A Mother's Touch

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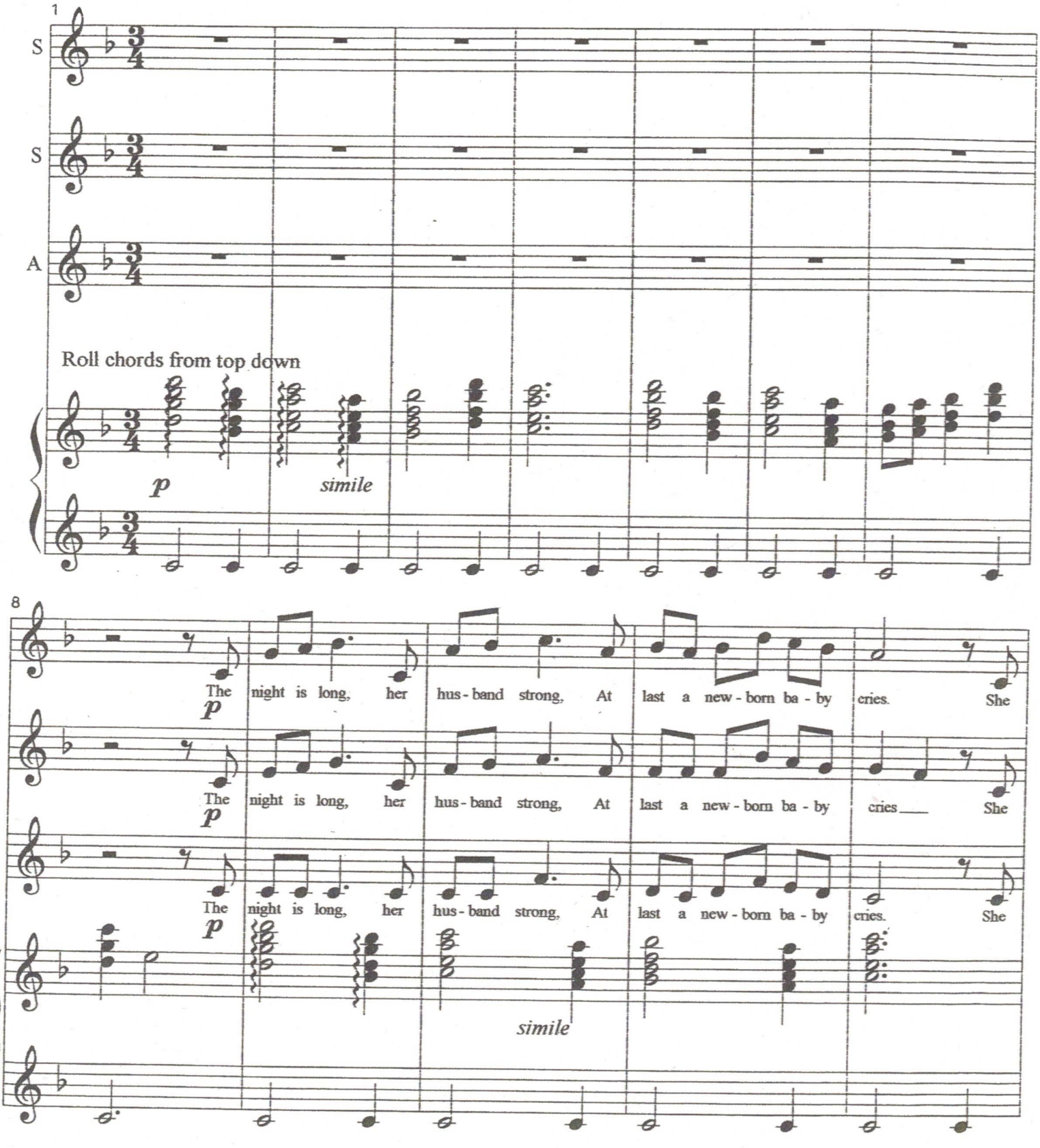
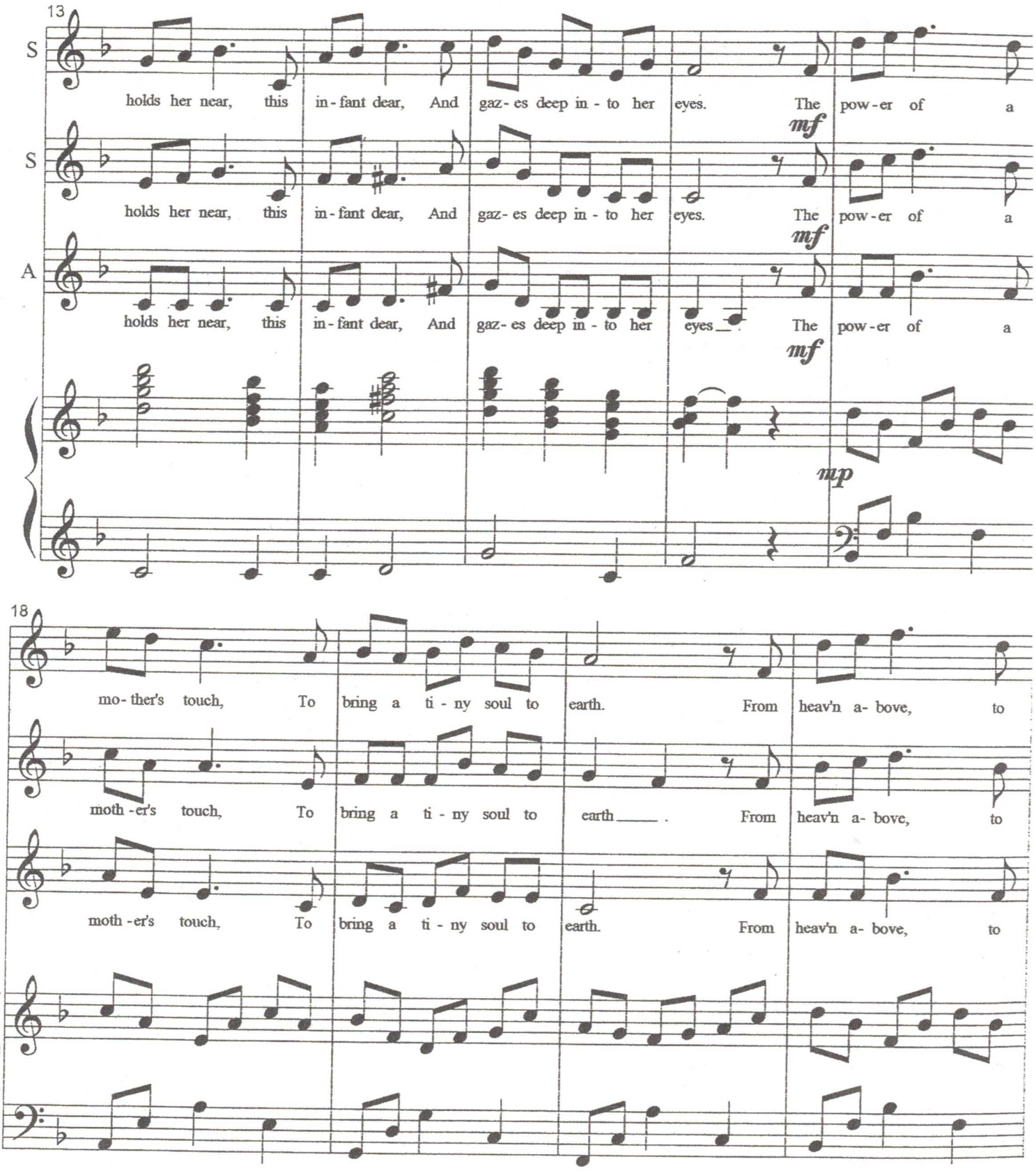
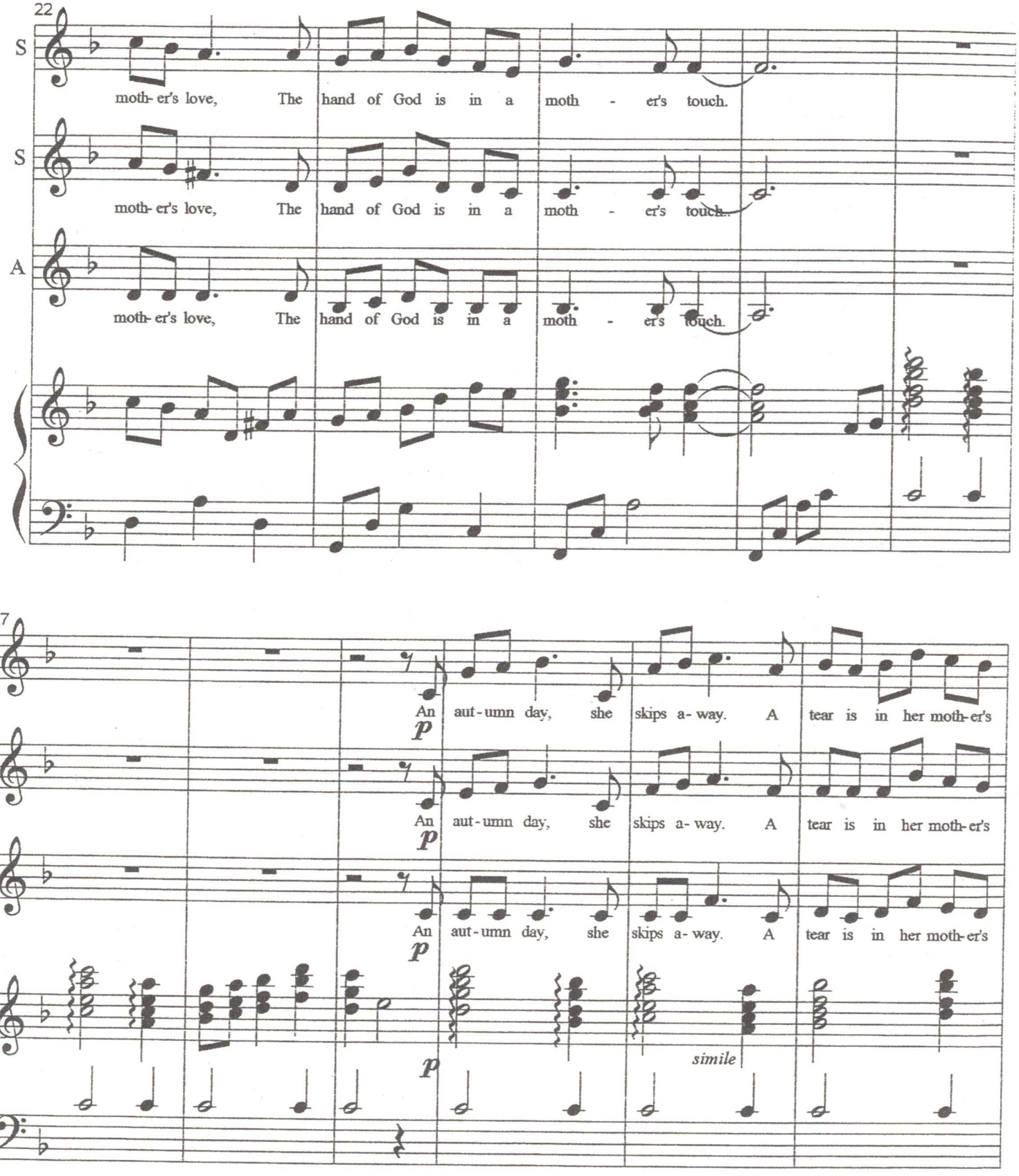



13
S
holds her near, this in - fant dear, And gaz - es deep in - to her eyes. The pow - er of a
mf
S
holds her near, this in - fant dear, And gaz - es deep in - to her eyes. The pow - er of a
mf
A
holds her near, this in - fant dear, And gaz - es deep in - to her eyes. The pow - er of a
mf
mp
18
mo - ther's touch, To bring a ti - ny soul to earth. From heav'n a - bove, to
moth - er's touch, To bring a ti - ny soul to earth. From heav'n a - bove, to
moth - er's touch, To bring a ti - ny soul to earth. From heav'n a - bove, to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S
moth- er's love, The hand of God is in a moth - er's touch.
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moth- er's love, The hand of God is in a moth - er's touch.
A
moth- er's love, The hand of God is in a moth - er's touch.
27
An aut - umn day, she skips a- way. A tear is in her moth- er's
p
An aut - umn day, she skips a- way. A tear is in her moth- er's
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An aut - umn day, she skips a- way. A tear is in her moth- er's
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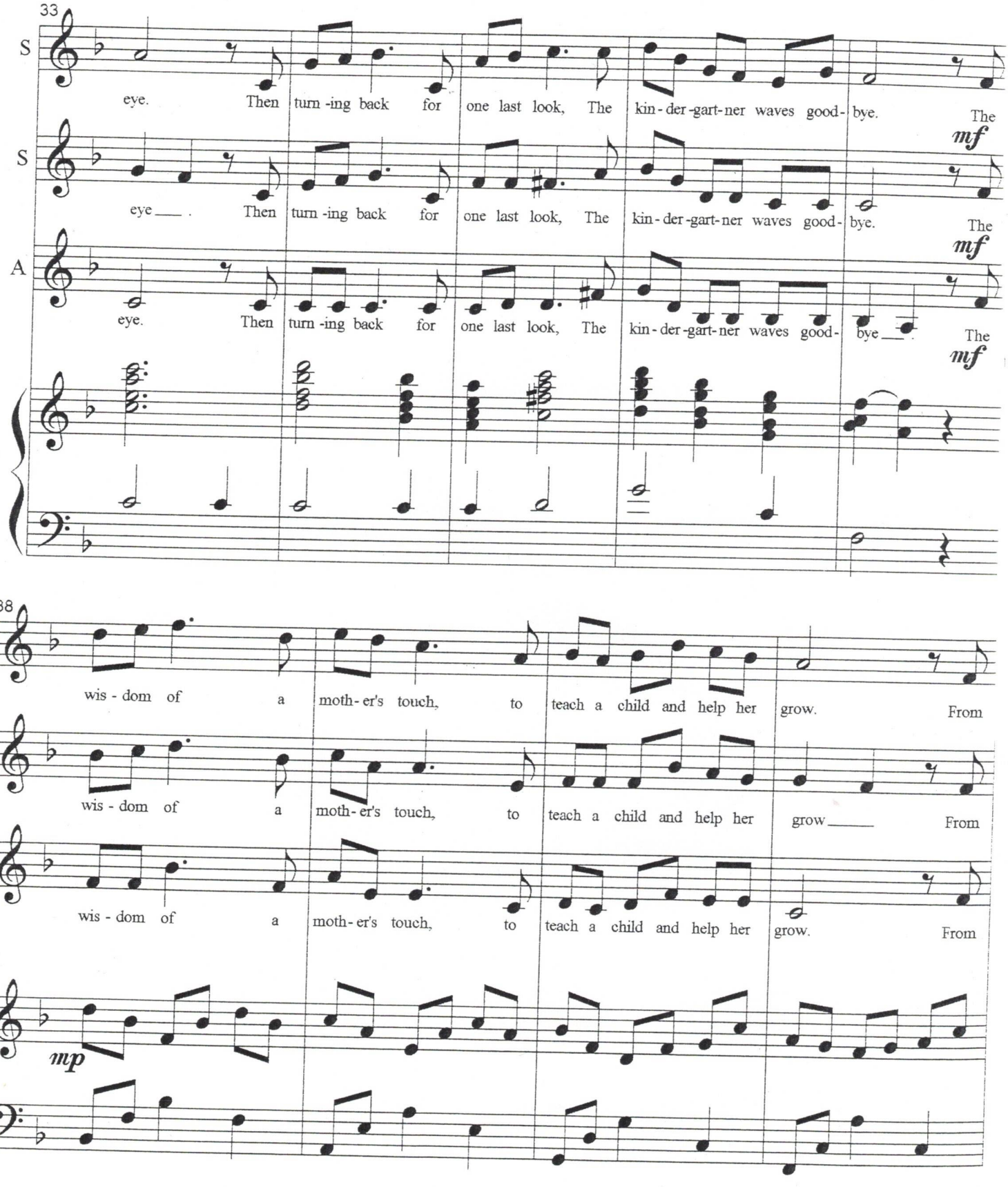
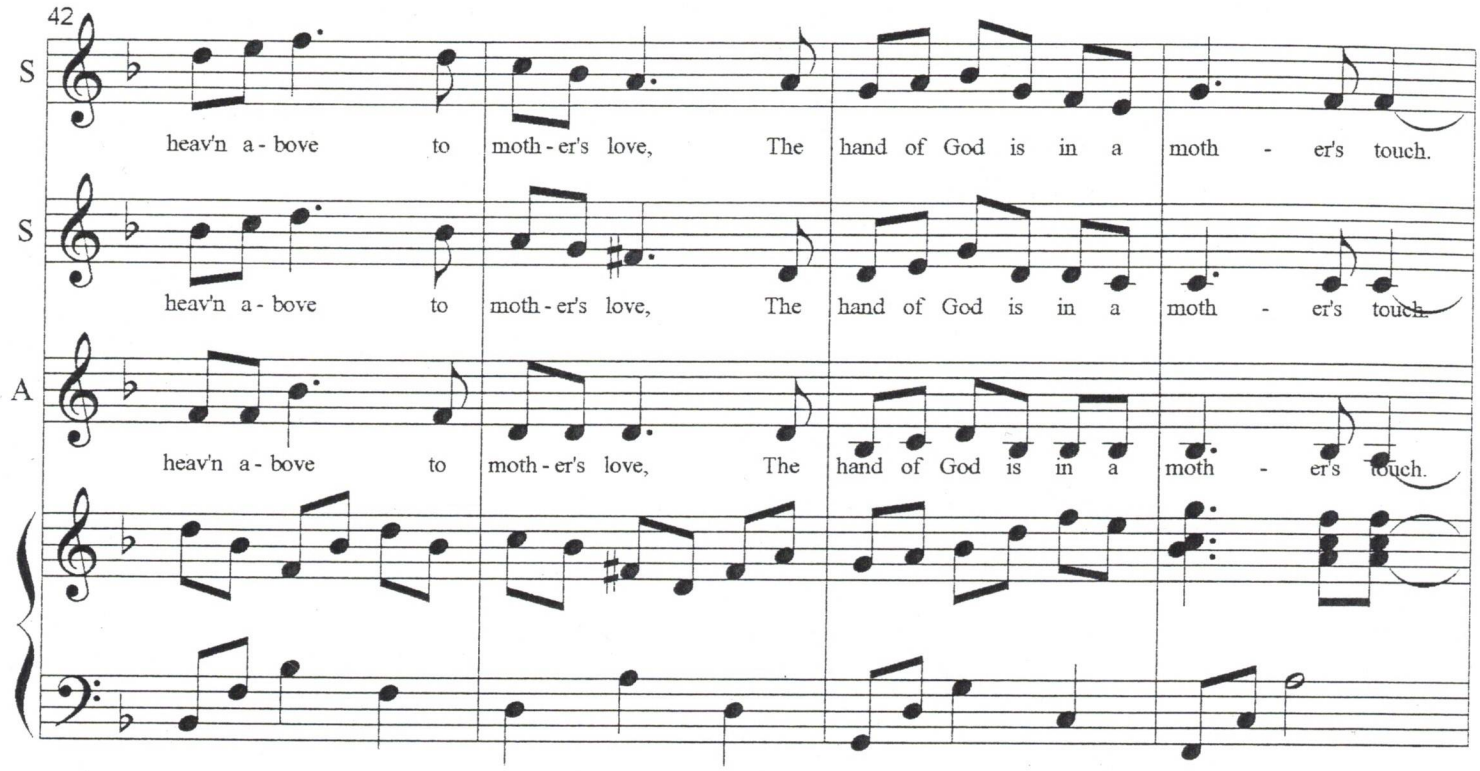

33
S
eye. Then turn -ing back for one last look, The kin - der -gart- ner waves good- bye. The
S
eye ___ . Then turn -ing back for one last look, The kin - der -gart- ner waves good- bye. The
A
eye. Then turn -ing back for one last look, The kin - der -gart- ner waves good- bye ___ . The
mf
38
wis - dom of a moth- er's touch, to teach a child and help her grow. From
wis - dom of a moth- er's touch, to teach a child and help her grow ___ From
wis - dom of a moth- er's touch, to teach a child and help her grow. From
mp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S
heav'n a - bove to moth - er's love, The hand of God is in a moth - er's touch.
S
heav'n a - bove to moth - er's love, The hand of God is in a moth - er's touch.
A
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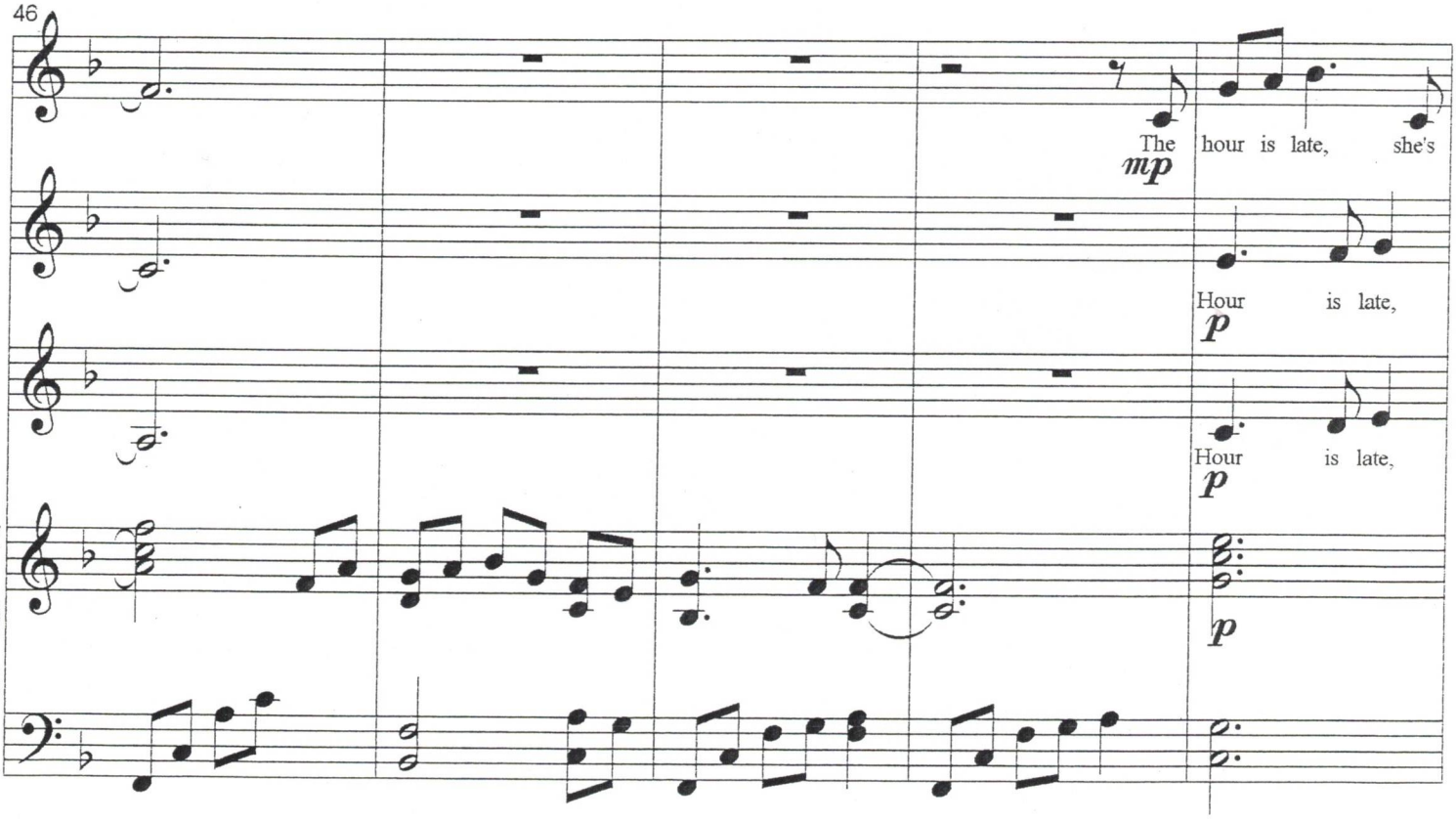
46
The hour is late, she's
mp
Hour is late,
p
Hour is late,
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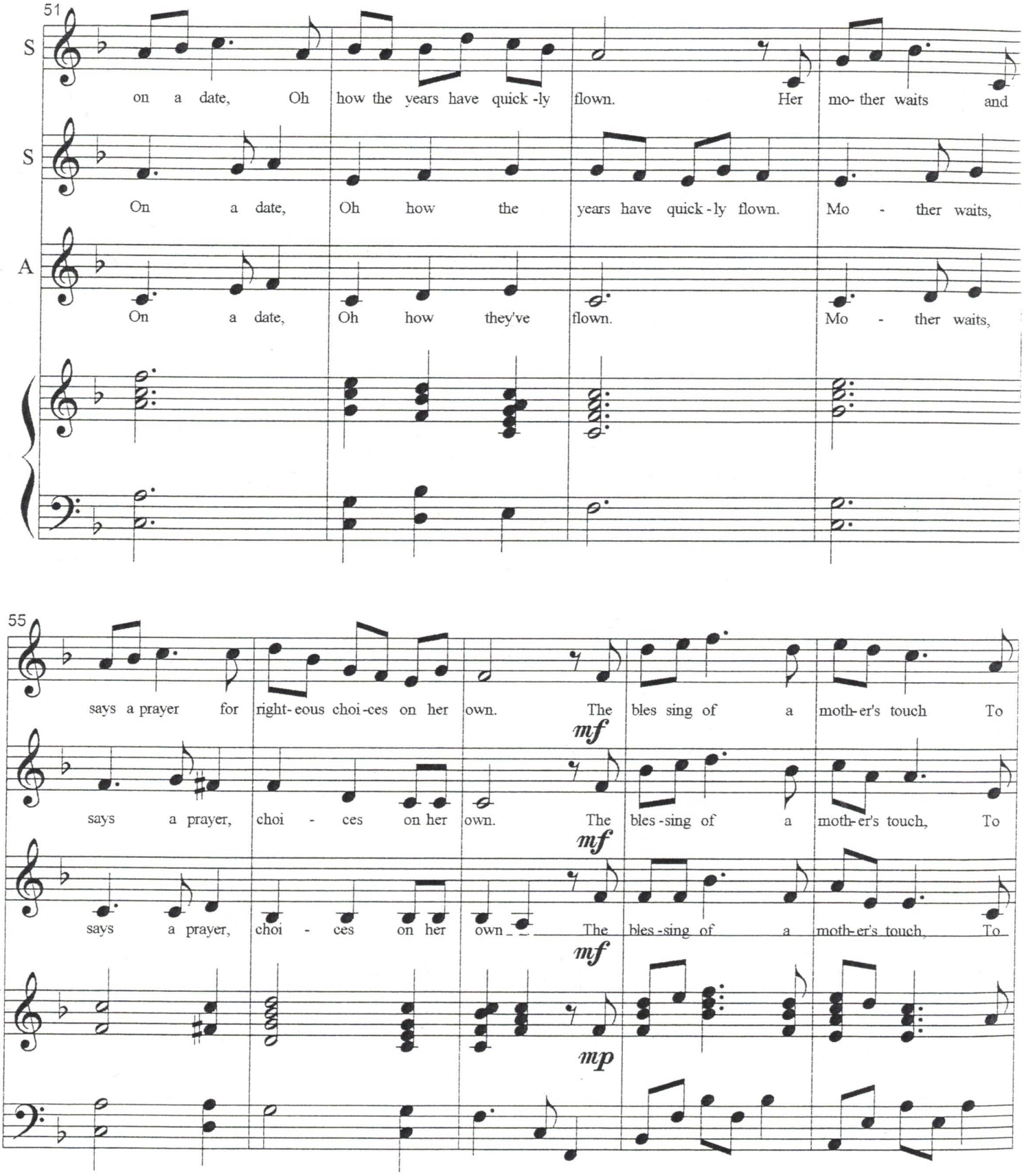
51
S
on a date, Oh how the years have quick -ly flown. Her mo- ther waits and
S
On a date, Oh how the years have quick - ly flown. Mo - ther waits,
A
On a date, Oh how they've flown. Mo - ther waits,
55
says a prayer for right- eous choi -ces on her own. The bles sing of a moth- er's touch To
mf
says a prayer, choi - ces on her own. The bles - sing of a moth- er's touch, To
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says a prayer, choi - ces on her own The bles - sing of a moth- er's touch, To
mf
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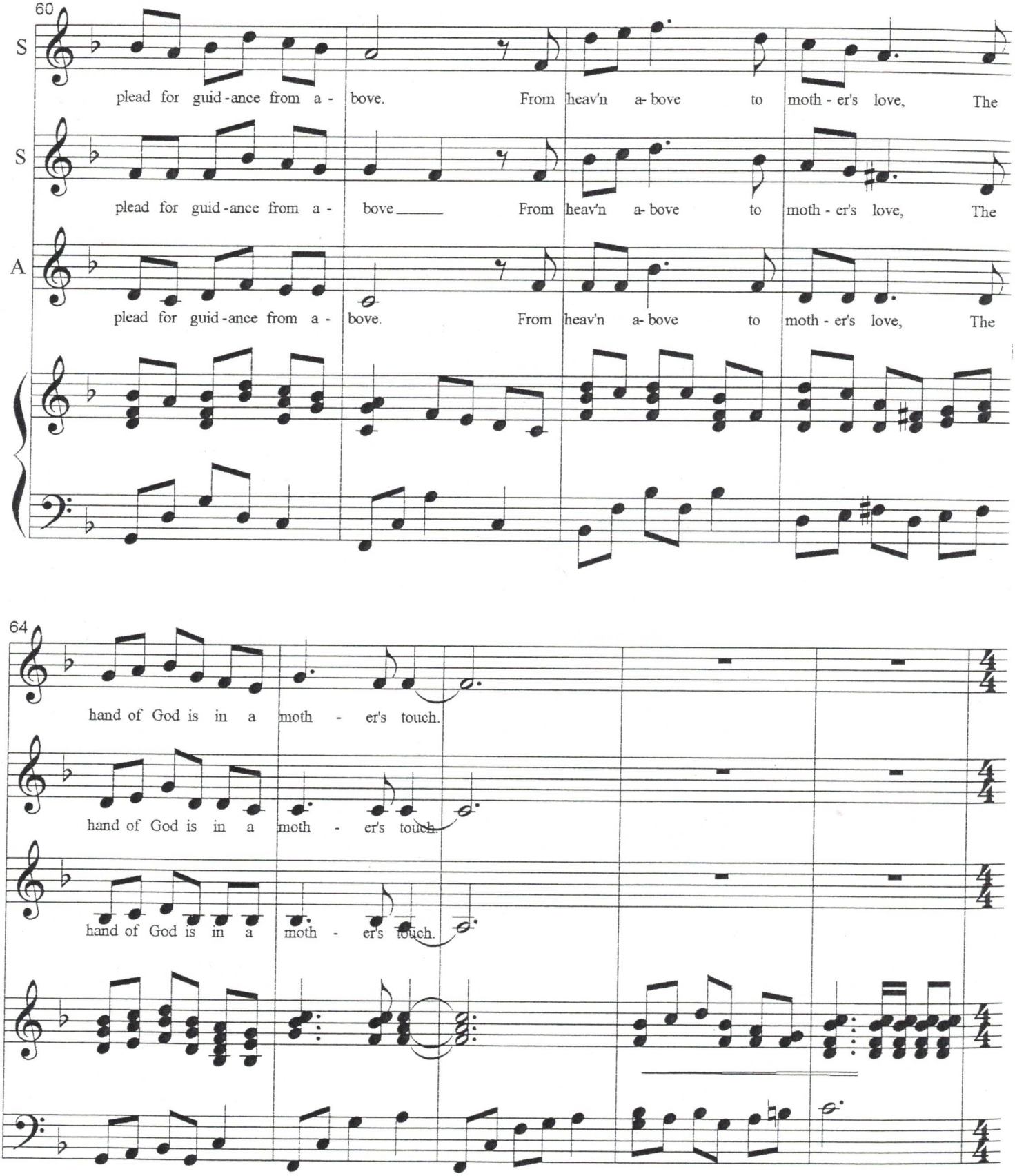
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S
plead for guid - ance from a - bove. From heav'n a- bove to moth - er's love, The
S
plead for guid - ance from a - bove From heav'n a- bove to moth - er's love, The
A
plead for guid - ance from a - bove. From heav'n a- bove to moth - er's love, The
64
hand of God is in a moth - er's touch.
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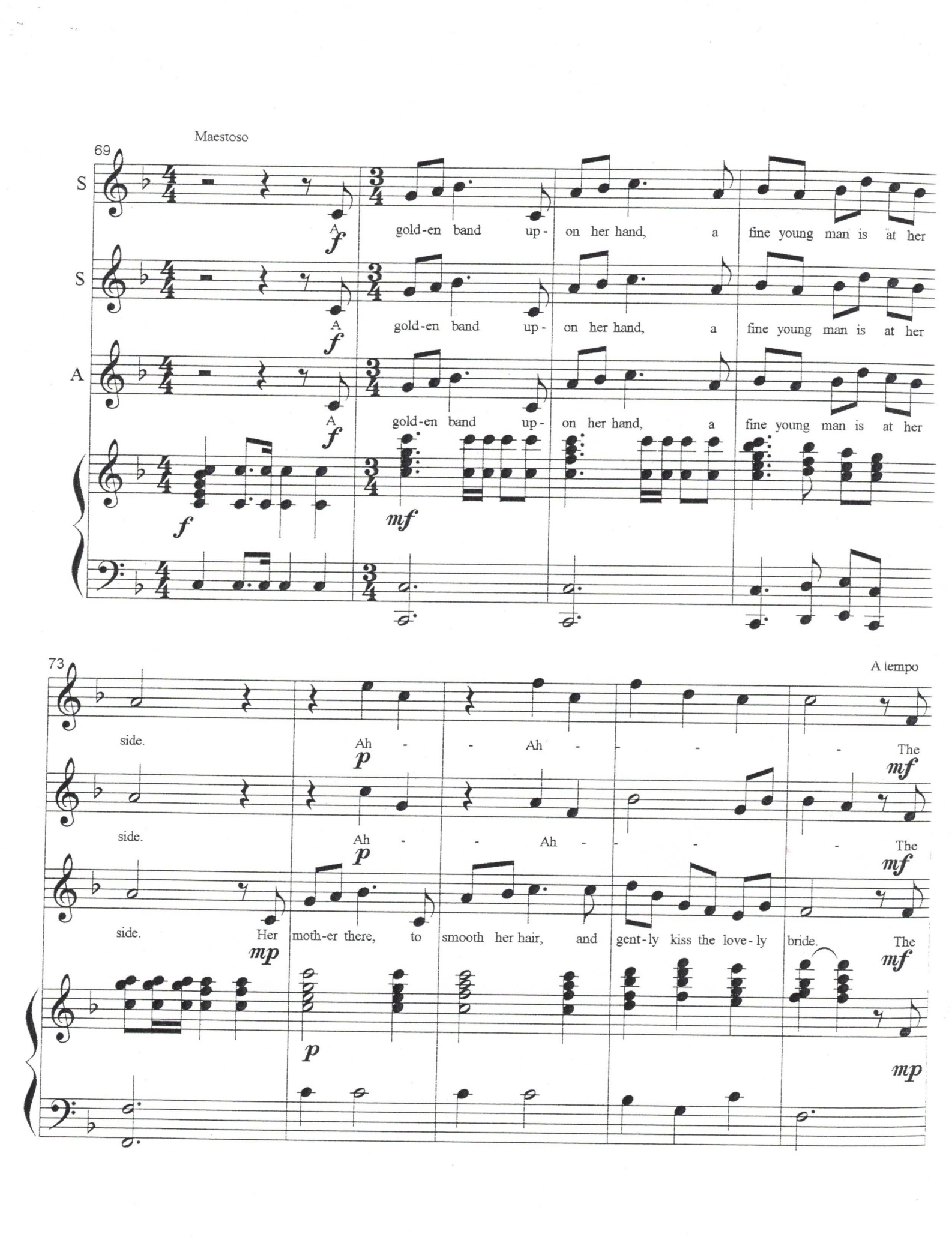
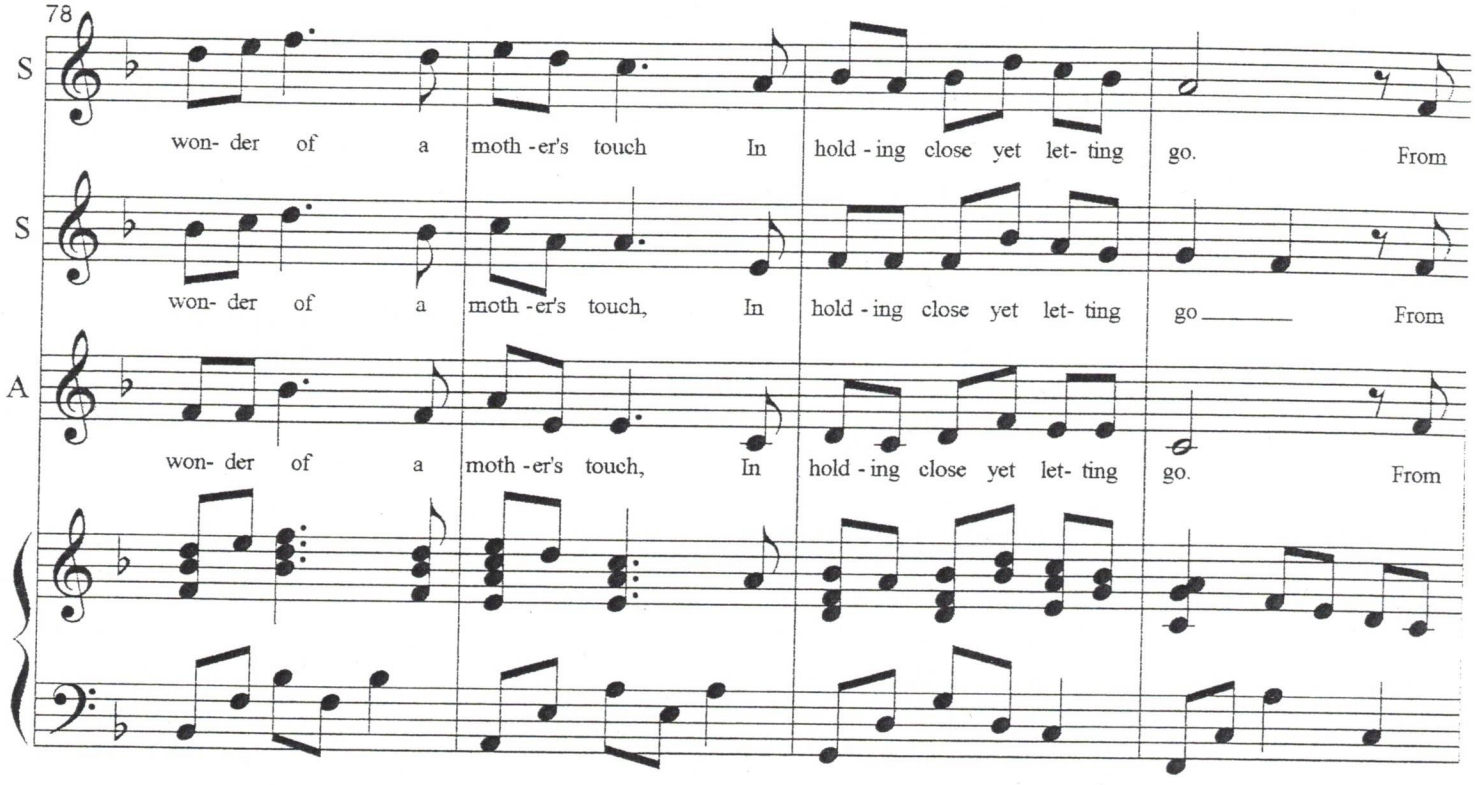

Maestoso
69
S
S
A
A gold-en band up- on her hand, a fine young man is at her
f
mf
73
A tempo
side.
Ah - - Ah - - - The
p
mf
side.
Her moth-er there, to smooth her hair, and gent-ly kiss the love-ly bride.
mp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S
won- der of a moth -er's touch In hold - ing close yet let- ting go. From
S
won- der of a moth -er's touch, In hold - ing close yet let- ting go From
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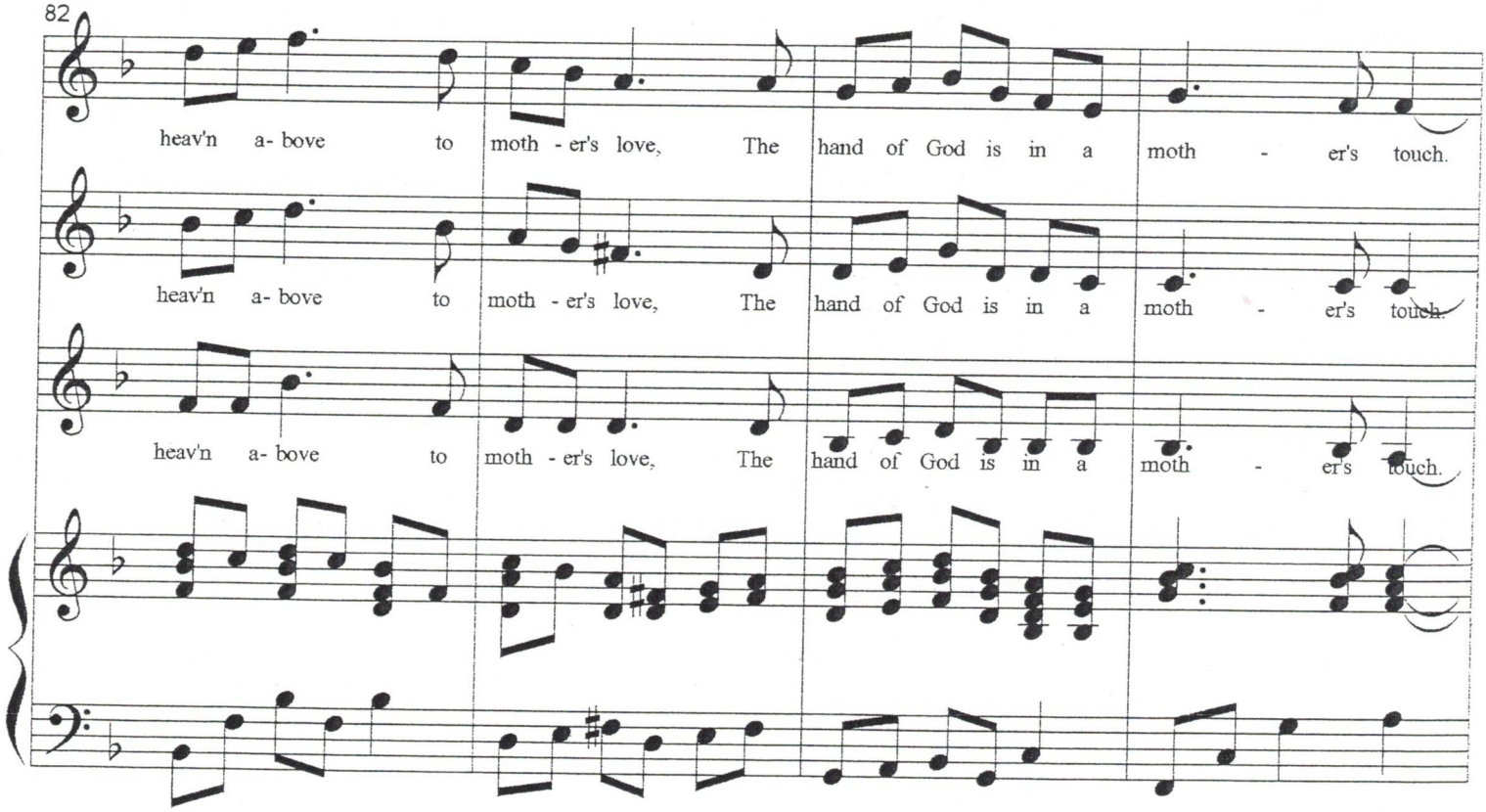
won- der of a moth -er's touch, In hold - ing close yet let- ting go. From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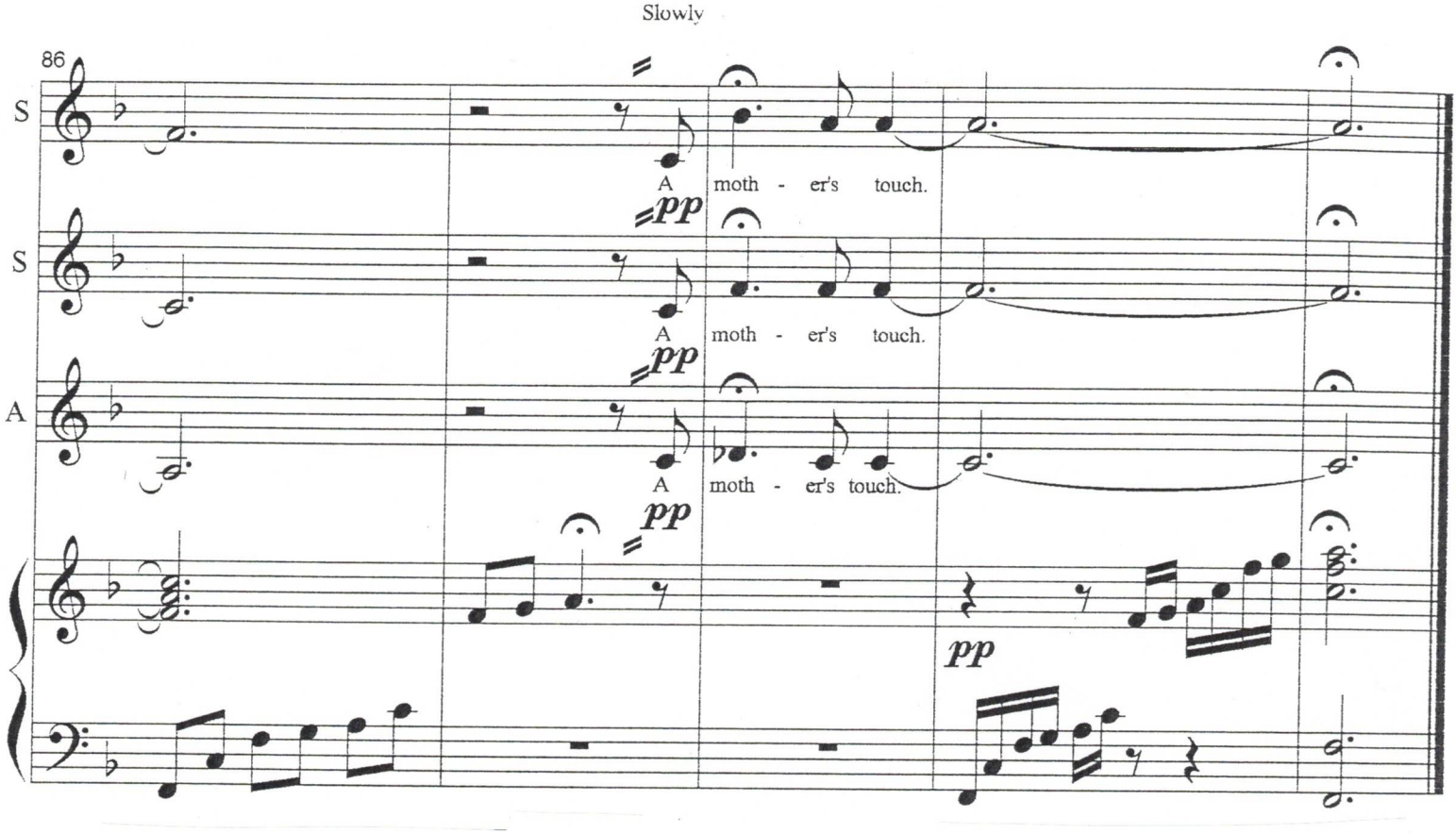
Slowly
86
S
A moth - er's touch.
pp
S
A moth - er's touch.
pp
A
A moth - er's touch.
pp
pp