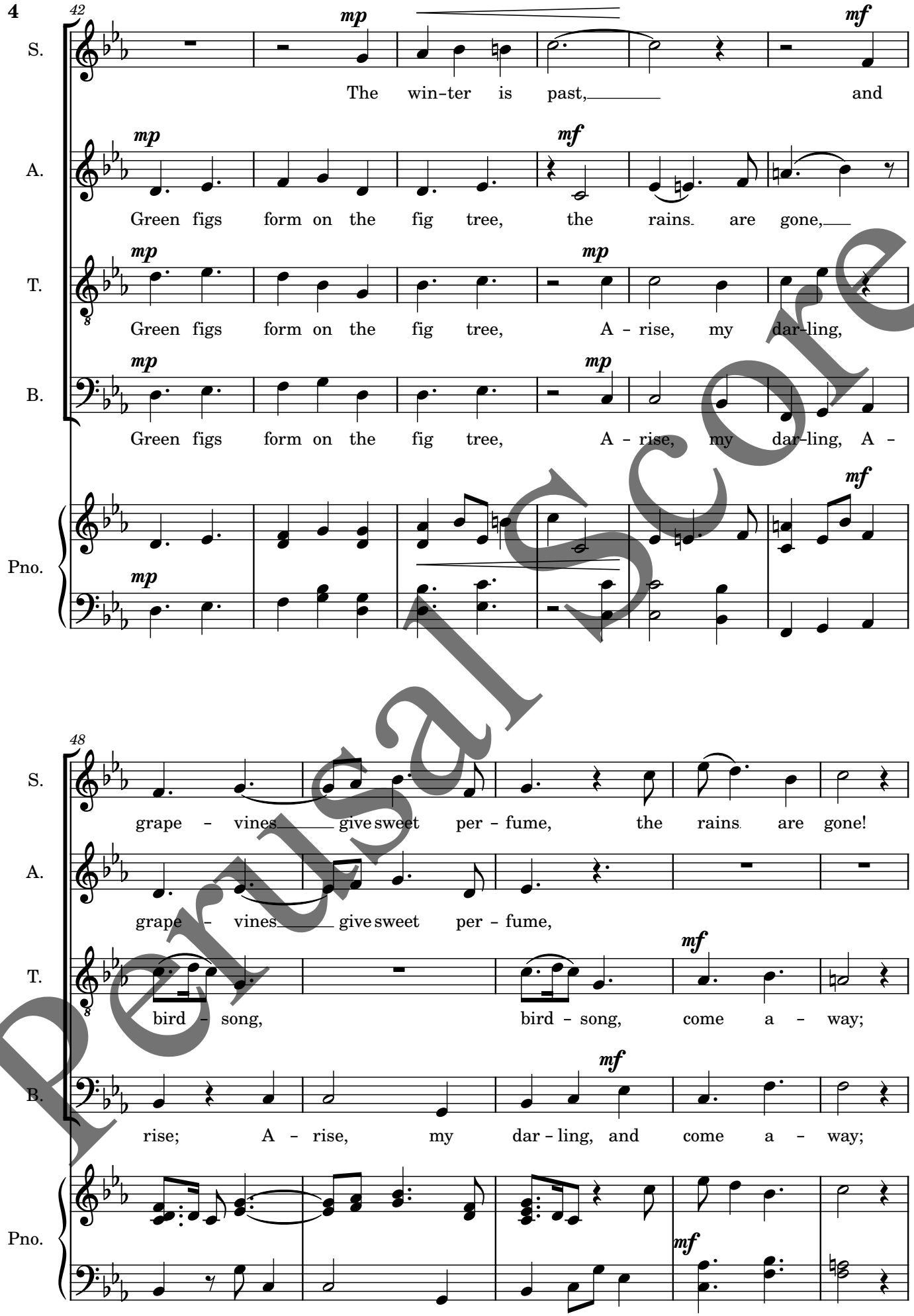

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S. bird – song, It's

A. *mf* The win – ter is past,

T. bird – song, bird – song,

B. The win – ter is past,

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S. time to sing, It's time to sing, It's time to

A. grape – vines give sweet per – fume, flo – wers bloom, It's time to

T. bird – song, bird – song,

B. bird – song, bird – song, bird – song, It's time to

Pno.

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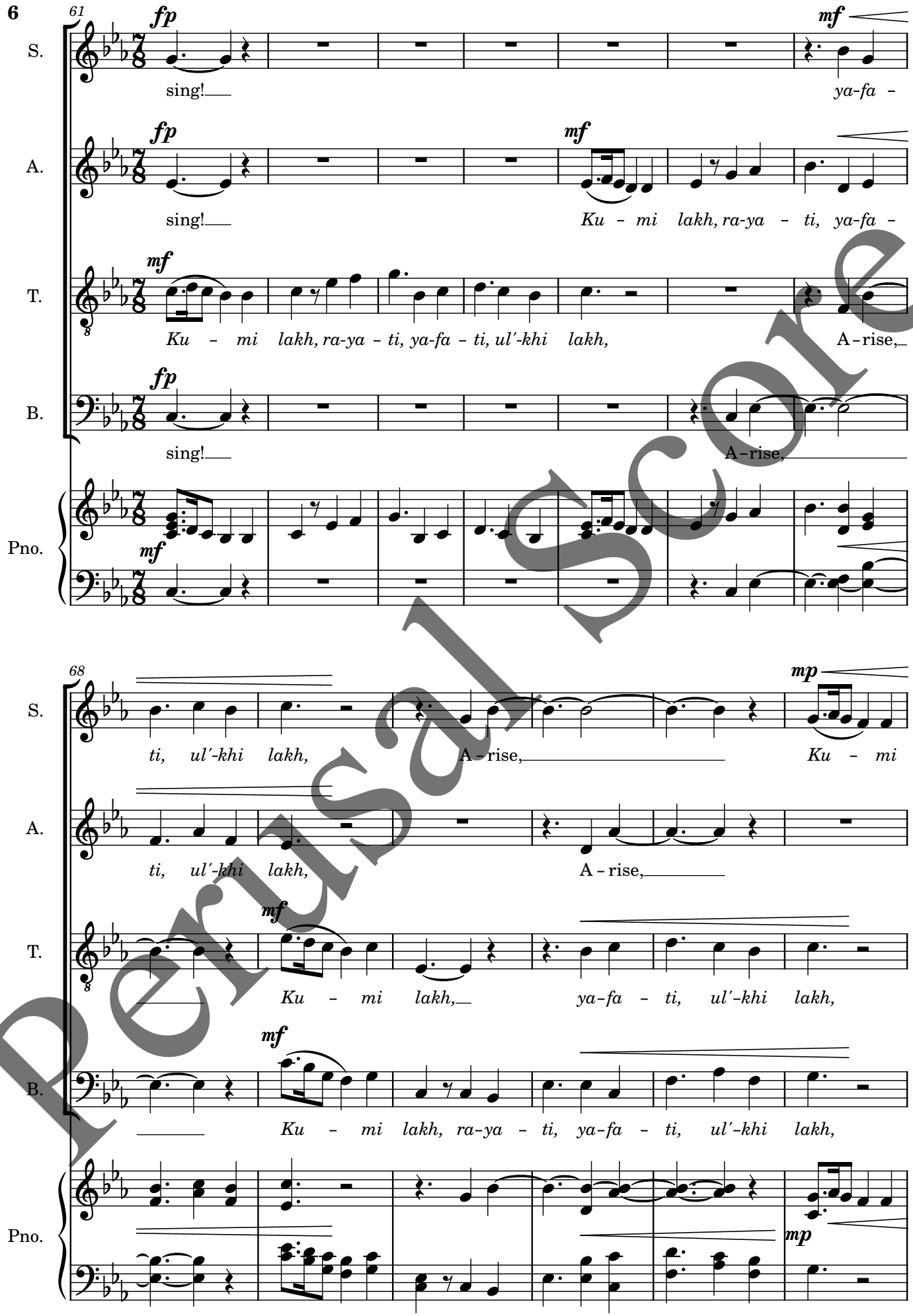

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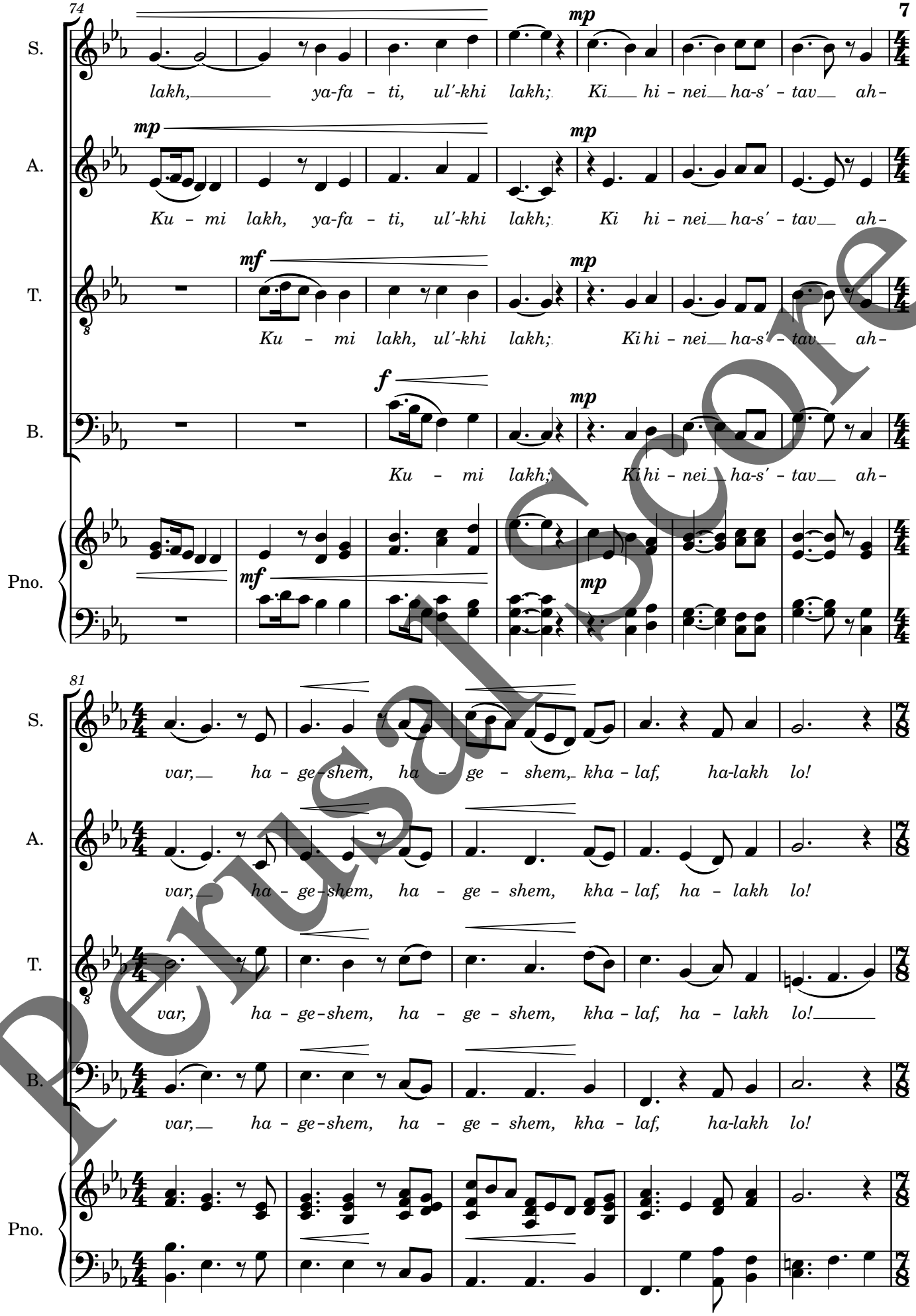

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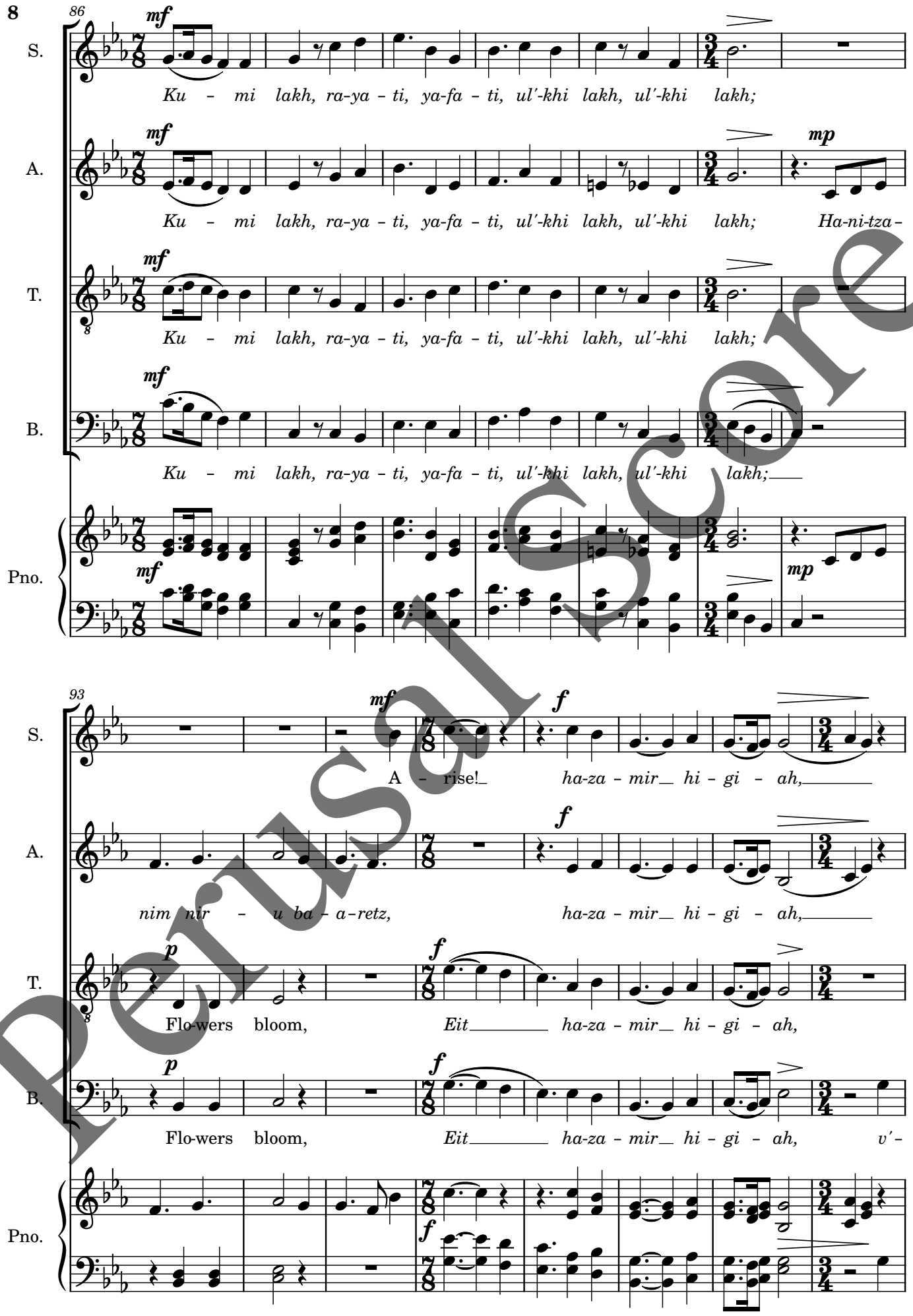

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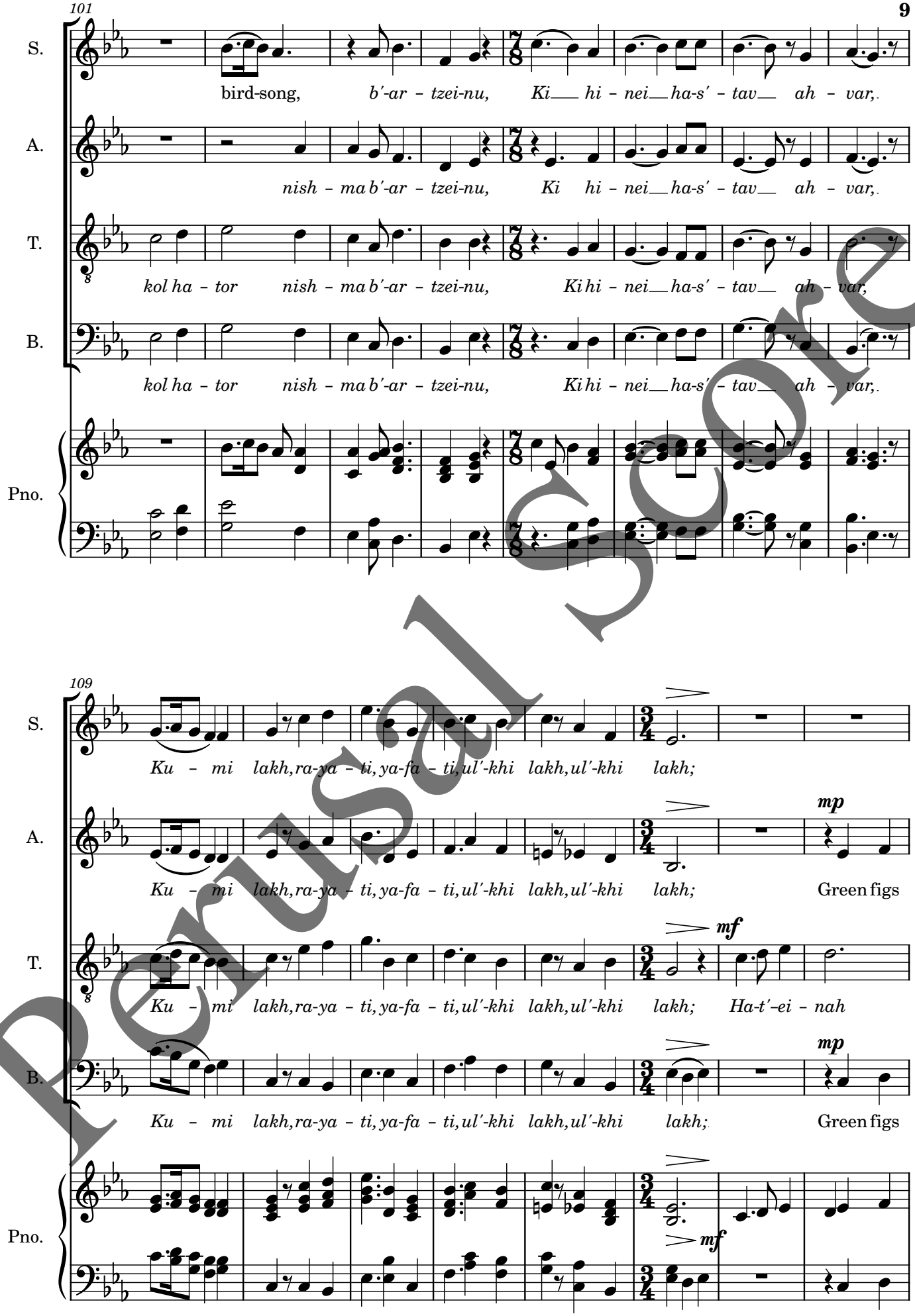

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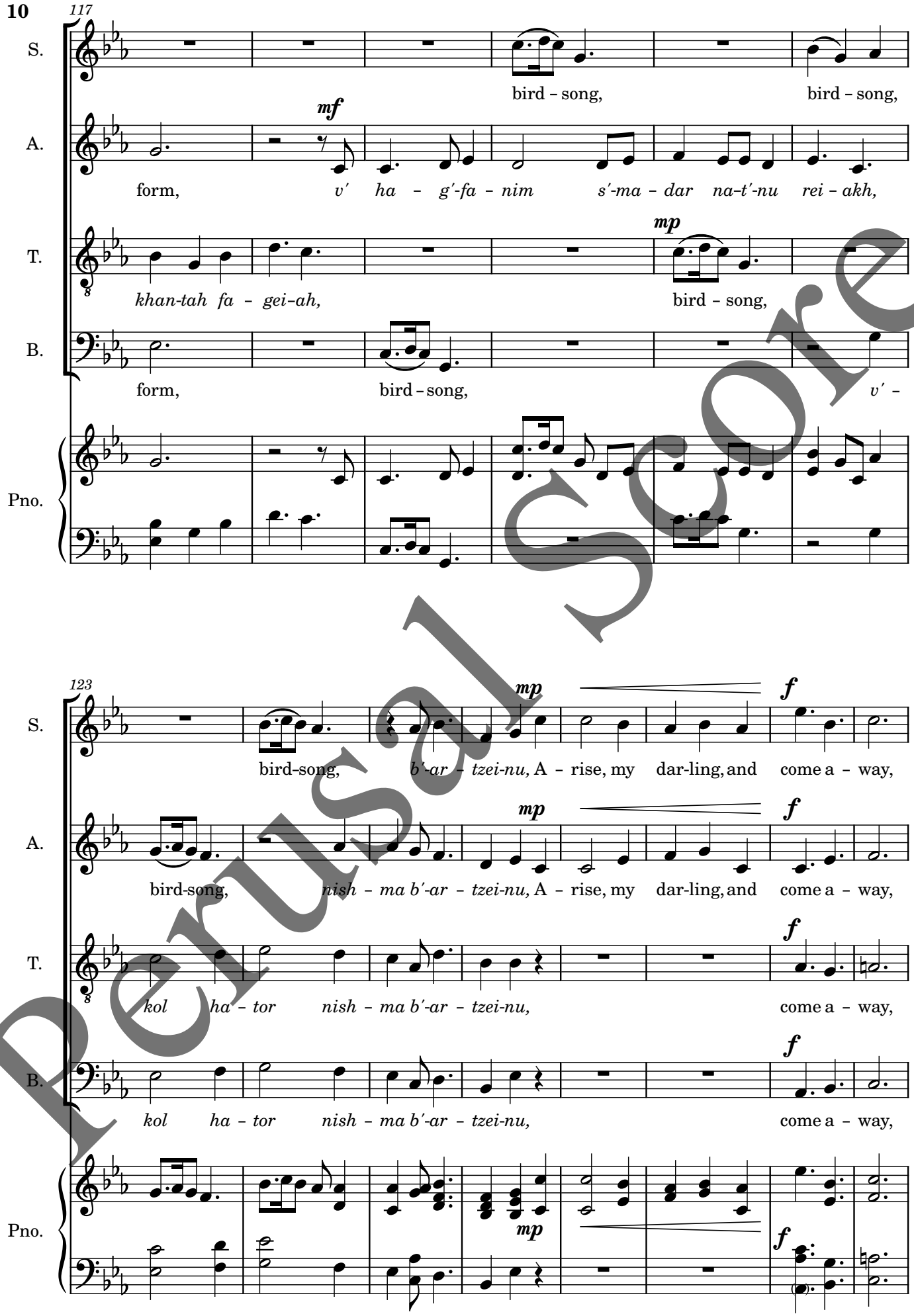

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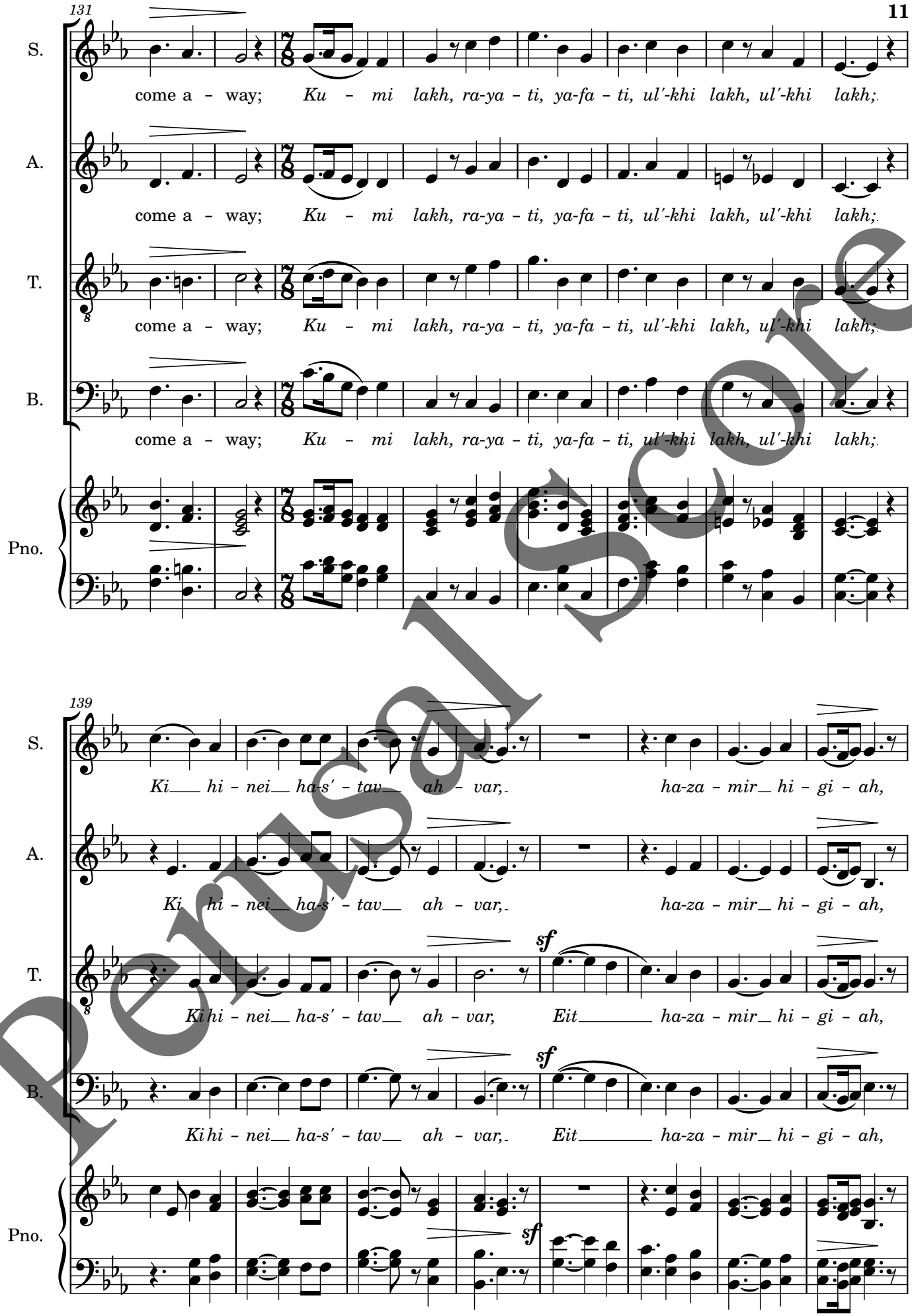

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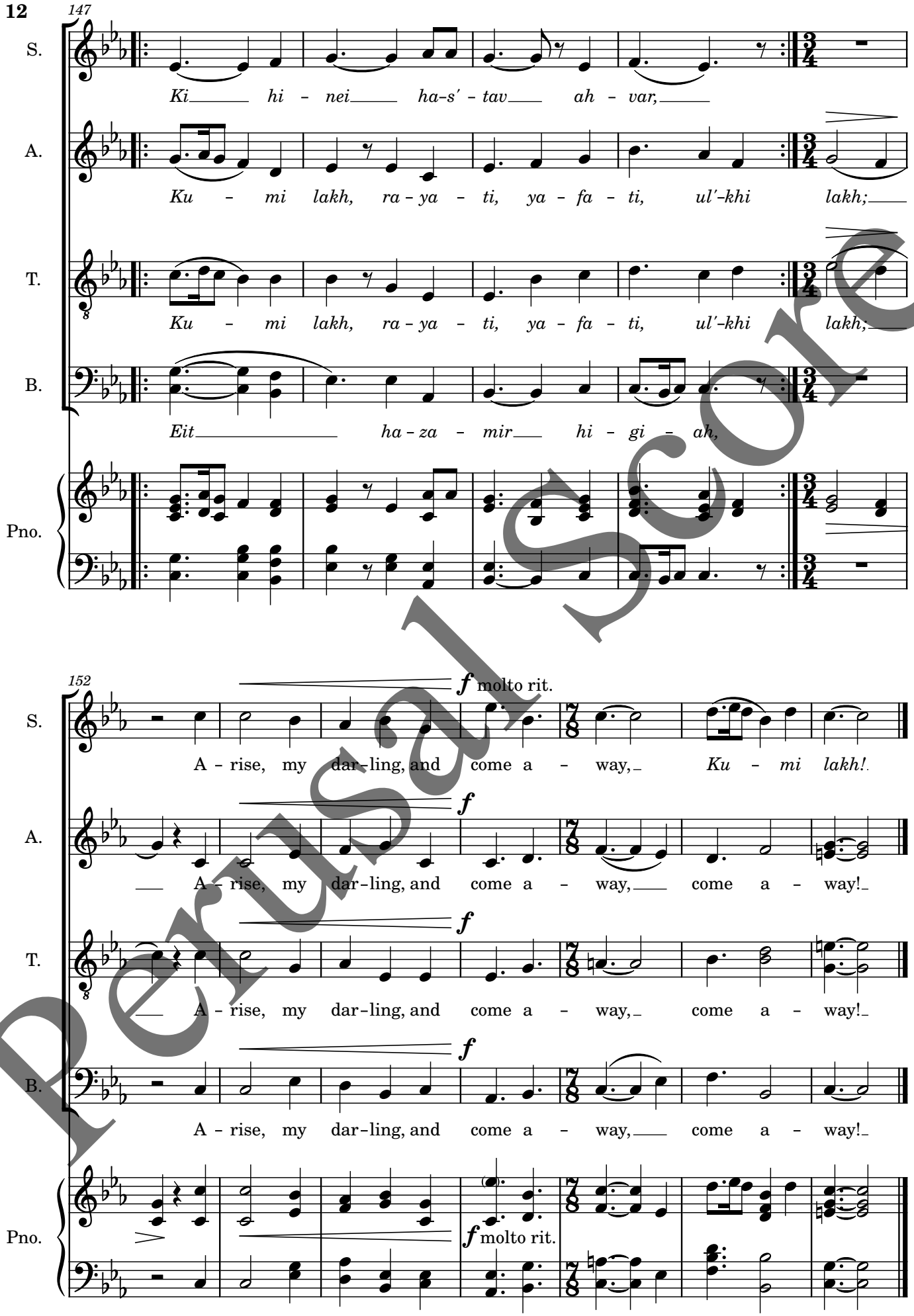

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