An Opera of Daniel

a version of the 13th century musical drama by Edward Lambert

with narration by W.H.Auden

Score

INSTRUMENTS
Saxophone (soprano, alto and baritione)
Double bass
Piano or keyboard 'continuo'
Drum kit (or untuned percussion ad lib.)

CHARACTERS
Narrator - spoken
Belshazzar, *King of Babylon* - bass
Daniel, *Jewish prisoner* - tenor
The Queen, *wife of Belshazzar* - soprano
Darius, *successor to Belshazzar* - tenor
Angel - soprano
Habakkuk, *a holy man* - bass
A Courtier - tenor

Choruses of youths, nobles, wise men, soldiers, messengers, conspirators, angels, lions

(Queen / Angel, Belshazzar / Habbakuk, Courtier / Darius may be played by the same singers doubling roles in which case only 4 soloists would be required).

Duration about 50 minutes
The score is notated in C

This version of 'The Play of Daniel' was written for performances by the Newbury Chamber Choir 2015
(*Rhythms freely interpreted, accompaniments added and partly translated).*

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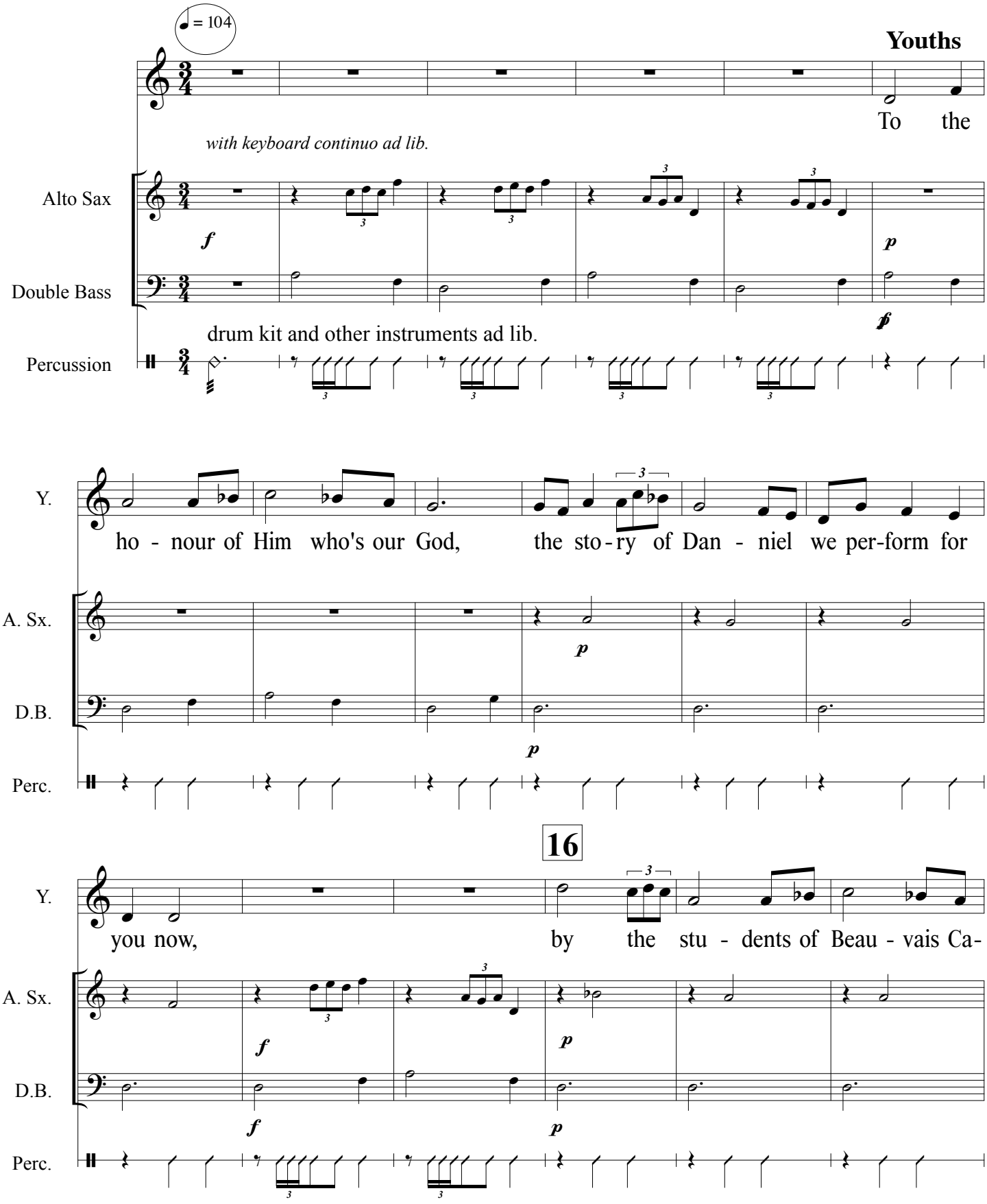
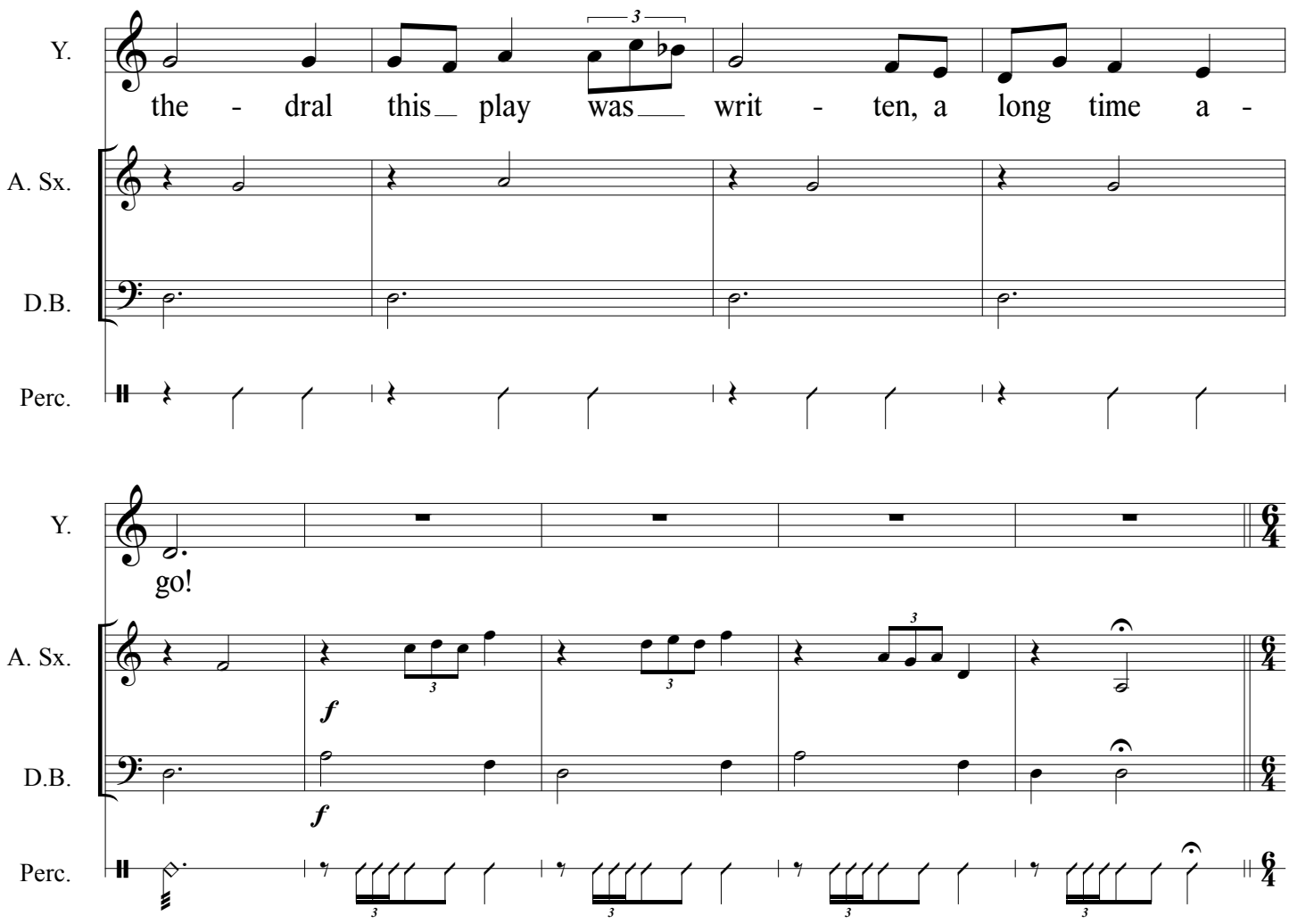
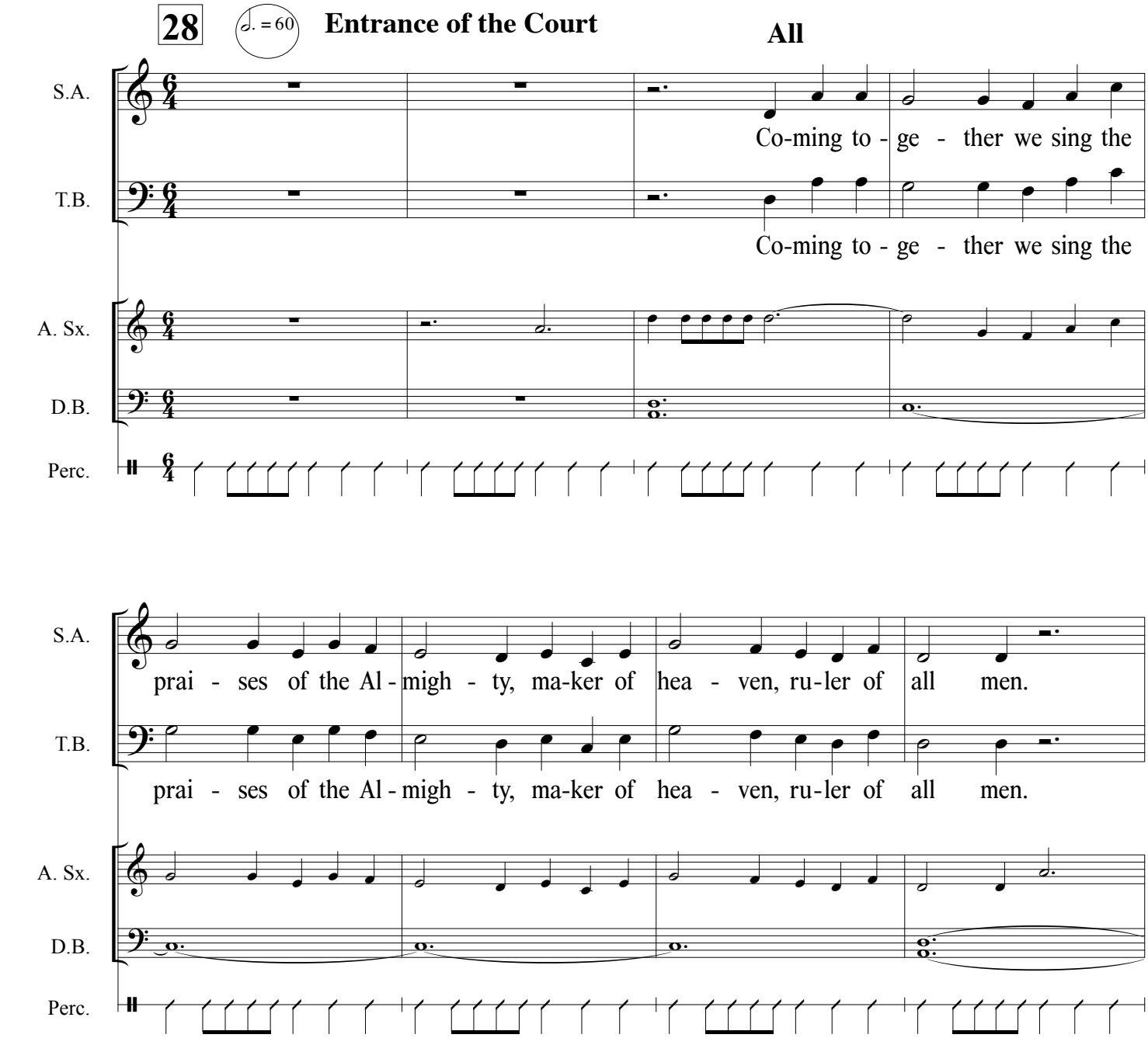
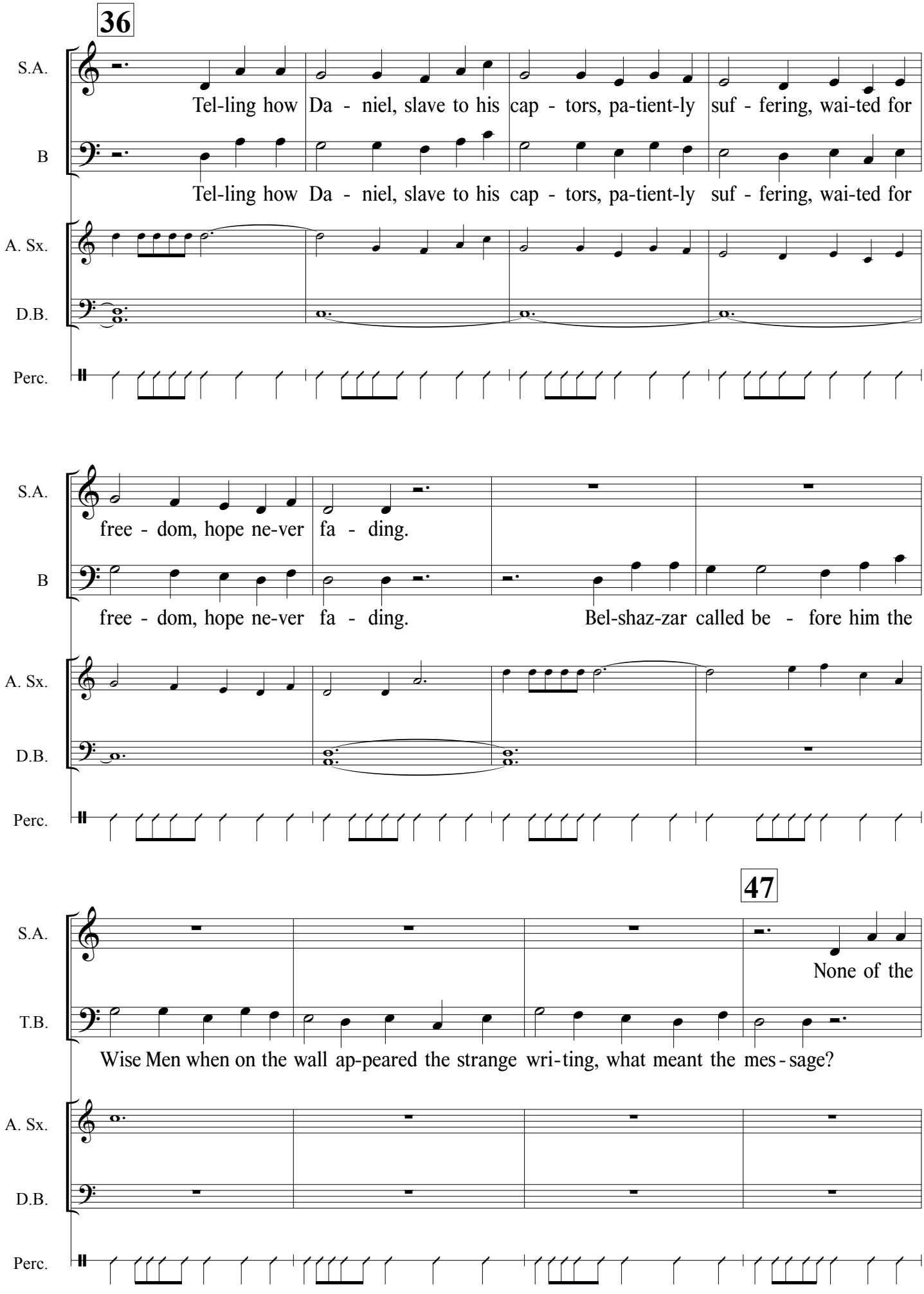




NARRATOR
Welcome, good people, watch and listen
To a play in praise of the prophet Daniel,
Beloved of the Lord. Long has he dwelt
In brick Babylon, built by a river,
Far from Jerusalem, his real home,
A son of Judah, suffering exile
Since Jehoakim turned from the true God
To worship idols in high places.
Painful was the price to be paid for that:
For the cruel king of the Chaldees,
Nebuchadnezzar with a numberless host
Besieged Jerusalem and soon prevailed.
He broke her gates, burned her with fire,
Her men and women he made captive,
Her temple treasures he took away,
Shut them in the house of Shinah, his ungod,
A brass thing in which no breath was.

But Daniel, the pious, from the days of his youth,
Worshipped the One and walked humbly,
So God gave him gifts of vision
That found him favor in this foreign land.
He alone was ready to read the dreams
That Nebuchadnezzar in the night had,
And the fate he foretold befell that king,
Whole senses forsook him for seven years;
Like a witless ox he ate grass,
Nameless, naked, his nails like claws.
Those days are done. He dies, and now
His son Belshazzar sits on the throne.
See, he approaches, his princes with him.

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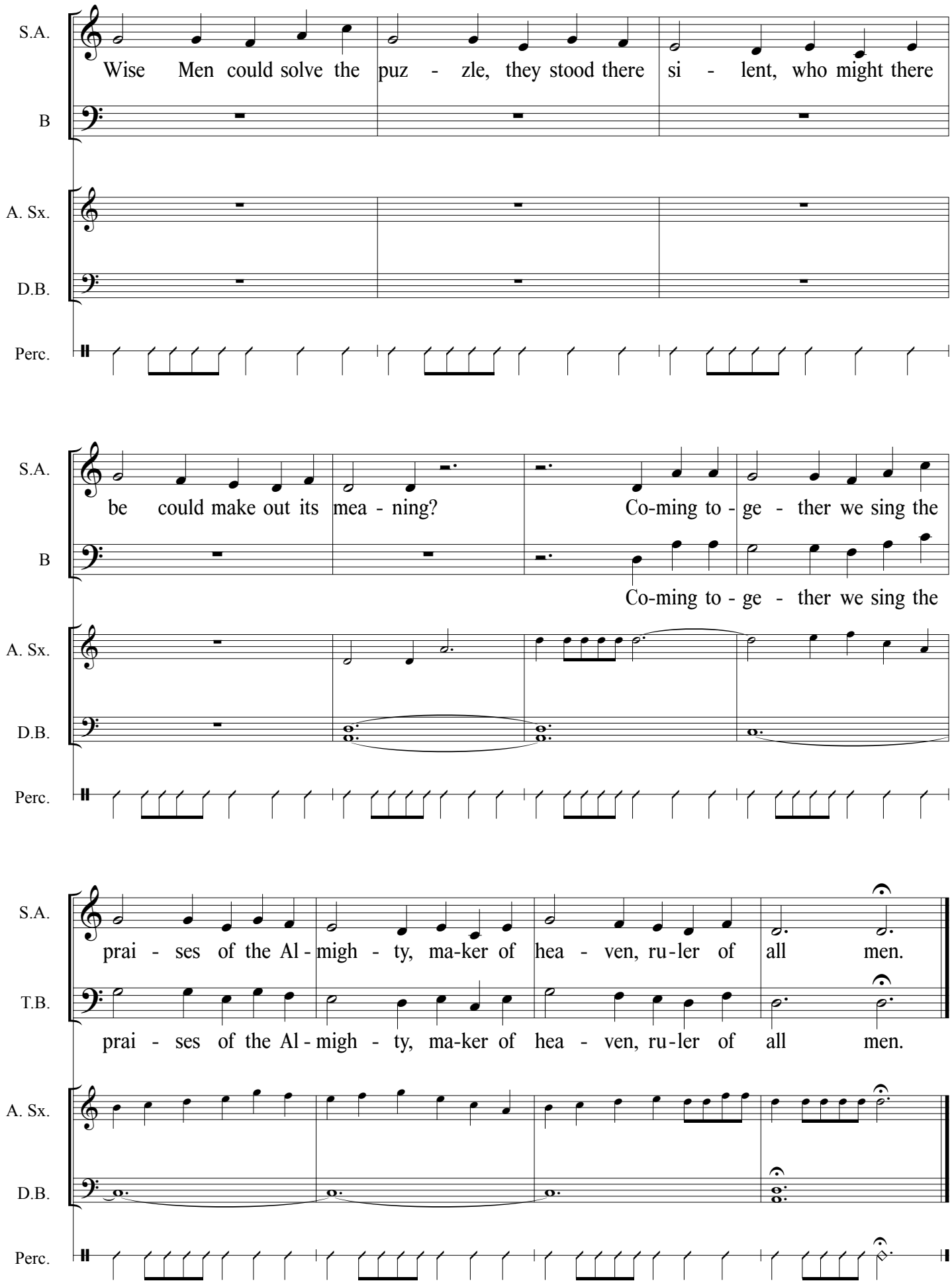
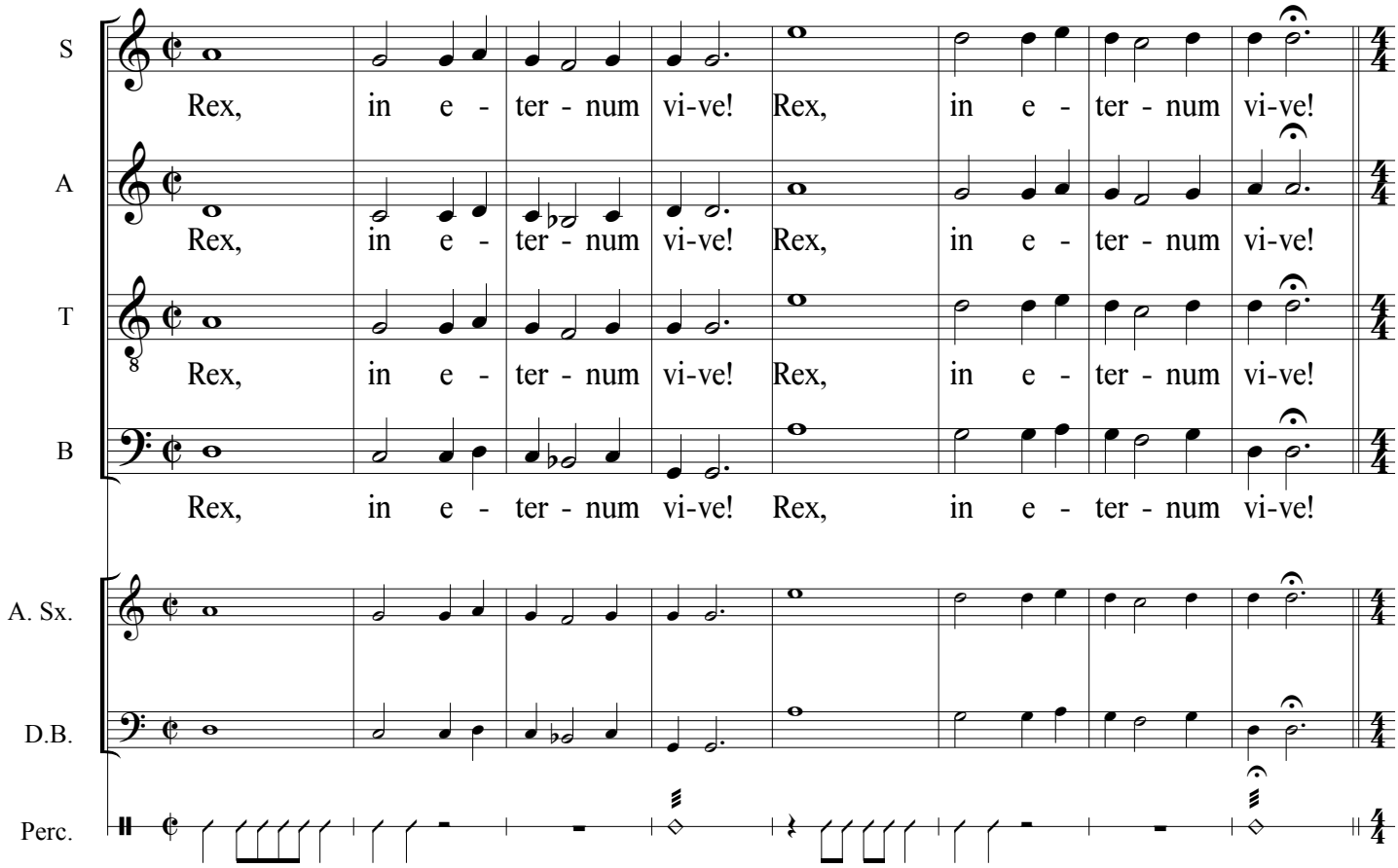
S.A.
Tel-ling how Da - niel, slave to his cap - tors, pa-tient-ly suf - fering, wai-ted for
B
Tel-ling how Da - niel, slave to his cap - tors, pa-tient-ly suf - fering, wai-ted for
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
S.A.
free - dom, hope ne-ver fa - ding.
B
free - dom, hope ne-ver fa - ding. Bel-shaz-zar called be - fore him the
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
47
S.A.
None of the
T.B.
Wise Men when on the wall ap-peared the strange wri-ting, what meant the mes - sage?
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S.A.
Wise Men could solve the puz - zle, they stood there si - lent, who might there
B
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
S.A.
be could make out its mea - ning? Co-ming to - ge - ther we sing the
B
Co-ming to - ge - ther we sing the
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
S.A.
prai - ses of the Al - migh - ty, ma-ker of hea - ven, ru - ler of all men.
T.B.
prai - ses of the Al - migh - ty, ma-ker of hea - ven, ru - ler of all men.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

NARRATOR
Mighty Belshazzar commands a feast:
A thousand lords give him thanks and glory.
Flushed and foolish, flown with pride,
He bids his servants to bring hither
The goodly goblets of gold and silver,
The consecrated cups and vessels
Set aside for sacred use
In Jehovah's temple, but taken thence
When Nebuchadnezzar annexed Judah.
His wanton wives drink wine therefrom.
With lustful lips and looks profane,
Their shouts grow shameless at Belshazzar's table
In honor of idols of their own devising
Forgetting God from whom all greatness comes.
In this heedless hour a hand appears,
Phantom fingers come forth and write
Words on the wall, a wonder to behold.
The sight silences: they cease laughing;
Full of fear is the face of the king,
Belshazzar of Babylon; his bowels quake,
His knees knock. In his need he cries:
"Summon my soothsayers, the sages of my kingdom
My wise men. Wealth shall he have,
Garments of scarlet and gold chains,
Who reads what is written, unriddles these words."

59 **All**

As Belshazzar ascends the throne.



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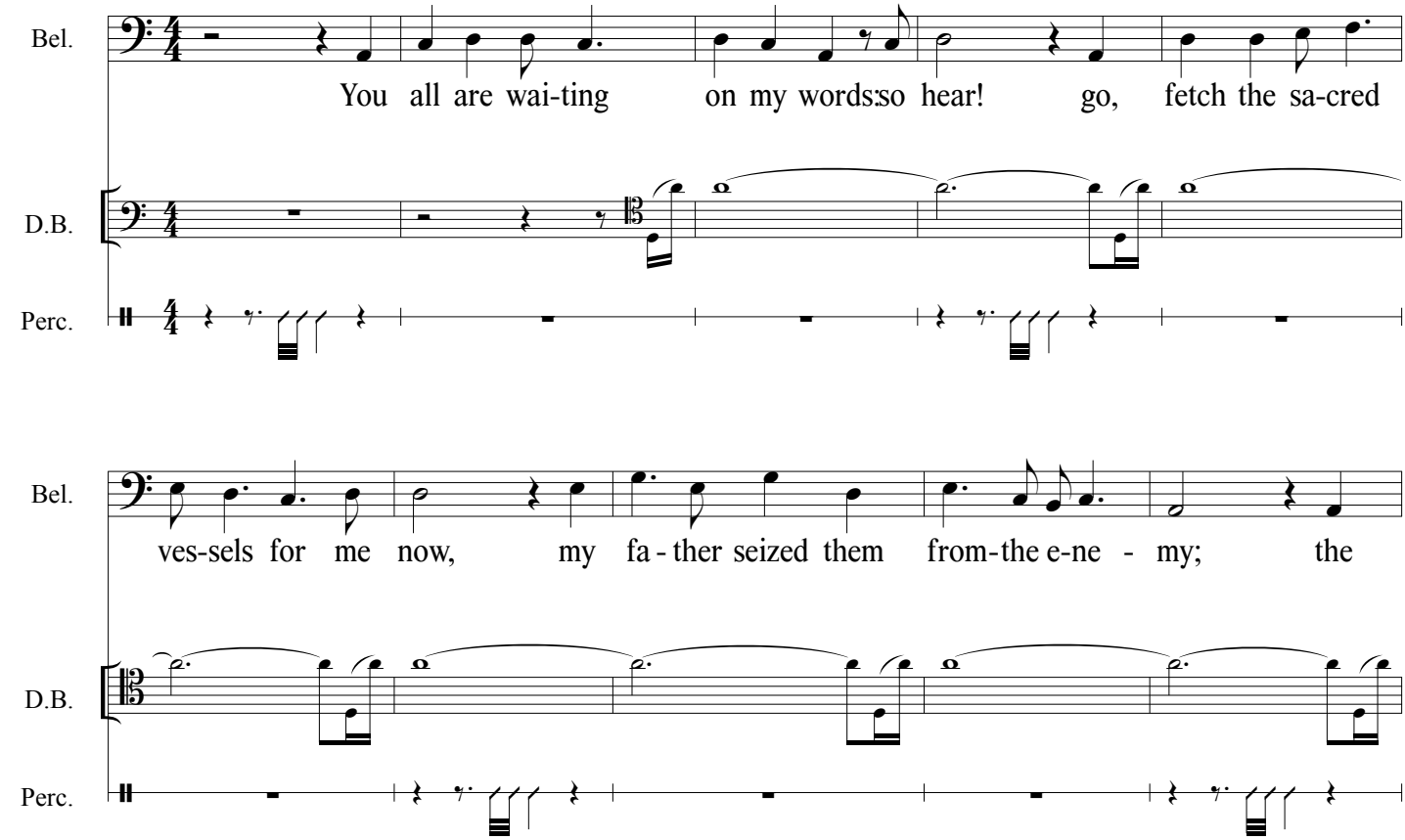
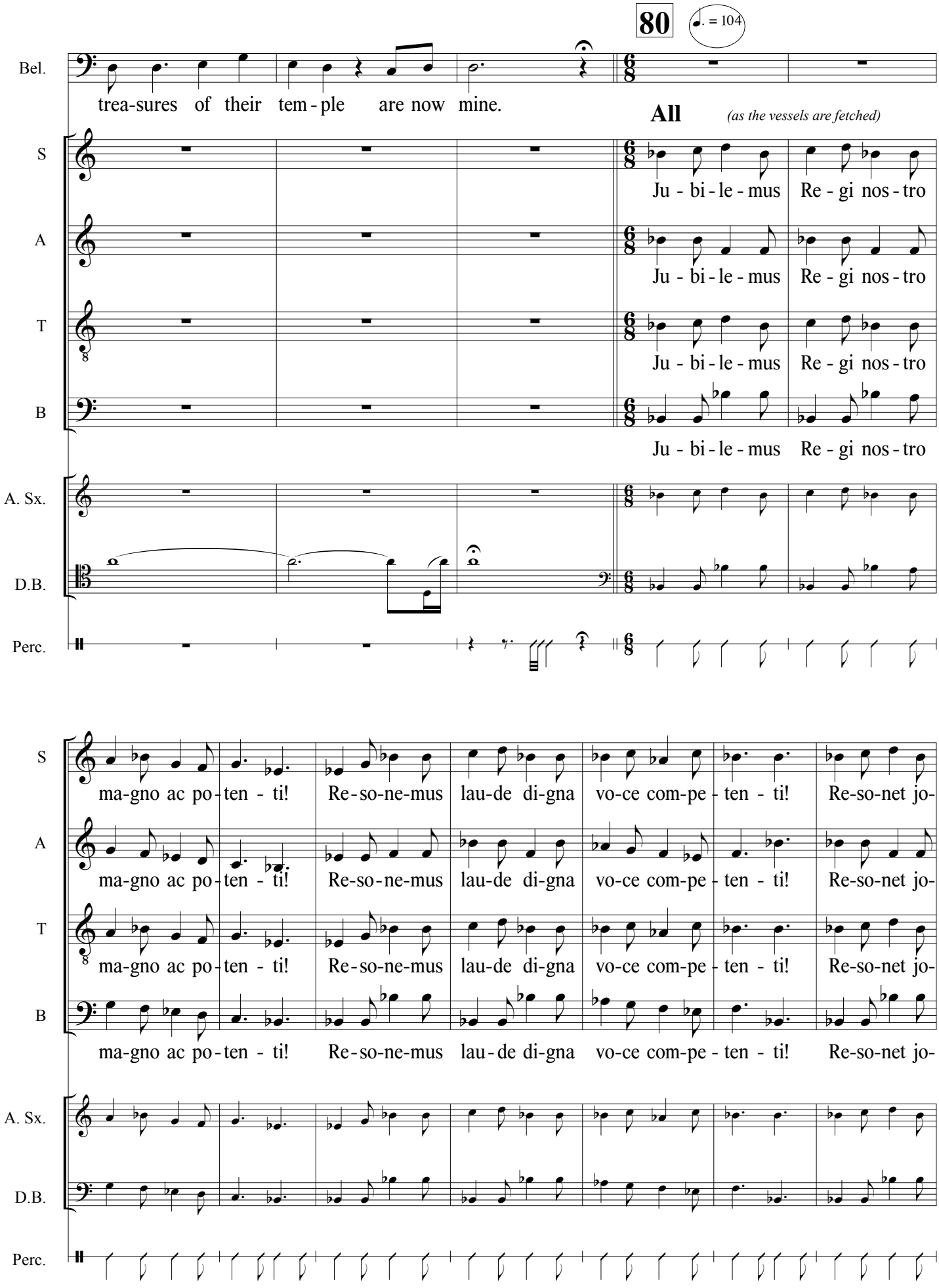
Belshazzar

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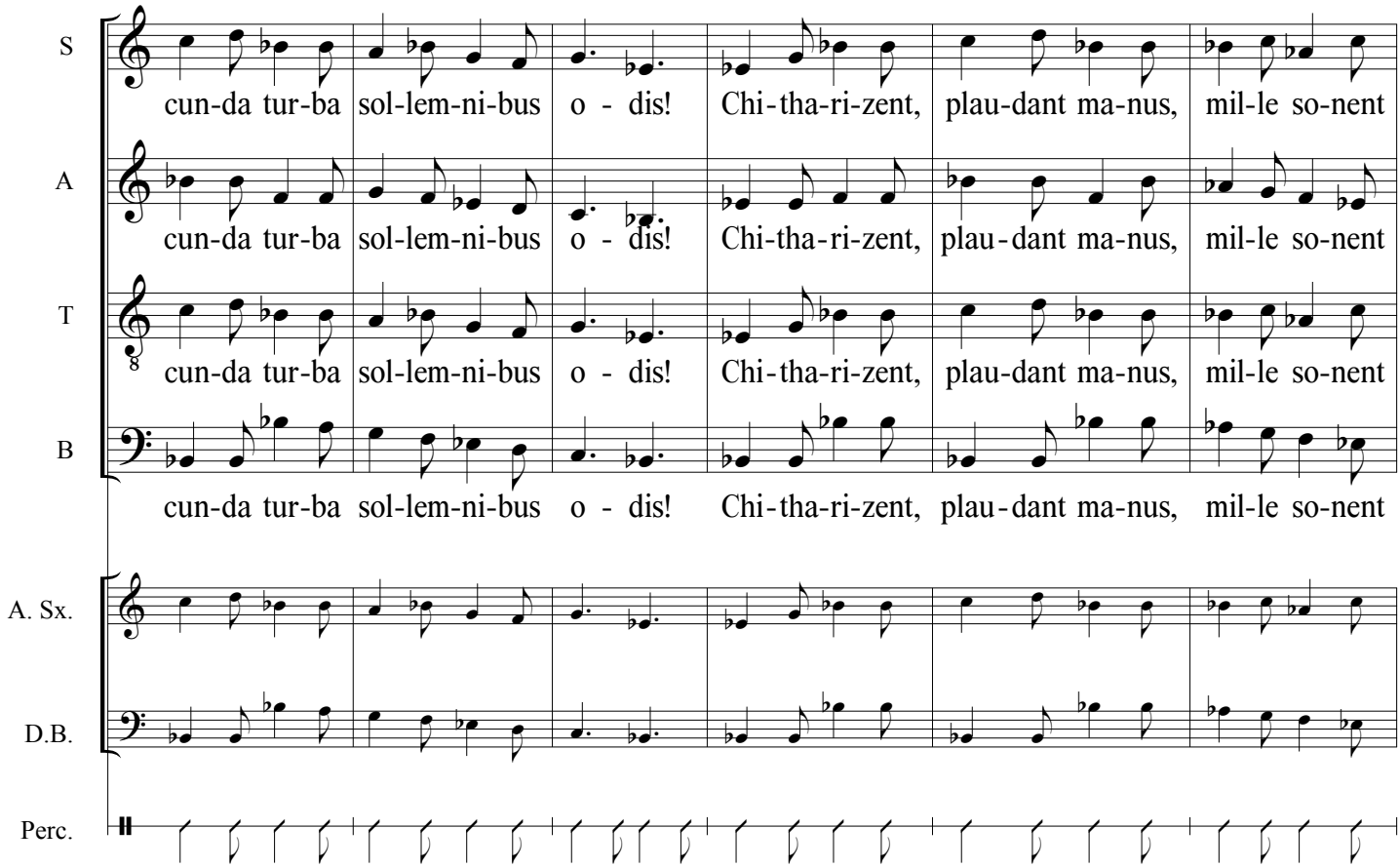
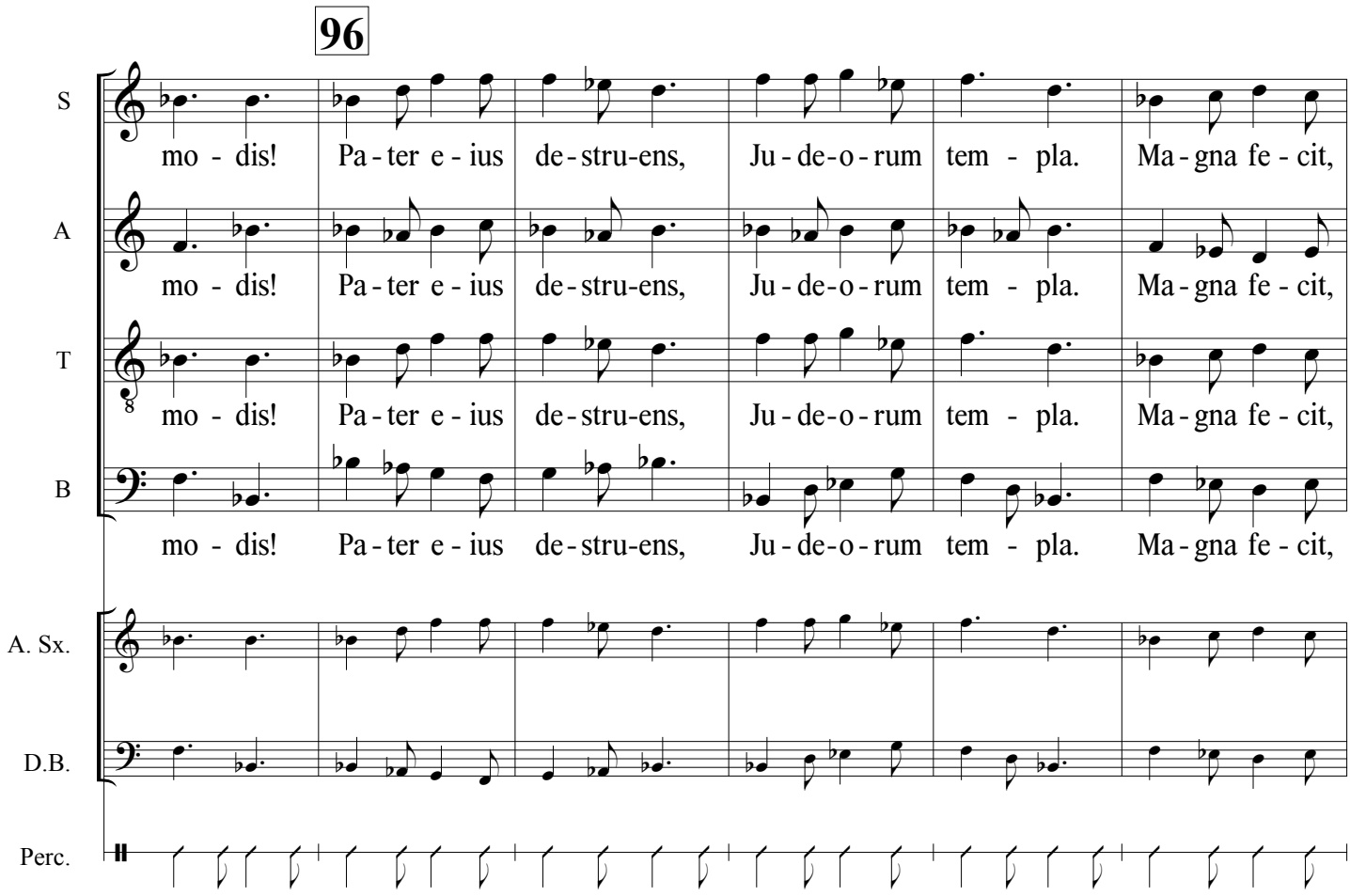
♩. = 104
Bel.
trea-sures of their tem-ple are now mine.
All
(as the vessels are fetched)
S
A
T
B
Ju - bi - le - mus Re - gi nos - tro
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
ma-gno ac po-ten - ti! Re-so-ne-mus lau-de di-gna vo-ce com-pe-ten - ti! Re-so-net jo-


S
cun-da tur-ba sol-lem-ni-bus o - dis! Chi-tha-ri-zent, plau-dant ma-nus, mil-le so-nent
A
cun-da tur-ba sol-lem-ni-bus o - dis! Chi-tha-ri-zent, plau-dant ma-nus, mil-le so-nent
T
cun-da tur-ba sol-lem-ni-bus o - dis! Chi-tha-ri-zent, plau-dant ma-nus, mil-le so-nent
B
cun-da tur-ba sol-lem-ni-bus o - dis! Chi-tha-ri-zent, plau-dant ma-nus, mil-le so-nent
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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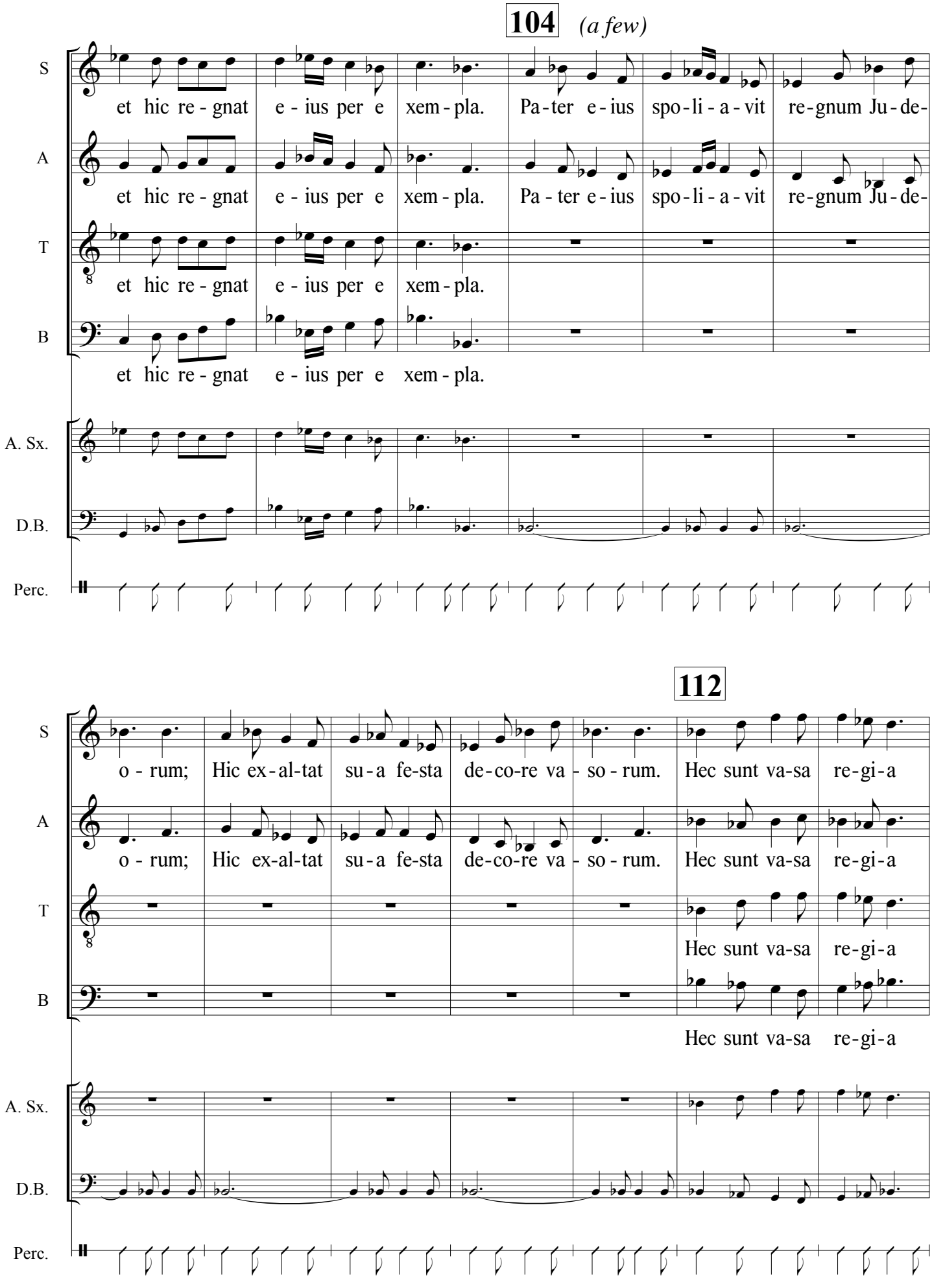
S
mo - dis! Pa-ter e-ius de-stru-ens, Ju-de-o-rum tem - pla. Ma-gna fe-cit,
A
mo - dis! Pa-ter e-ius de-stru-ens, Ju-de-o-rum tem - pla. Ma-gna fe-cit,
T
mo - dis! Pa-ter e-ius de-stru-ens, Ju-de-o-rum tem - pla. Ma-gna fe-cit,
B
mo - dis! Pa-ter e-ius de-stru-ens, Ju-de-o-rum tem - pla. Ma-gna fe-cit,
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


104
(a few)
S
et hic re - gnat e - ius per e xem - pla. Pa - ter e - ius spo - li - a - vit re - gnum Ju - de -
A
et hic re - gnat e - ius per e xem - pla. Pa - ter e - ius spo - li - a - vit re - gnum Ju - de -
T
et hic re - gnat e - ius per e xem - pla.
B
et hic re - gnat e - ius per e xem - pla.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
112
S
o - rum; Hic ex - al - tat su - a fe - sta de - co - re va - so - rum. Hec sunt va - sa re - gi - a
A
o - rum; Hic ex - al - tat su - a fe - sta de - co - re va - so - rum. Hec sunt va - sa re - gi - a
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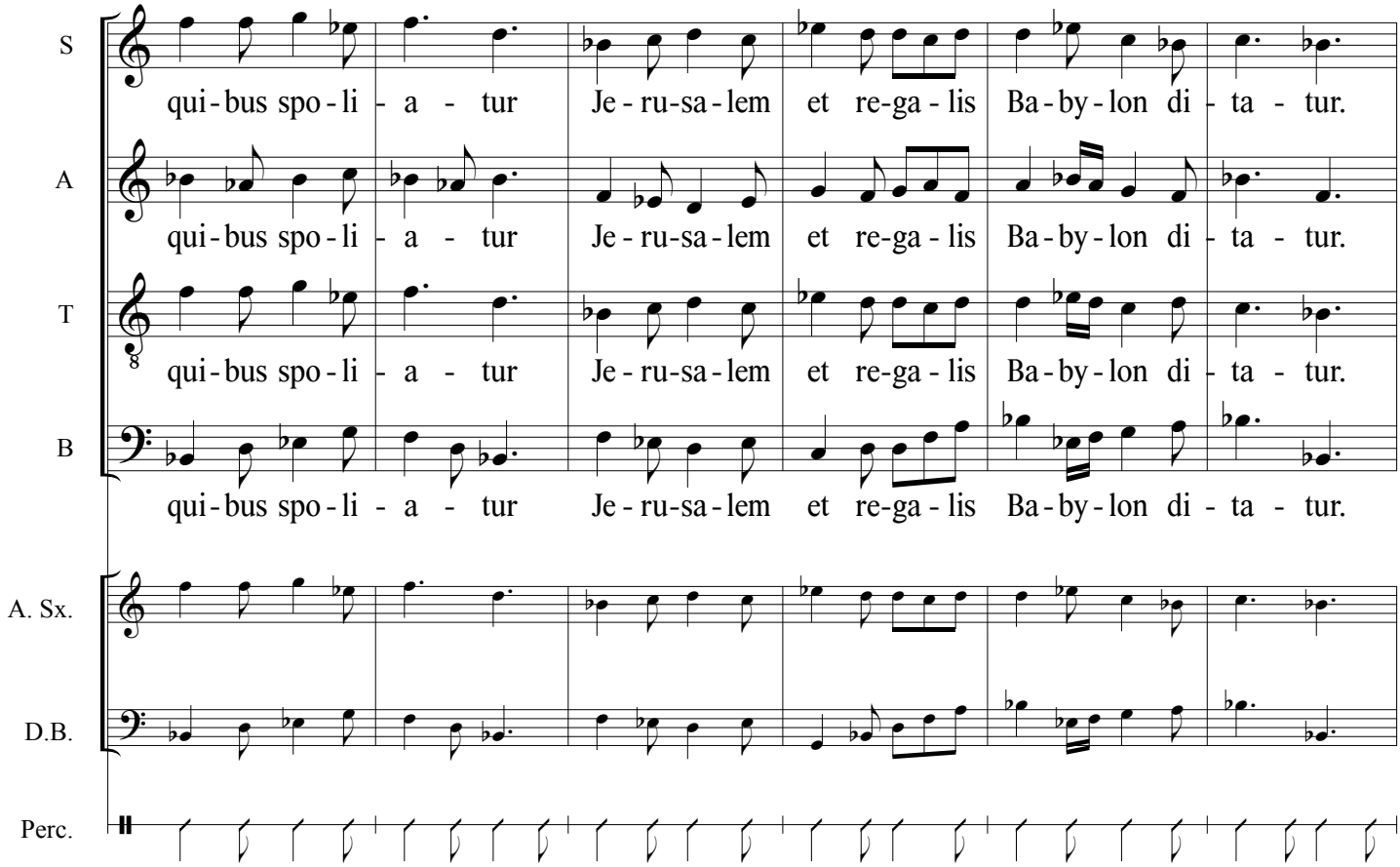
Hec sunt va - sa re - gi - a
B
Hec sunt va - sa re - gi - a
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
qui - bus spo - li - a - tur Je - ru - sa - lem et re - ga - lis Ba - by - lon di - ta - tur.
A
qui - bus spo - li - a - tur Je - ru - sa - lem et re - ga - lis Ba - by - lon di - ta - tur.
T
qui - bus spo - li - a - tur Je - ru - sa - lem et re - ga - lis Ba - by - lon di - ta - tur.
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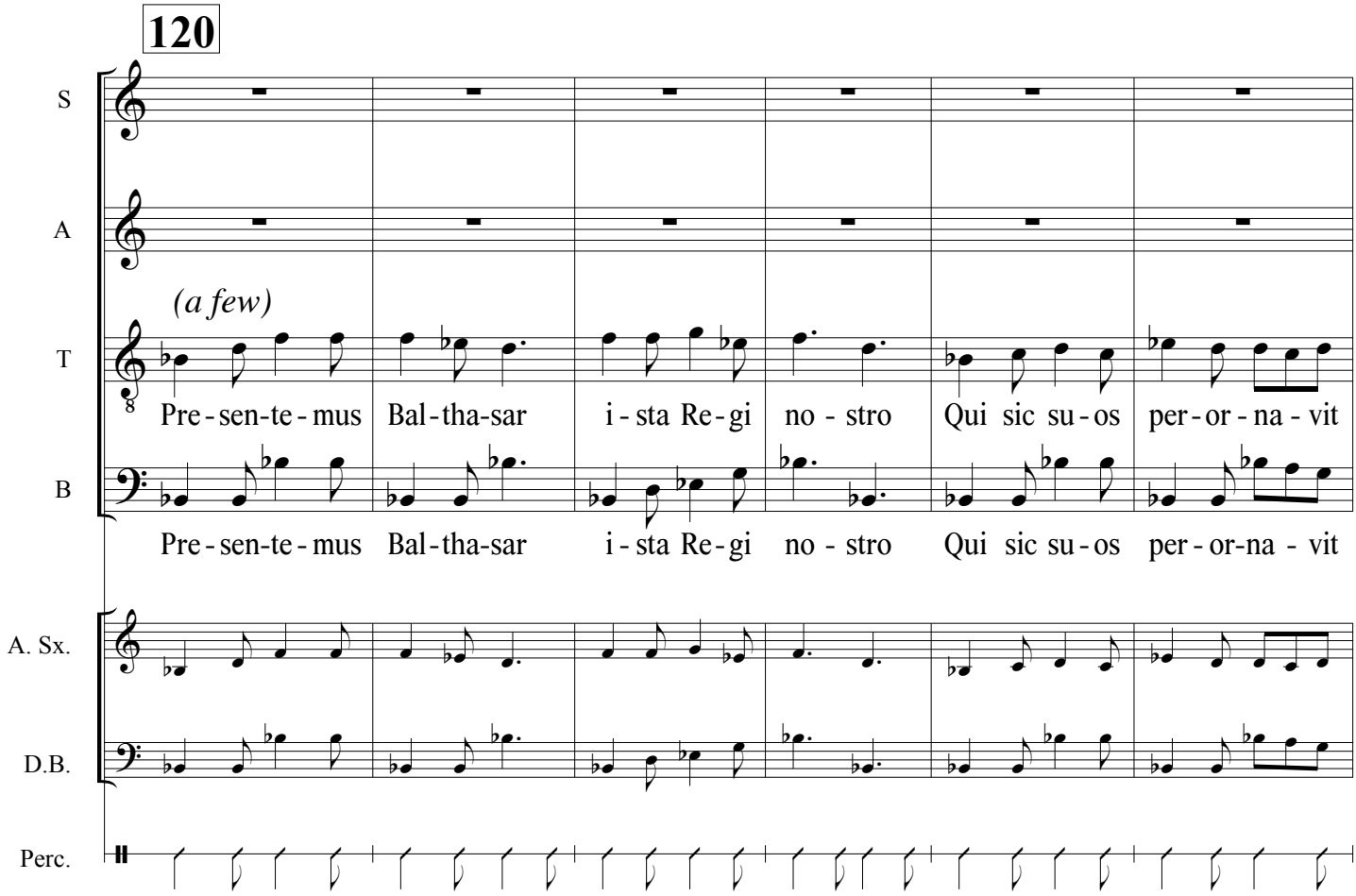
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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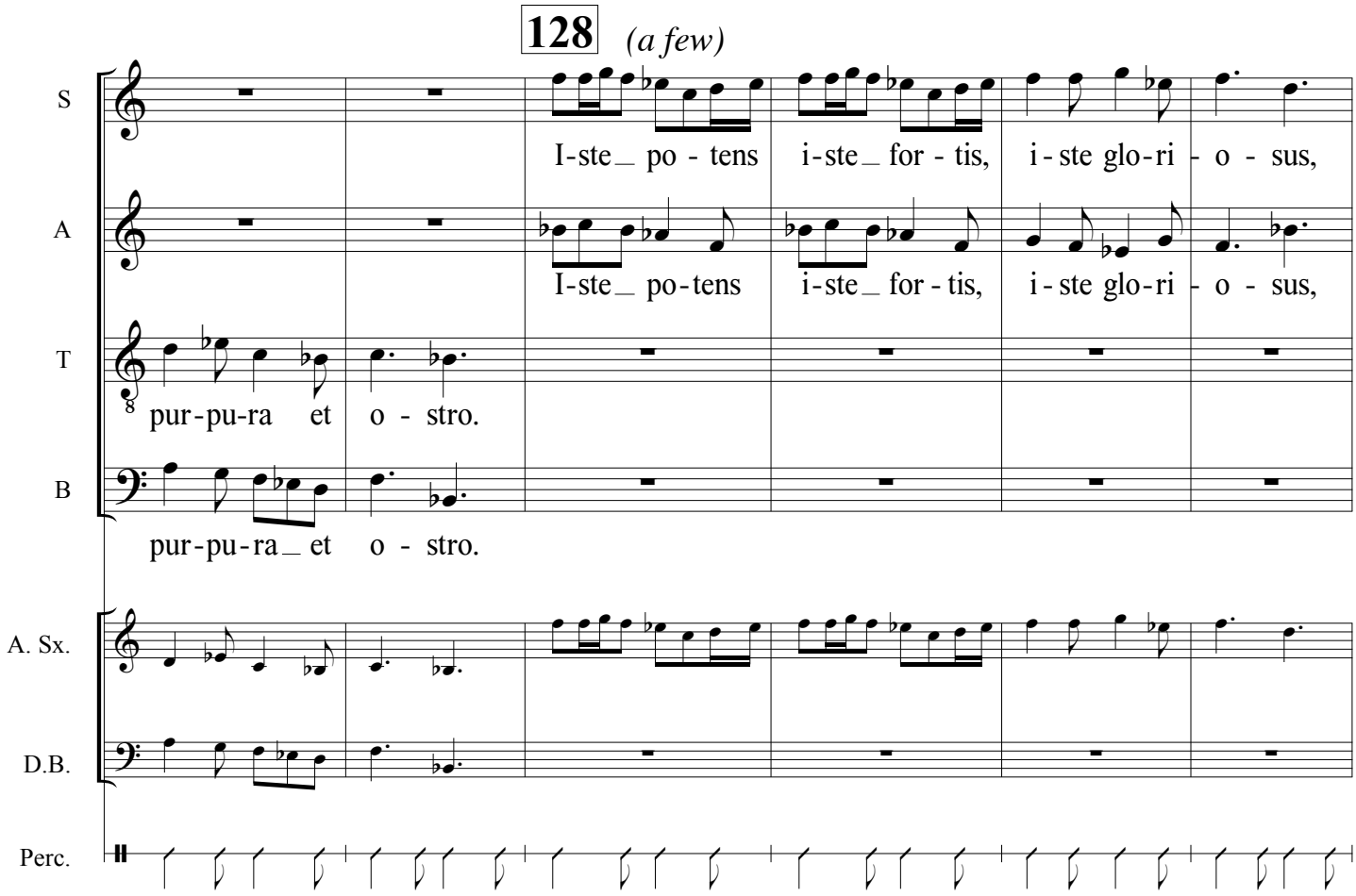
S
A
(a few)
T
Pre - sen - te - mus Bal - tha - sar i - sta Re - gi no - stro Qui sic su - os per - or - na - vit
B
Pre - sen - te - mus Bal - tha - sar i - sta Re - gi no - stro Qui sic su - os per - or - na - vit
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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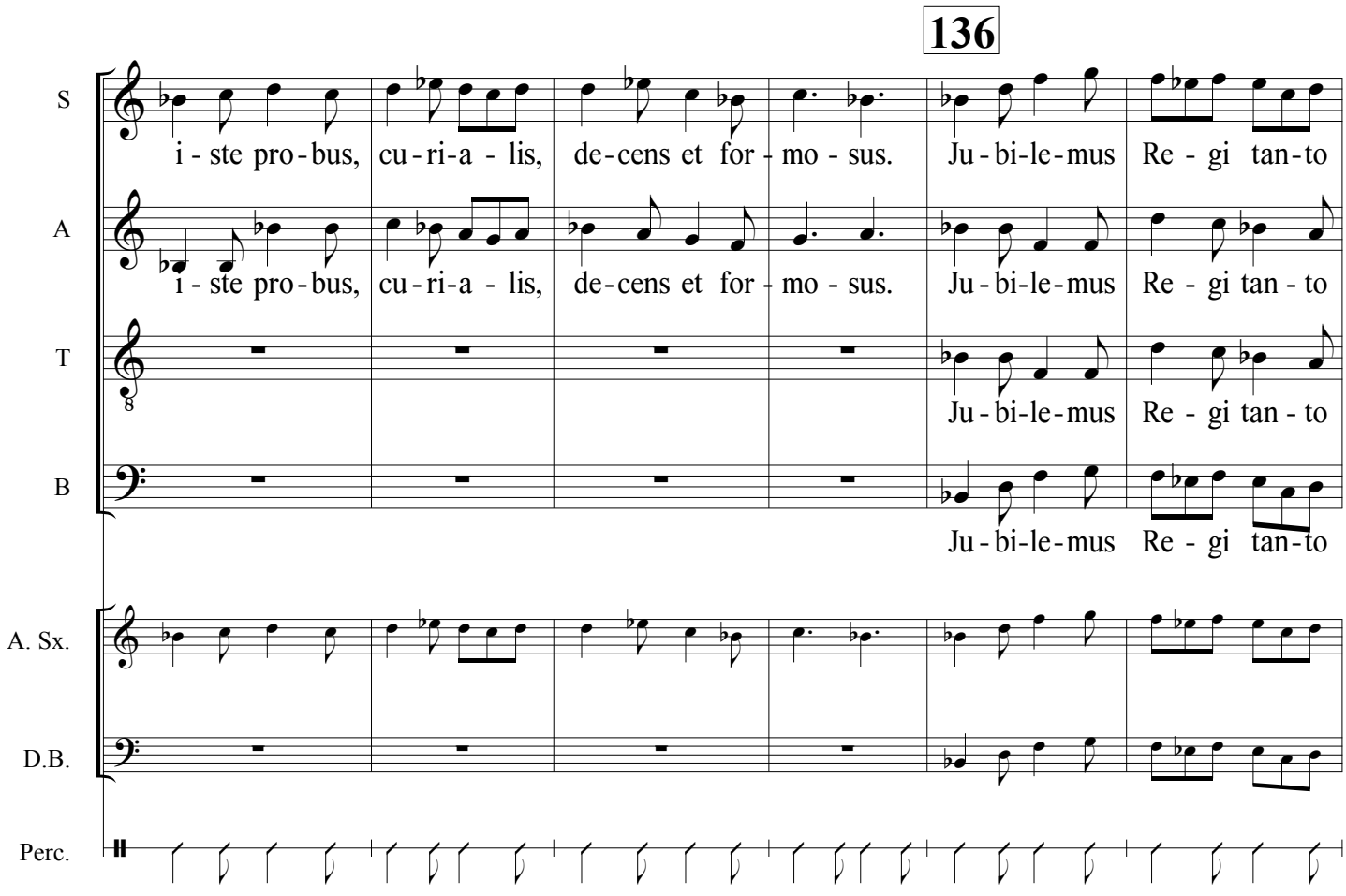
(a few)
S
I-ste_ po - tens i-ste_ for - tis, i - ste glo-ri - o - sus,
A
I-ste_ po-tens i-ste_ for - tis, i - ste glo-ri - o - sus,
T
pur-pu-ra et o - stro.
B
pur-pu-ra_ et o - stro.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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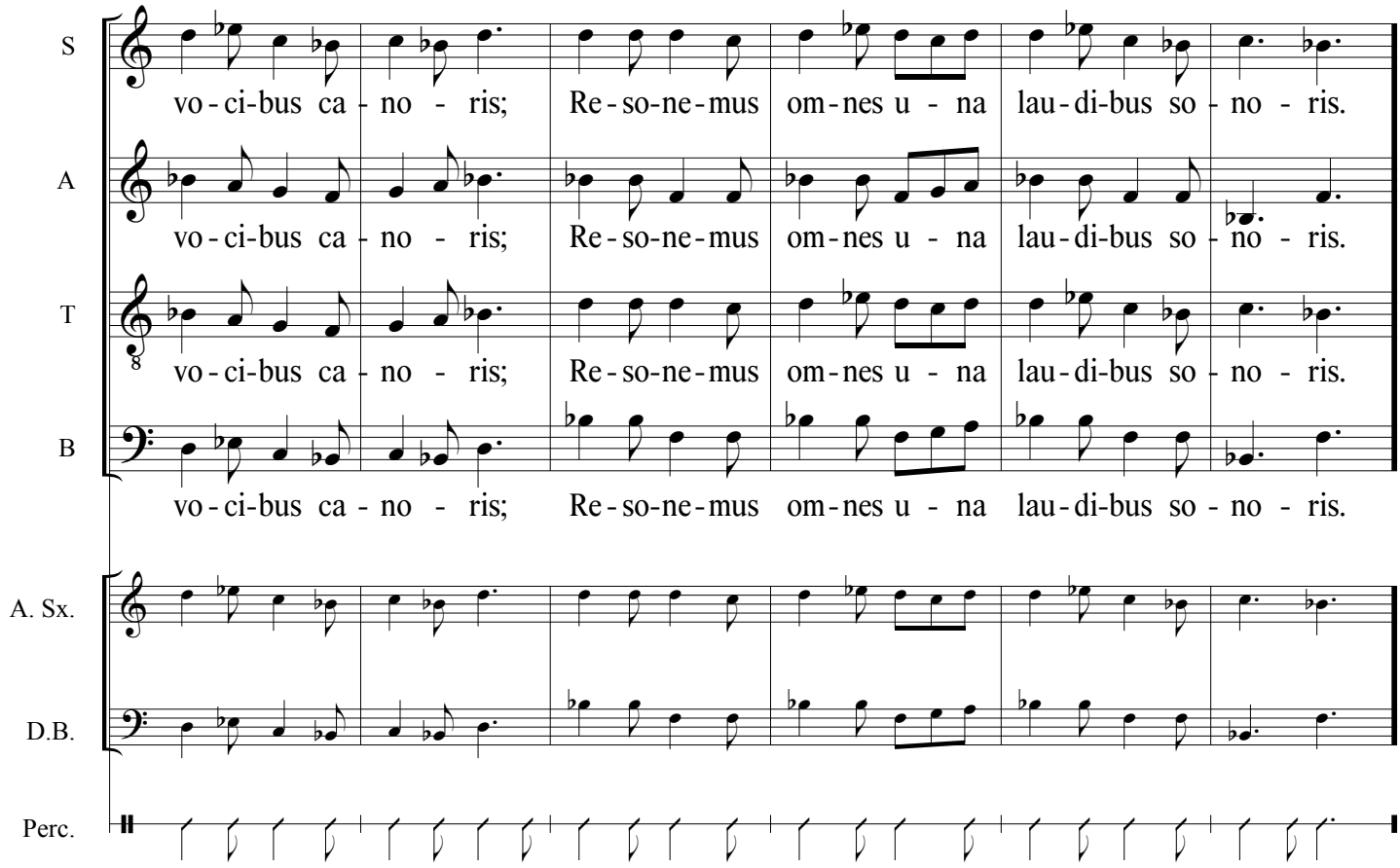
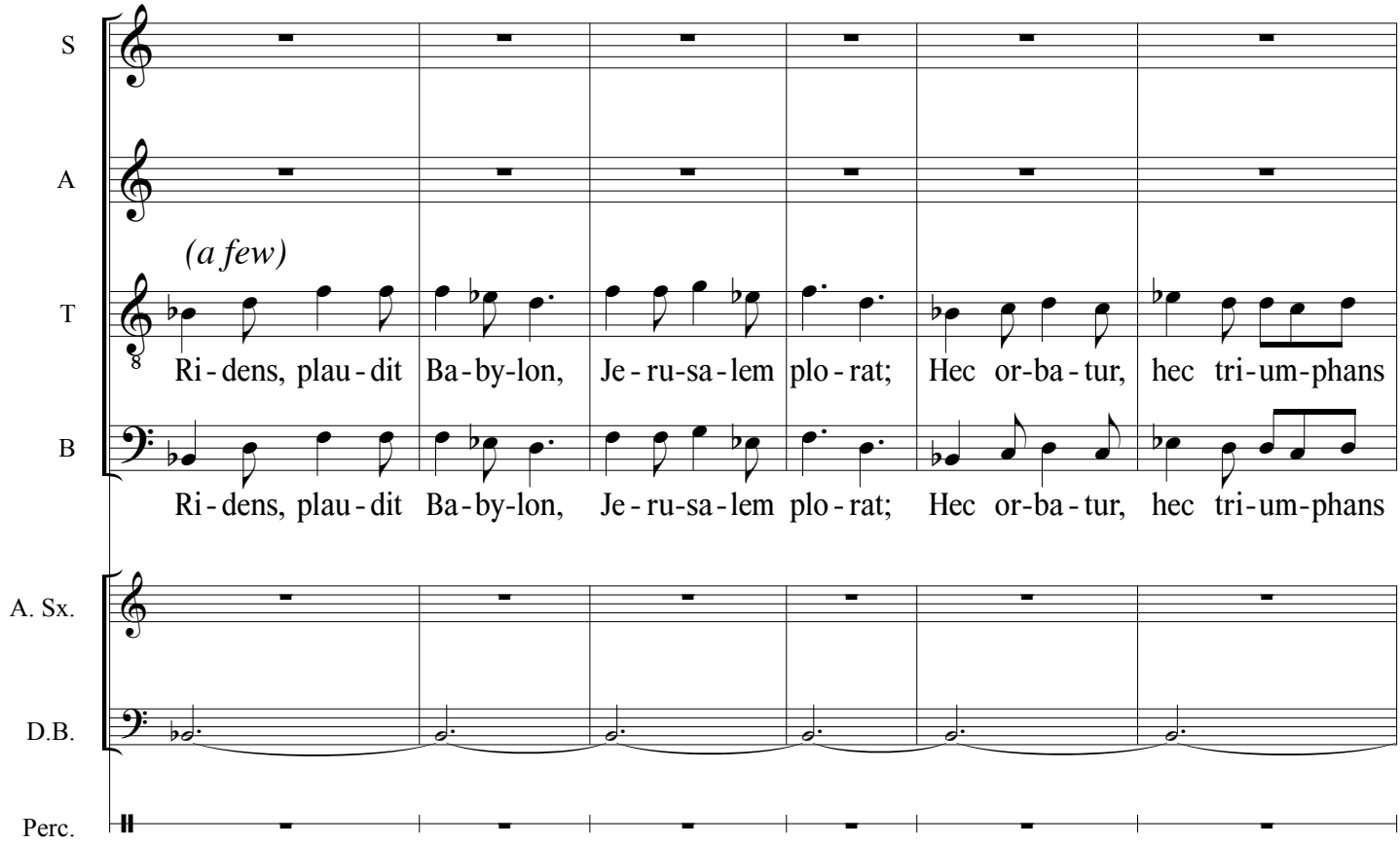
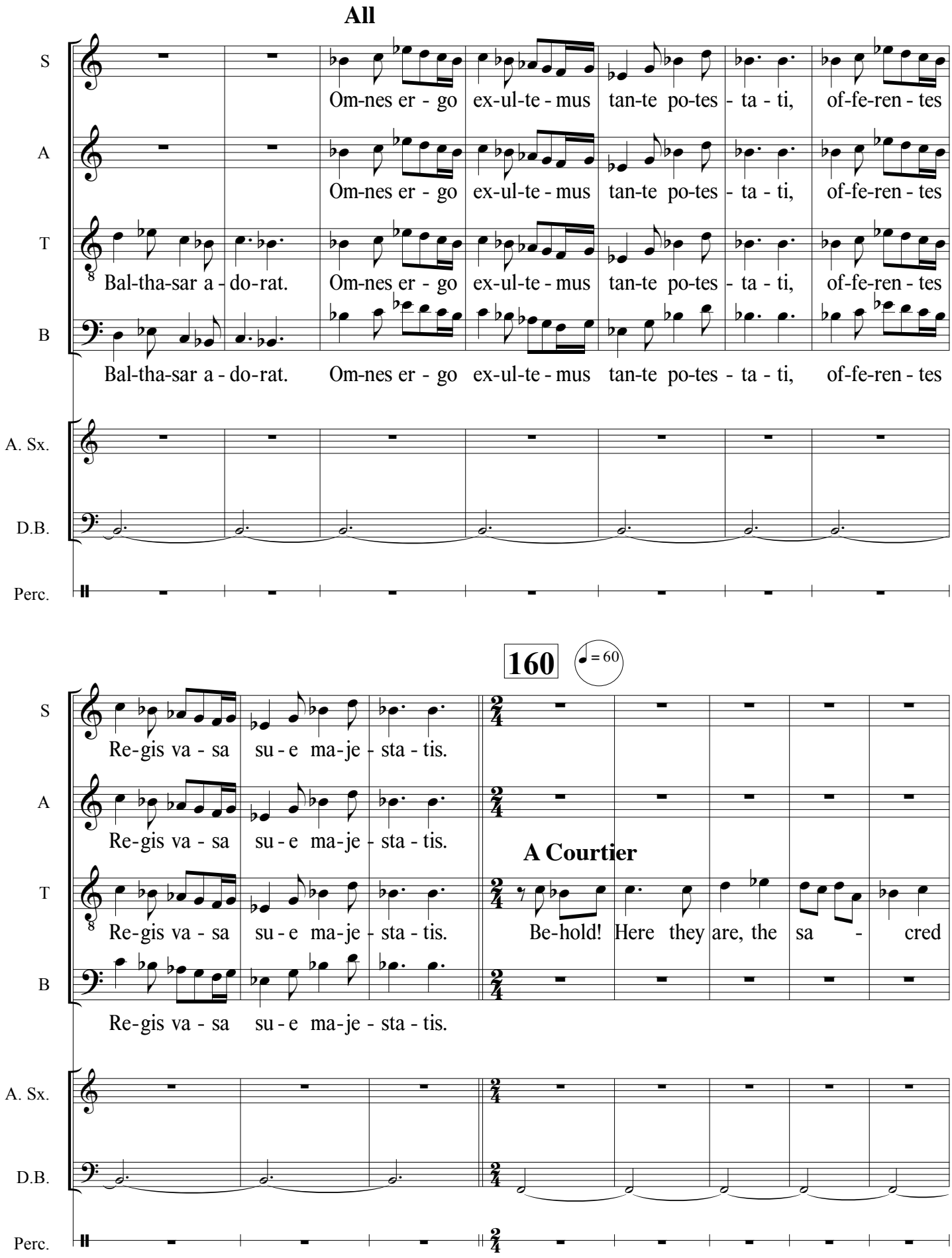
S
i - ste pro-bus, cu-ri-a - lis, de-cens et for - mo - sus. Ju-bi-le-mus Re - gi tan-to
A
i - ste pro-bus, cu-ri-a - lis, de-cens et for - mo - sus. Ju-bi-le-mus Re - gi tan - to
T
Ju-bi-le-mus Re - gi tan - to
B
Ju-bi-le-mus Re - gi tan-to
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

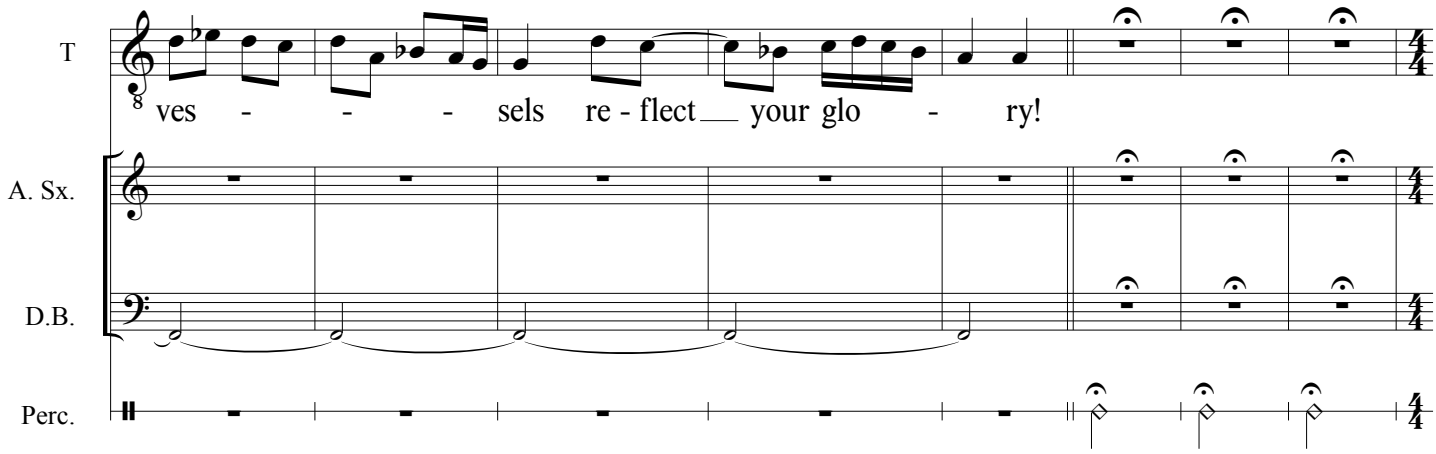


144 **slower** *the courtiers are the worse for drink*

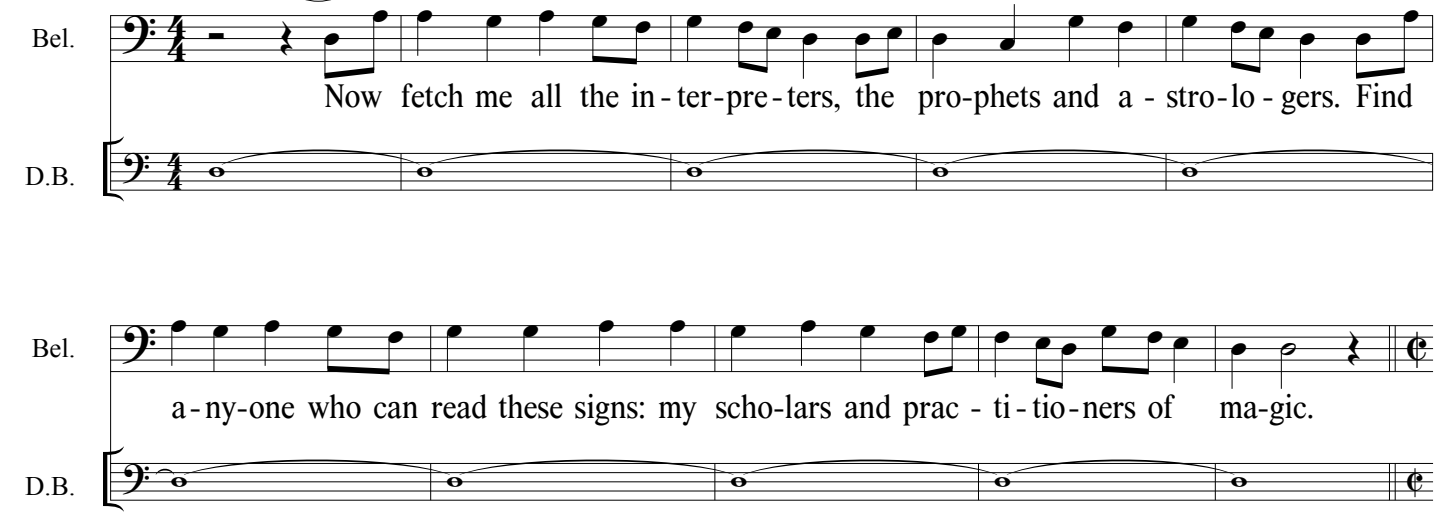



All
S
A
T
B
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Om-nes er - go ex-ul-te - mus tan-te po-tes - ta - ti, of-fe-ren - tes
Bal-tha-sar a - do-rat.
160
♩ = 60
Re-gis va - sa su - e ma-je - sta - tis.
A Courtier
Be-hold! Here they are, the sa - cred

A hand appears, writing on the wall: all freeze in terror.

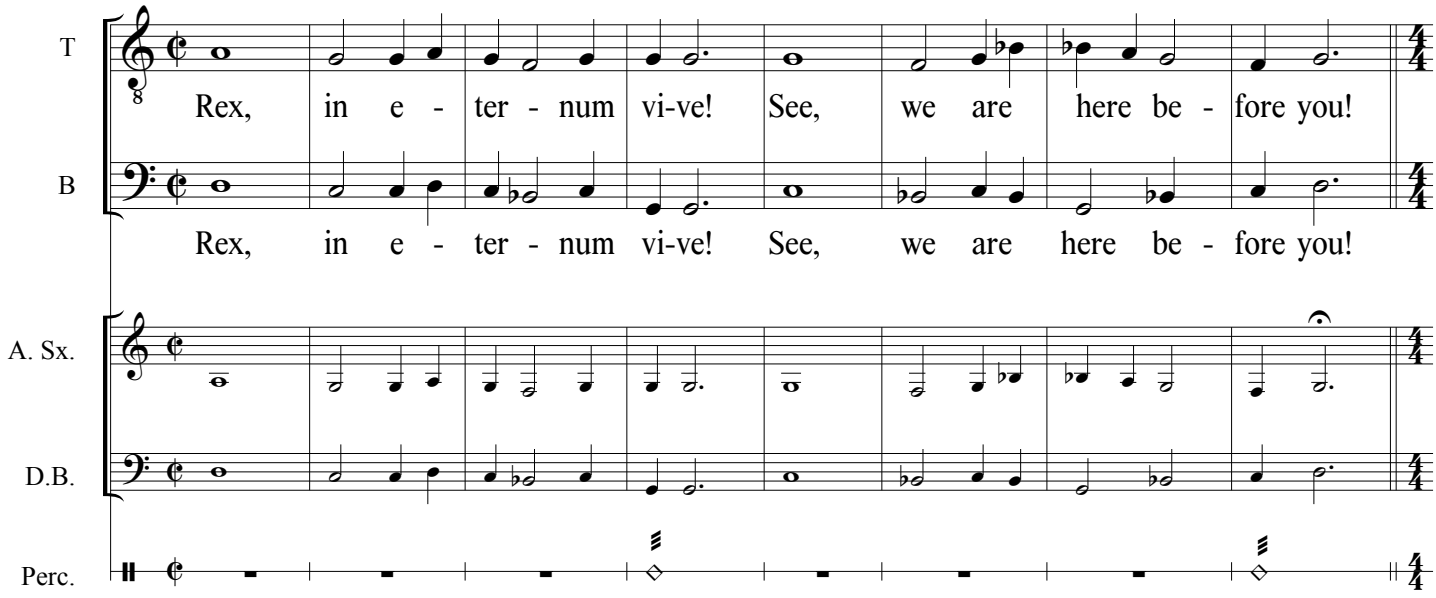


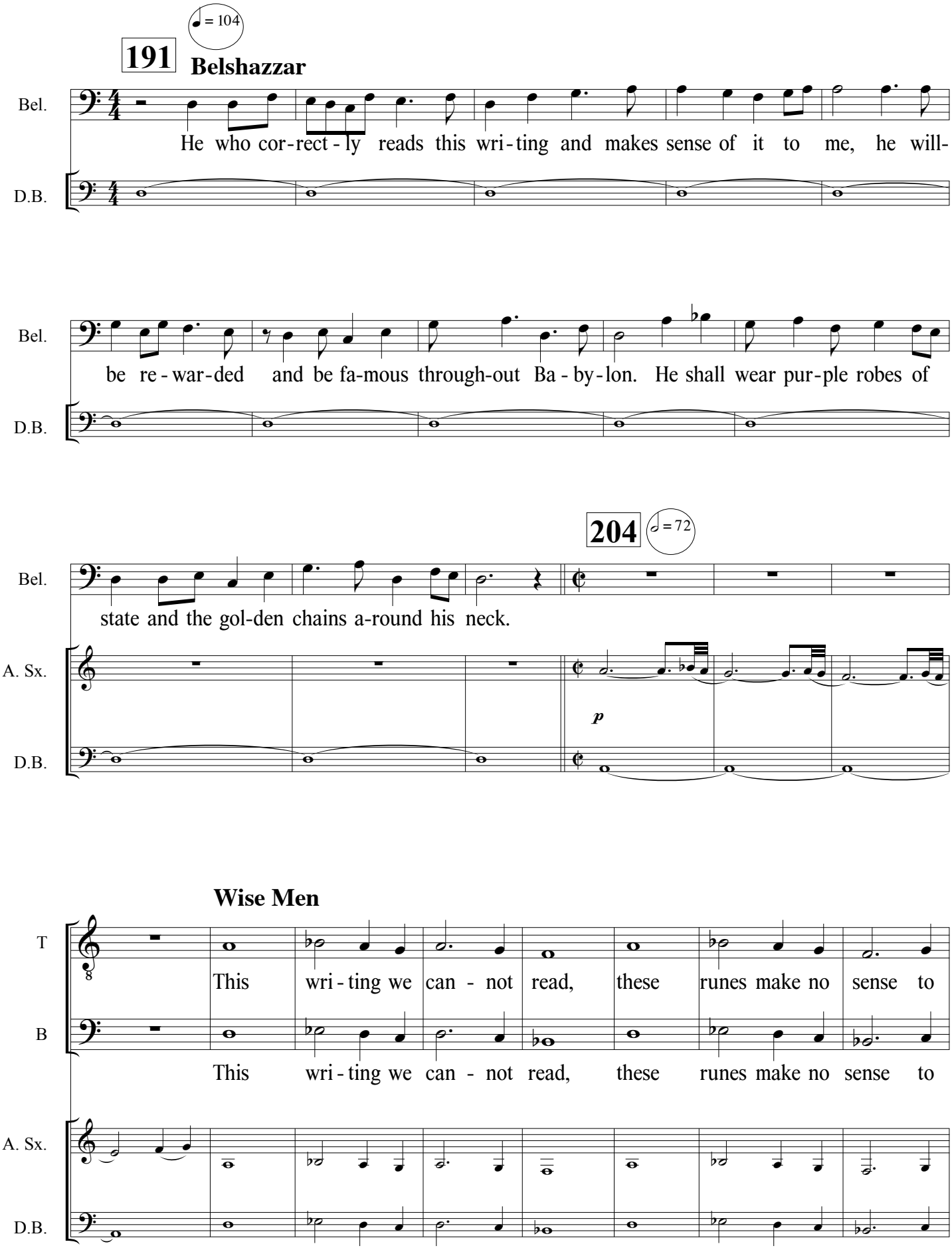
173 ♩ = 104 **Belshazzar**

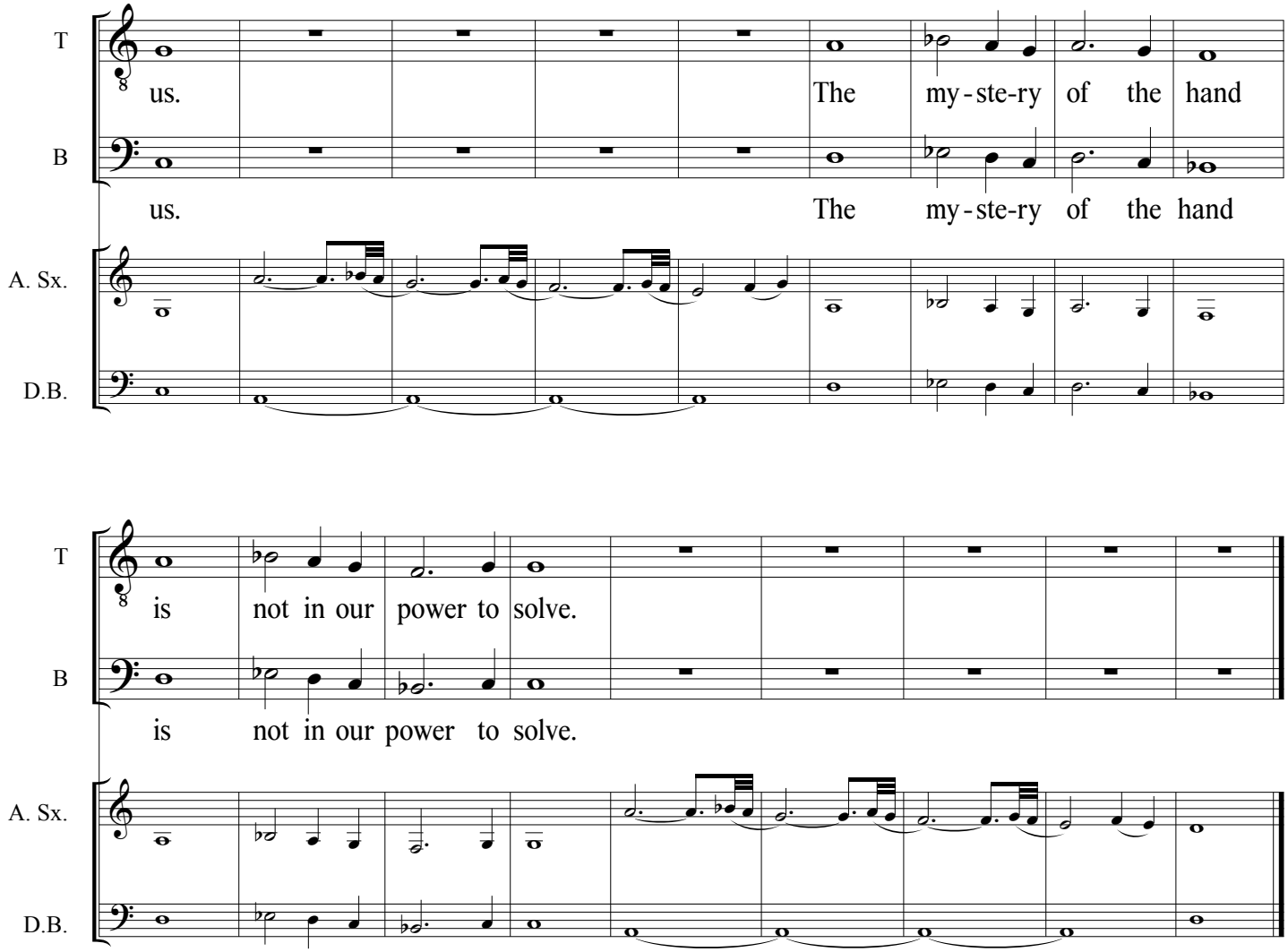


183 𝅗𝅥 = 72

Wise Men




191
♩ = 104
Belshazzar
Bel.
D.B.
He who cor-rect-ly reads this wri-ting and makes sense of it to me, he will-
be re-war-ded and be fa-mous through-out Ba-by-lon. He shall wear pur-ple robes of
204
𝅗𝅥 = 72
state and the gol-den chains a-round his neck.
A. Sx.
p
Wise Men
T
B
This wri-ting we can-not read, these runes make no sense to
This wri-ting we can-not read, these runes make no sense to



NARRATOR

News of this hap is noised abroad:
In her quiet quarters the Queen hears it.
And in loving haste leaves her chamber
To counsel the king. Comely her form,
Gracious to gaze on like the green cedar,
Blithe in bearing like a blossoming rose.
As she enters the hall with her handmaidens
"My lord," she says, "Live for ever'
May thy days endure. There dwells in thy kingdom
A holy man, mighty in wisdom,
His speech inspired by the spirit of God,
Whom thy father favoured for he found none
So apt to expound a hard sentence,
Unriddle visions and read the meaning
Of dark dreams. Daniel is his name.
Show him the writing, for surely he will
Interpret it truly. Be troubled no more!"

Hearkening to her counsel, the king says:
"Find me this man and fetch him hither!"
Searching the city, the satraps come
To Daniel's dwelling. "Come down," they call,
"And hasten with us to the High King,
He wishes for thy wisdom, great reward shall be thine
If thou canst tell him the true meaning
Of the secret signs, and assuage his fear."
"Princes," says the prophet, "if it please God,
The Lord of truth, to enlighten my spirit,
I will read these runes; direct me thither."

233 ♩ = 104 **Entry of the Queen**

S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

p
pizz.

S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

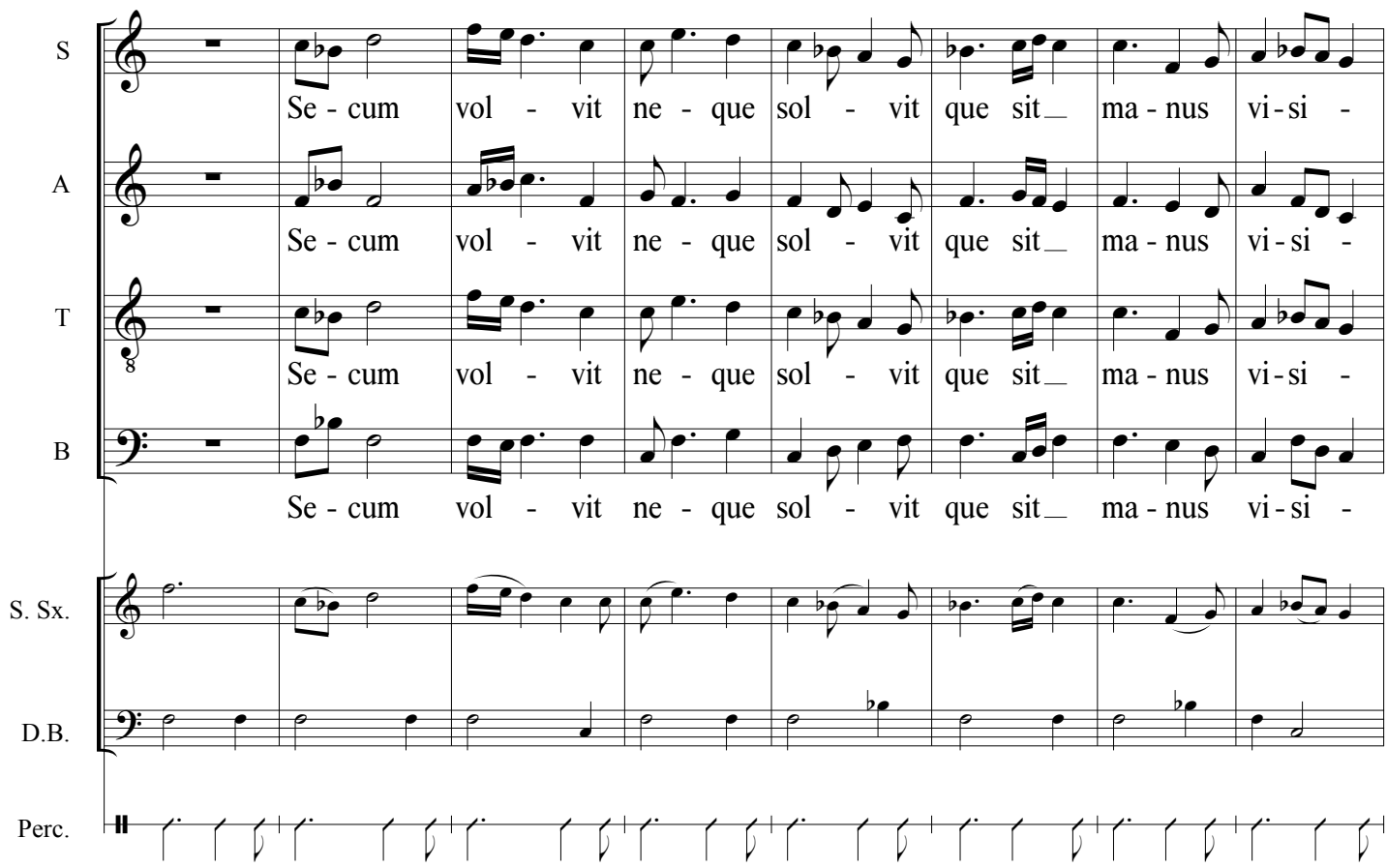
249 **All**

S
A
T
B

Cum doc - to - rum et ma - go - rum om - nis ad - sit con-ti - o.

S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

arco


S
Se - cum vol - vit ne - que sol - vit que sit ma - nus vi - si -
A
Se - cum vol - vit ne - que sol - vit que sit ma - nus vi - si -
T
Se - cum vol - vit ne - que sol - vit que sit ma - nus vi - si -
B
Se - cum vol - vit ne - que sol - vit que sit ma - nus vi - si -
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

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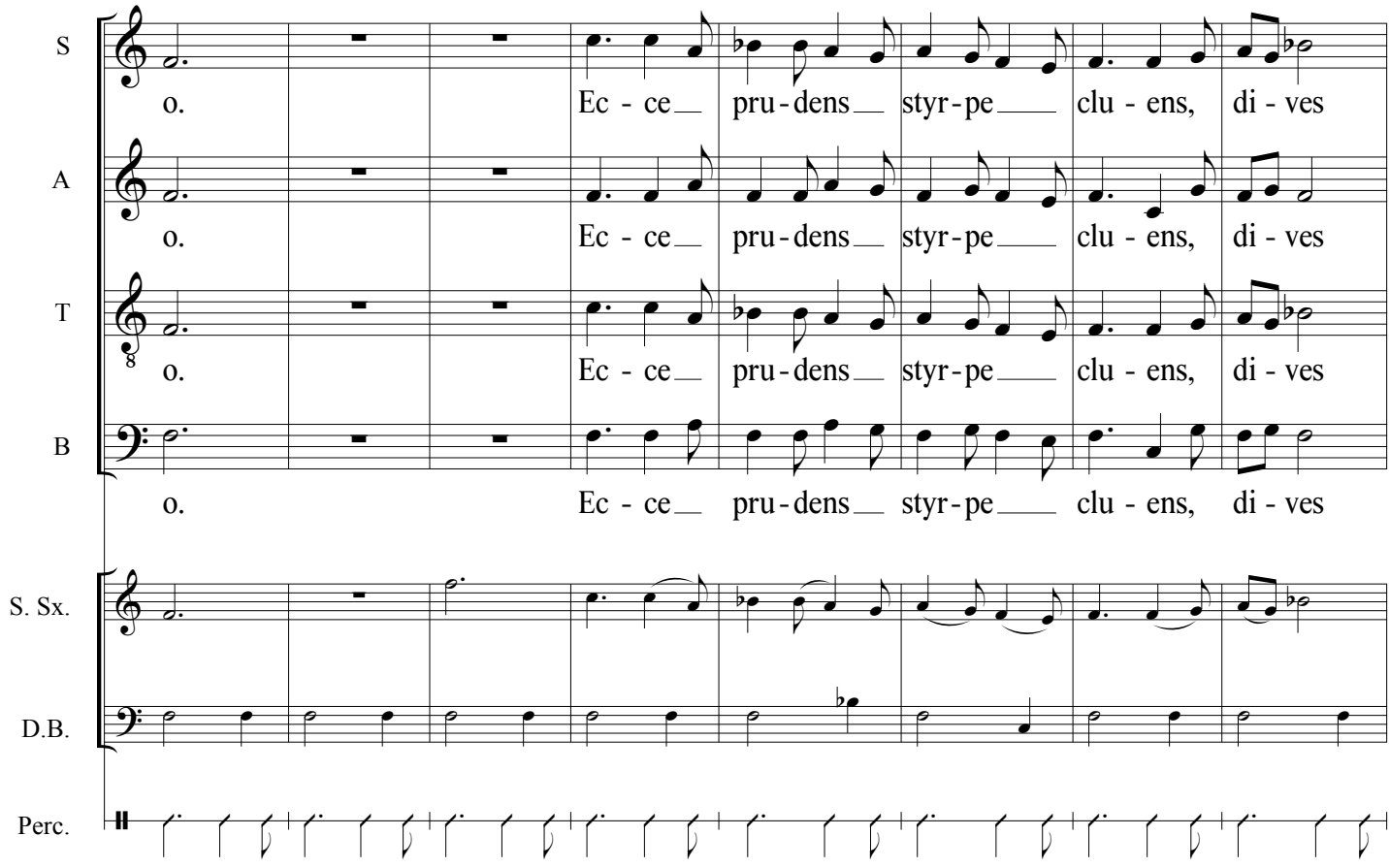
S
o. Ec - ce pru - dens styr - pe clu - ens, di - ves
A
o. Ec - ce pru - dens styr - pe clu - ens, di - ves
T
o. Ec - ce pru - dens styr - pe clu - ens, di - ves
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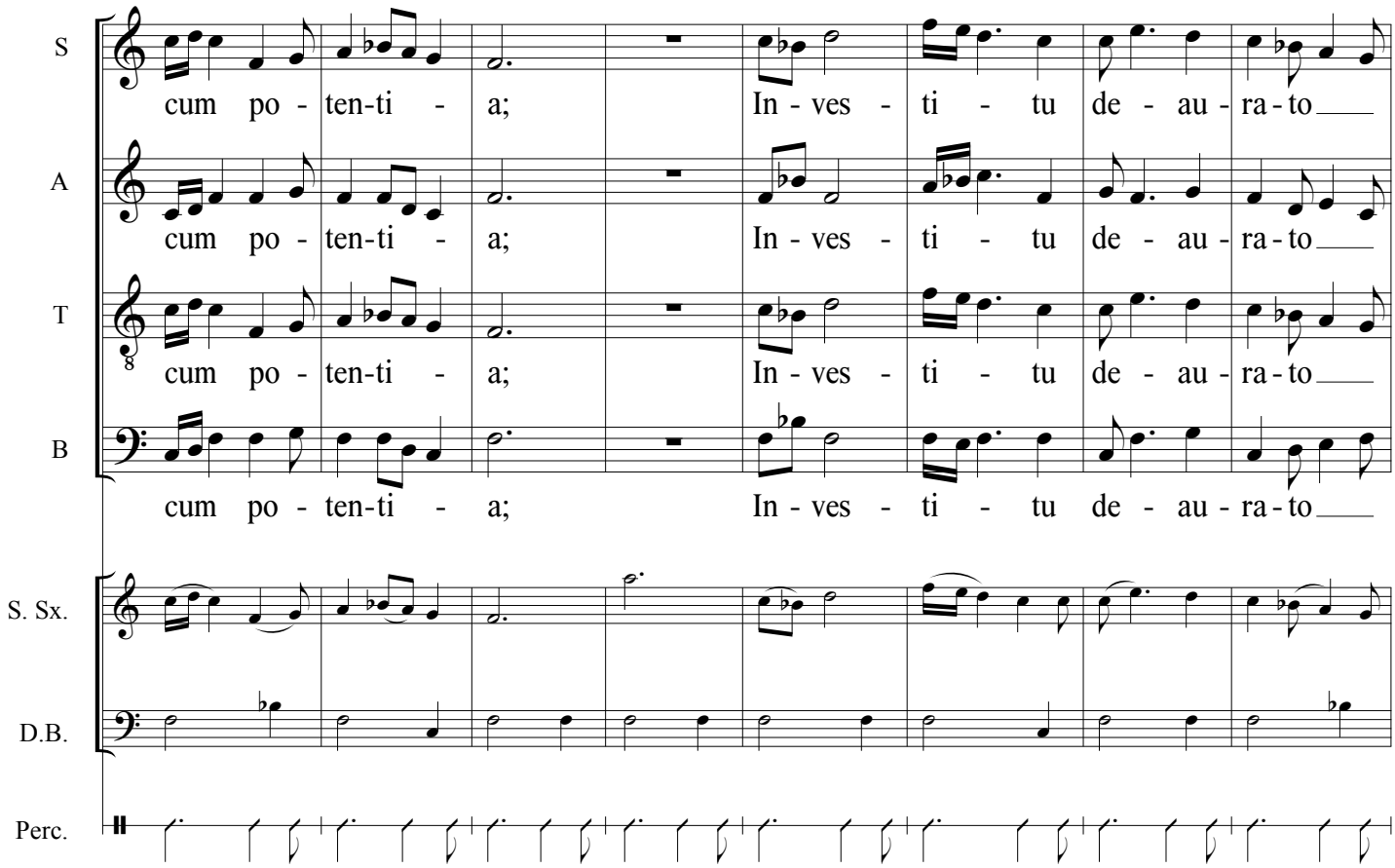
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
cum po - ten-ti - a; In - ves - ti - tu de - au - ra - to
A
cum po - ten-ti - a; In - ves - ti - tu de - au - ra - to
T
cum po - ten-ti - a; In - ves - ti - tu de - au - ra - to
B
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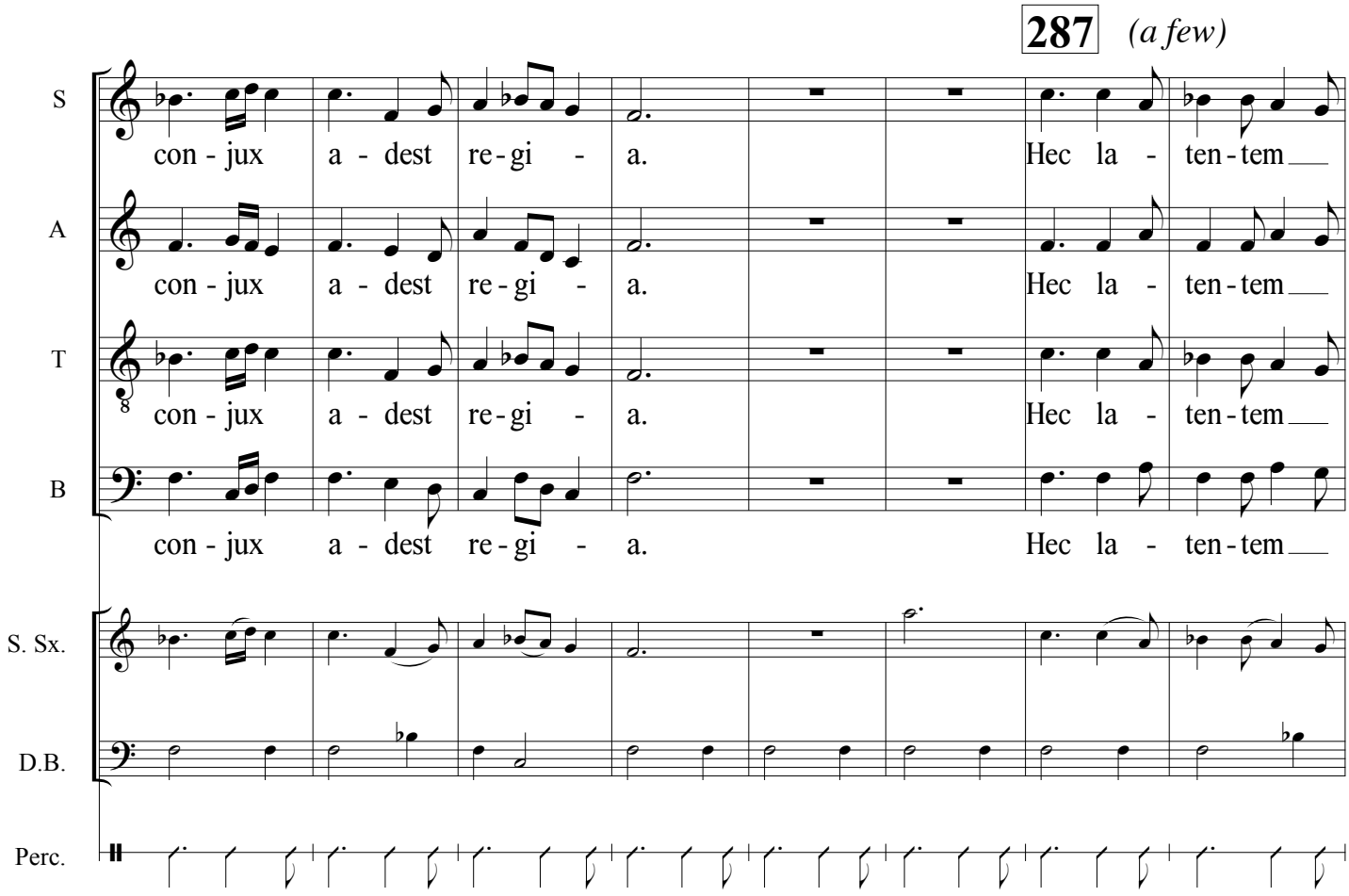
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


287 (a few)
S
con - jux a - dest re - gi - a. Hec la - ten - tem
A
con - jux a - dest re - gi - a. Hec la - ten - tem
T
con - jux a - dest re - gi - a. Hec la - ten - tem
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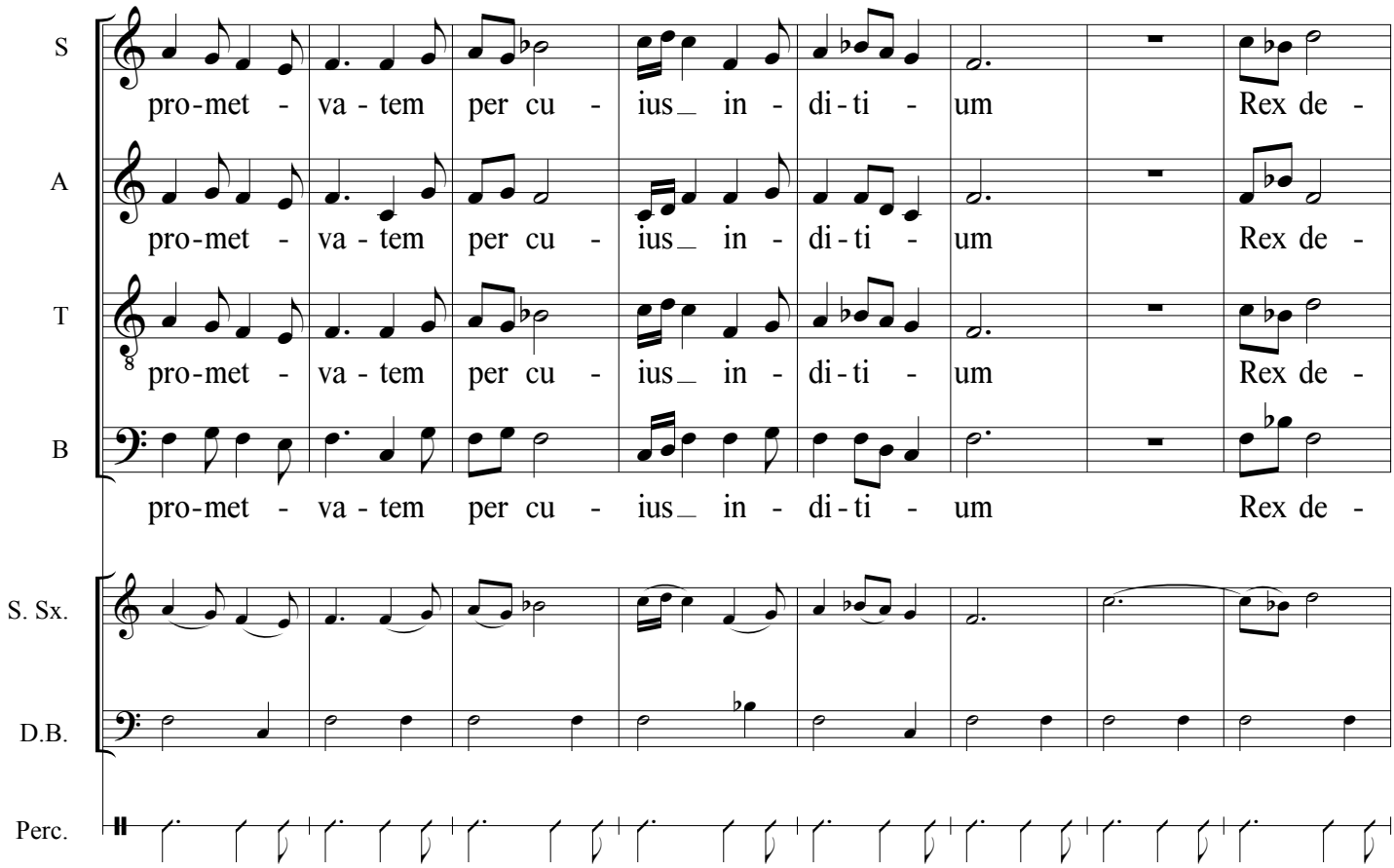
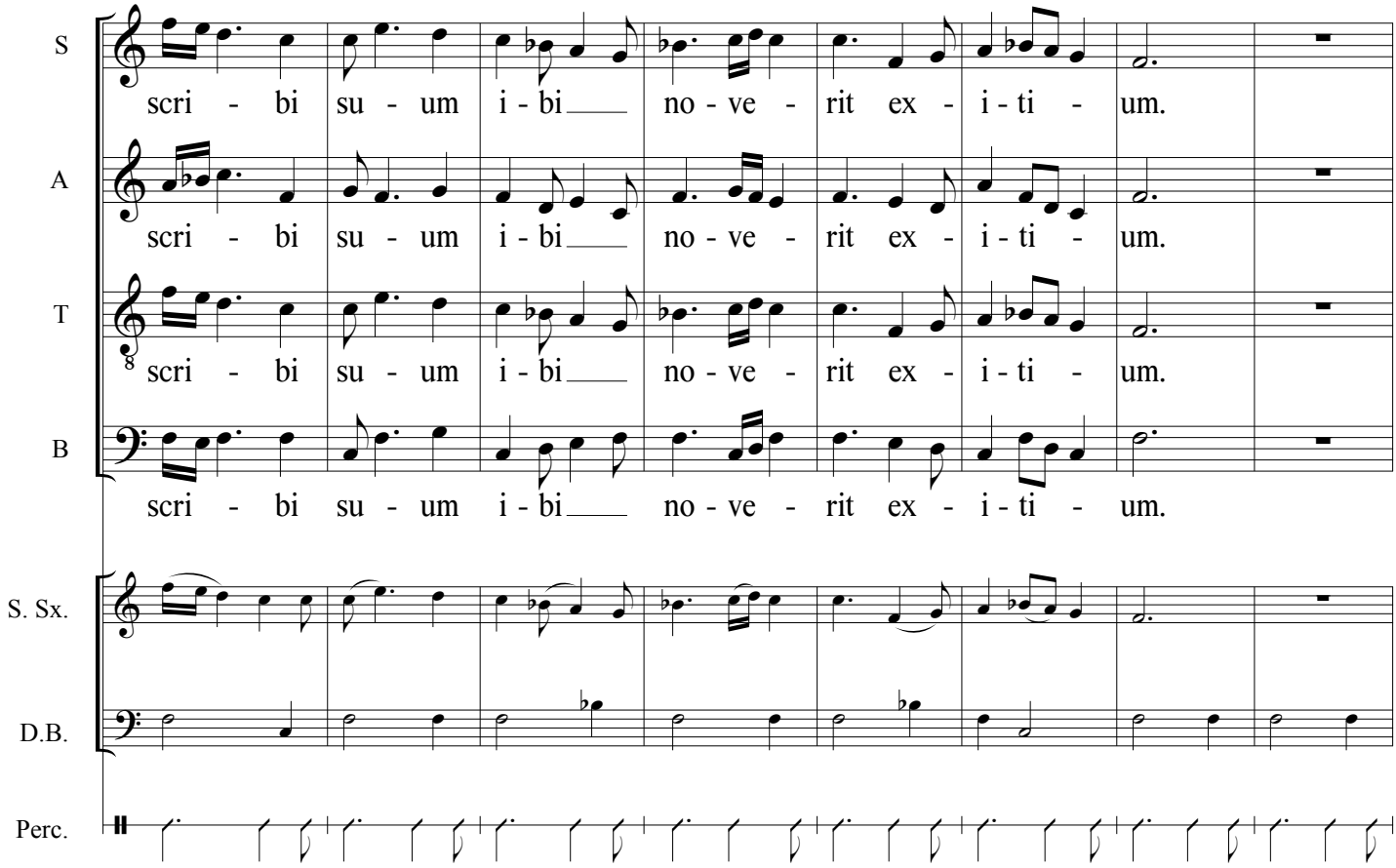
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
pro-met - va - tem per cu - ius in - di - ti - um Rex de -
A
pro-met - va - tem per cu - ius in - di - ti - um Rex de -
T
pro-met - va - tem per cu - ius in - di - ti - um Rex de -
B
pro-met - va - tem per cu - ius in - di - ti - um Rex de -
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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scri - bi su - um i - bi no - ve - rit ex - i - ti - um.
A
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T
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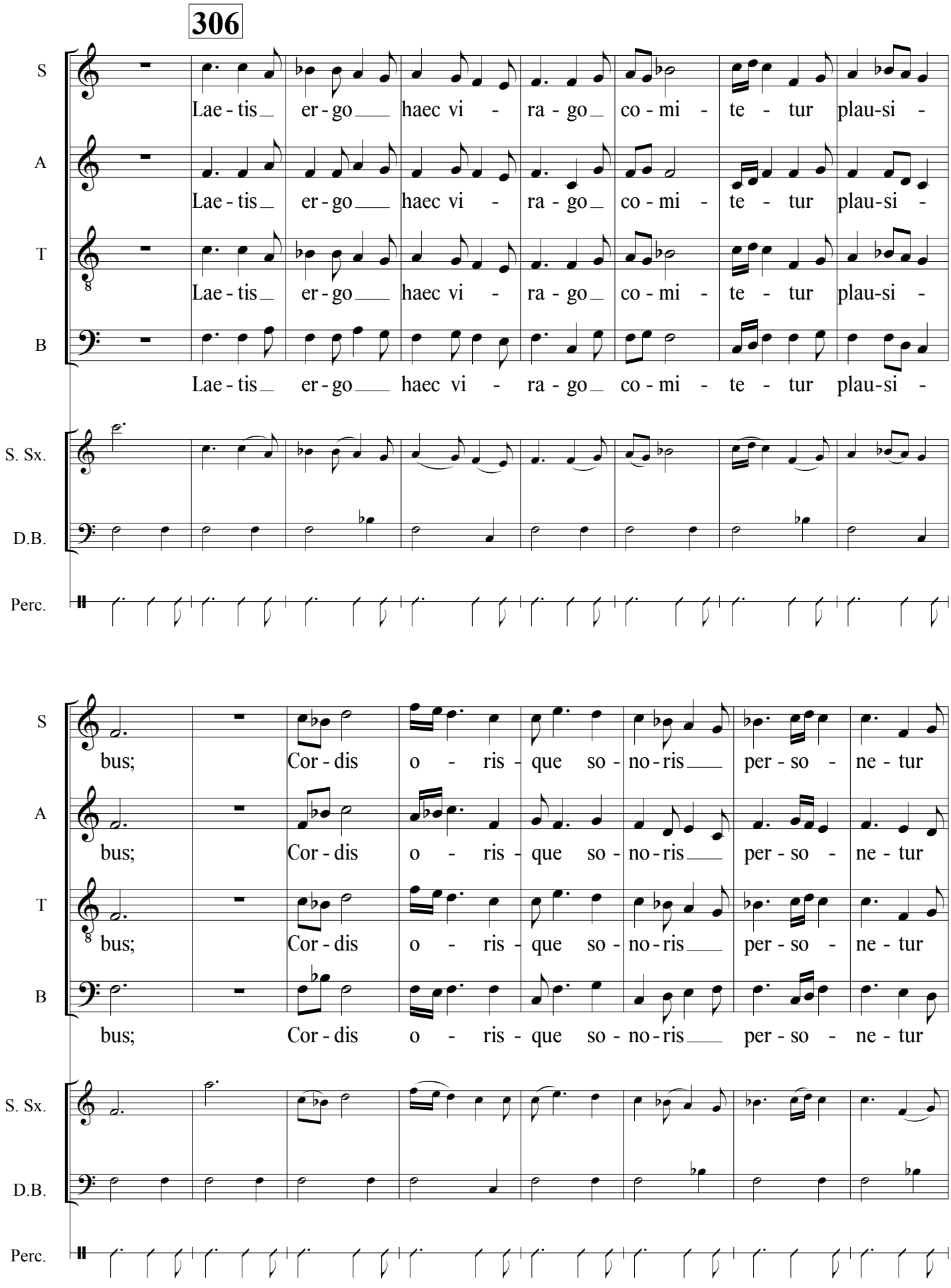
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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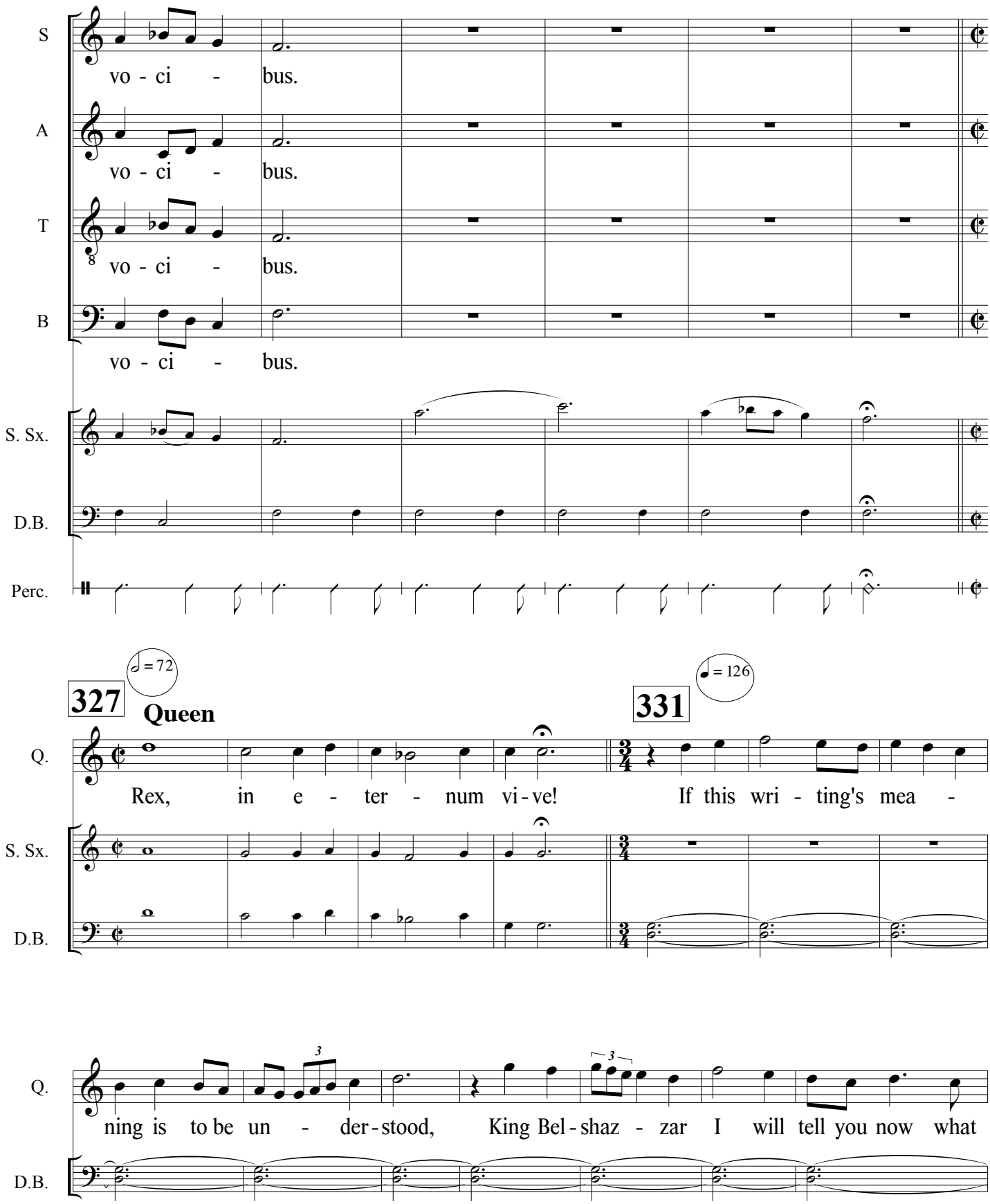
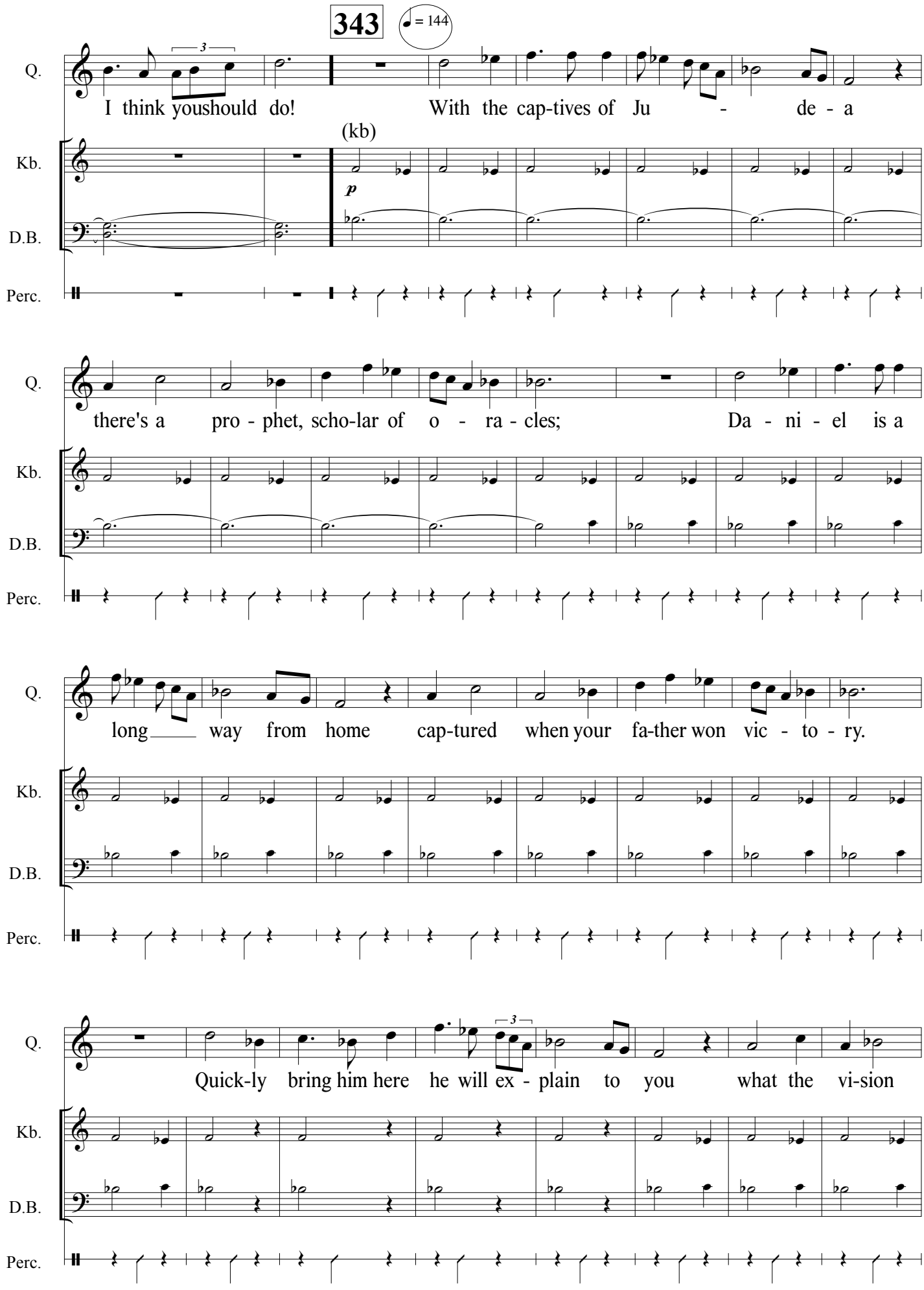
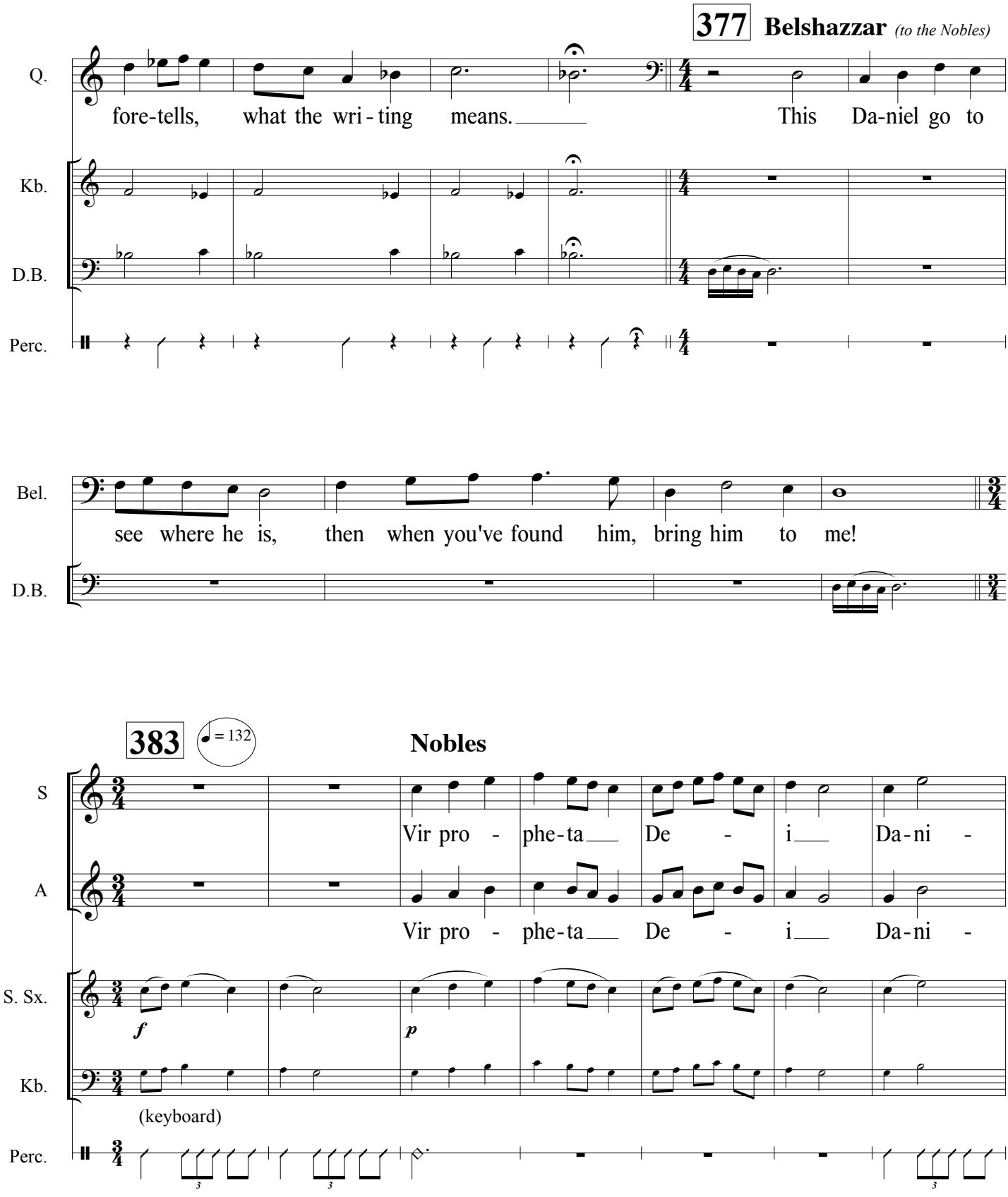
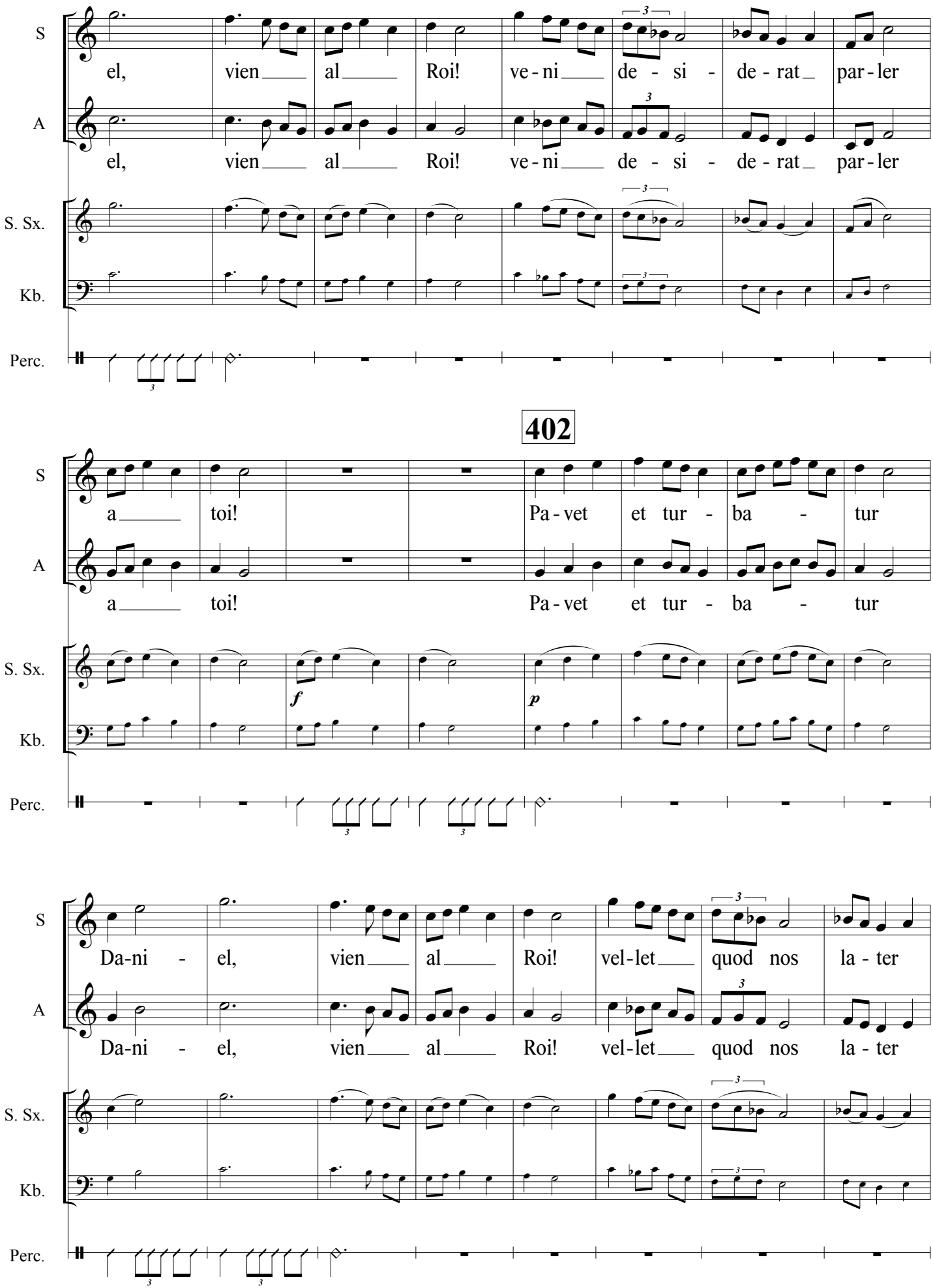
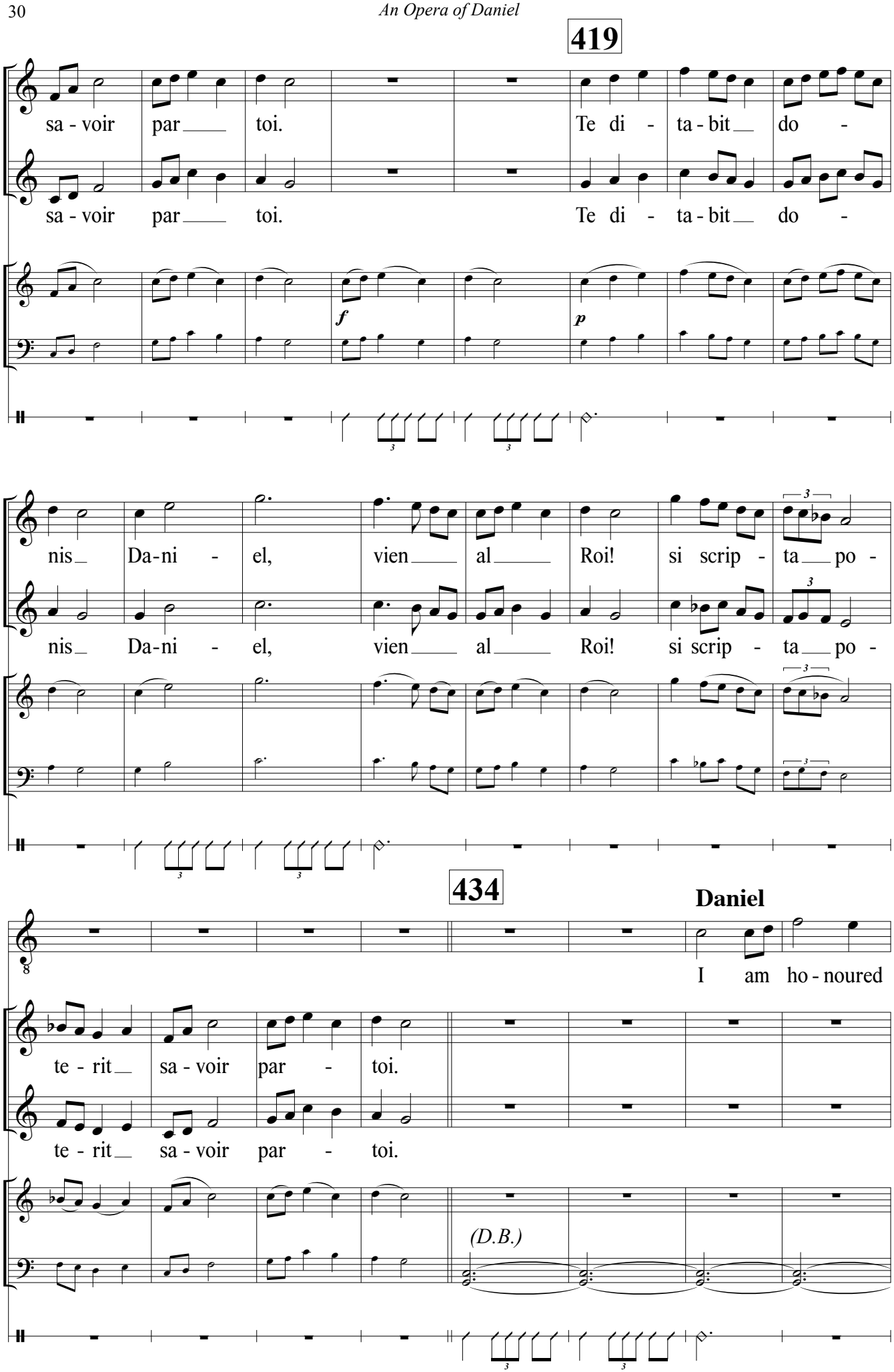
S
A
T
B
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Lae - tis er - go haec vi - ra - go co - mi - te - tur plau-si -
bus; Cor - dis o - ris - que so - no - ris per - so - ne - tur

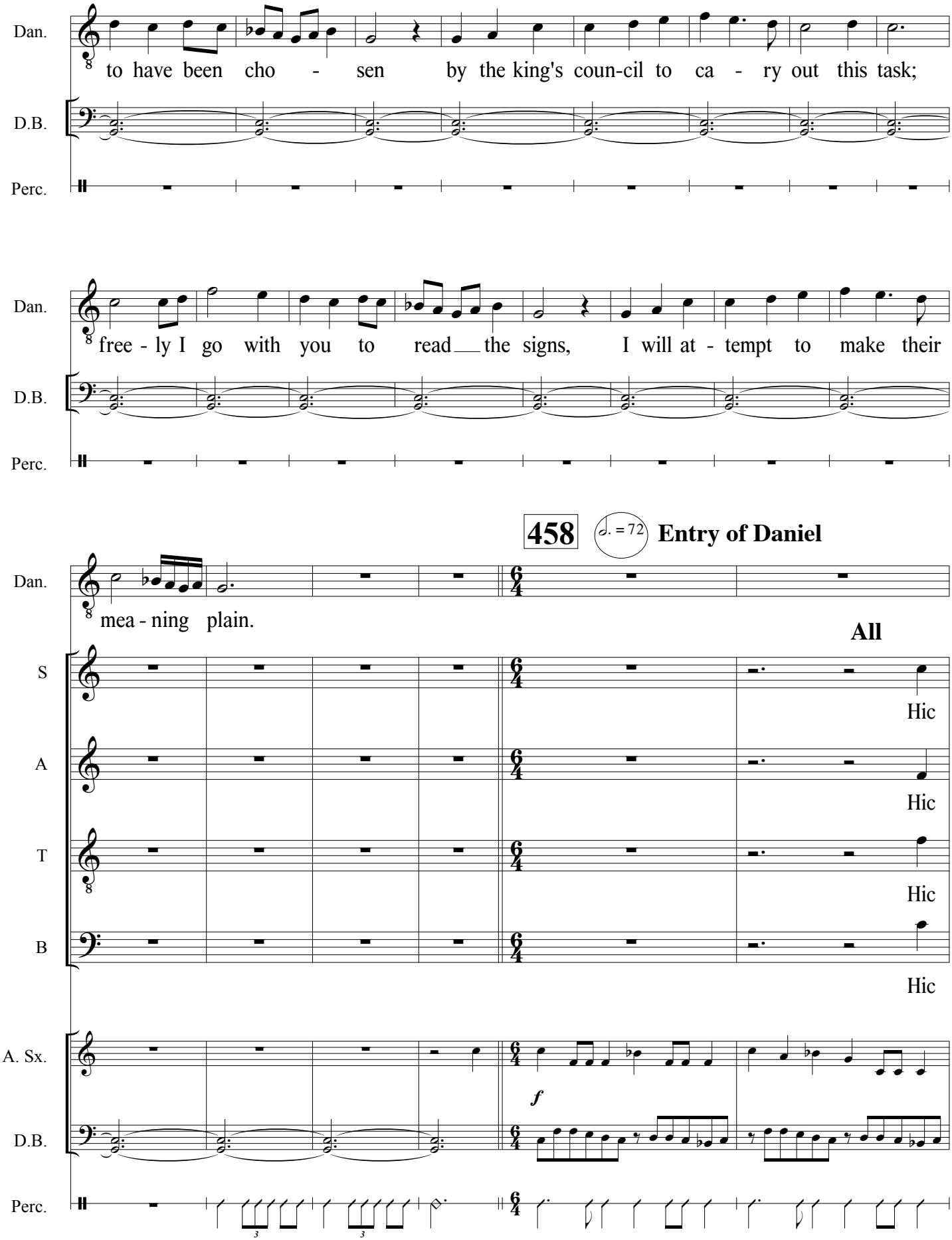

S
vo - ci - bus.
A
vo - ci - bus.
T
vo - ci - bus.
B
vo - ci - bus.
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
327
♩ = 72
Queen
Rex, in e - ter - num vi - ve!
331
♩ = 126
If this wri - ting's mea -
Q.
S. Sx.
D.B.
ning is to be un - der - stood, King Bel - shaz - zar I will tell you now what
Q.
D.B.

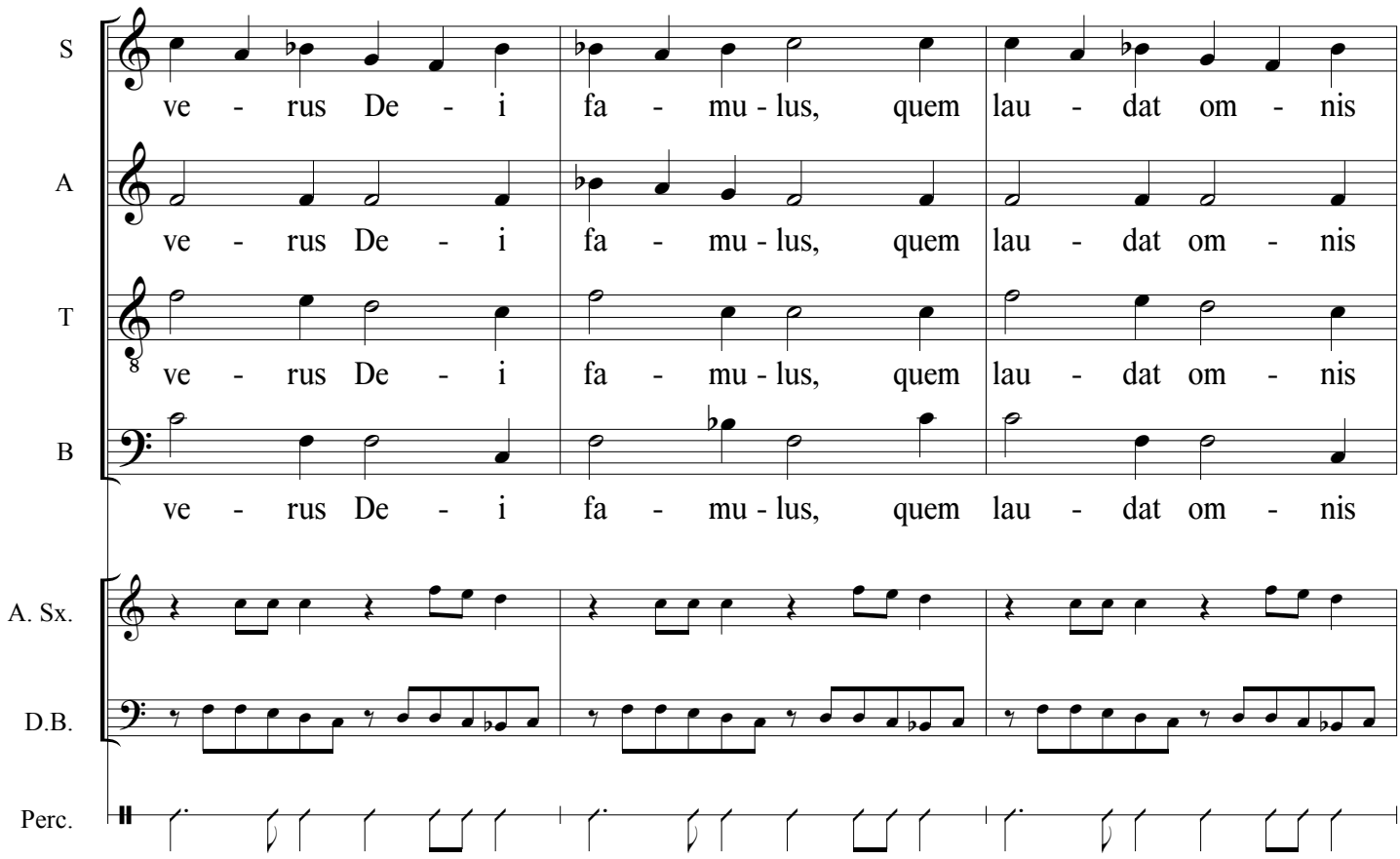

343
♩ = 144
Q.
Kb.
D.B.
Perc.
I think youshould do!
With the cap-tives of Ju - de - a
(kb)
p
there's a pro - phet, scho-lar of o - ra - cles;
Da - ni - el is a
long way from home cap-tured when your fa-ther won vic - to - ry.
Quick-ly bring him here he will ex - plain to you what the vi-sion

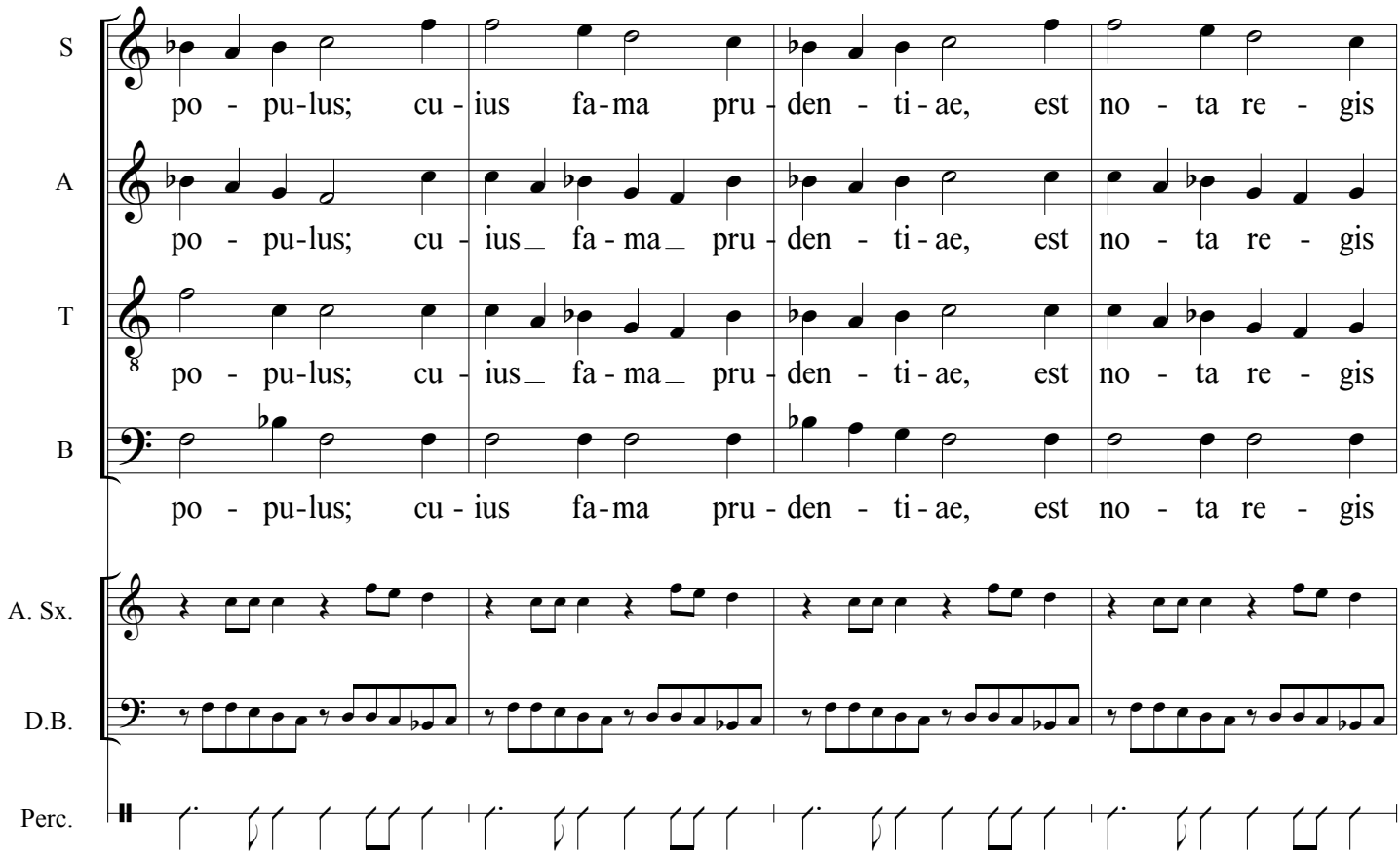

377
Belshazzar (to the Nobles)
Q.
fore-tells, what the wri - ting means. This Da-niel go to
Kb.
D.B.
Perc.
Bel.
see where he is, then when you've found him, bring him to me!
D.B.
383
♩ = 132
Nobles
S
Vir pro - phe-ta De - i Da-ni -
A
Vir pro - phe-ta De - i Da-ni -
S. Sx.
f
p
Kb.
(keyboard)
Perc.

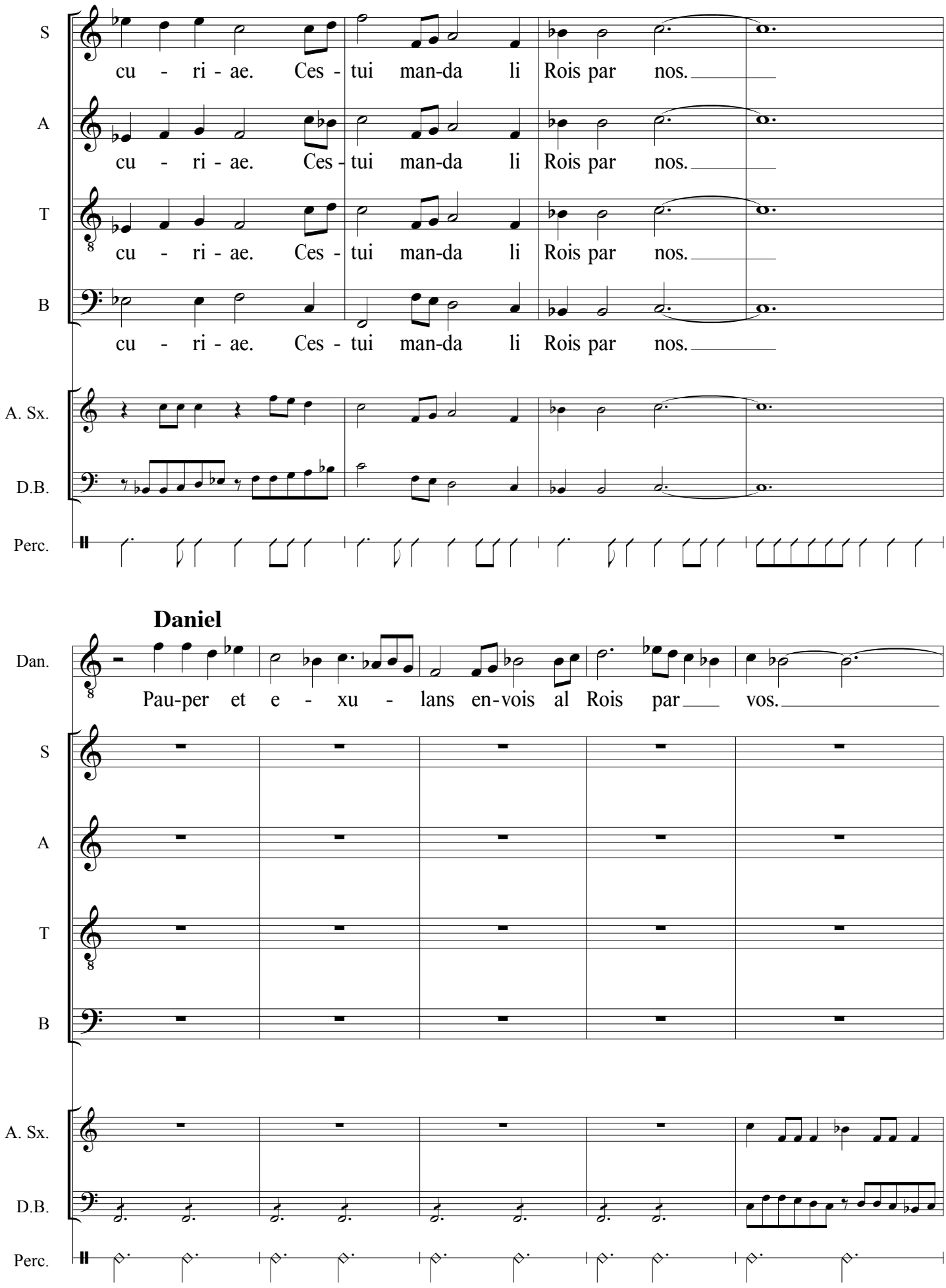

S
el, vien al Roi! ve-ni de-si-de-rat par-ler
A
el, vien al Roi! ve-ni de-si-de-rat par-ler
S. Sx.
Kb.
Perc.
402
S
a toi! Pa-vet et tur-ba-tur
A
a toi! Pa-vet et tur-ba-tur
S. Sx.
f
p
Kb.
Perc.
S
Da-ni-el, vien al Roi! vel-let quod nos la-ter
A
Da-ni-el, vien al Roi! vel-let quod nos la-ter
S. Sx.
Kb.
Perc.


419
S
sa - voir par toi. Te di - ta - bit do -
A
sa - voir par toi. Te di - ta - bit do -
S. Sx.
Kb.
Perc.
f
p
S
nis Da-ni - el, vien al Roi! si scrip - ta po -
A
nis Da-ni - el, vien al Roi! si scrip - ta po -
S. Sx.
Kb.
Perc.
434
Daniel
Dan.
I am ho - noured
S
te - rit sa - voir par - toi.
A
te - rit sa - voir par - toi.
S. Sx.
(D.B.)
Kb.
Perc.

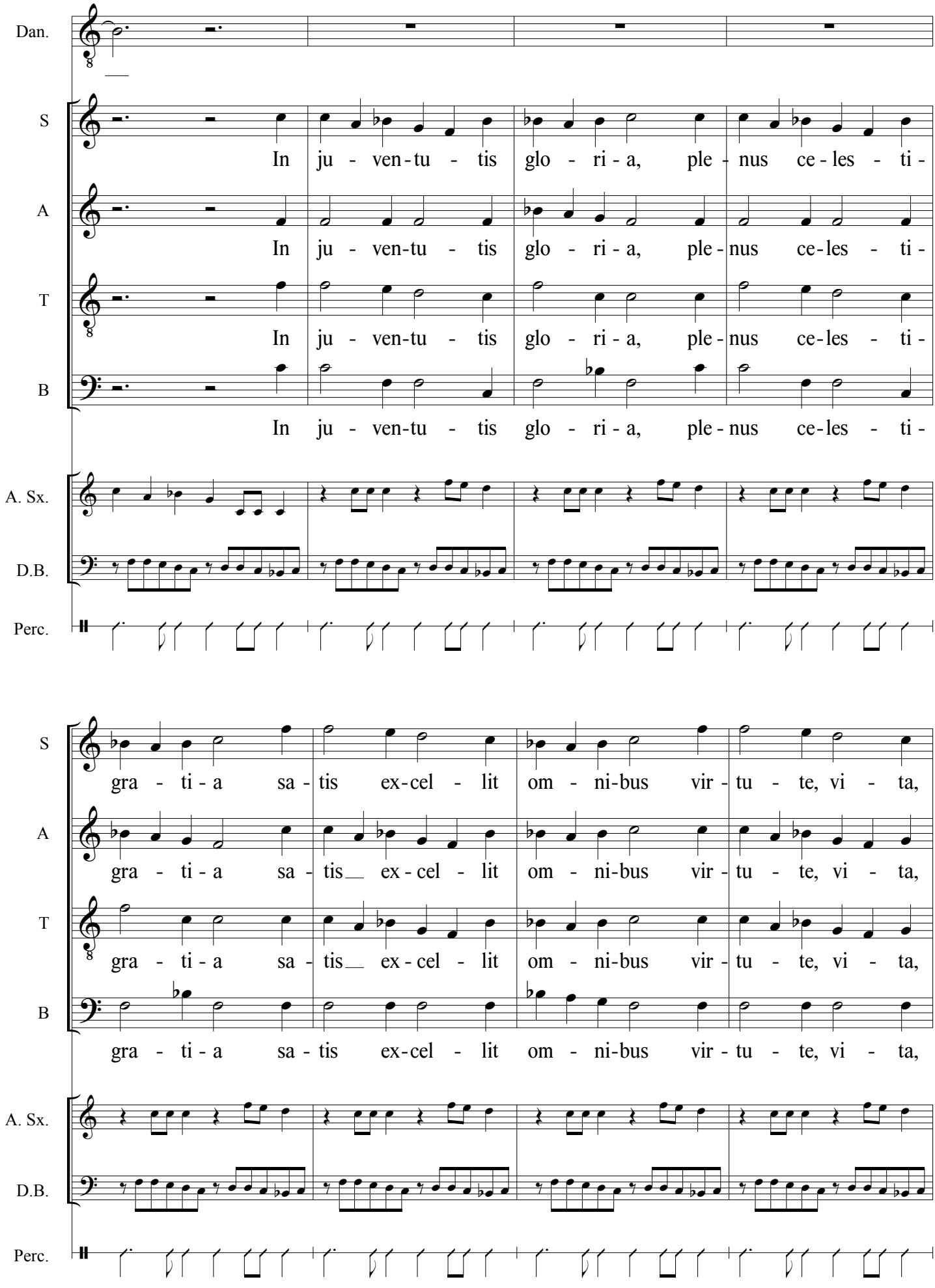

Dan.
to have been cho - sen by the king's coun-cil to ca - ry out this task;
D.B.
Perc.
Dan.
free - ly I go with you to read the signs, I will at - tempt to make their
D.B.
Perc.
458
♩. = 72
Entry of Daniel
Dan.
mea - ning plain.
All
S
Hic
A
Hic
T
Hic
B
Hic
A. Sx.
f
D.B.
Perc.

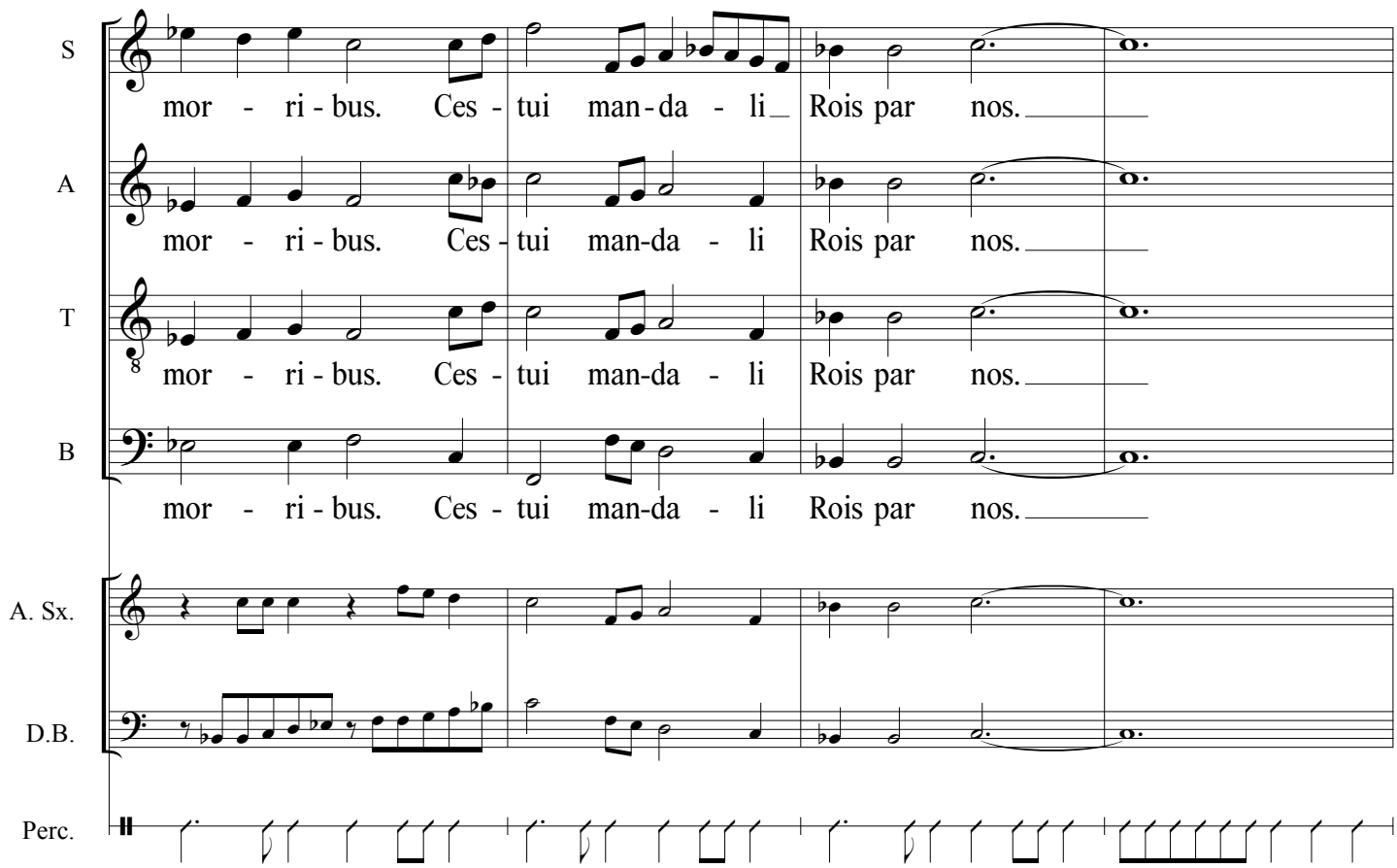

S
ve - rus De - i fa - mu - lus, quem lau - dat om - nis
A
ve - rus De - i fa - mu - lus, quem lau - dat om - nis
T
ve - rus De - i fa - mu - lus, quem lau - dat om - nis
B
ve - rus De - i fa - mu - lus, quem lau - dat om - nis
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

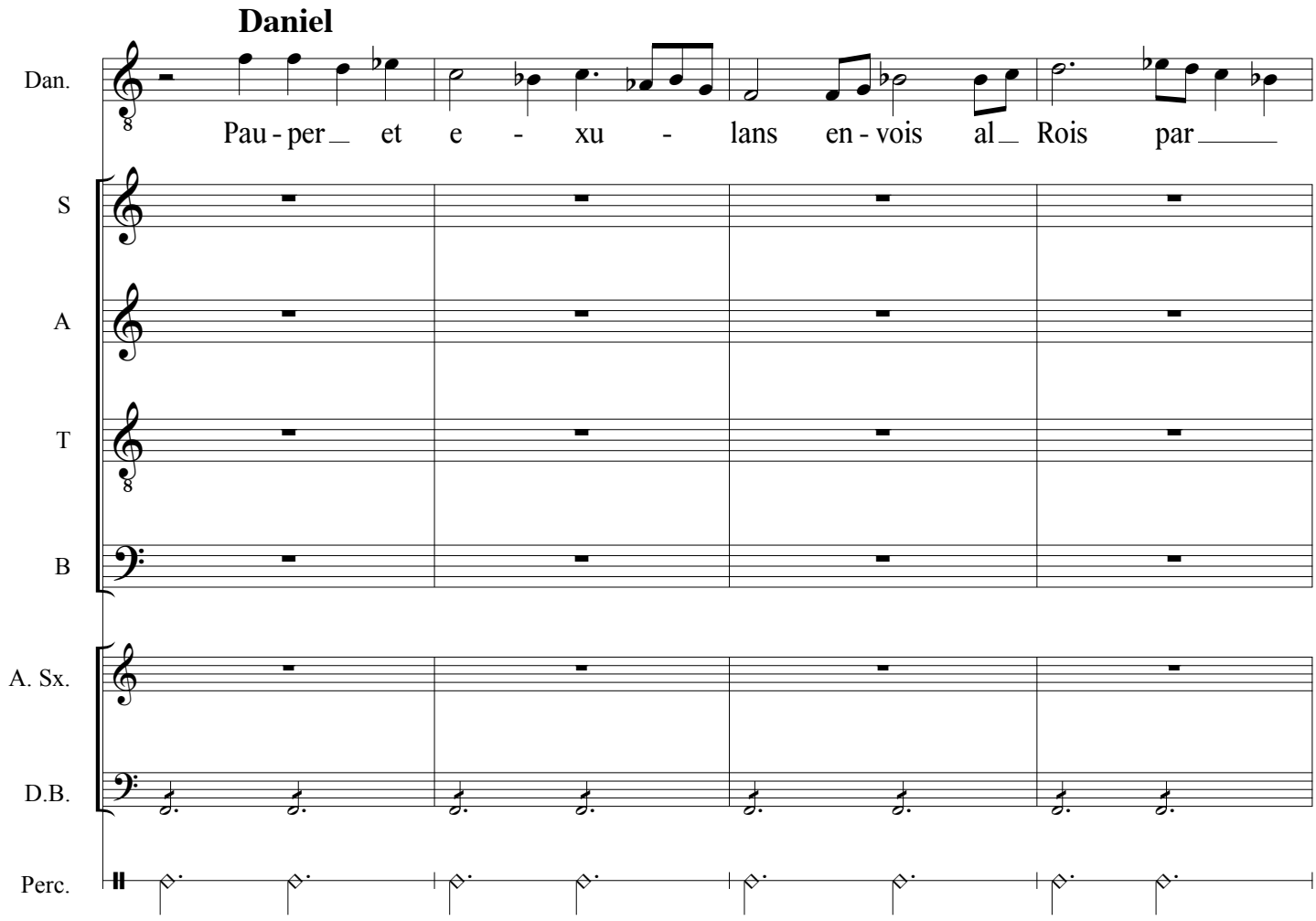

S
po - pu-lus; cu - ius fa-ma pru - den - ti - ae, est no - ta re - gis
A
po - pu-lus; cu - ius_ fa - ma_ pru - den - ti - ae, est no - ta re - gis
T
po - pu-lus; cu - ius_ fa - ma_ pru - den - ti - ae, est no - ta re - gis
B
po - pu-lus; cu - ius fa-ma pru - den - ti - ae, est no - ta re - gis
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
cu - ri - ae. Ces - tui man-da li Rois par nos.
A
cu - ri - ae. Ces - tui man-da li Rois par nos.
T
cu - ri - ae. Ces - tui man-da li Rois par nos.
B
cu - ri - ae. Ces - tui man-da li Rois par nos.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Daniel
Dan.
Pau-per et e - xu - lans en-vois al Rois par vos.
S
A
T
B
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

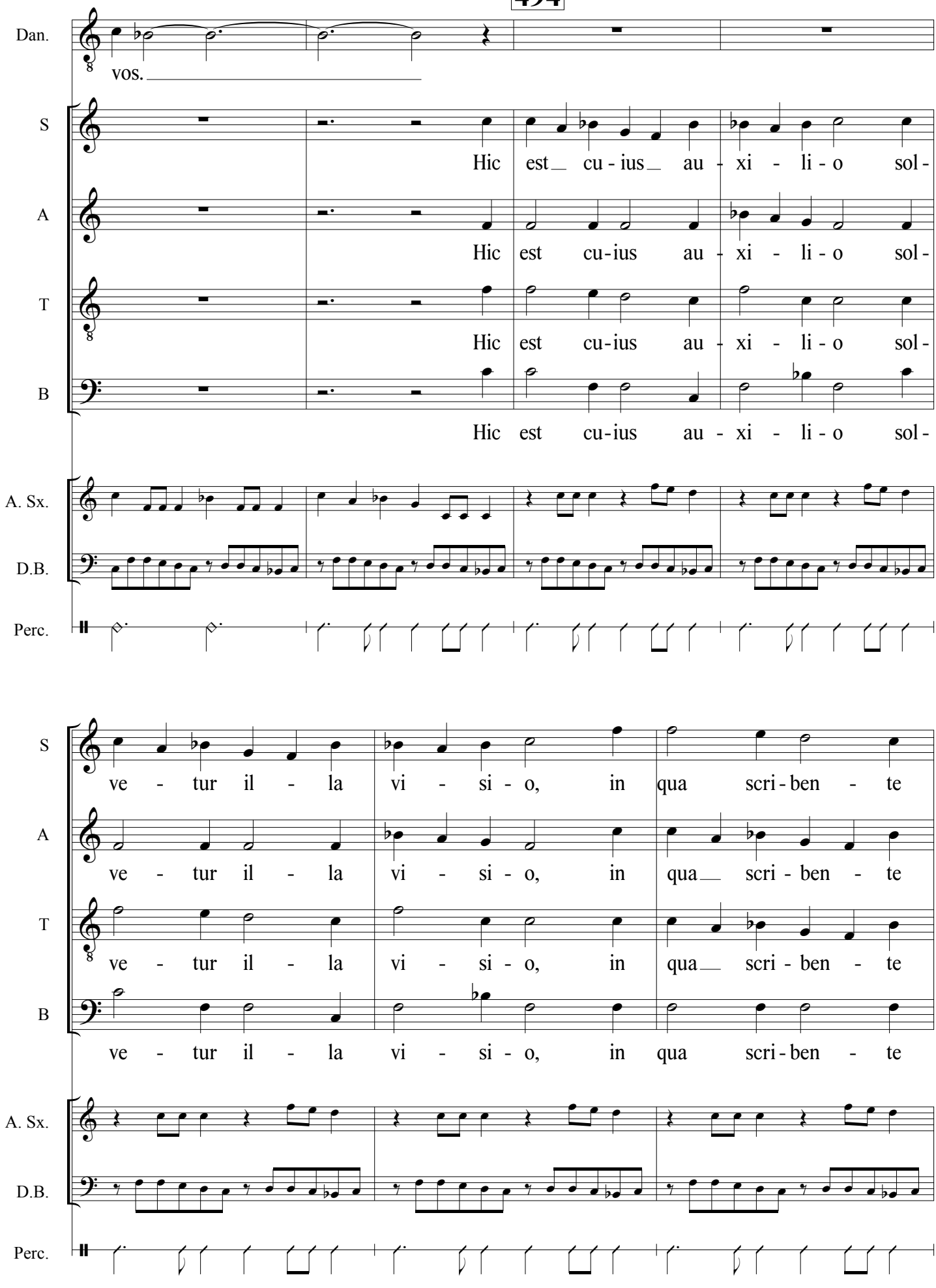
477

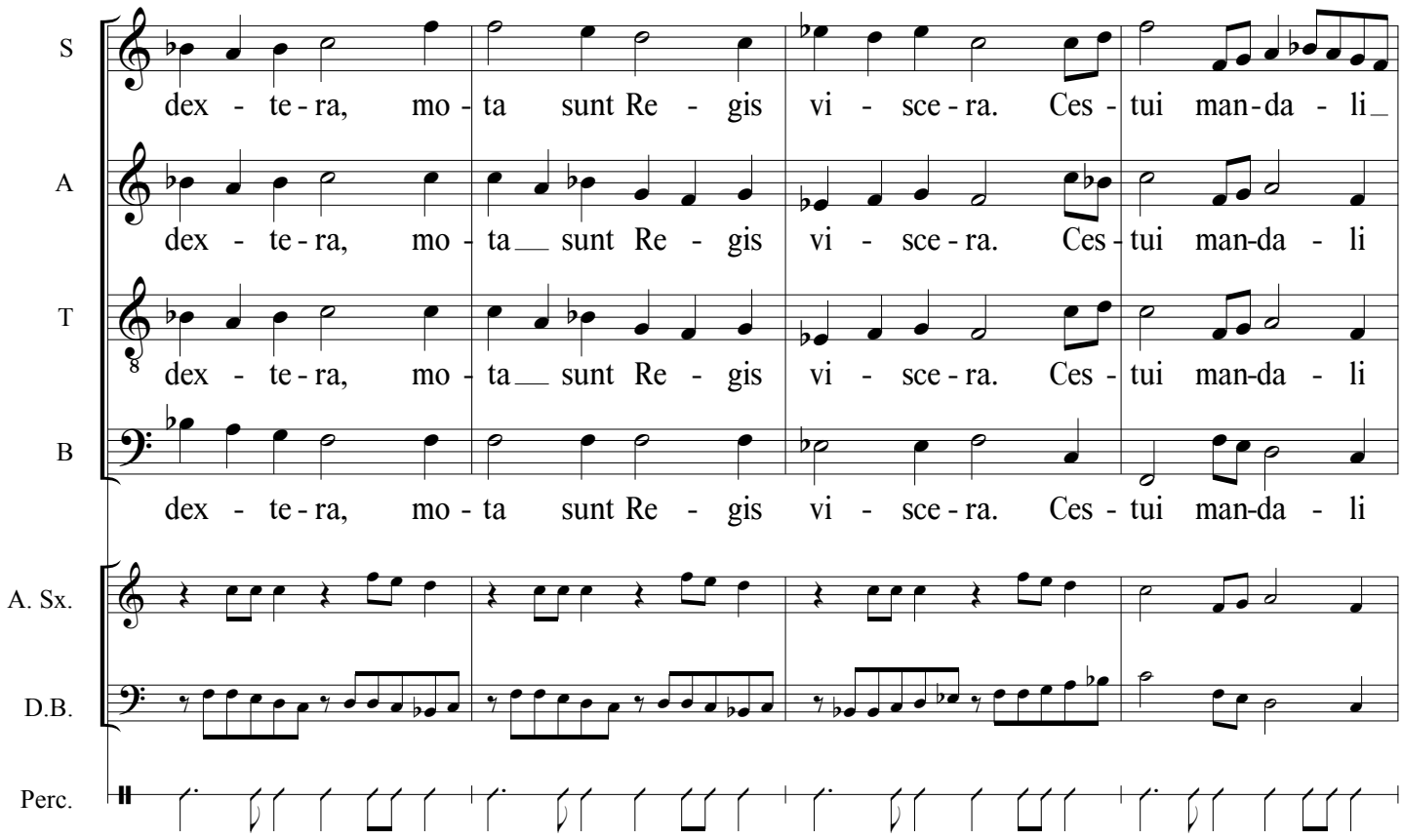

Dan.
S
In ju - ven-tu - tis glo - ri - a, ple - nus ce-les - ti -
A
In ju - ven-tu - tis glo - ri - a, ple - nus ce-les - ti -
T
In ju - ven-tu - tis glo - ri - a, ple - nus ce-les - ti -
B
In ju - ven-tu - tis glo - ri - a, ple - nus ce-les - ti -
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
S
gra - ti - a sa - tis ex-cel - lit om - ni-bus vir - tu - te, vi - ta,
A
gra - ti - a sa - tis ex - cel - lit om - ni-bus vir - tu - te, vi - ta,
T
gra - ti - a sa - tis ex - cel - lit om - ni-bus vir - tu - te, vi - ta,
B
gra - ti - a sa - tis ex-cel - lit om - ni-bus vir - tu - te, vi - ta,
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

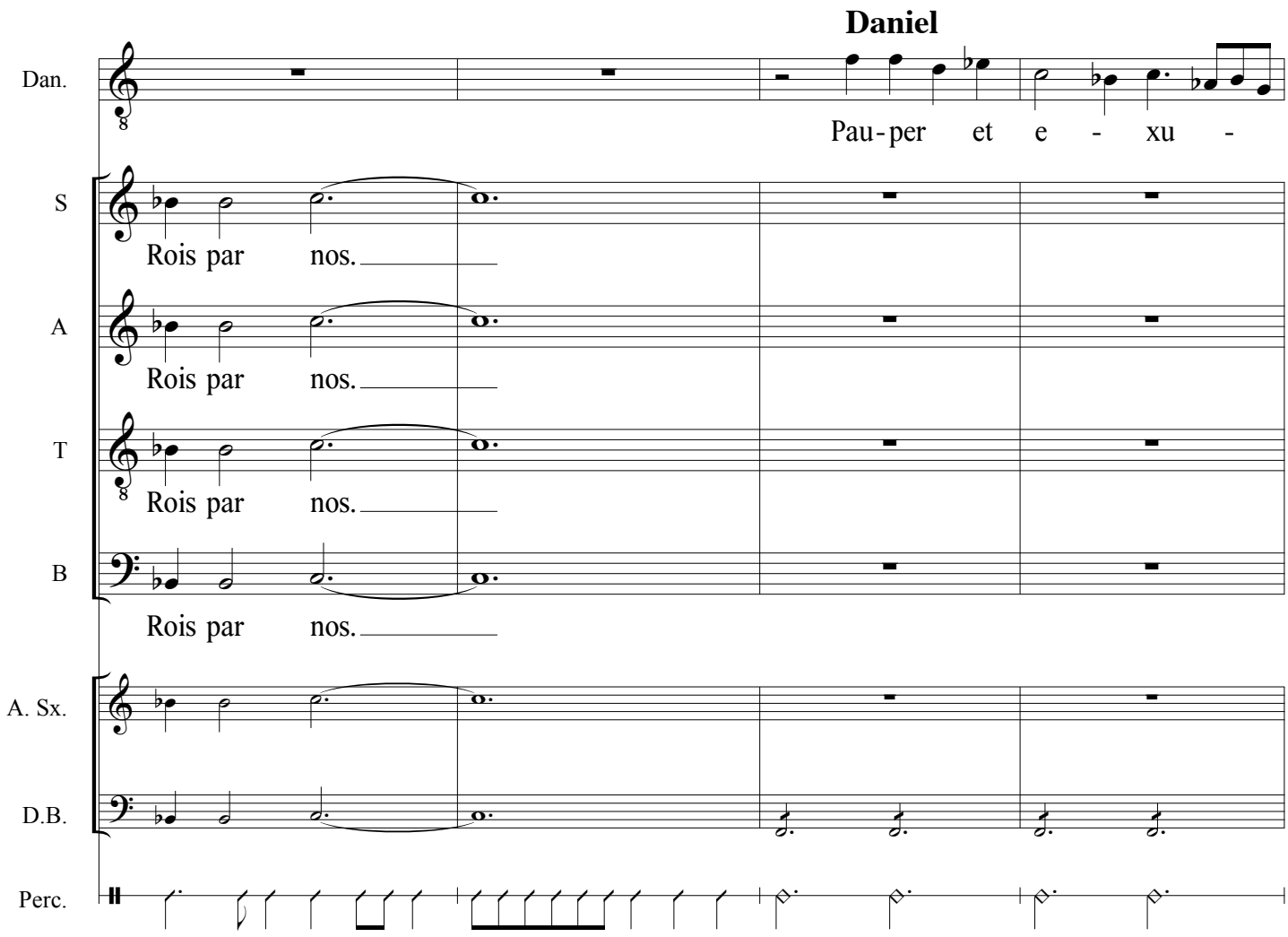

S
mor - ri - bus. Ces - tui man - da - li Rois par nos.
A
mor - ri - bus. Ces - tui man-da - li Rois par nos.
T
mor - ri - bus. Ces - tui man-da - li Rois par nos.
B
mor - ri - bus. Ces - tui man-da - li Rois par nos.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

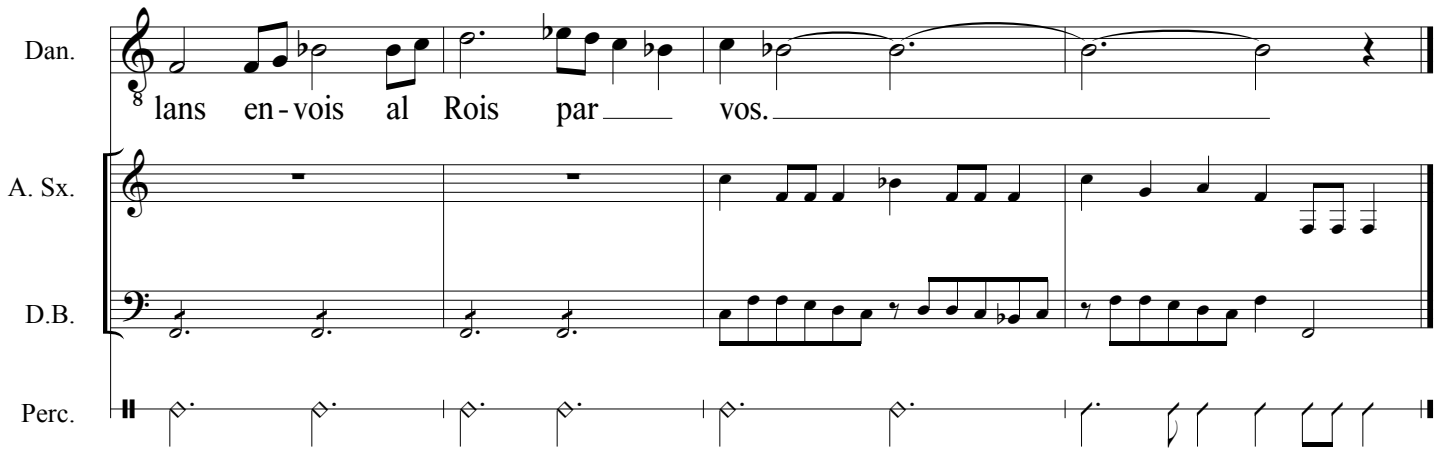

Daniel
Dan.
Pau - per et e - xu - lans en - vois al Rois par
S
A
T
B
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

494

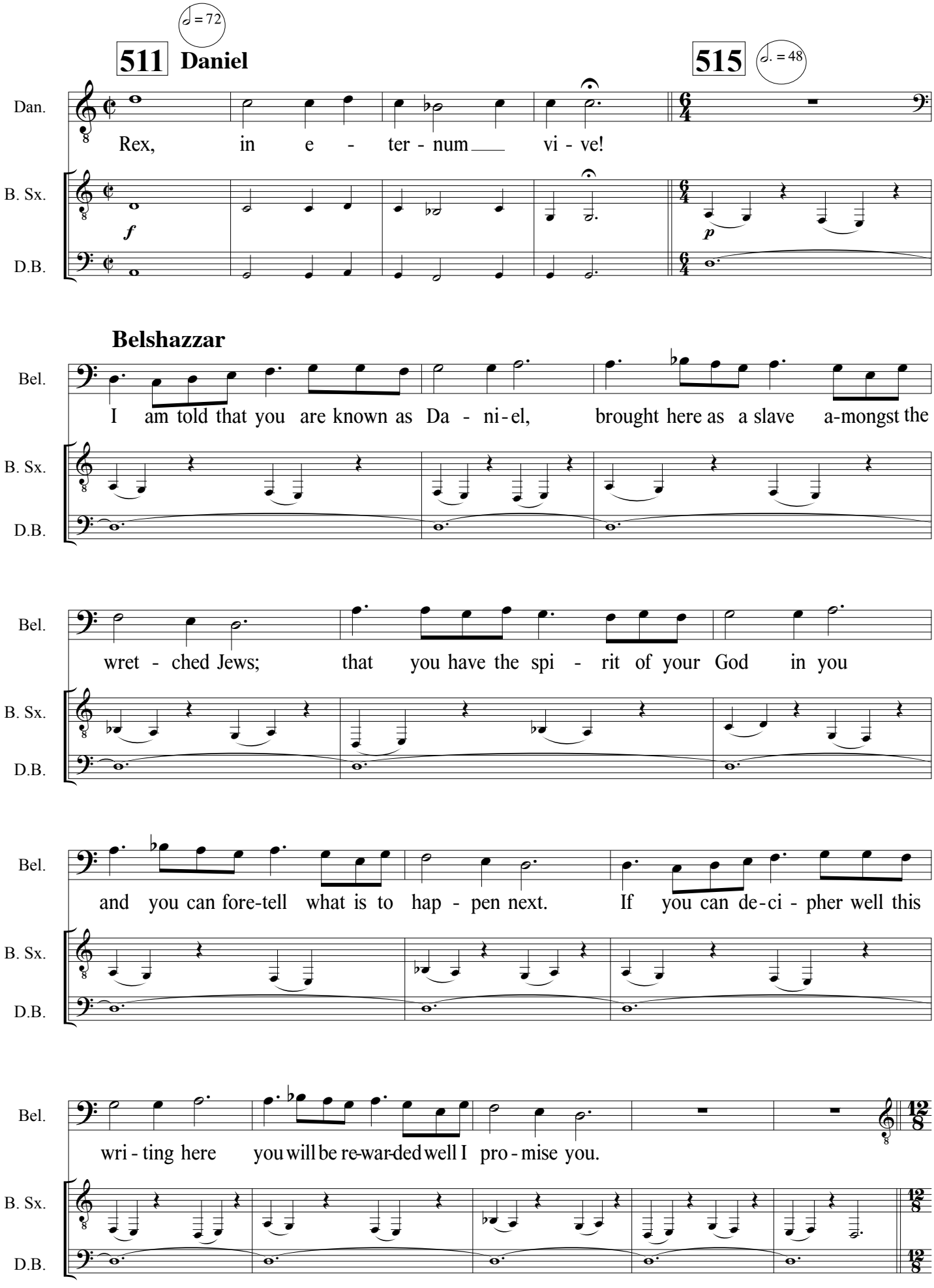

Dan.
vos.
S
Hic est cu - ius au - xi - li - o sol -
A
Hic est cu-ius au - xi - li - o sol -
T
Hic est cu-ius au - xi - li - o sol -
B
Hic est cu-ius au - xi - li - o sol -
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
S
ve - tur il - la vi - si - o, in qua scri-ben - te
A
ve - tur il - la vi - si - o, in qua scri - ben - te
T
ve - tur il - la vi - si - o, in qua scri - ben - te
B
ve - tur il - la vi - si - o, in qua scri-ben - te
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

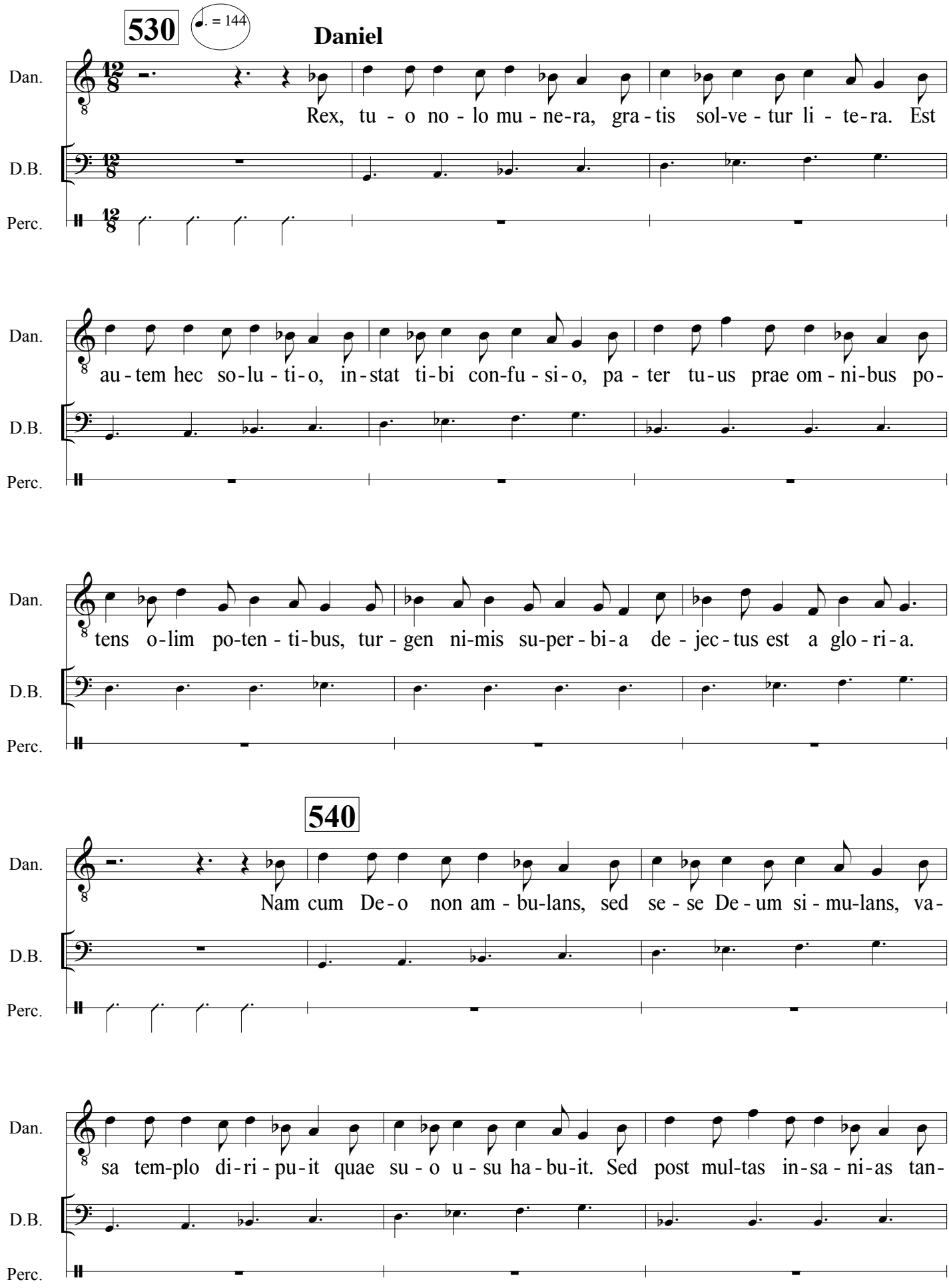

S
dex - te - ra, mo - ta sunt Re - gis vi - sce - ra. Ces - tui man - da - li
A
dex - te - ra, mo - ta sunt Re - gis vi - sce - ra. Ces - tui man-da - li
T
dex - te - ra, mo - ta sunt Re - gis vi - sce - ra. Ces - tui man-da - li
B
dex - te - ra, mo - ta sunt Re - gis vi - sce - ra. Ces - tui man-da - li
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

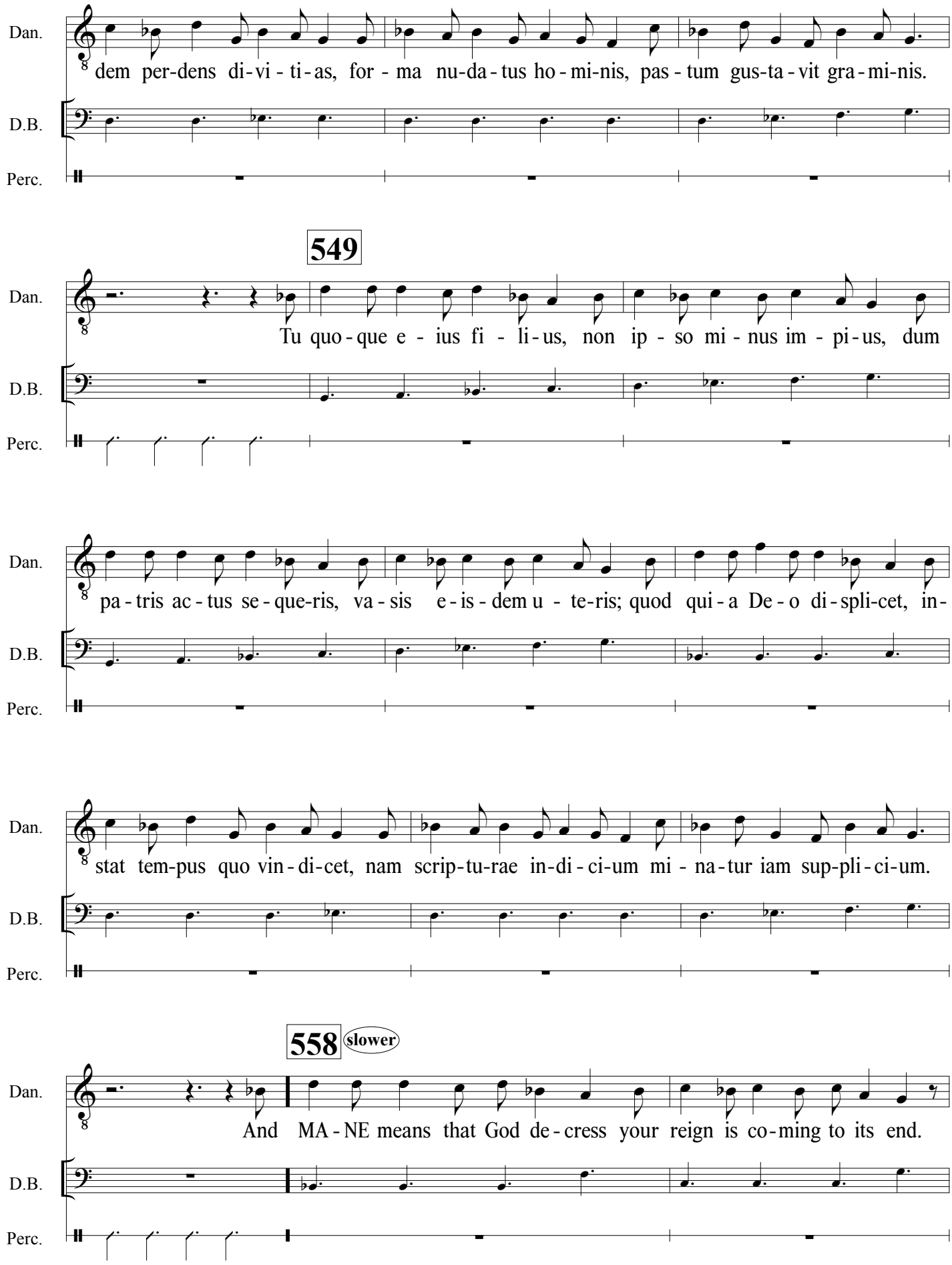

Daniel
Dan.
Pau - per et e - xu -
S
Rois par nos.
A
Rois par nos.
T
Rois par nos.
B
Rois par nos.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

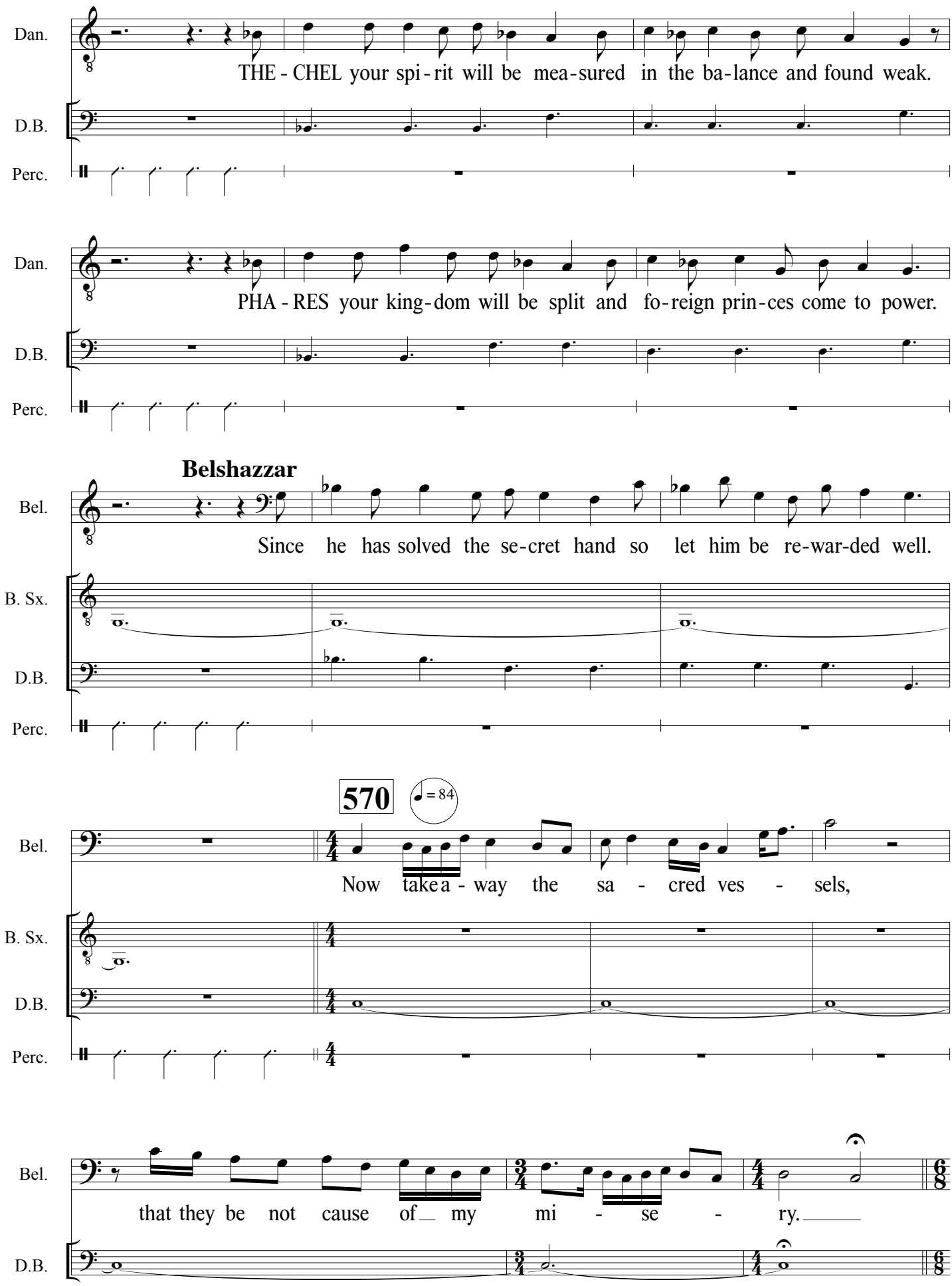


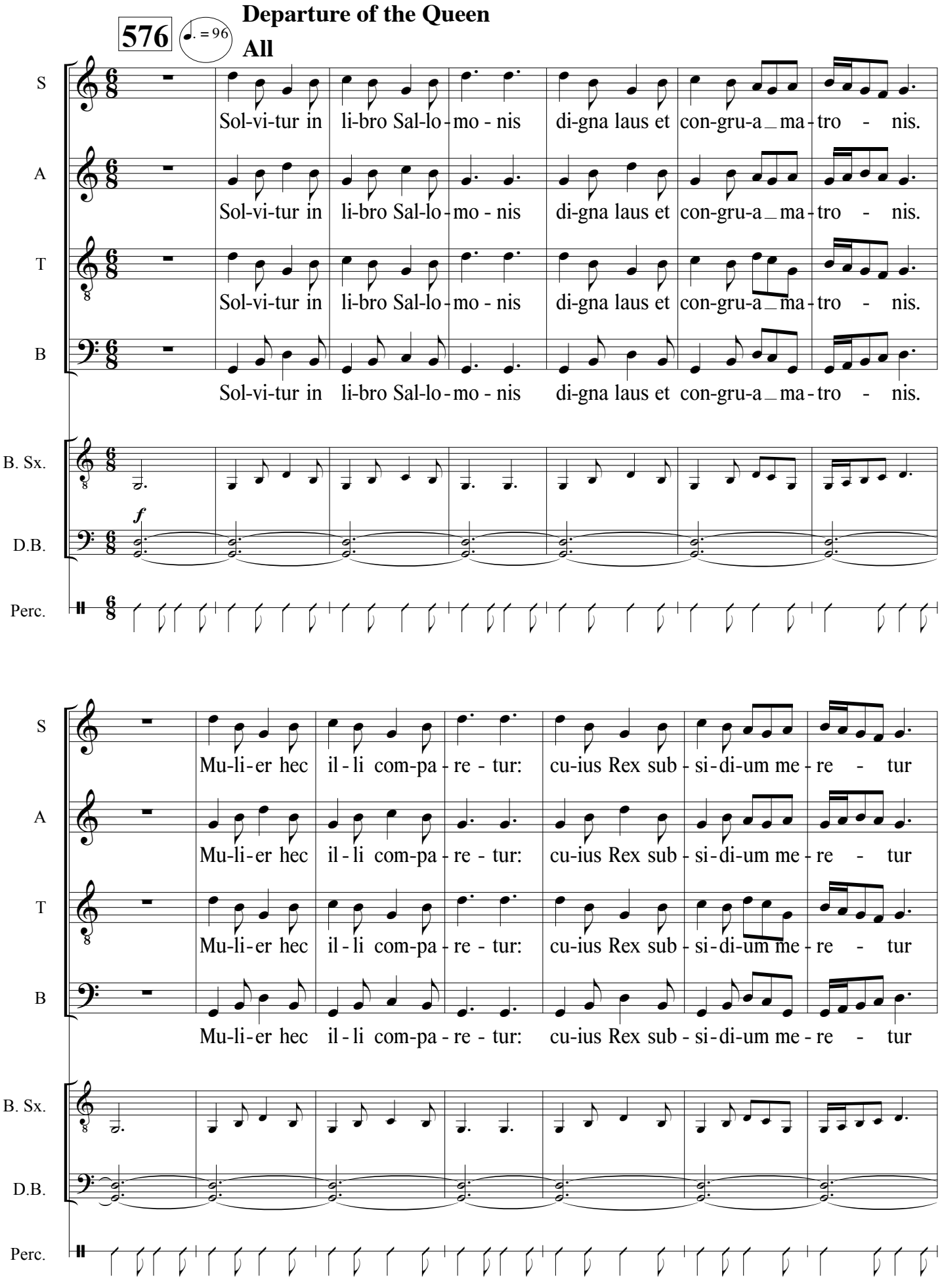
NARRATOR
He is come to the court and the king says:
"Art thou that child of churlish Judah
Who is deemed wise? Is Daniel thy name?
My soothsayers, the sages of Babylon
Cannot understand the strange writing:
If thou canst make its meaning clear,
Glory and gold shall be given thee."
And Daniel answers: "Hail, O king!
When Nebuchadnezzar, as thou knowest well,
Forgot the God from whom his glory came
In the lust of pride, the light of reason
Fled from him, he fed on grass
Like a brute beast. Thy boast is worse.
Thou hast lifted thyself against the Lord of Heaven,
Profaning what was sacred, the vessels of His house,
Made obeisance to idols of brass and stone:
For this thou art judged. Thus I interpret
The words on the wall, a warning of doom.
MENE saith the Lord: thy might is finished.
TEKEL saith the Lord: tested in the balance,
Thou art found wanting, thy weight is less.
PERES saith the Lord: thy fall is certain,
Thy crown shall leave thee, thy kingdom divided
Thy power apportioned to Persians and Medes."
Then Belshazzar is ashamed, he shakes with fear.
"I have sinned," he says, "Let the sacred vessels,
God's treasure, be returned to Judah
To own for ever. Let honour be shown
To this wise man in whose mouth is truth."
With merry music and mirthful song
The princes praise the prophet Daniel
The Queen also for her quickness of heart
And his lieges leave their lord alone.

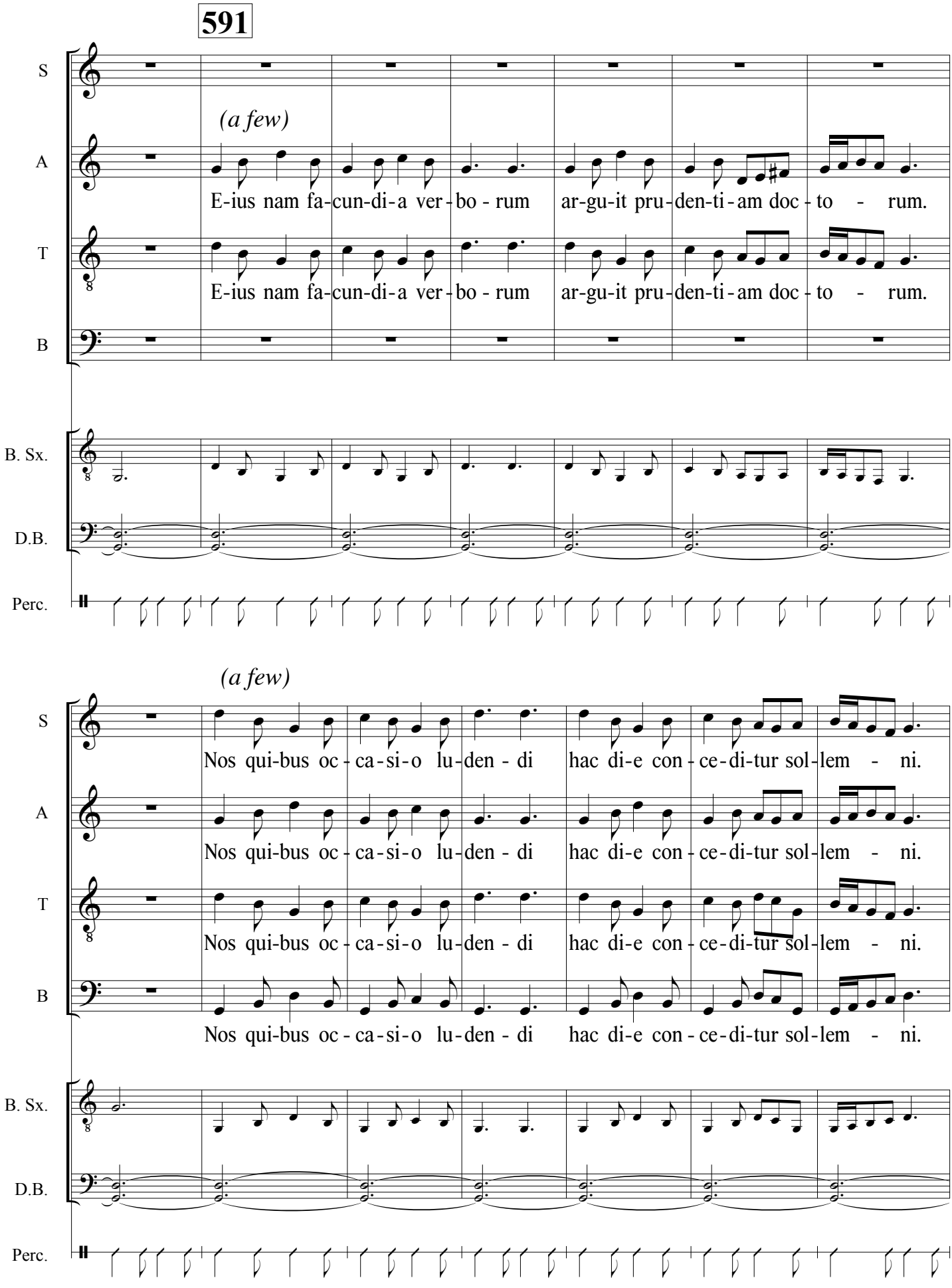

511
Daniel
♩ = 72
515
♩. = 48
Dan.
Rex, in e - ter - num vi - ve!
B. Sx.
D.B.
f
p
Belshazzar
Bel.
I am told that you are known as Da - ni - el, brought here as a slave a-mongst the
wret - ched Jews; that you have the spi - rit of your God in you
and you can fore-tell what is to hap - pen next. If you can de - ci - pher well this
wri - ting here you will be re-war-ded well I pro - mise you.

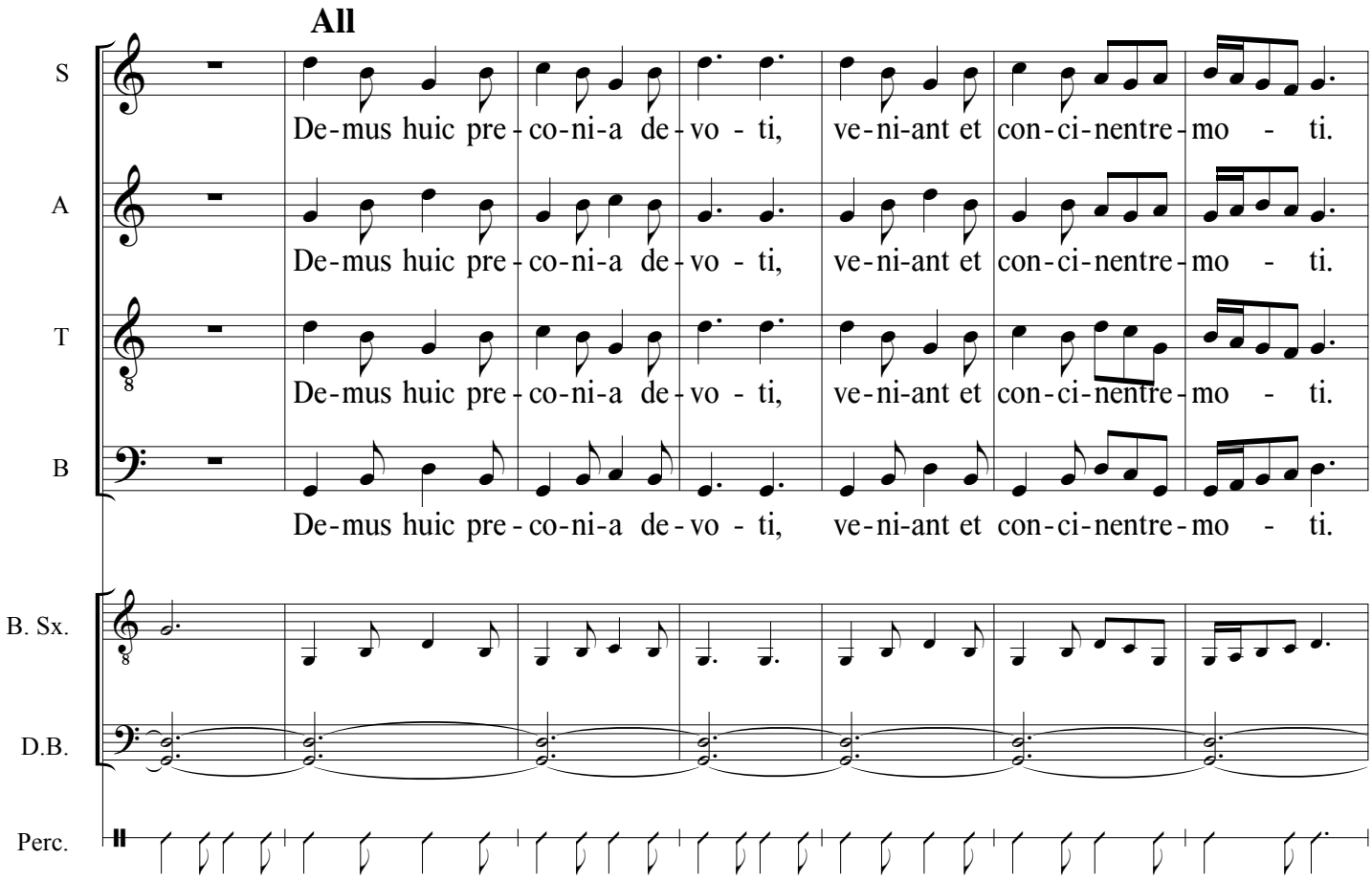

530
♩. = 144
Daniel
Dan.
D.B.
Perc.
Rex, tu - o no - lo mu - ne-ra, gra - tis sol-ve - tur li - te-ra. Est
au - tem hec so-lu - ti-o, in-stat ti-bi con-fu - si-o, pa - ter tu-us prae om - ni-bus po-
tens o-lim po-ten - ti-bus, tur - gen ni-mis su-per - bi-a de - jec - tus est a glo - ri - a.
540
Nam cum De - o non am - bu-lans, sed se - se De - um si - mu-lans, va-
sa tem-plo di-ri - pu-it quae su - o u - su ha - bu-it. Sed post mul-tas in-sa - ni-as tan-

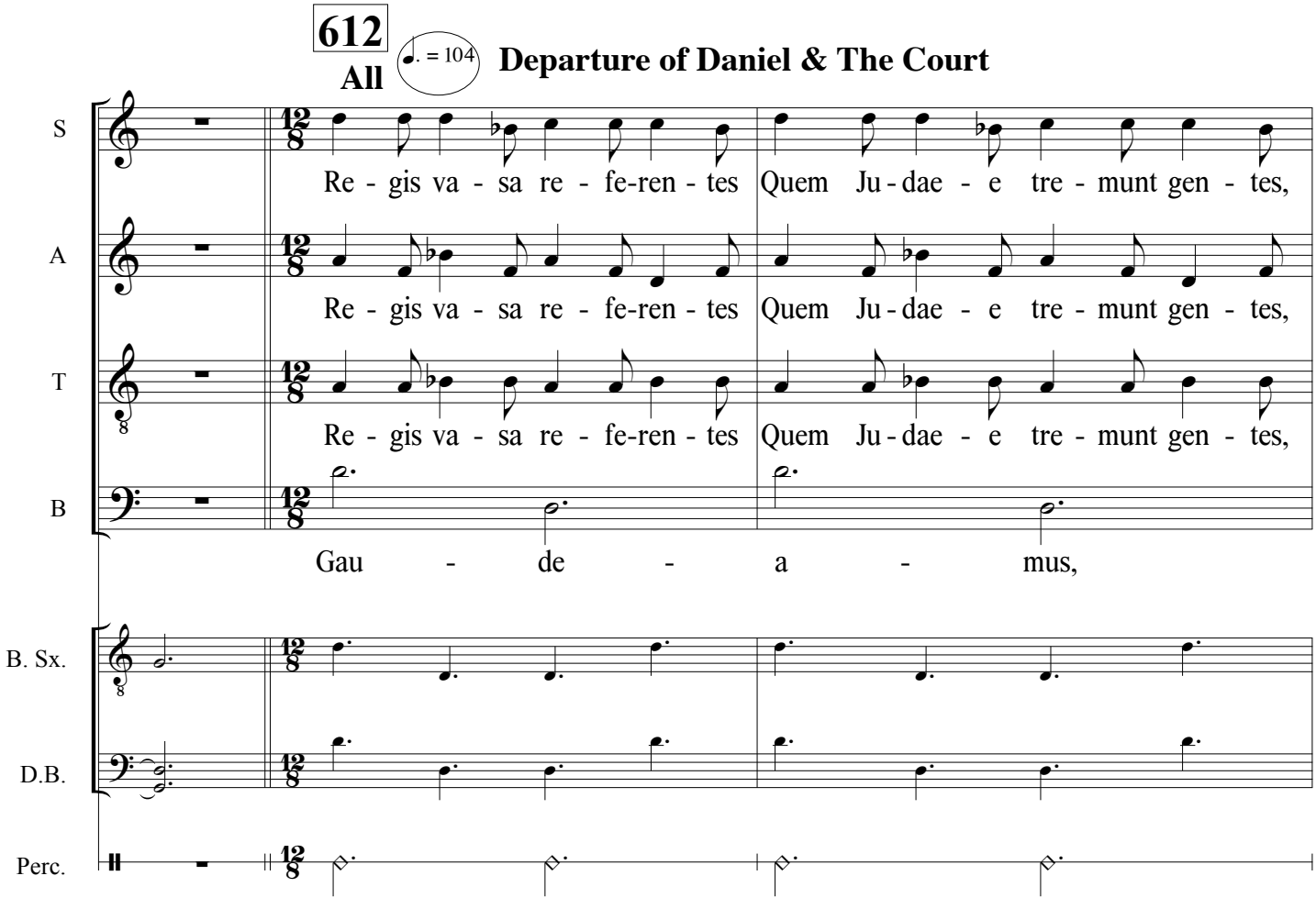

Dan.
D.B.
Perc.
dem per-dens di-vi-ti-as, for-ma nu-da-tus ho-mi-nis, pas-tum gus-ta-vit gra-mi-nis.
549
Tu quo-que e-ius fi-li-us, non ip-so mi-nus im-pi-us, dum
pa-tris ac-tus se-que-ris, va-sis e-is-dem u-te-ris; quod qui-a De-o di-spli-cet, in-
stat tem-pus quo vin-di-cet, nam scrip-tu-rae in-di-ci-um mi-na-tur iam sup-pli-ci-um.
558
slower
And MA-NE means that God de-cress your reign is co-ming to its end.

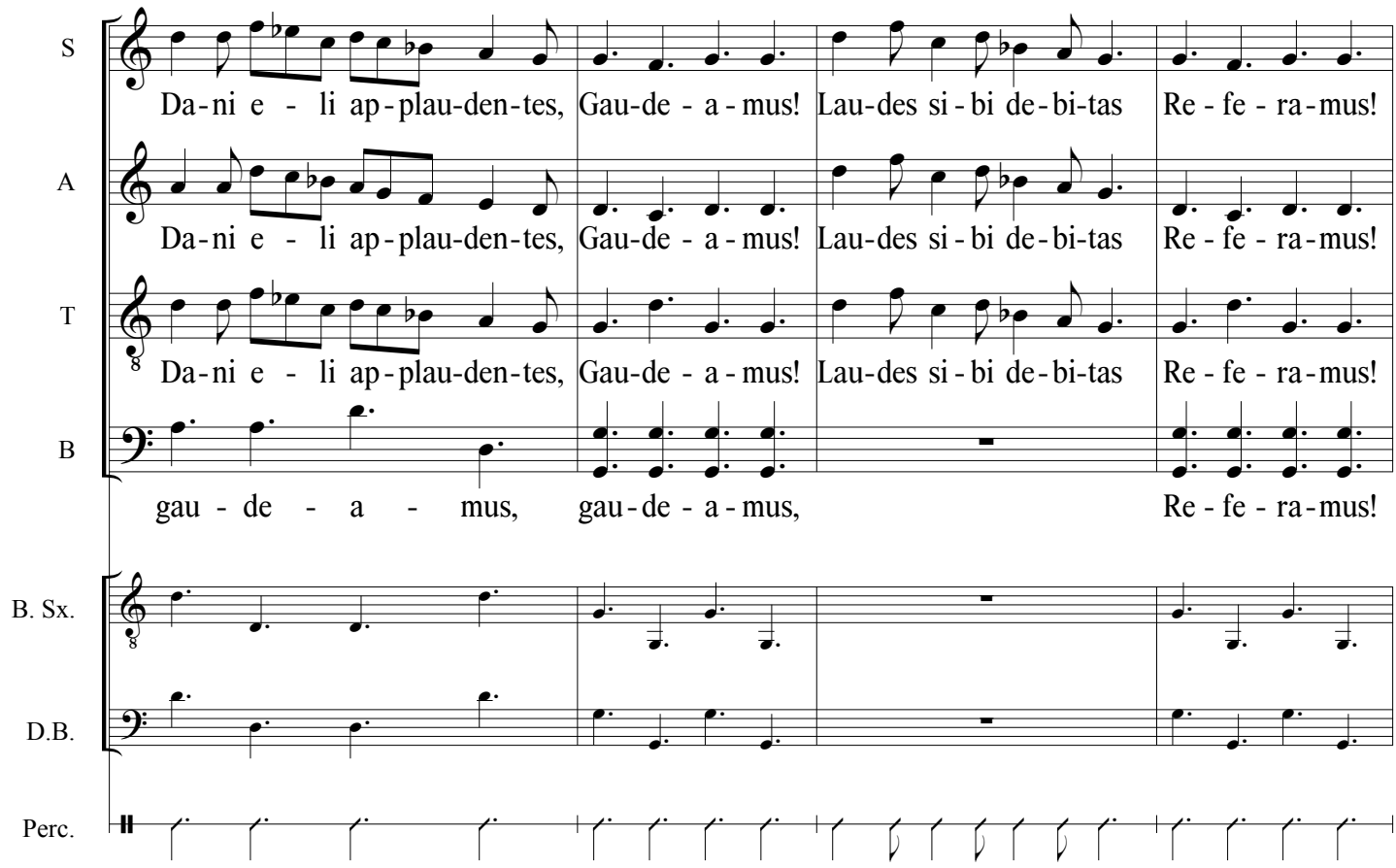

Dan.
THE - CHEL your spi - rit will be mea-sured in the ba-lance and found weak.
D.B.
Perc.
Dan.
PHA - RES your king-dom will be split and fo-reign prin-ces come to power.
D.B.
Perc.
Belshazzar
Bel.
Since he has solved the se-cret hand so let him be re-war-ded well.
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
570
♩ = 84
Bel.
Now take a - way the sa - cred ves - sels,
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Bel.
that they be not cause of my mi - se - ry.
D.B.

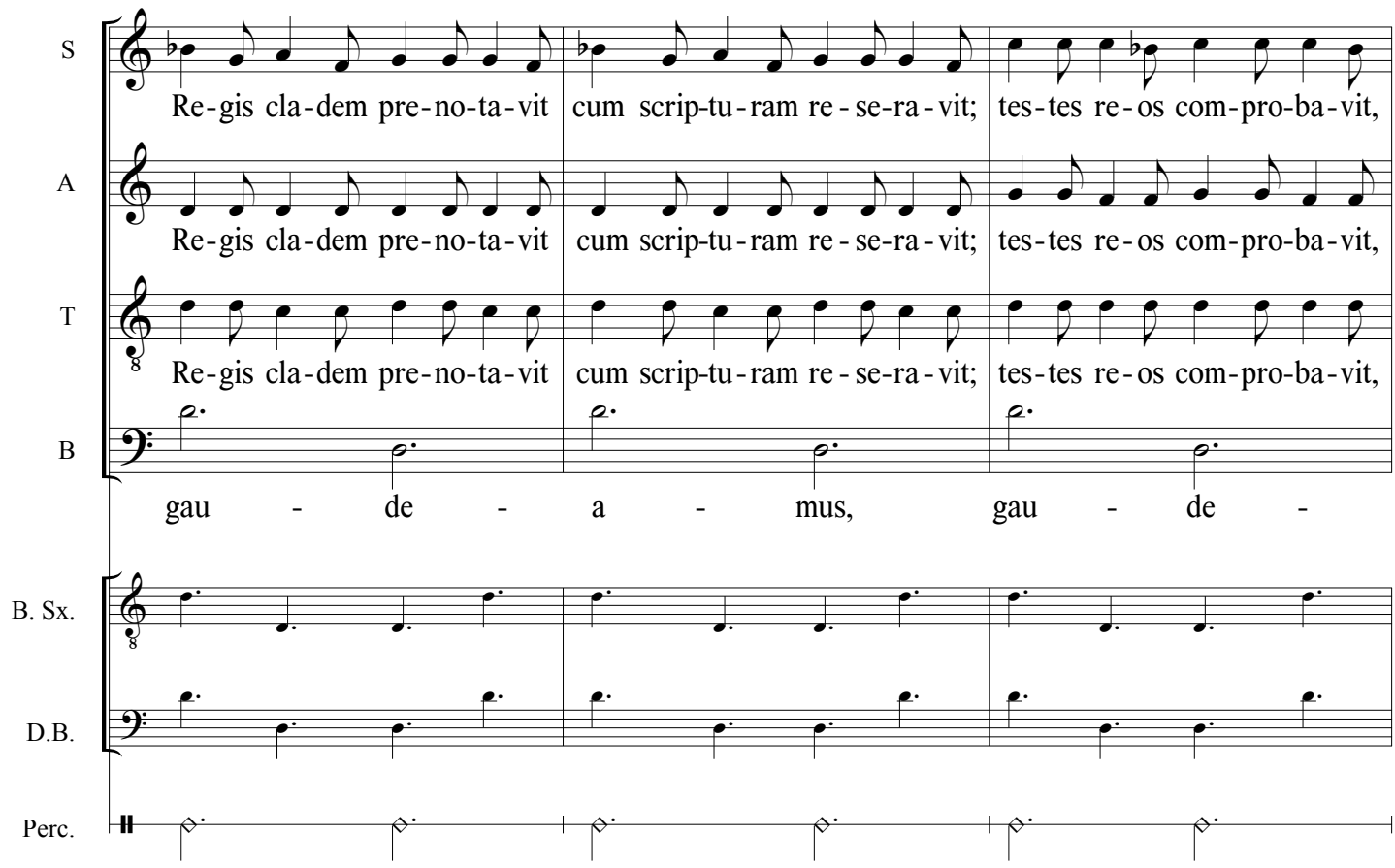

576
♩. = 96
Departure of the Queen
All
S
A
T
B
Sol-vi-tur in li-bro Sal-lo-mo - nis di-gna laus et con-gru-a_ma-tro - nis.
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
f
Mu-li-er hec il-li com-pa-re - tur: cu-ius Rex sub-si-di-um me-re - tur

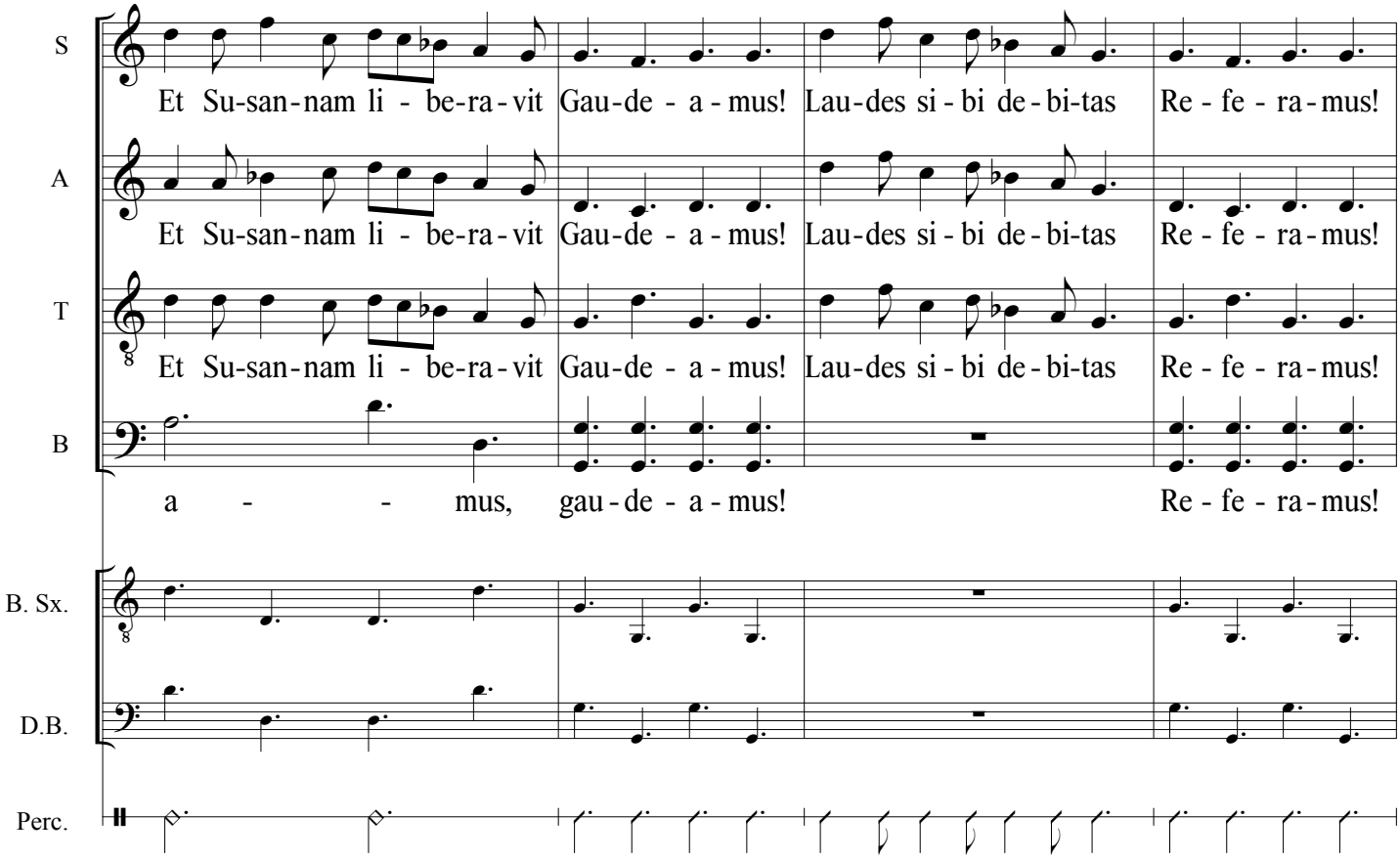

591
S
A
T
B
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
(a few)
E-ius nam fa-cun-di-a ver-bo-rum ar-gu-it pru-den-ti-am doc-to-rum.
E-ius nam fa-cun-di-a ver-bo-rum ar-gu-it pru-den-ti-am doc-to-rum.
(a few)
Nos qui-bus oc-ca-si-o lu-den-di hac di-e con-ce-di-tur sol-lem-ni.
Nos qui-bus oc-ca-si-o lu-den-di hac di-e con-ce-di-tur sol-lem-ni.
Nos qui-bus oc-ca-si-o lu-den-di hac di-e con-ce-di-tur sol-lem-ni.
Nos qui-bus oc-ca-si-o lu-den-di hac di-e con-ce-di-tur sol-lem-ni.

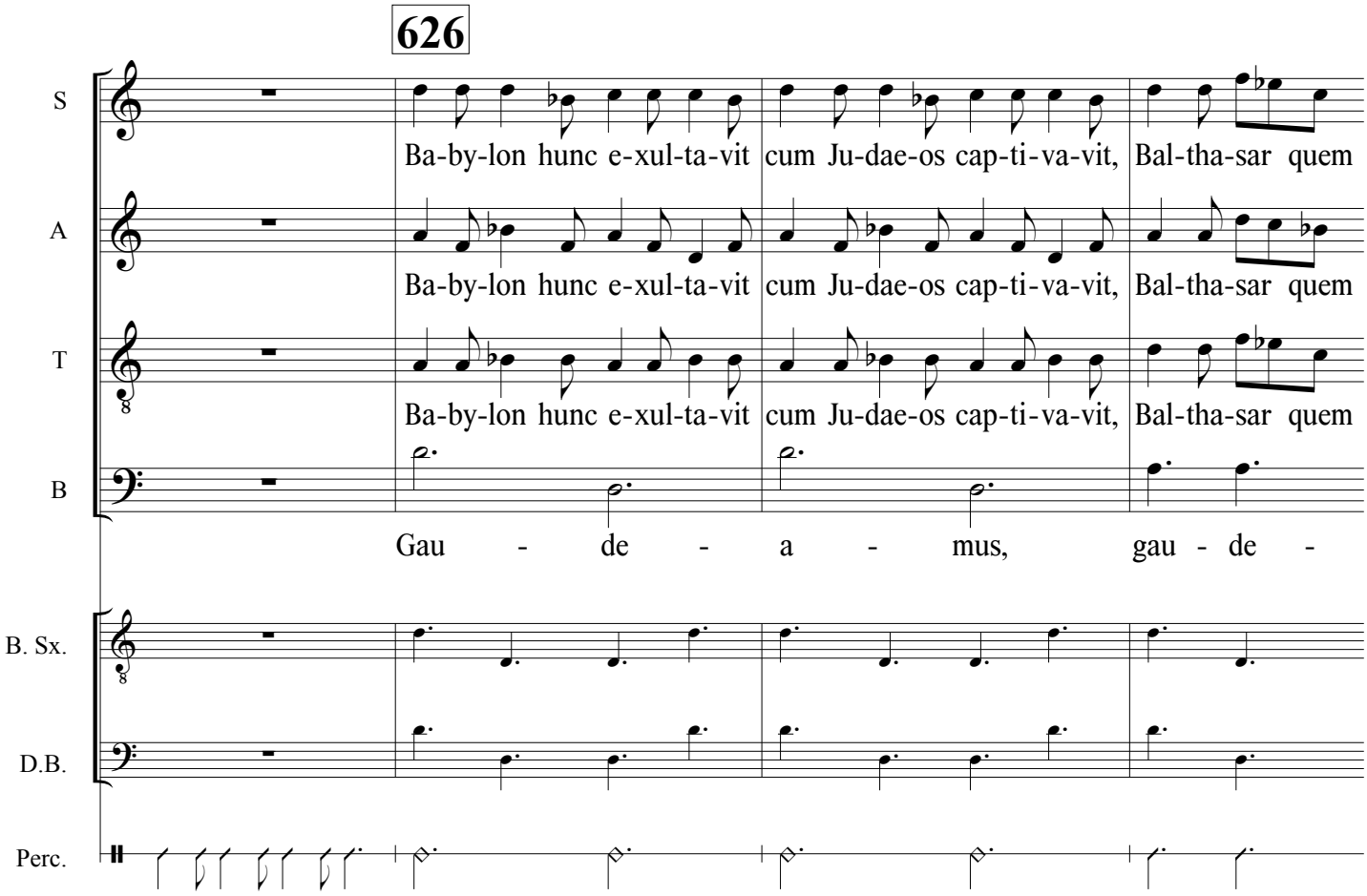

All
S
De-mus huic pre-co-ni-a de-vo-ti, ve-ni-ant et con-ci-nentre-mo-ti.
A
De-mus huic pre-co-ni-a de-vo-ti, ve-ni-ant et con-ci-nentre-mo-ti.
T
De-mus huic pre-co-ni-a de-vo-ti, ve-ni-ant et con-ci-nentre-mo-ti.
B
De-mus huic pre-co-ni-a de-vo-ti, ve-ni-ant et con-ci-nentre-mo-ti.
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


612
All
♩. = 104
Departure of Daniel & The Court
S
Re-gis va-sa re-fe-ren-tes Quem Ju-dae-e tre-munt gen-tes,
A
Re-gis va-sa re-fe-ren-tes Quem Ju-dae-e tre-munt gen-tes,
T
Re-gis va-sa re-fe-ren-tes Quem Ju-dae-e tre-munt gen-tes,
B
Gau-de-a-mus,
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
Da-ni e - li ap-plau-den-tes, Gau-de - a-mus! Lau-des si-bi de-bi-tas Re - fe - ra-mus!
A
Da-ni e - li ap-plau-den-tes, Gau-de - a-mus! Lau-des si-bi de-bi-tas Re - fe - ra-mus!
T
Da-ni e - li ap-plau-den-tes, Gau-de - a-mus! Lau-des si-bi de-bi-tas Re - fe - ra-mus!
B
gau - de - a - mus, gau-de - a-mus, Re - fe - ra-mus!
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
Re-gis cla-dem pre-no-ta-vit cum scrip-tu-ram re - se-ra - vit; tes-tes re-os com-pro-ba-vit,
A
Re-gis cla-dem pre-no-ta-vit cum scrip-tu-ram re - se-ra - vit; tes-tes re-os com-pro-ba-vit,
T
Re-gis cla-dem pre-no-ta-vit cum scrip-tu-ram re - se-ra - vit; tes-tes re-os com-pro-ba-vit,
B
gau - de - a - mus, gau - de -
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
Et Su-san-nam li - be-ra-vit Gau-de - a - mus! Lau-des si - bi de - bi-tas Re - fe - ra - mus!
A
Et Su-san-nam li - be-ra-vit Gau-de - a - mus! Lau-des si - bi de - bi-tas Re - fe - ra - mus!
T
Et Su-san-nam li - be-ra-vit Gau-de - a - mus! Lau-des si - bi de - bi-tas Re - fe - ra - mus!
B
a - - mus, gau - de - a - mus! Re - fe - ra - mus!
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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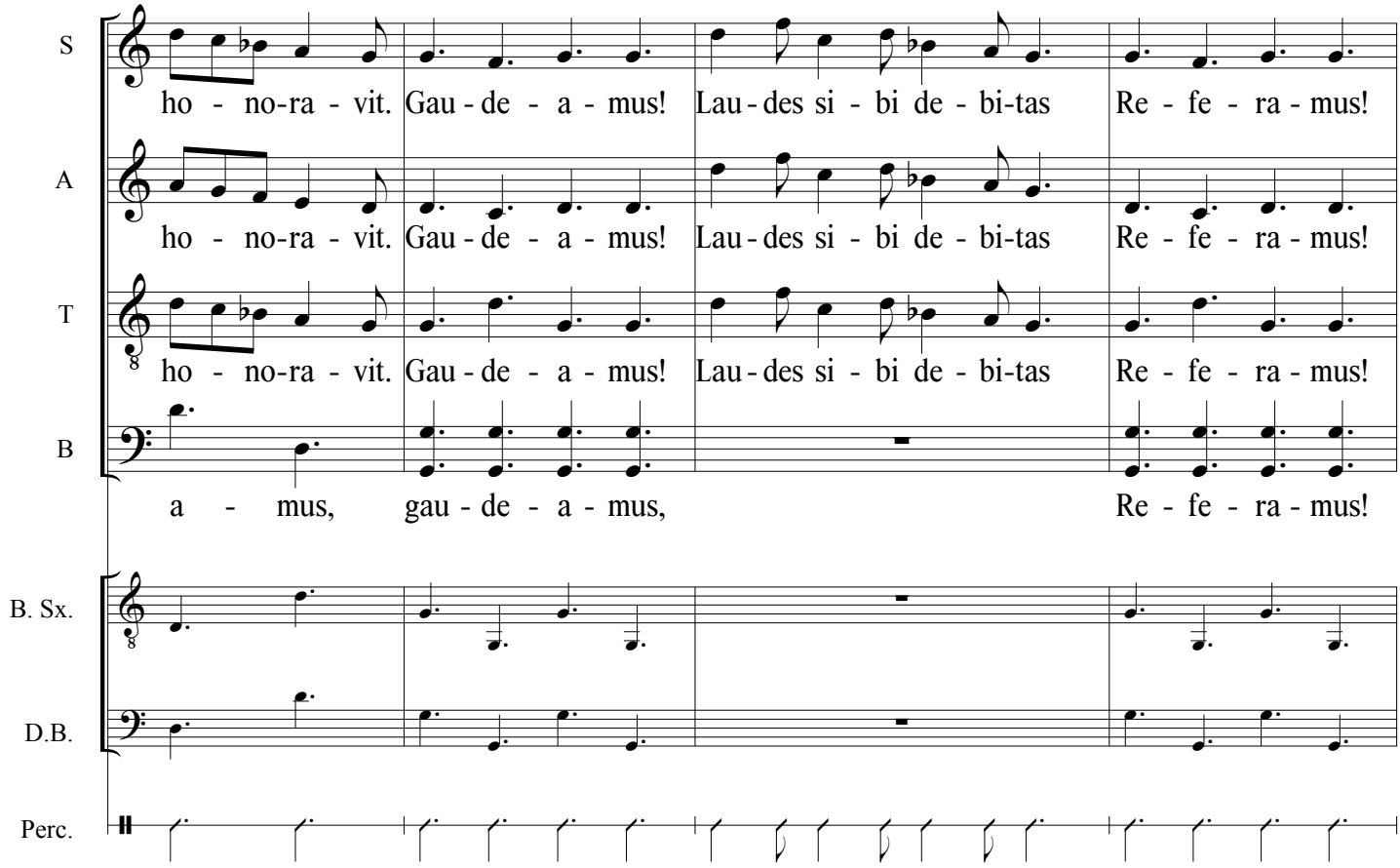
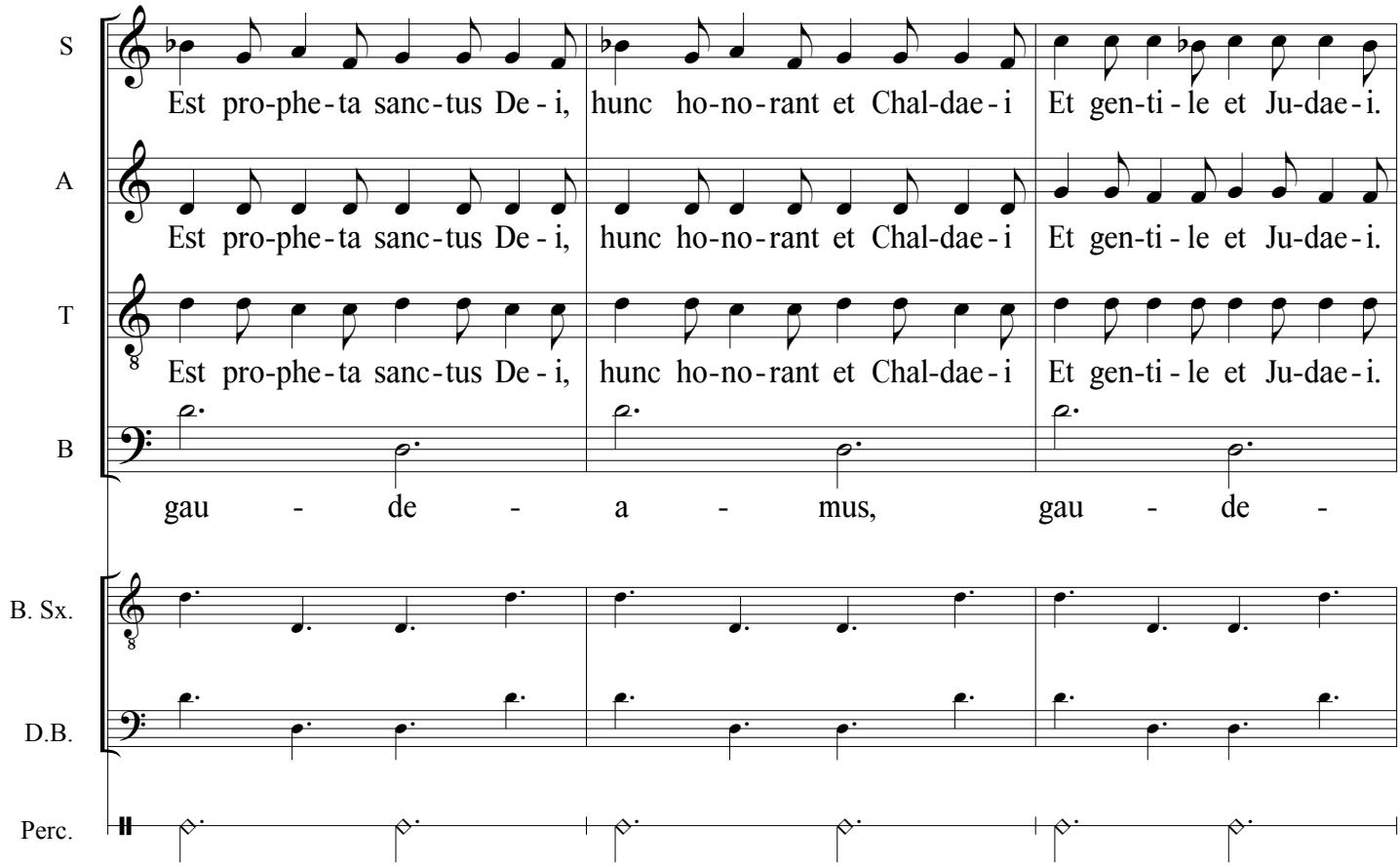
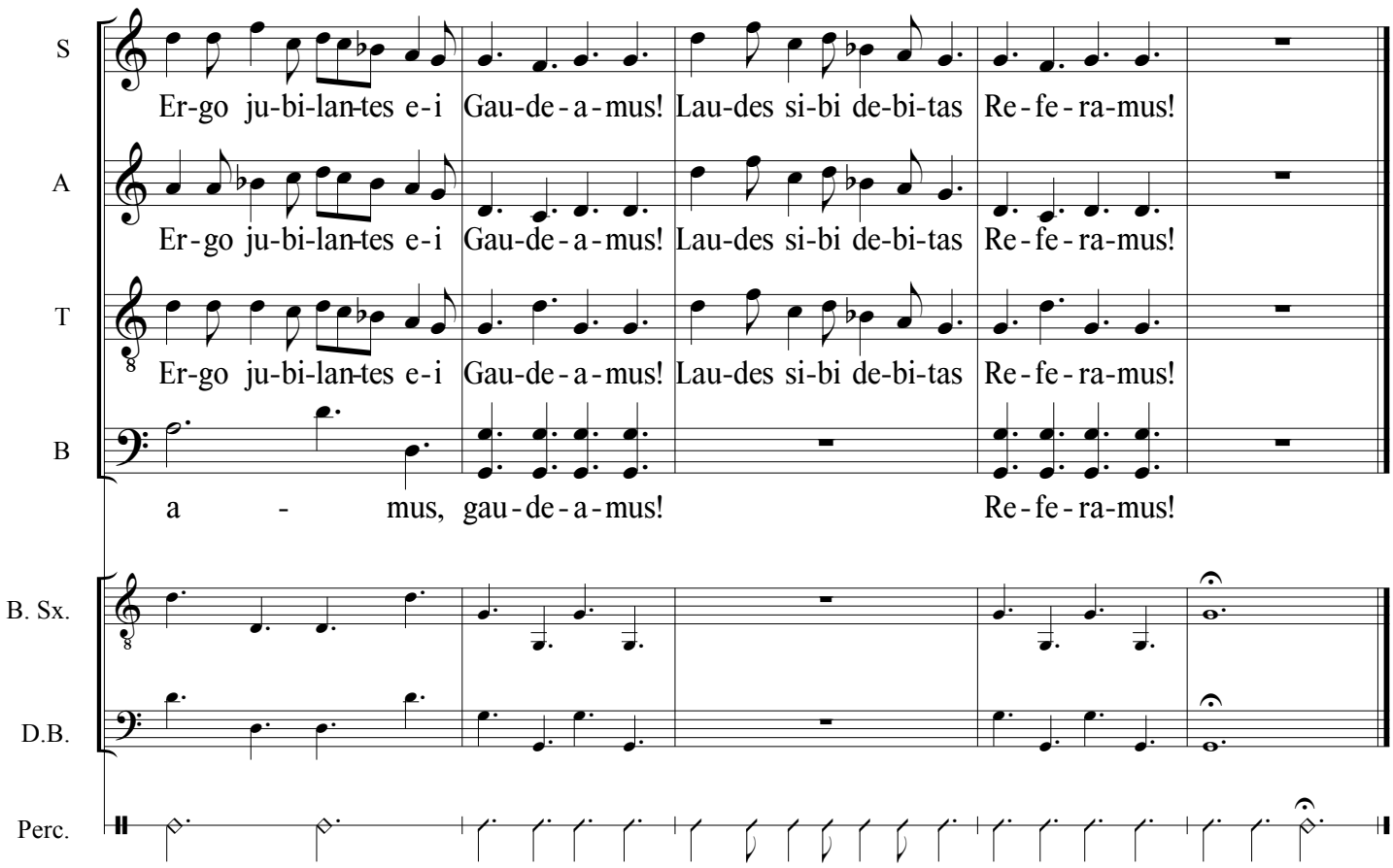
S
Ba-by-lon hunc e-xul-ta-vit cum Ju-dae-os cap-ti-va-vit, Bal-tha-sar quem
A
Ba-by-lon hunc e-xul-ta-vit cum Ju-dae-os cap-ti-va-vit, Bal-tha-sar quem
T
Ba-by-lon hunc e-xul-ta-vit cum Ju-dae-os cap-ti-va-vit, Bal-tha-sar quem
B
Gau - de - a - mus, gau - de -
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

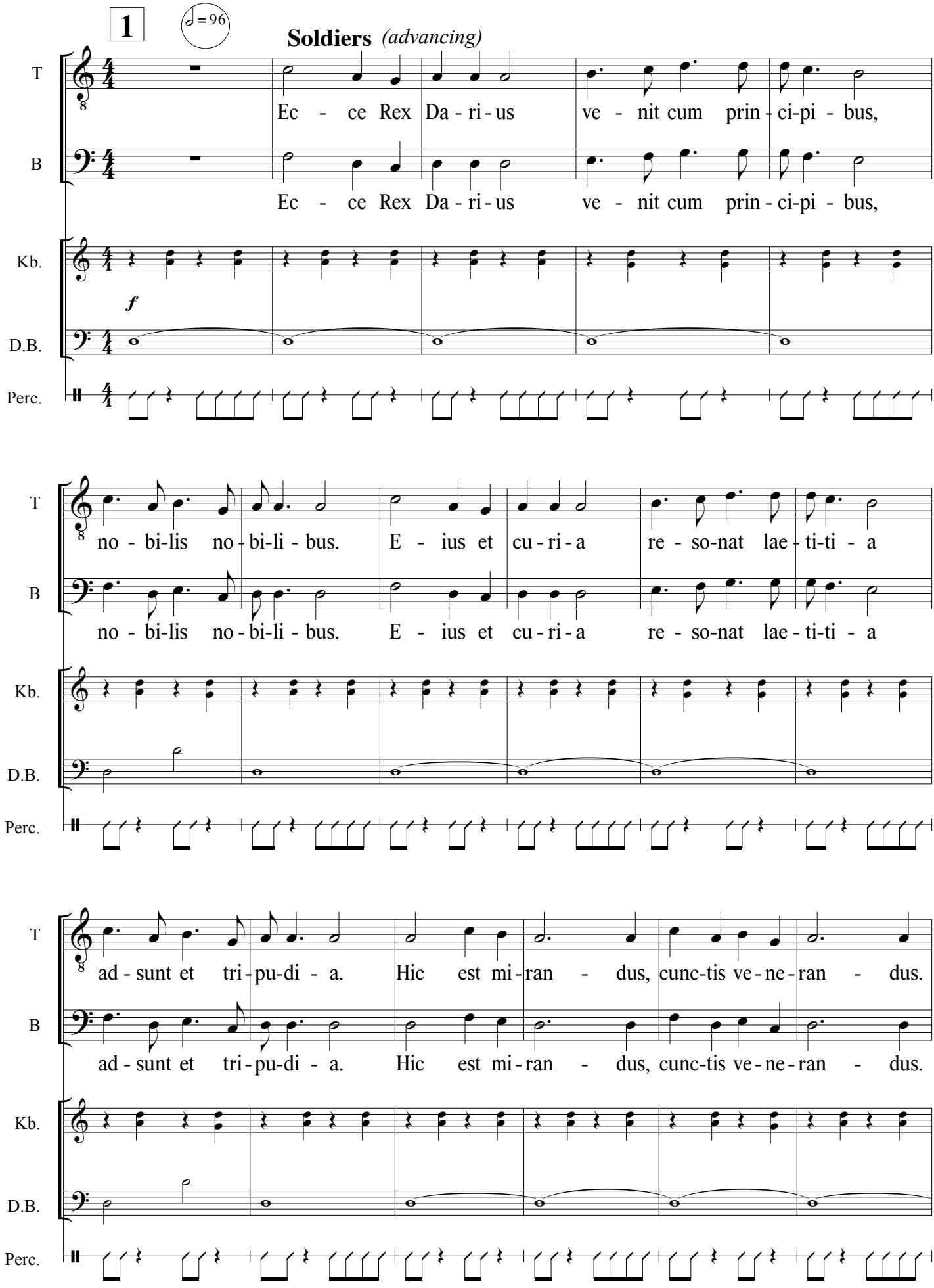

S
ho - no-ra - vit. Gau - de - a - mus! Lau - des si - bi de - bi-tas Re - fe - ra - mus!
A
ho - no-ra - vit. Gau - de - a - mus! Lau - des si - bi de - bi-tas Re - fe - ra - mus!
T
ho - no-ra - vit. Gau - de - a - mus! Lau - des si - bi de - bi-tas Re - fe - ra - mus!
B
a - mus, gau - de - a - mus, Re - fe - ra - mus!
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
Est pro-phe-ta sanc-tus De - i, hunc ho-no-rant et Chal-dae - i Et gen-ti - le et Ju-dae - i.
A
Est pro-phe-ta sanc-tus De - i, hunc ho-no-rant et Chal-dae - i Et gen-ti - le et Ju-dae - i.
T
Est pro-phe-ta sanc-tus De - i, hunc ho-no-rant et Chal-dae - i Et gen-ti - le et Ju-dae - i.
B
gau - de - a - mus, gau - de -
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.



NARRATOR

Now Belshazzar shivers as shades of night
Fall upon fields and fortified cities;
In solitude and silence his soul is delivered
To wanhope and weakness. "Ah, woe!," he sighs,
"My doom is upon me, death is near,
The fate foretold; what I fear will be.
Once God gave me glory and power,
Triumph for a time; now He takes them back;
Nor strength nor cunning can stay His hand.
The might of kings is in their many warriors,
Bowmen, spearmen and burnished chariots,
But His power is in Himself to impose His will;
He issues no orders, His heart intends
'Let this happen!' and, Lo! it does.
Men trust in towers, in turreted keeps
And high walls, but who can point
Upward or downward or out yonder,
This way or that, saying 'There He dwells'?
With a man one can bargain; - 'Be my friend
And I will give you gold or cattle,
Horses or women,' but who can say
Of the Lord Almighty 'He lacks this.
I perceive the desire that will sway his judgment'?
Nor valour nor vanity avail me now.
I go to my grave, my glory is brought
To dust and darkness; but, as death takes me,
Let me turn to the Truth, entrust my soul
To the Lord of Light, the Living God!"
And now in the night there is the noise of battle:
Darius the Great who rules the Medes,
Comes forth as a victor, invades the land,
Slays Belshazzar and sits on his throne.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♩ = 96
Soldiers (advancing)
T
B
Kb.
D.B.
Perc.
Ec - ce Rex Da - ri - us ve - nit cum prin - ci-pi - bus,
Ec - ce Rex Da - ri - us ve - nit cum prin - ci-pi - bus,
f
no - bi-lis no - bi-li - bus. E - ius et cu - ri - a re - so-nat lae - ti-ti - a
no - bi-lis no - bi-li - bus. E - ius et cu - ri - a re - so-nat lae - ti-ti - a
ad - sunt et tri - pu-di - a. Hic est mi - ran - dus, cunc-tis ve - ne - ran - dus.
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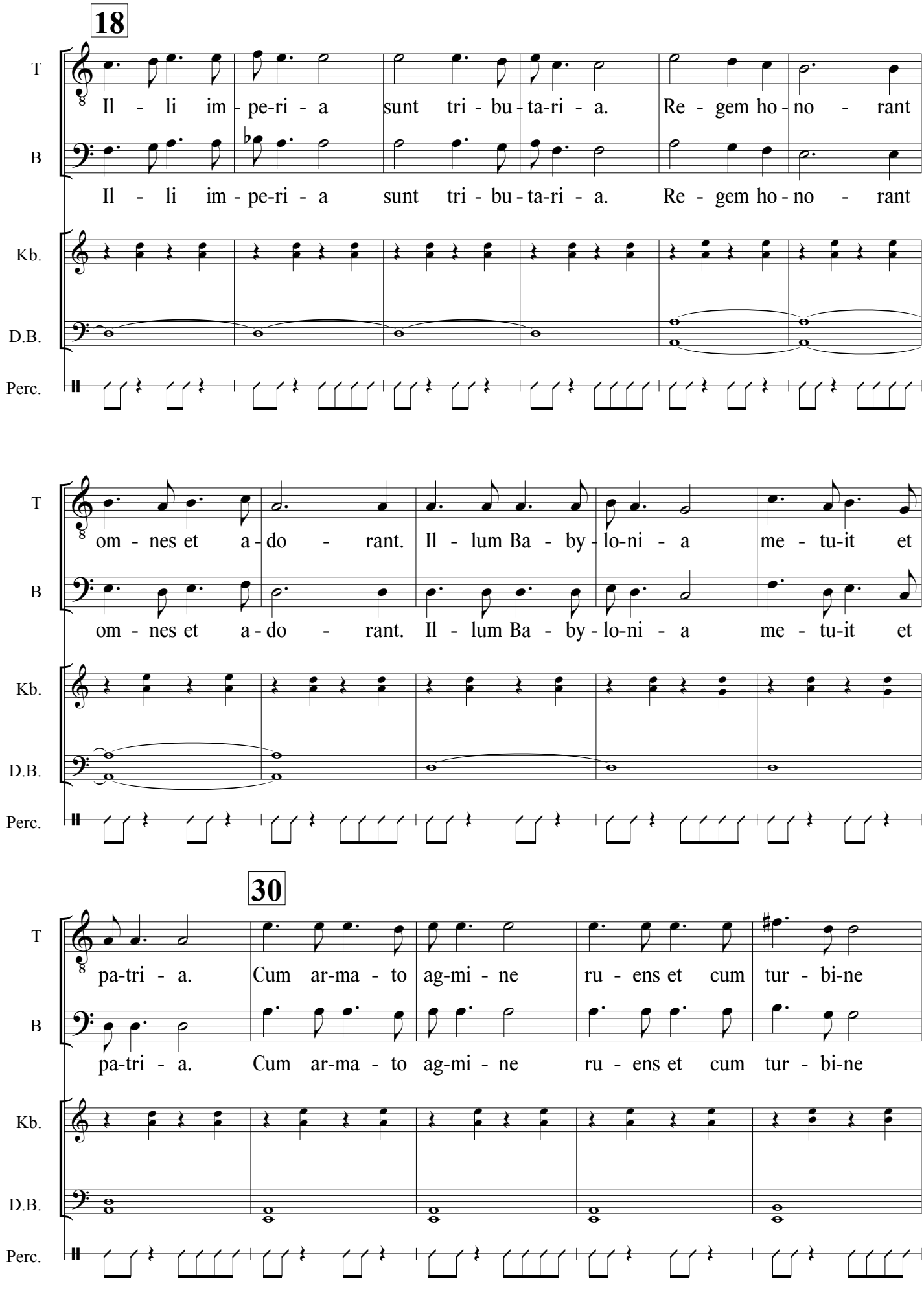
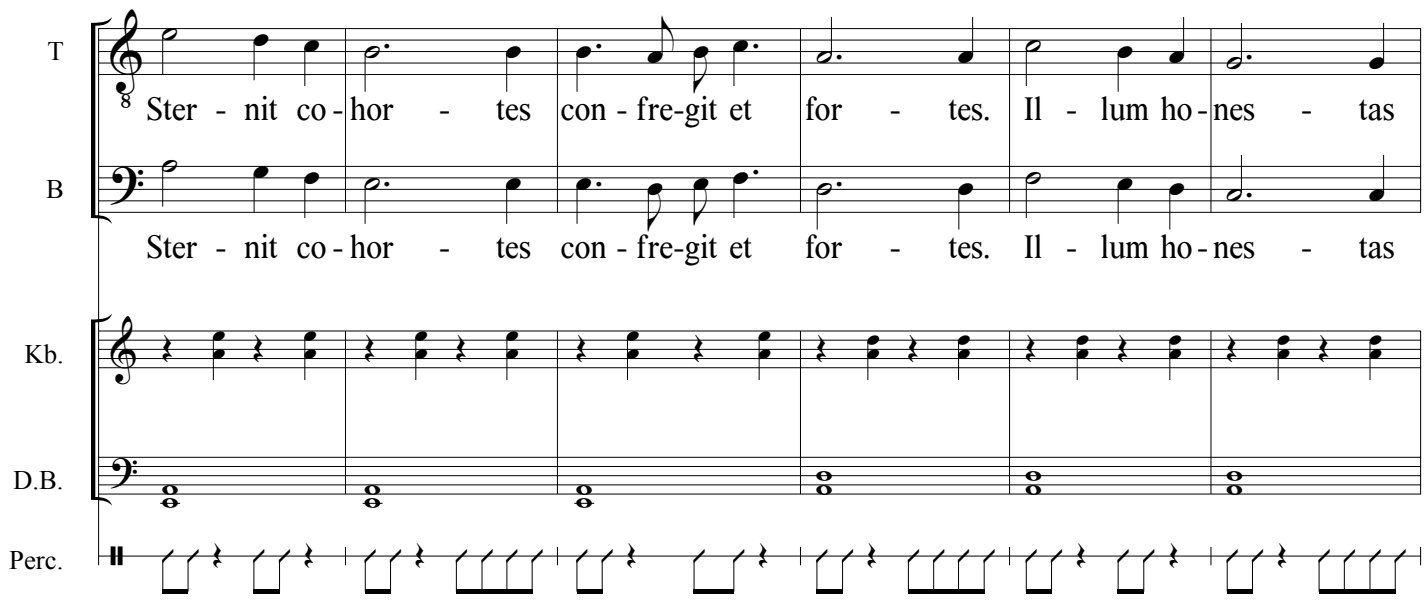

18
T
B
Kb.
D.B.
Perc.
Il - li im - pe-ri - a sunt tri - bu - ta-ri - a. Re - gem ho - no - rant
Il - li im - pe-ri - a sunt tri - bu - ta-ri - a. Re - gem ho - no - rant
om - nes et a - do - rant. Il - lum Ba - by - lo-ni - a me - tu-it et
om - nes et a - do - rant. Il - lum Ba - by - lo-ni - a me - tu-it et
30
pa-tri - a. Cum ar-ma - to ag-mi - ne ru - ens et cum tur - bi-ne
pa-tri - a. Cum ar-ma - to ag-mi - ne ru - ens et cum tur - bi-ne


T
B
Ster - nit co - hor - tes con - fre-git et for - tes. Il - lum ho - nes - tas
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Kb.
D.B.
Perc.

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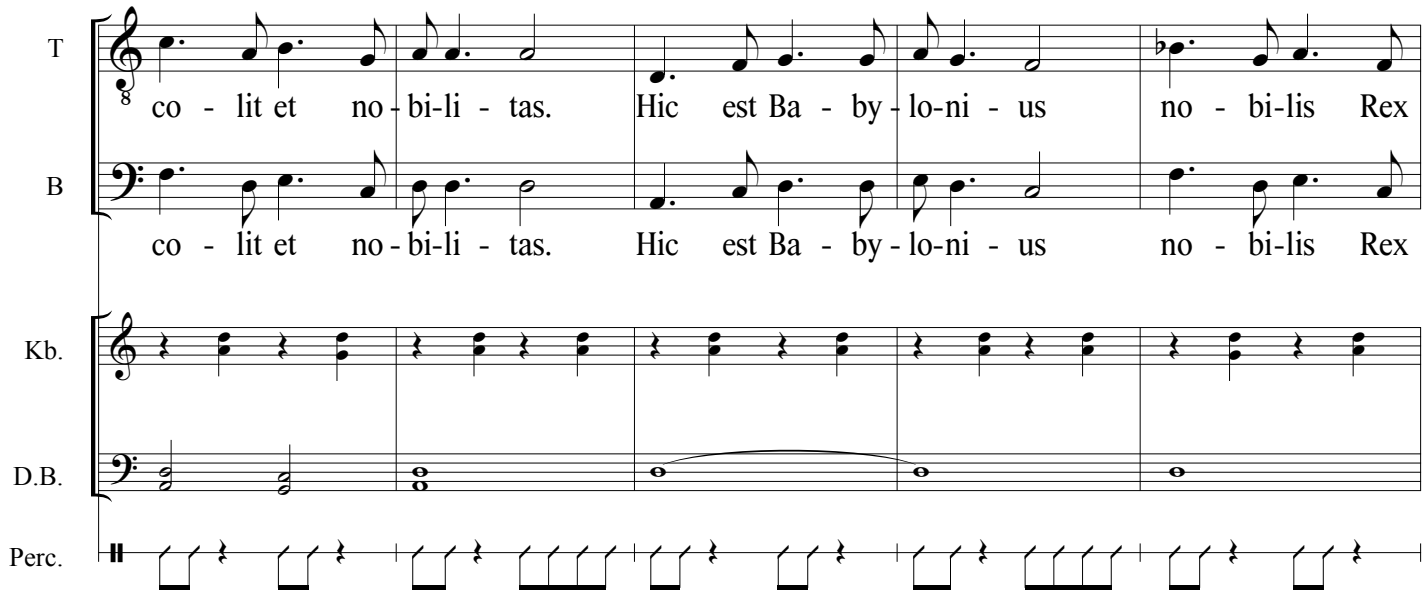
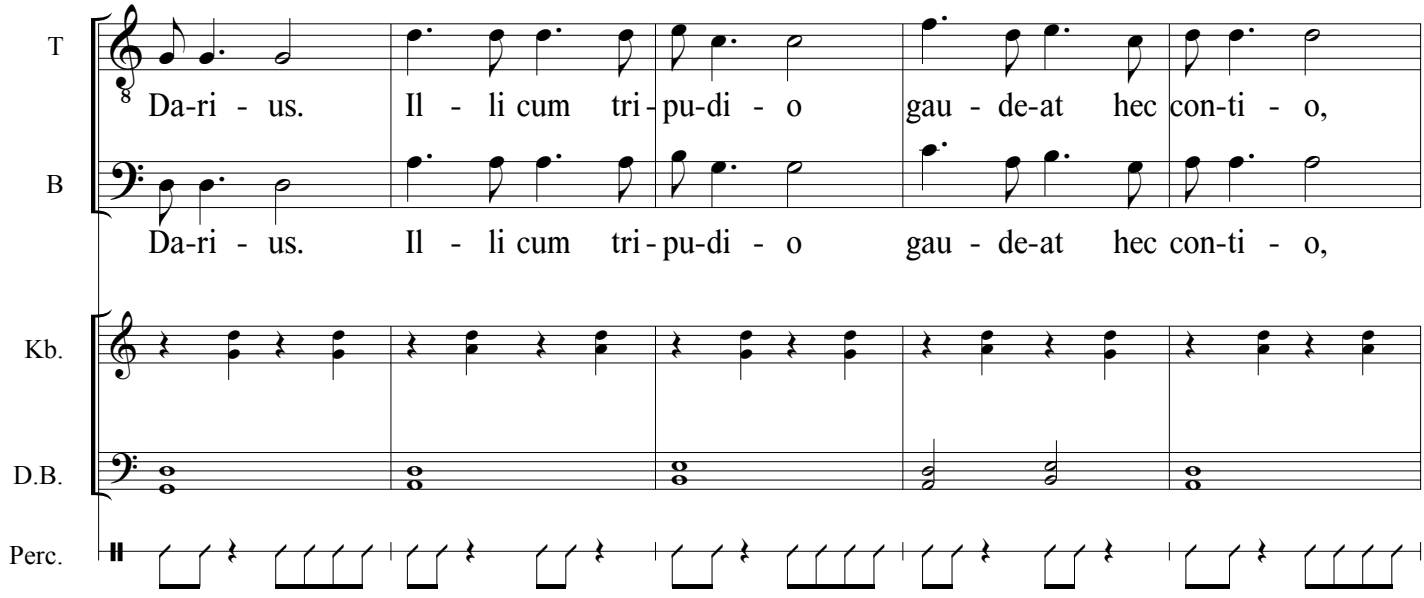

T
B
co - lit et no - bi-li - tas. Hic est Ba - by - lo-ni - us no - bi-lis Rex
co - lit et no - bi-li - tas. Hic est Ba - by - lo-ni - us no - bi-lis Rex
Kb.
D.B.
Perc.


T
B
Da-ri - us. Il - li cum tri - pu-di - o gau - de-at hec con-ti - o,
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Kb.
D.B.
Perc.

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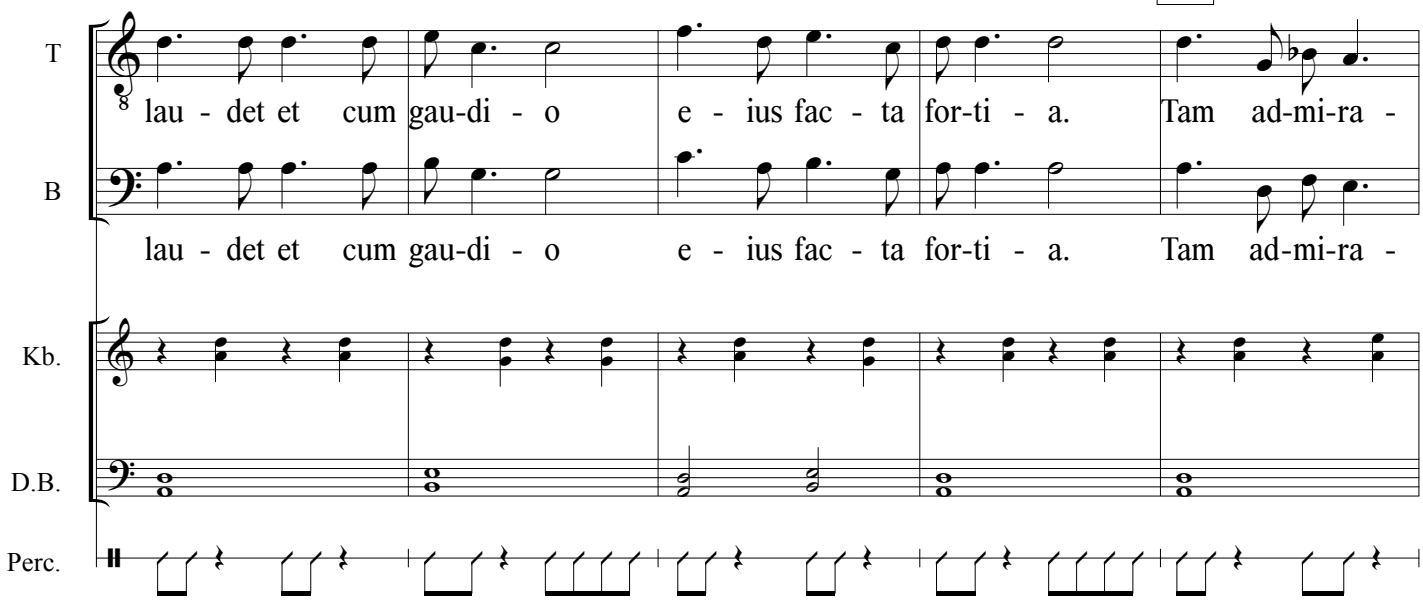
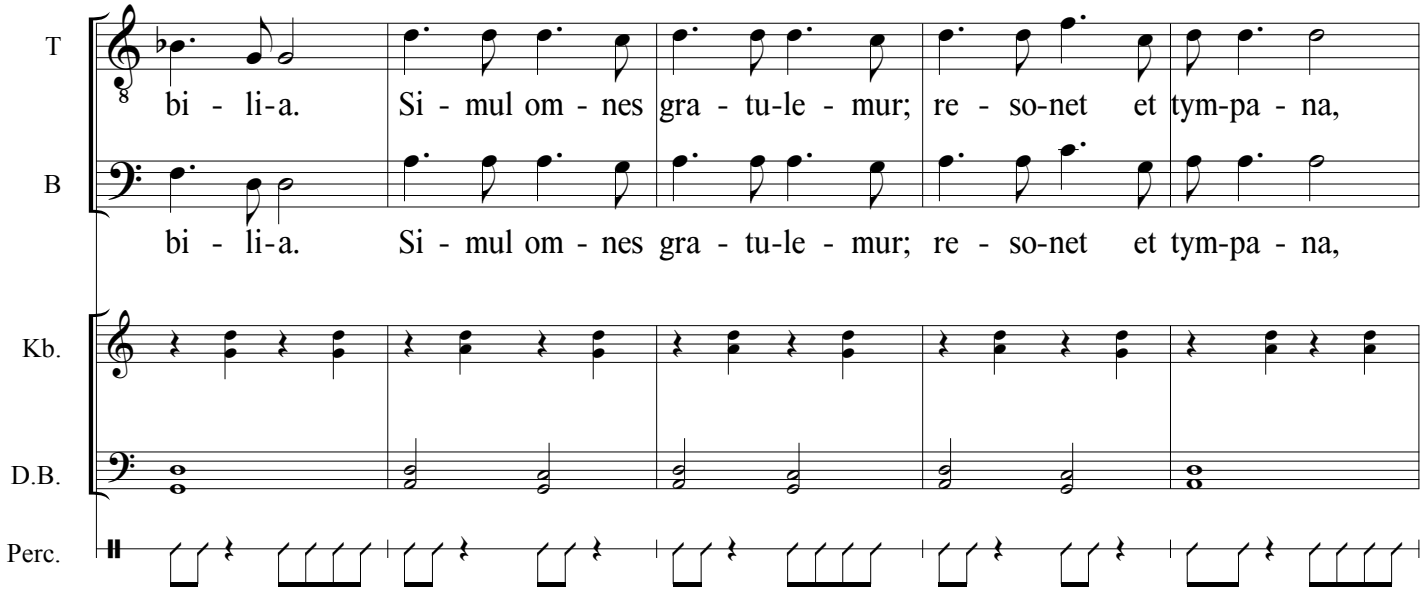
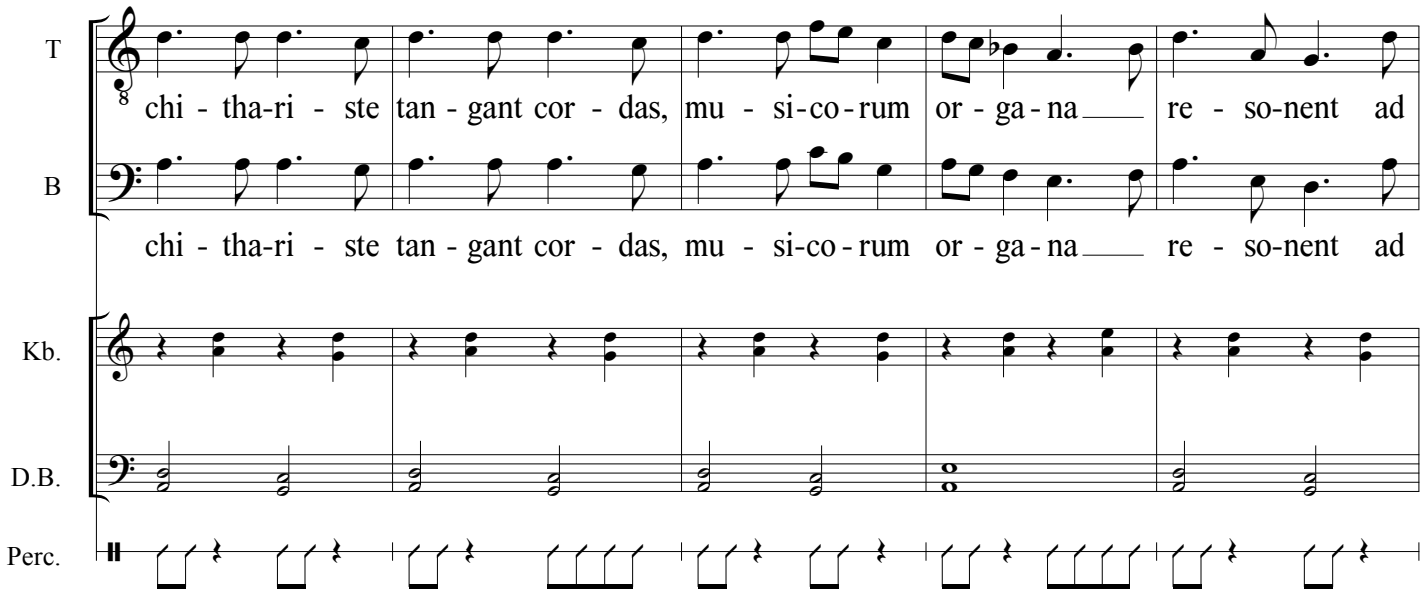
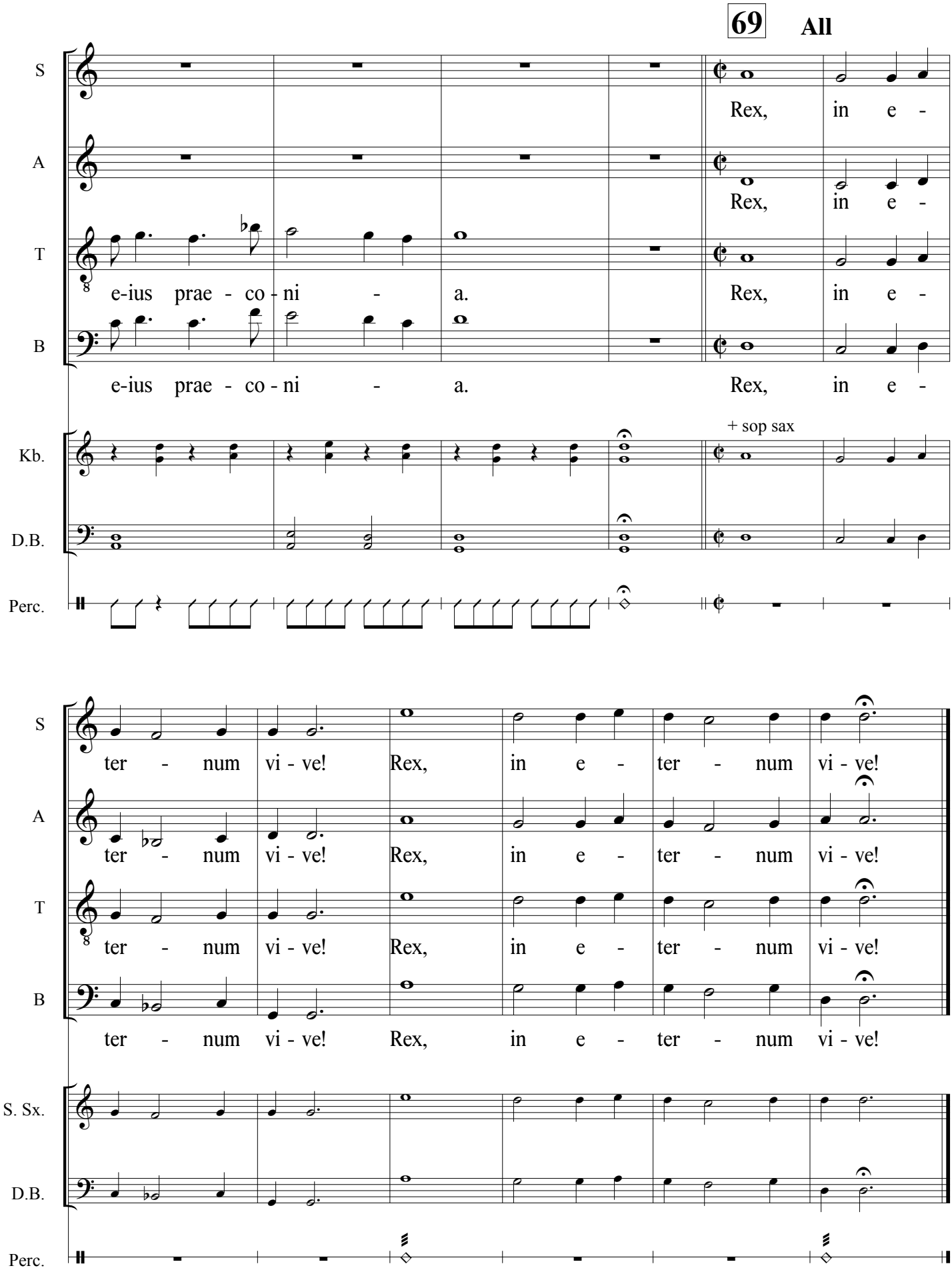


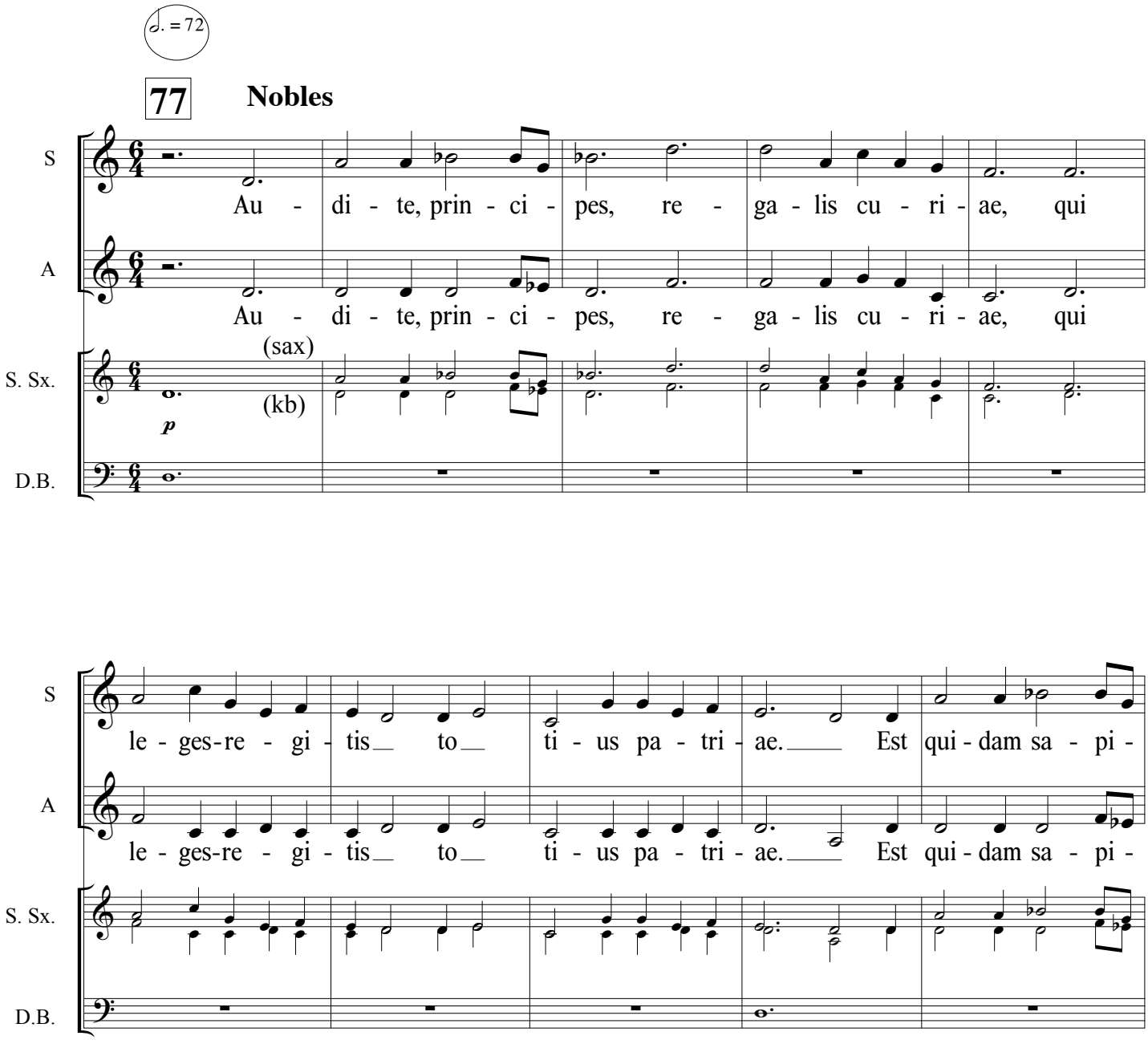
(as Belshazzar is killed and Darius mounts the throne)

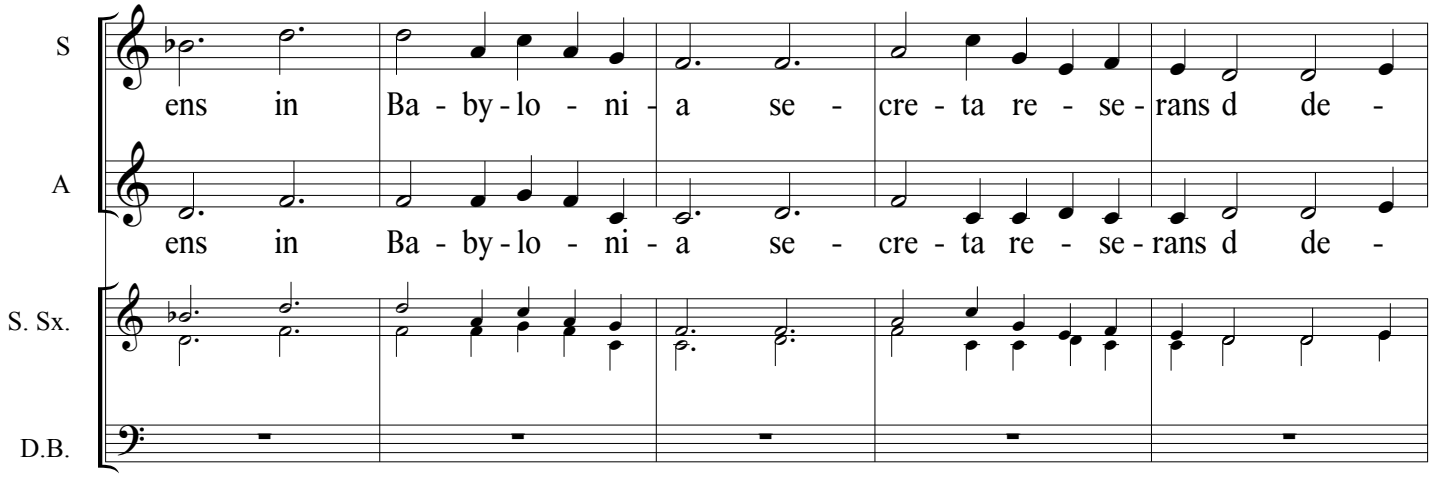





69
All
S
A
T
B
Kb.
D.B.
Perc.
S. Sx.
e-ius prae - co - ni - a.
Rex, in e -
+ sop sax
ter - num vi - ve!
Rex, in e - ter - num vi - ve!

NARRATOR
Now Darius rules: he raises Daniel
To high office for his excellent spirit,
Favors, befriends, prefers him over
Presidents and princes, plans to make him
Ruler of the realm. Wroth are the lords,
Jealous of this Jew. They join together,
Watch and wait for his ways to err,
But find no fault; he is faithful in all.
"We cannot," they say, "find occasion against him
Unless it relates to the Law of his God."




S
ens in Ba - by - lo - ni - a se - cre - ta re - se - rans d de -
A
ens in Ba - by - lo - ni - a se - cre - ta re - se - rans d de -
S. Sx.
D.B.

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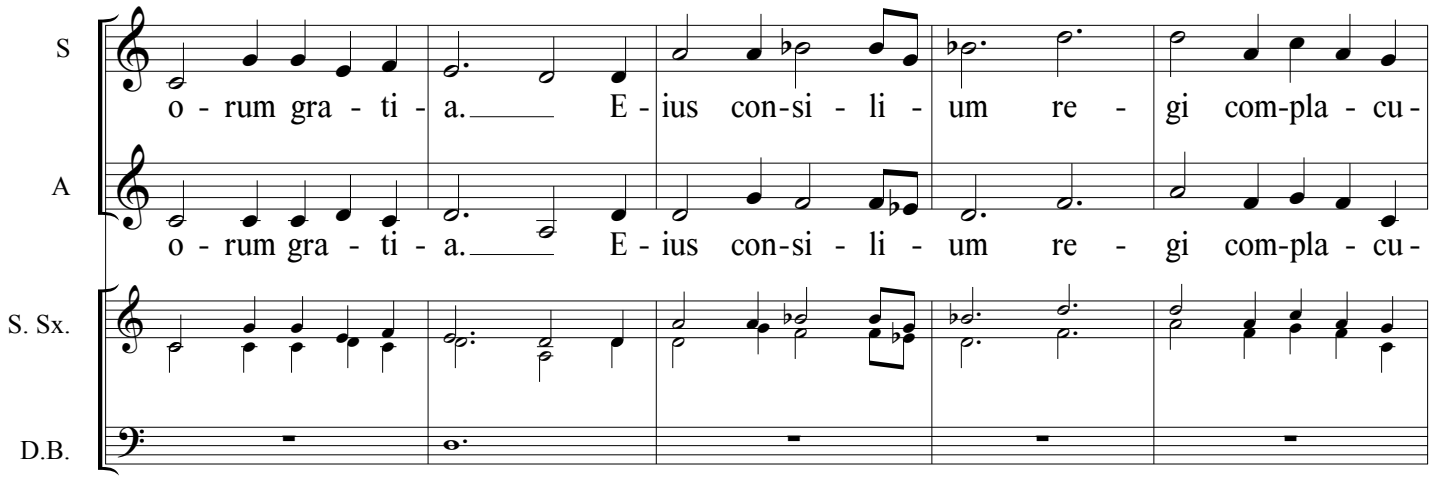
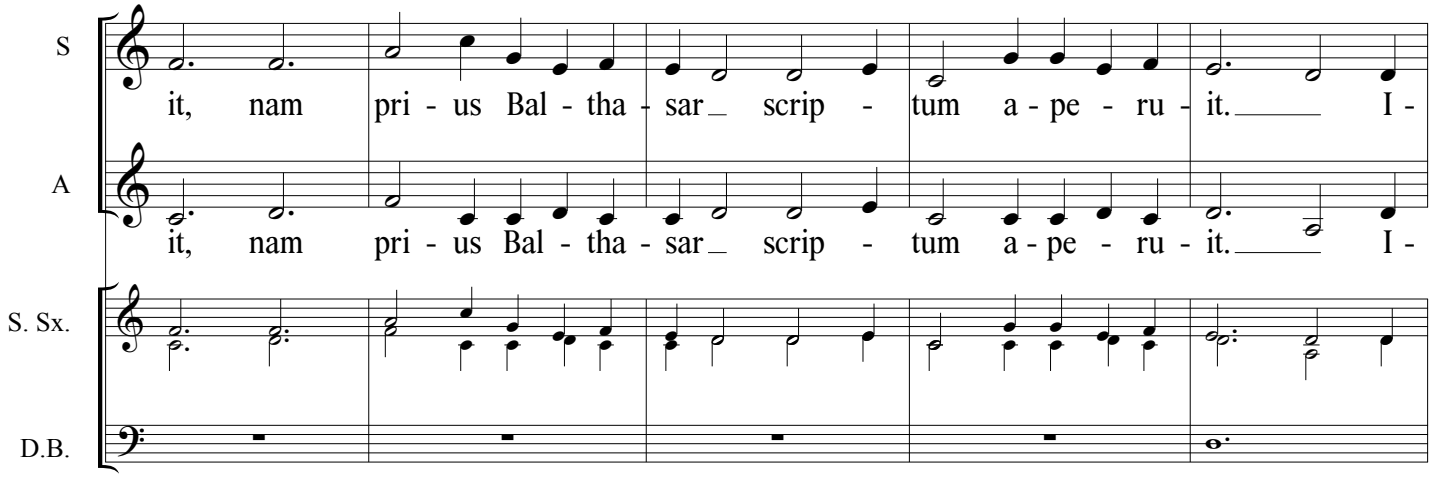

S
o - rum gra - ti - a. E - ius con-si - li - um re - gi com-pla - cu -
A
o - rum gra - ti - a. E - ius con-si - li - um re - gi com-pla - cu -
S. Sx.
D.B.


S
it, nam pri - us Bal - tha - sar scrip - tum a - pe - ru - it. I -
A
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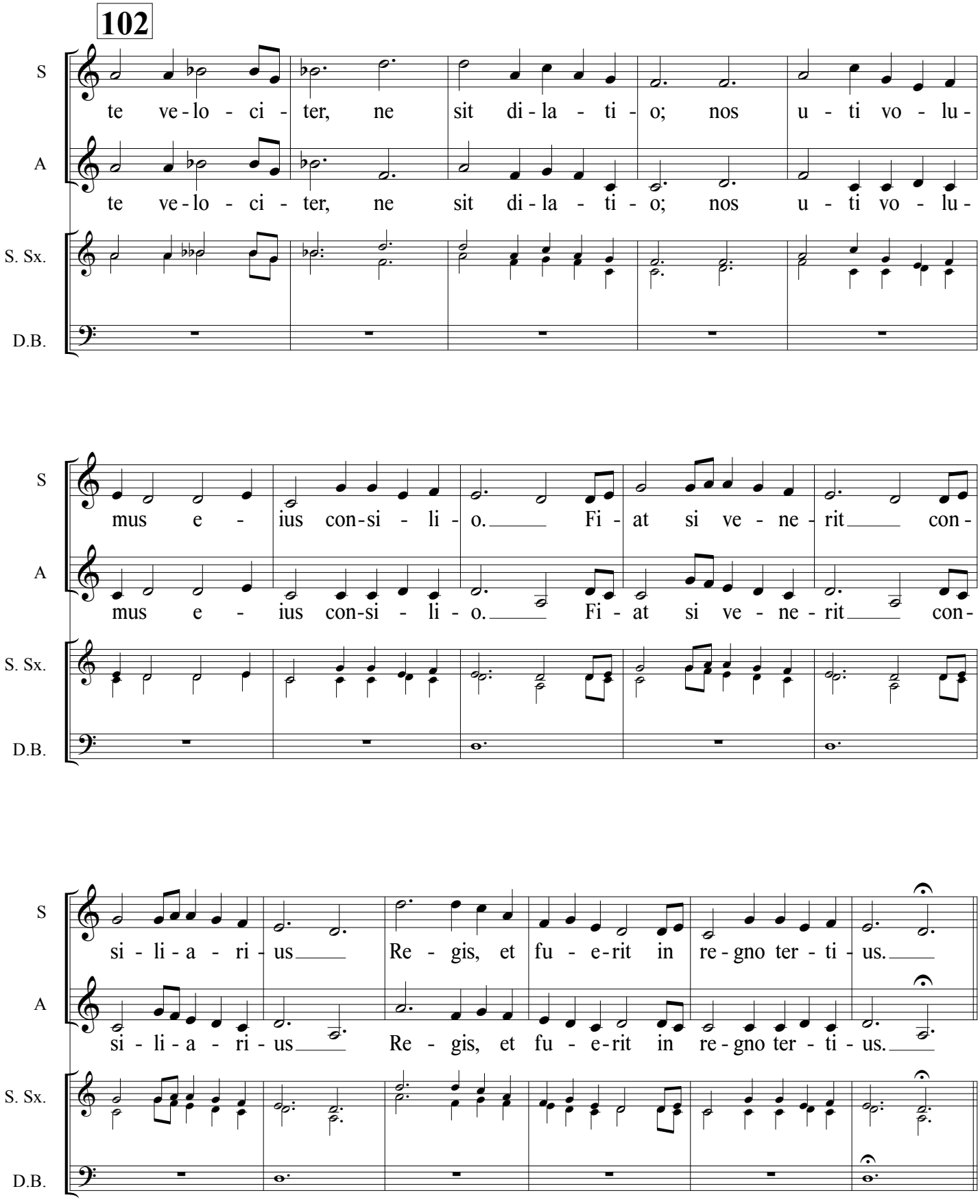
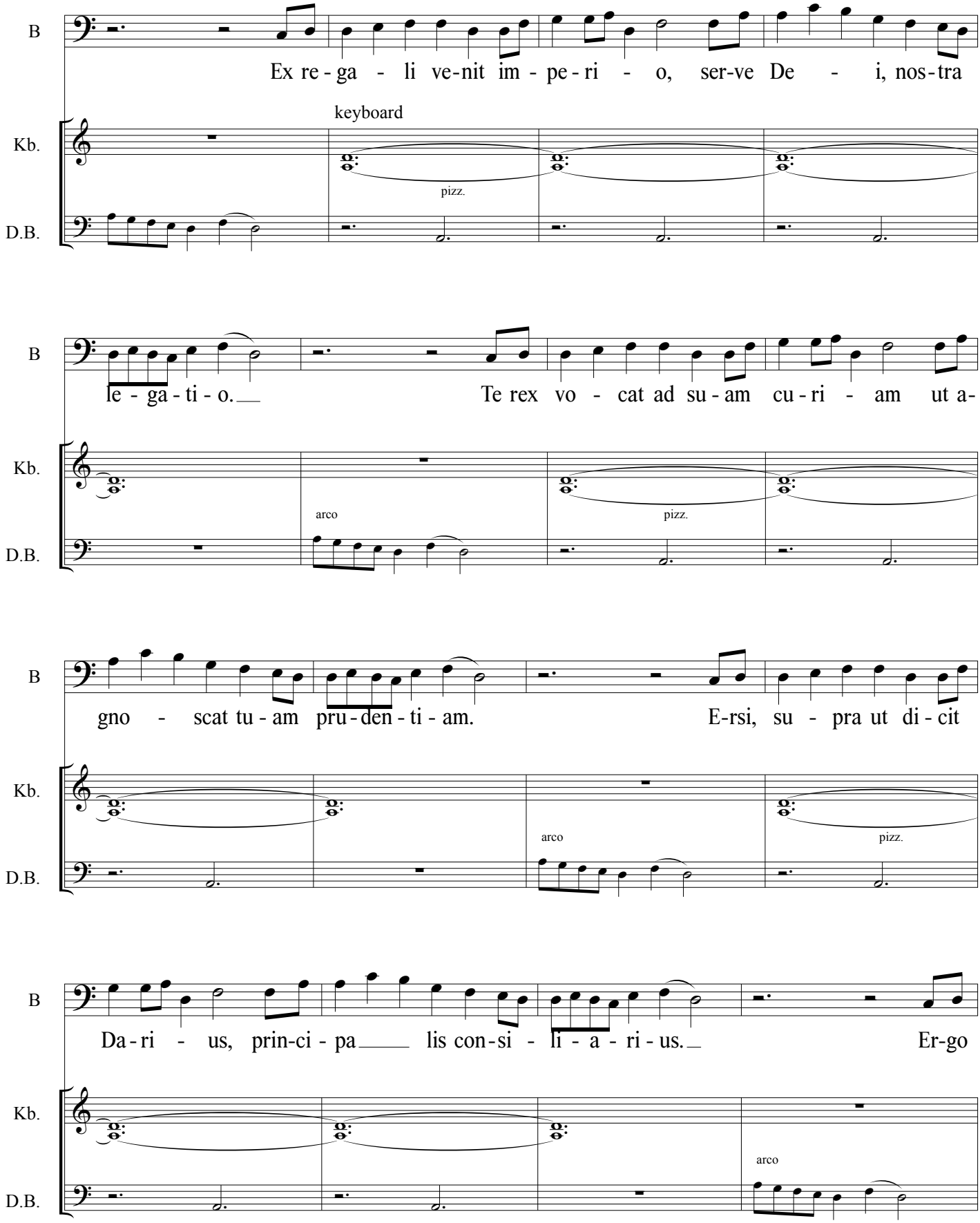
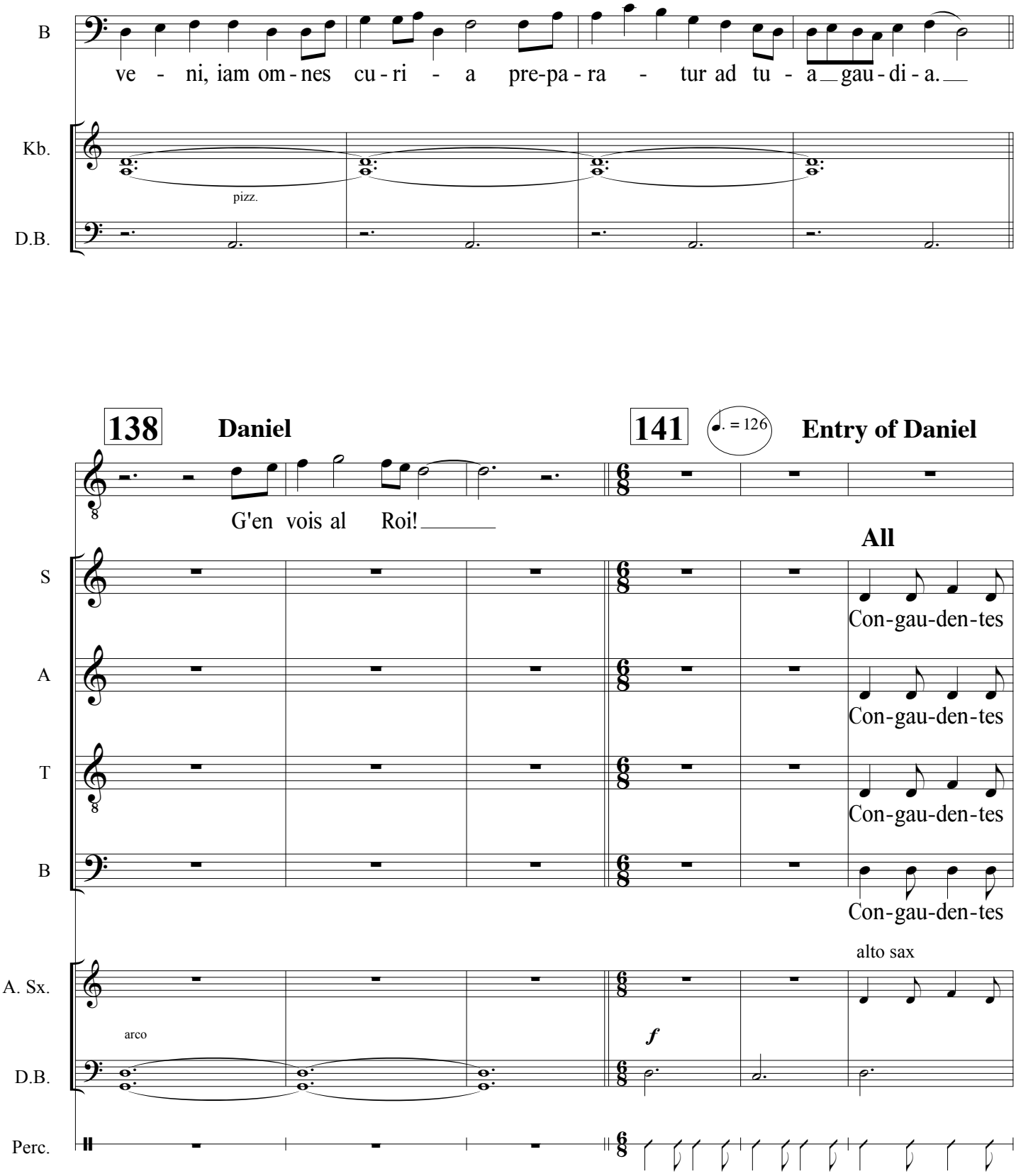
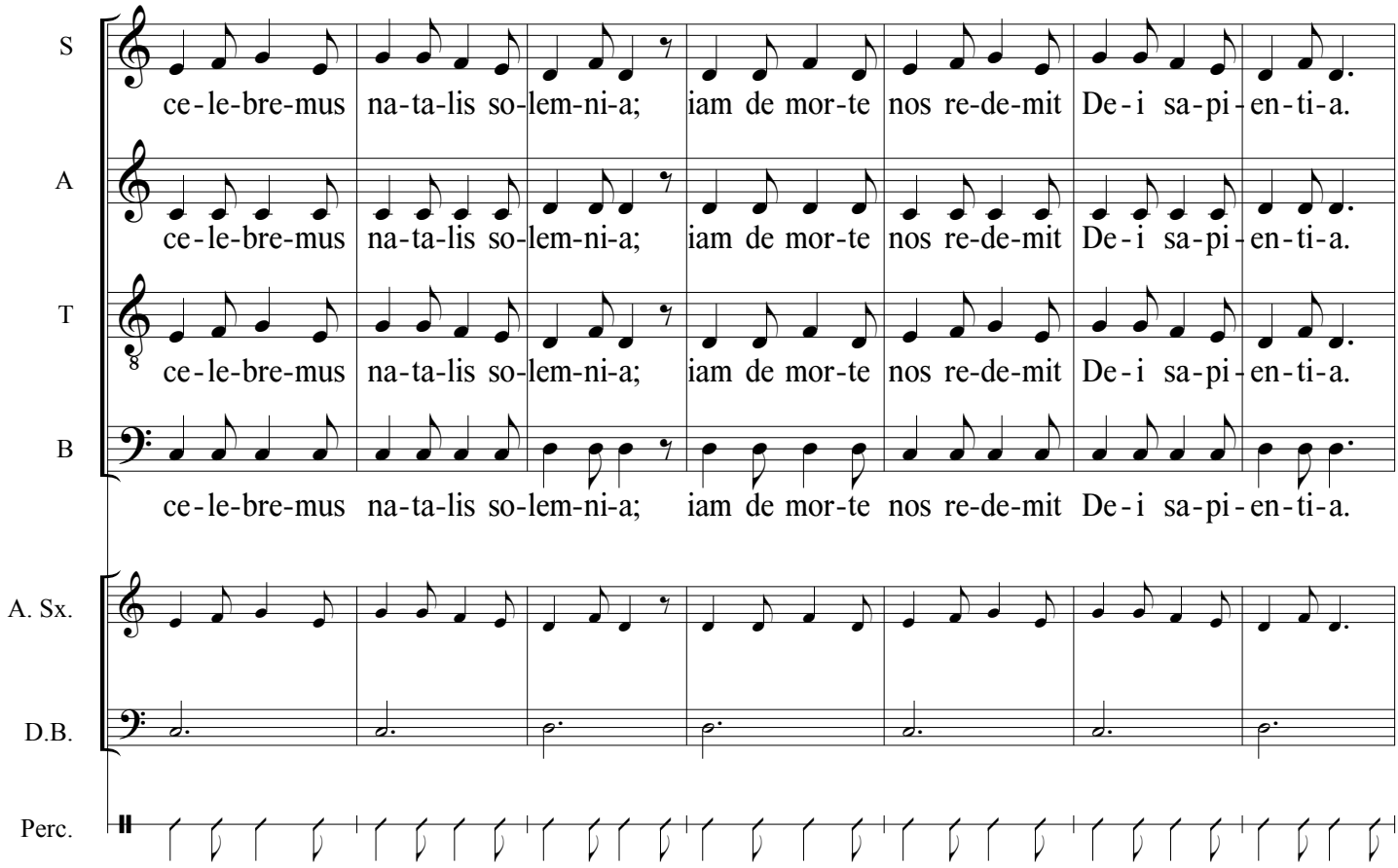
S. Sx.
D.B.

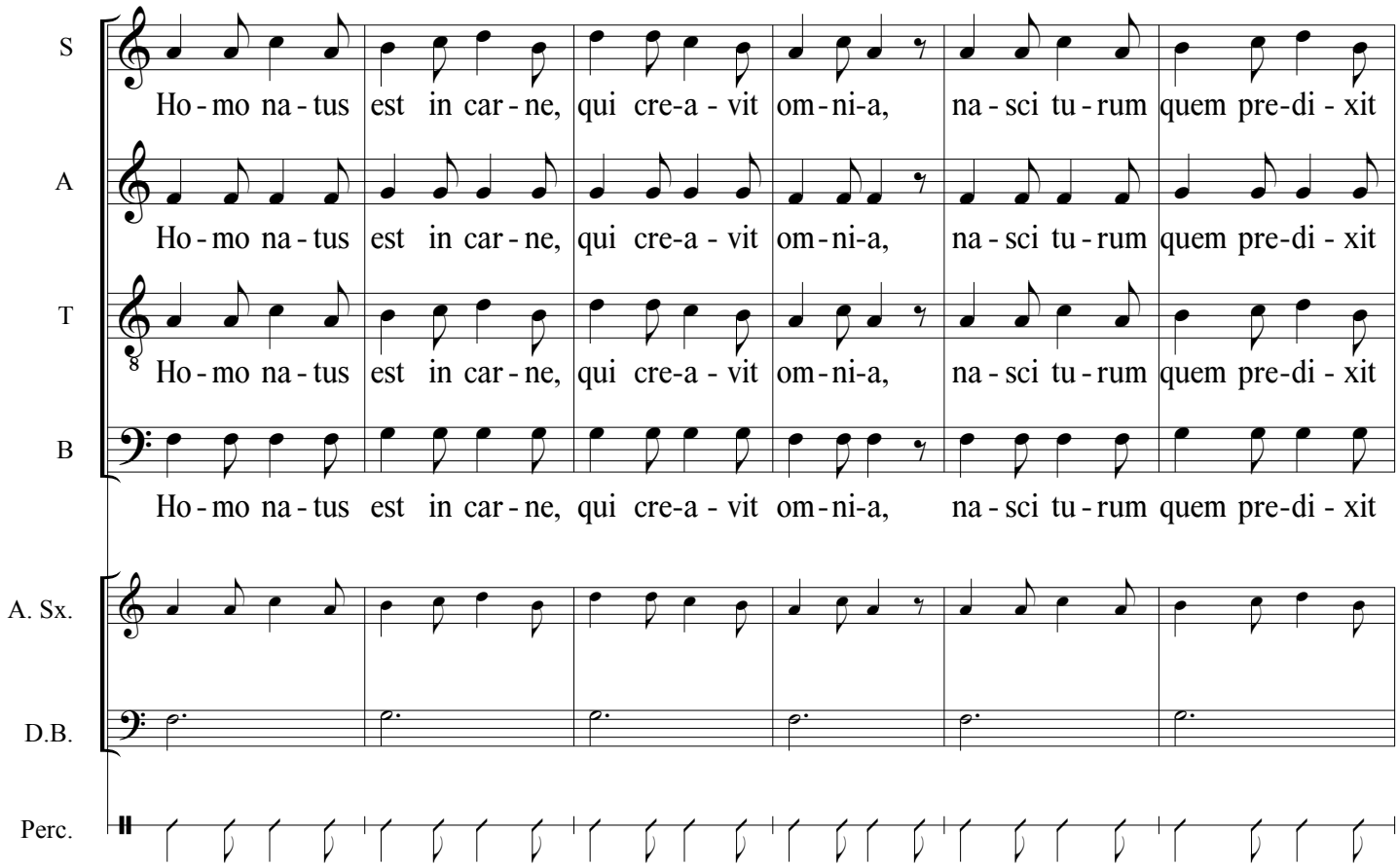

102
S
A
S. Sx.
D.B.
te ve - lo - ci - ter, ne sit di - la - ti - o; nos u - ti vo - lu -
te ve - lo - ci - ter, ne sit di - la - ti - o; nos u - ti vo - lu -
mus e - ius con - si - li - o. Fi - at si ve - ne - rit con -
mus e - ius con - si - li - o. Fi - at si ve - ne - rit con -
si - li - a - ri - us Re - gis, et fu - e - rit in re - gno ter - ti - us.
si - li - a - ri - us Re - gis, et fu - e - rit in re - gno ter - ti - us.

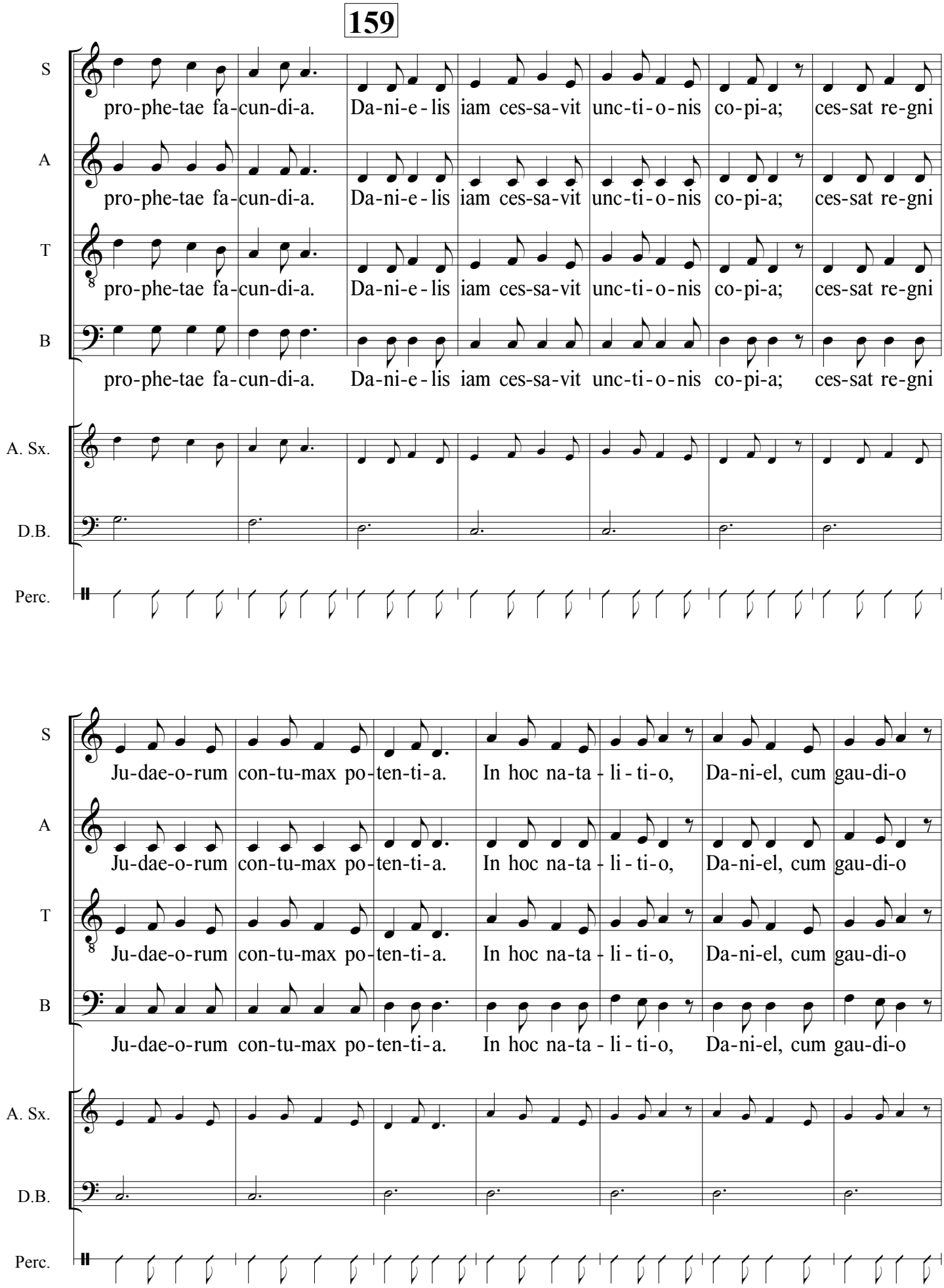
118 **Messengers** *(to Daniel)*

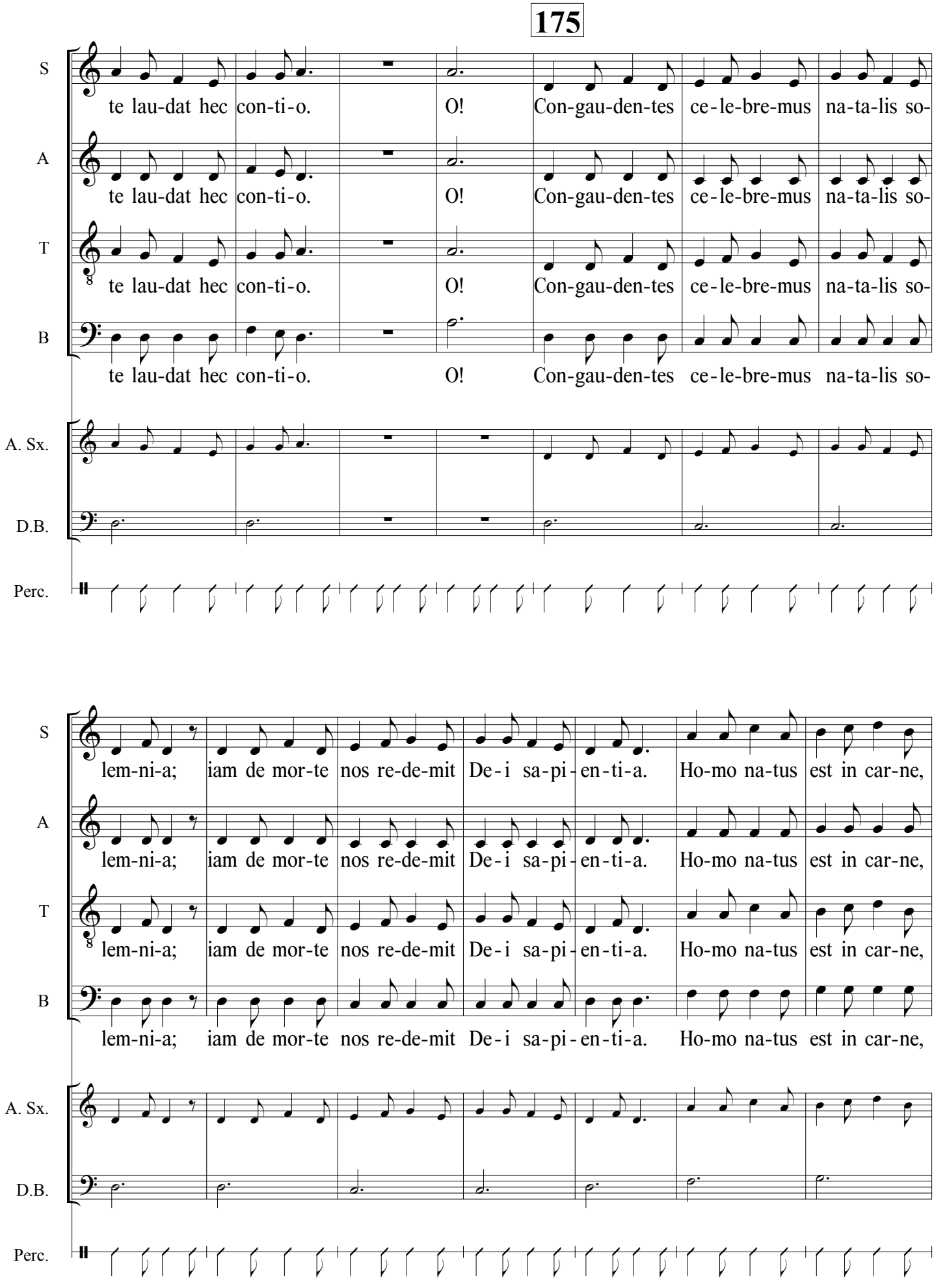


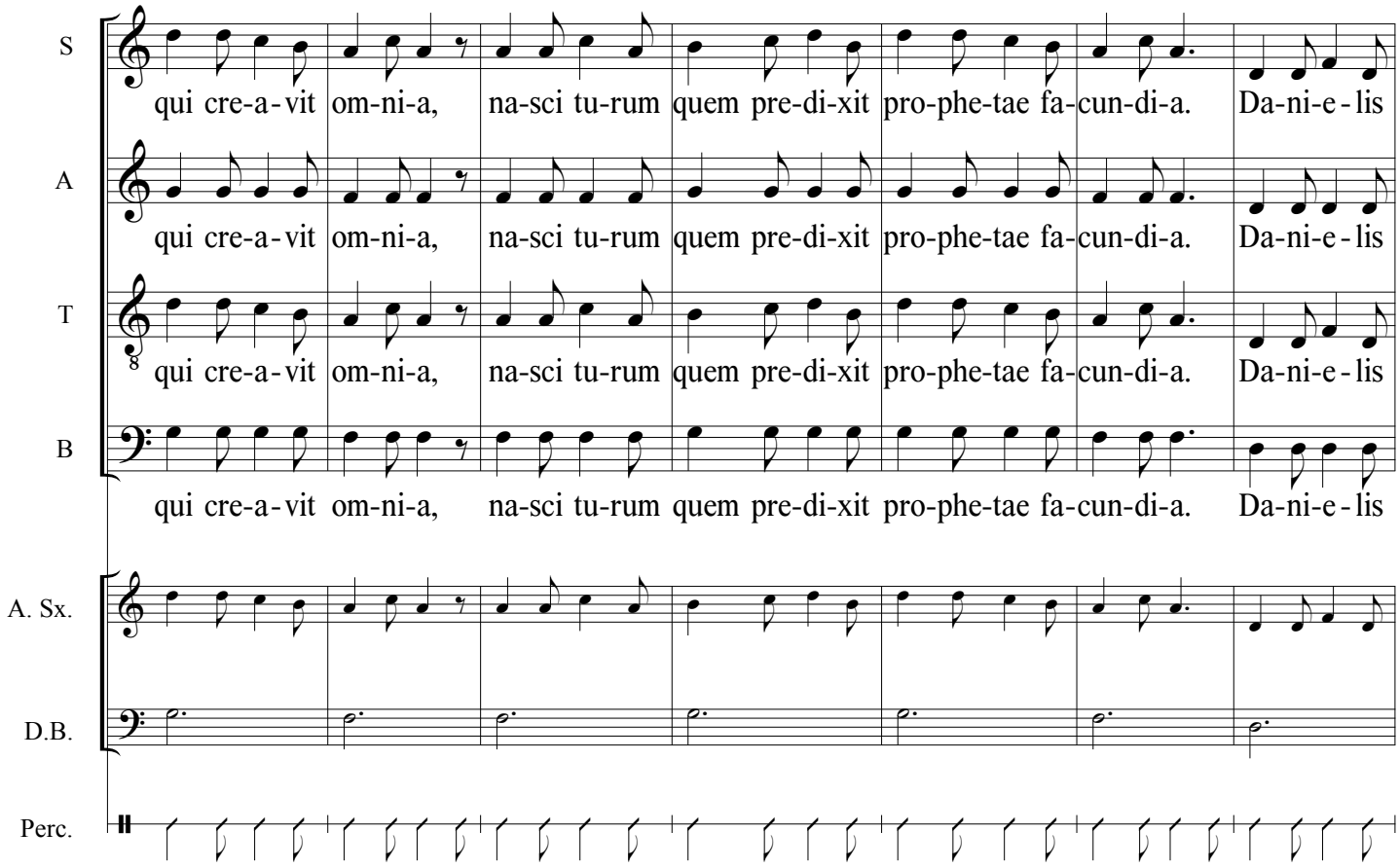

B
ve - ni, iam om - nes cu - ri - a pre-pa - ra - tur ad tu - a gau - di - a.
Kb.
pizz.
D.B.
138
Daniel
G'en vois al Roi!
141
♩. = 126
Entry of Daniel
All
S
A
T
B
Con-gau-den-tes
Con-gau-den-tes
Con-gau-den-tes
Con-gau-den-tes
A. Sx.
alto sax
arco
f
D.B.
Perc.

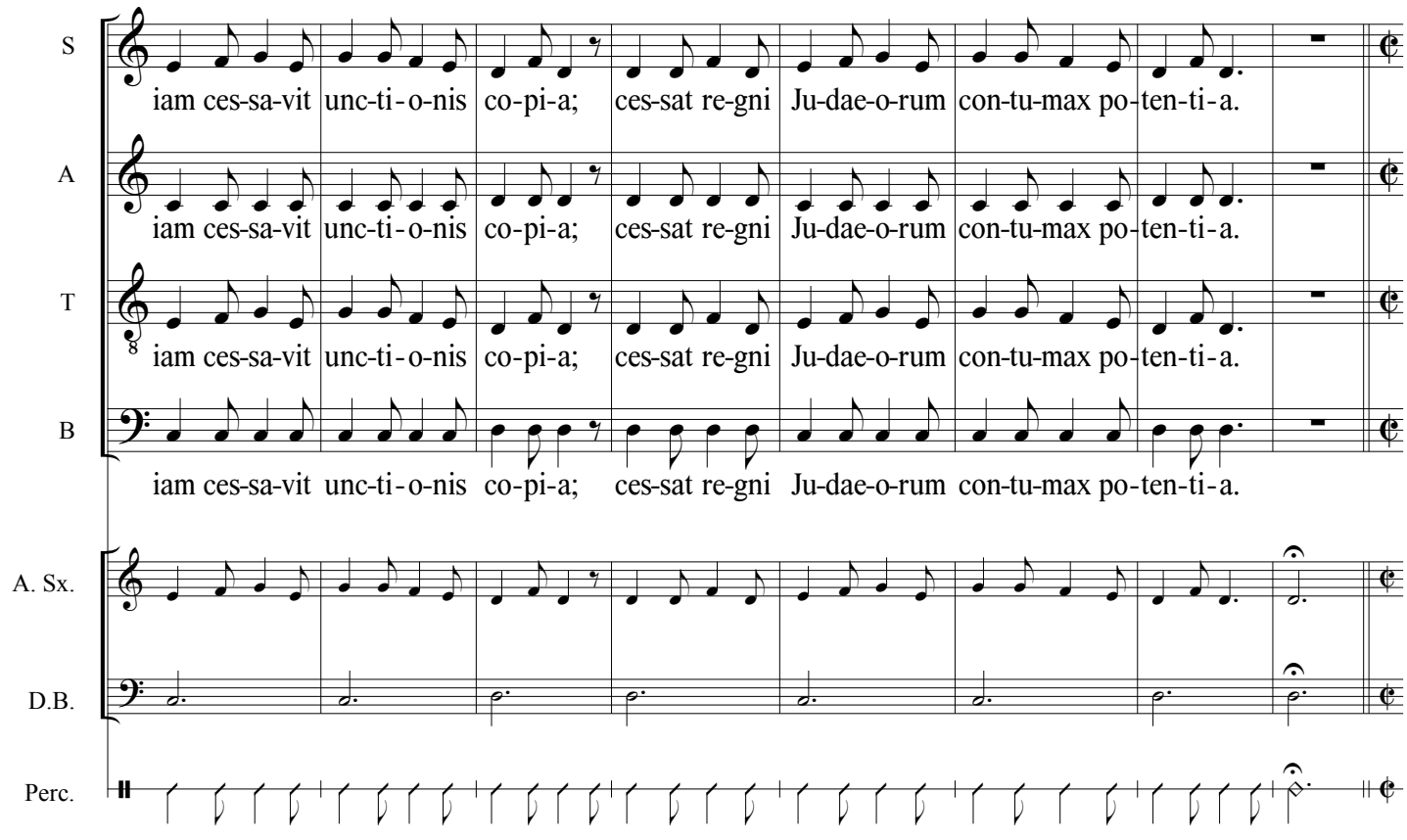

S
ce-le-bre-mus na-ta-lis so-lem-ni-a; iam de mor-te nos re-de-mit De-i sa-pi-en-ti-a.
A
ce-le-bre-mus na-ta-lis so-lem-ni-a; iam de mor-te nos re-de-mit De-i sa-pi-en-ti-a.
T
ce-le-bre-mus na-ta-lis so-lem-ni-a; iam de mor-te nos re-de-mit De-i sa-pi-en-ti-a.
B
ce-le-bre-mus na-ta-lis so-lem-ni-a; iam de mor-te nos re-de-mit De-i sa-pi-en-ti-a.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

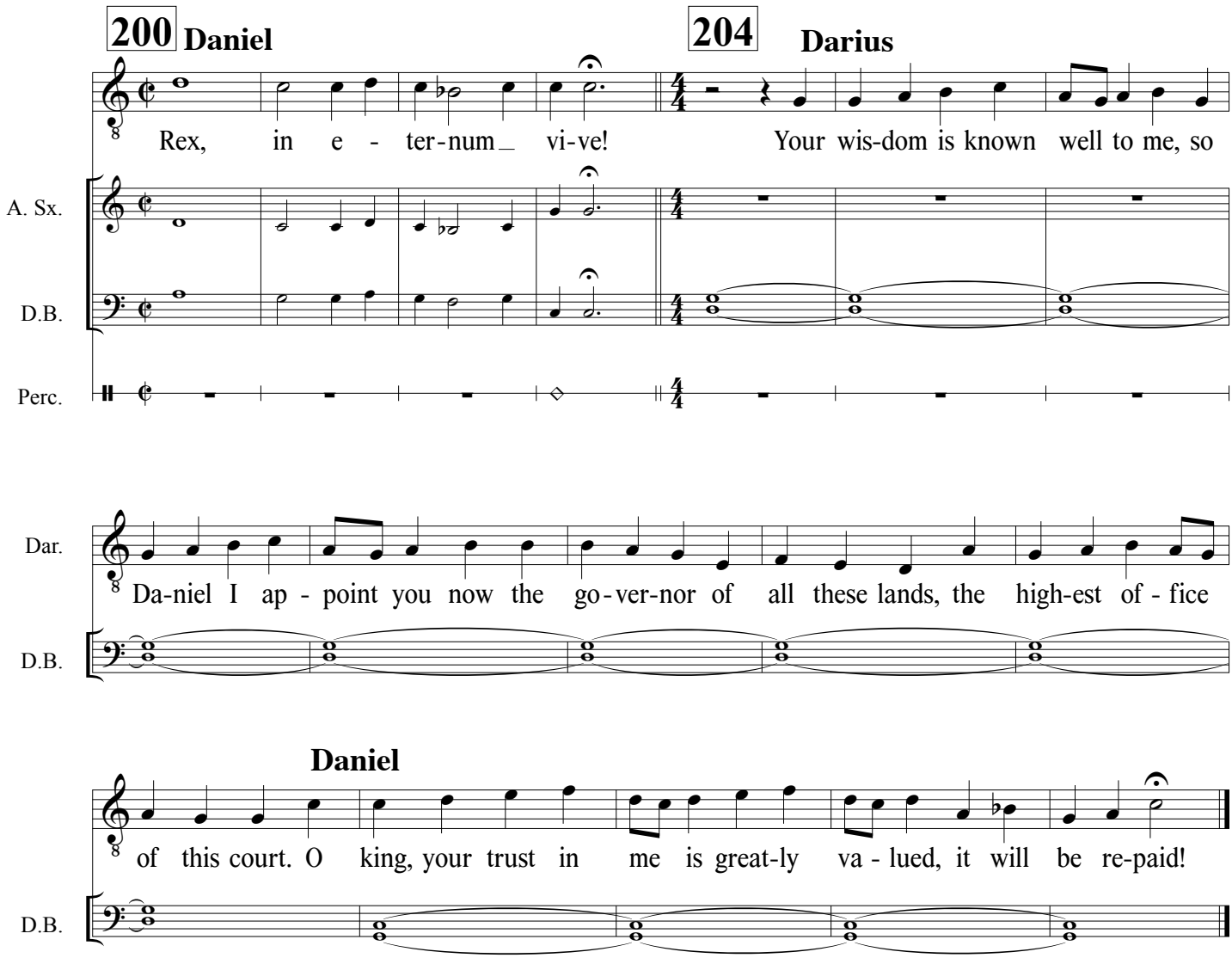

S
Ho-mo na-tus est in car-ne, qui cre-a-vit om-ni-a, na-sci tu-rum quem pre-di-xit
A
Ho-mo na-tus est in car-ne, qui cre-a-vit om-ni-a, na-sci tu-rum quem pre-di-xit
T
Ho-mo na-tus est in car-ne, qui cre-a-vit om-ni-a, na-sci tu-rum quem pre-di-xit
B
Ho-mo na-tus est in car-ne, qui cre-a-vit om-ni-a, na-sci tu-rum quem pre-di-xit
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


159
S
A
T
B
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
pro-phe-tae fa-cun-di-a. Da-ni-e-lis iam ces-sa-vit unc-ti-o-nis co-pi-a; ces-sat re-gni
Ju-dae-o-rum con-tu-max po-ten-ti-a. In hoc na-ta-li-ti-o, Da-ni-el, cum gau-di-o


175
S
A
T
B
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
te lau-dat hec con-ti-o. O! Con-gau-den-tes ce-le-bre-mus na-ta-lis so-
lem-ni-a; iam de mor-te nos re-de-mit De-i sa-pi-en-ti-a. Ho-mo na-tus est in car-ne,

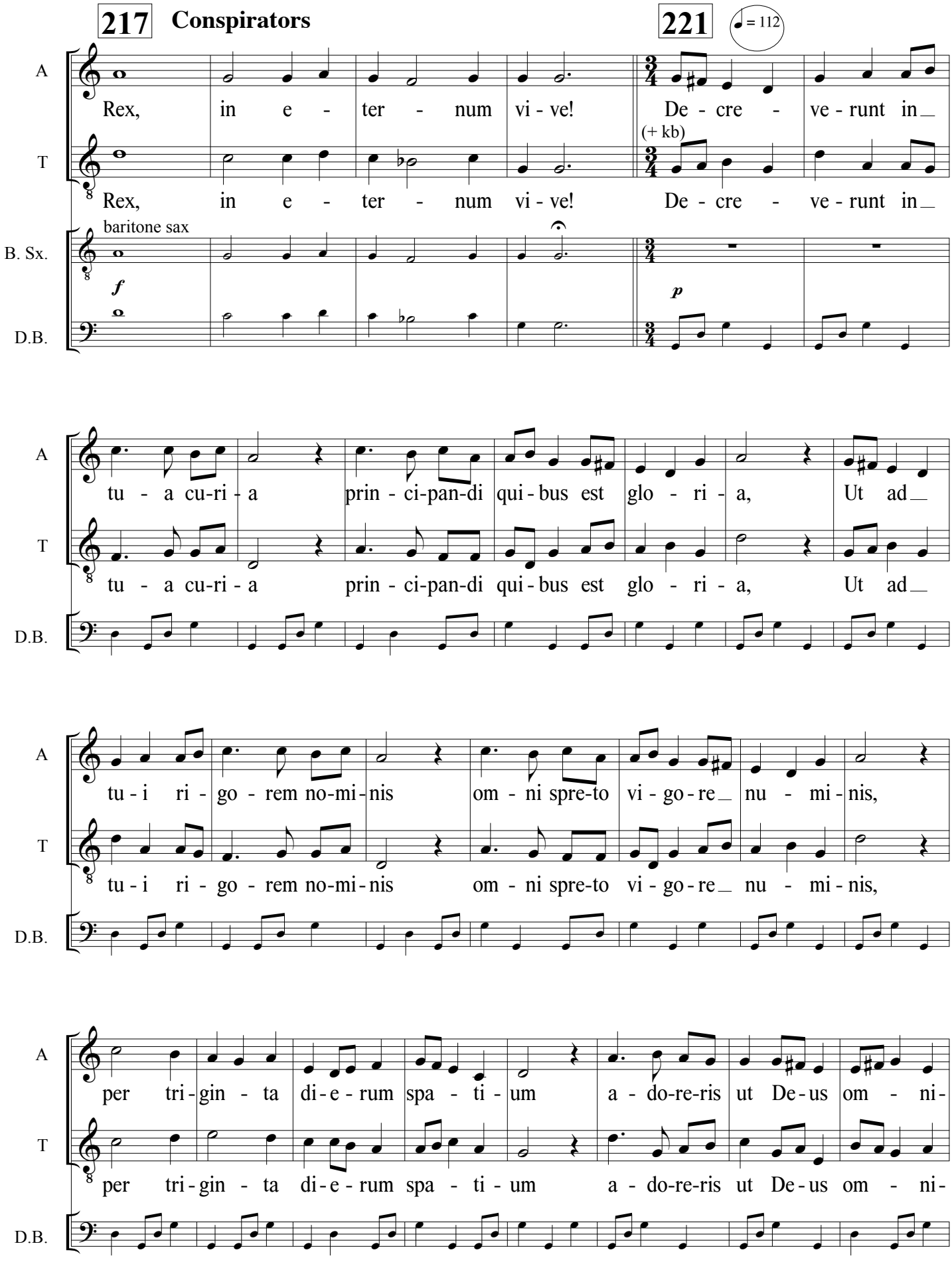

S
qui cre-a-vit om-ni-a, na-sci tu-rum quem pre-di-xit pro-phe-tae fa-cun-di-a. Da-ni-e-lis
A
qui cre-a-vit om-ni-a, na-sci tu-rum quem pre-di-xit pro-phe-tae fa-cun-di-a. Da-ni-e-lis
T
qui cre-a-vit om-ni-a, na-sci tu-rum quem pre-di-xit pro-phe-tae fa-cun-di-a. Da-ni-e-lis
B
qui cre-a-vit om-ni-a, na-sci tu-rum quem pre-di-xit pro-phe-tae fa-cun-di-a. Da-ni-e-lis
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


S
iam ces-sa-vit unc-ti-o-nis co-pi-a; ces-sat re-gni Ju-dae-o-rum con-tu-max po-ten-ti-a.
A
iam ces-sa-vit unc-ti-o-nis co-pi-a; ces-sat re-gni Ju-dae-o-rum con-tu-max po-ten-ti-a.
T
iam ces-sa-vit unc-ti-o-nis co-pi-a; ces-sat re-gni Ju-dae-o-rum con-tu-max po-ten-ti-a.
B
iam ces-sa-vit unc-ti-o-nis co-pi-a; ces-sat re-gni Ju-dae-o-rum con-tu-max po-ten-ti-a.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

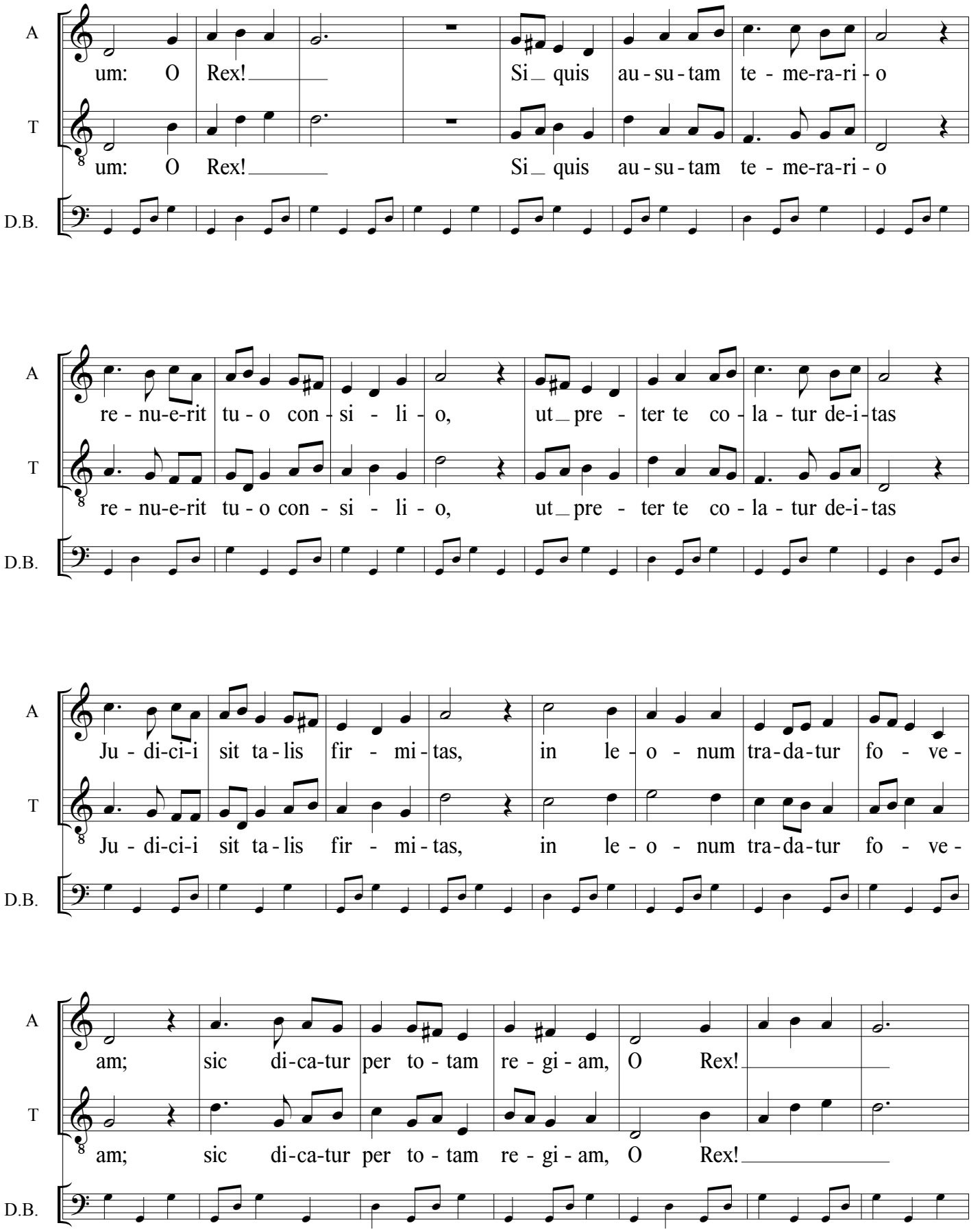


NARRATOR

The plotting princes approach the king.
"Darius", they say, "may your reign be long!
The captains of your court have counselled together
To establish a statute, a stern decree.
This we have thought. For thirty days
Whosoever shall ask a petition
Of any save thee shall be thrown straightaway
Alive to the lions. Long live Darius!
Wilt thou sign, great king, and seal the writing,
That none may annul this new law?"
Then Darius, thinking no evil,
Signs and seals it. The sinful men
Hurry hence to the house of Daniel
Where, at a window towards Jerusalem,
The prophet is praying with a pure heart
To the true God. They return to Darius.
"O king," they cry, "thy decree went forth
That whosoever should ask a petition
Of any save thee should be thrown to the lions,
But this man Daniel has dared disobey thee;
Openly he asks for help from his God."
Darius is sad, he sees their envy;
He labors long to deliver Daniel.
But the accusers cry: "The decree was thine.
Didst thou not sign and seal the writing
That none should annul it? It shall not be changed."
"Alas," says the king, "the law is thus."
Grieving greatly, he gives orders
That Daniel be cast in the den of lions.
"Daniel," he cries, "I can do no other.
Forgive thy friend! May God save thee!"


217
Conspirators
221
♩ = 112
A
T
B. Sx.
D.B.
Rex, in e - ter - num vi - ve!
De - cre - ve - runt in_
(+ kb)
baritone sax
f
p
tu - a cu-ri - a prin - ci-pan-di qui - bus est glo - ri - a, Ut ad_
tu - i ri - go - rem no-mi - nis om - ni spre-to vi - go - re_ nu - mi - nis,
per tri - gin - ta di - e - rum spa - ti - um a - do-re-ris ut De - us om - ni -

249


A
um: O Rex! Si quis au-su-tam te-me-ra-ri-o
T
um: O Rex! Si quis au-su-tam te-me-ra-ri-o
D.B.
A
re-nu-e-rit tu-o con-si-li-o, ut pre-ter te co-la-tur de-i-tas
T
re-nu-e-rit tu-o con-si-li-o, ut pre-ter te co-la-tur de-i-tas
D.B.
A
Ju-di-ci-i sit ta-lis fir-mi-tas, in le-o-num tra-da-tur fo-ve-
T
Ju-di-ci-i sit ta-lis fir-mi-tas, in le-o-num tra-da-tur fo-ve-
D.B.
A
am; sic di-ca-tur per to-tam re-gi-am, O Rex!
T
am; sic di-ca-tur per to-tam re-gi-am, O Rex!
D.B.

276 **Darius**

Dar. I com-mand and I af - firm that this de-cree shall be o - beyed from

B. Sx.

D.B.

Perc.

287 ♩ = 76 *Daniel is seen praying*

Dar. hence - forth.

Conspirators

A O Rex!

T O Rex!

Da-rius, you have made a law to

Da-rius, you have made a law to

B. Sx.

D.B.

Perc.

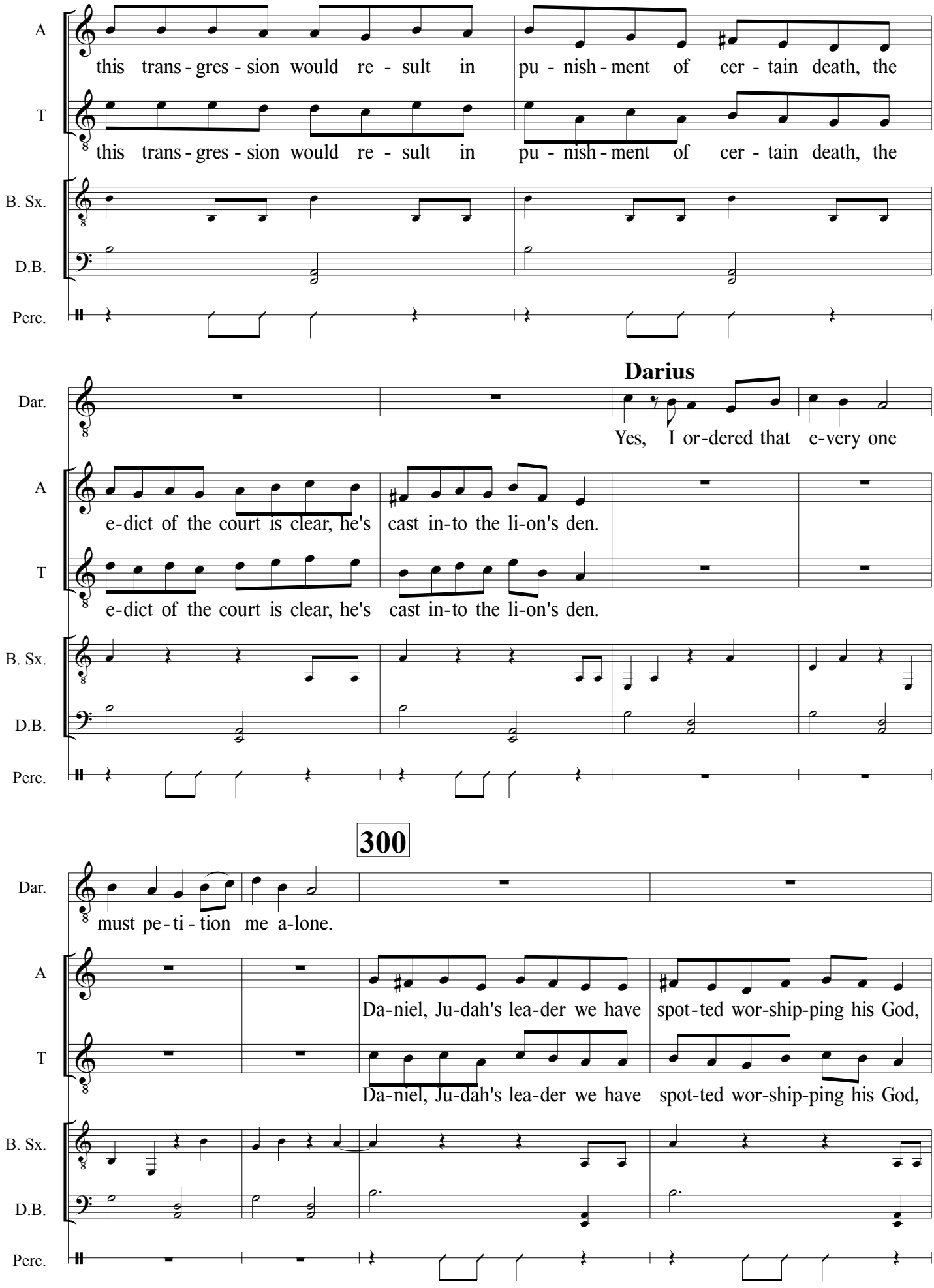
A be ob-served by all of us, no-one can pe-ti - tion to a-ny o-ther god but you,

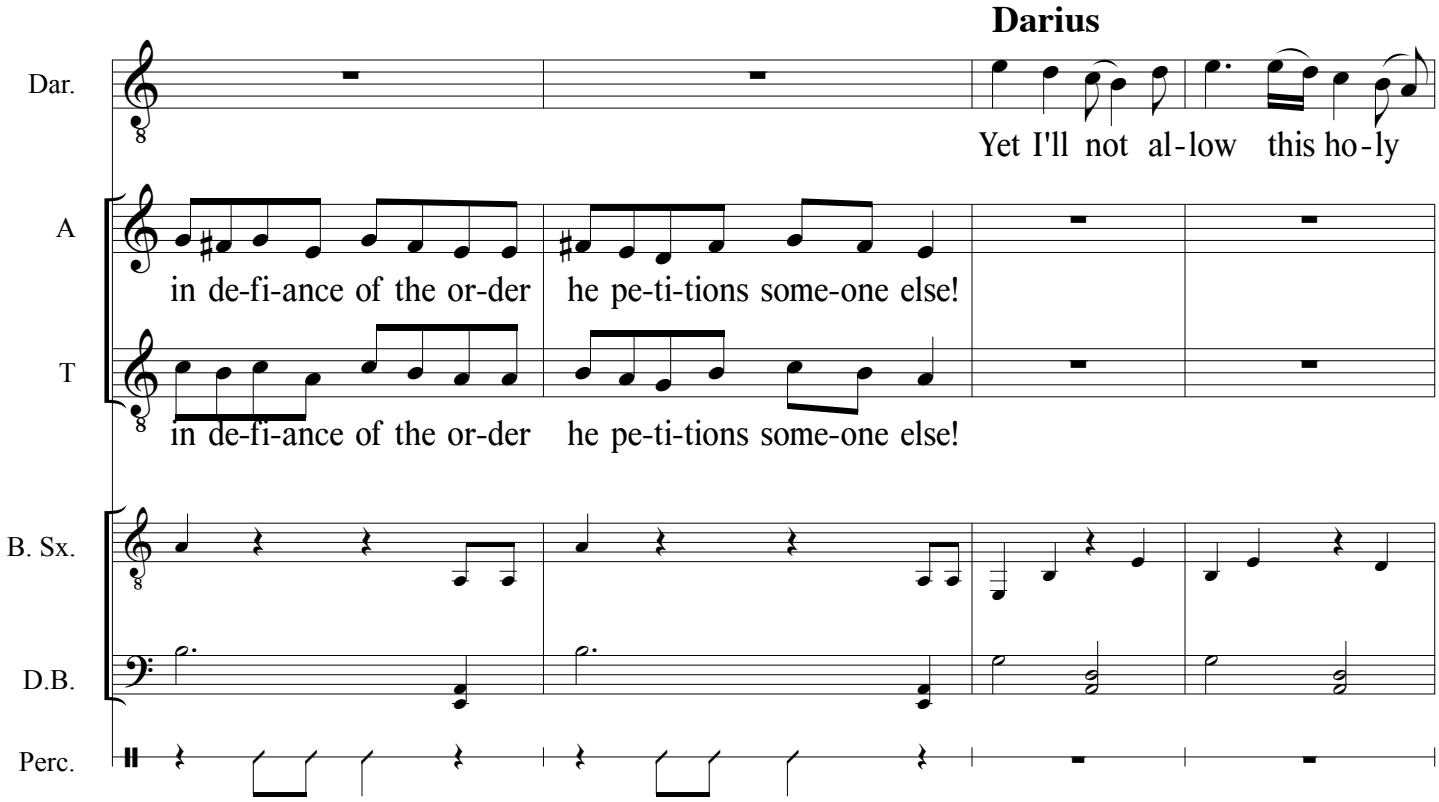
T be ob-served by all of us, no-one can pe-ti - tion to a-ny o-ther god but you,

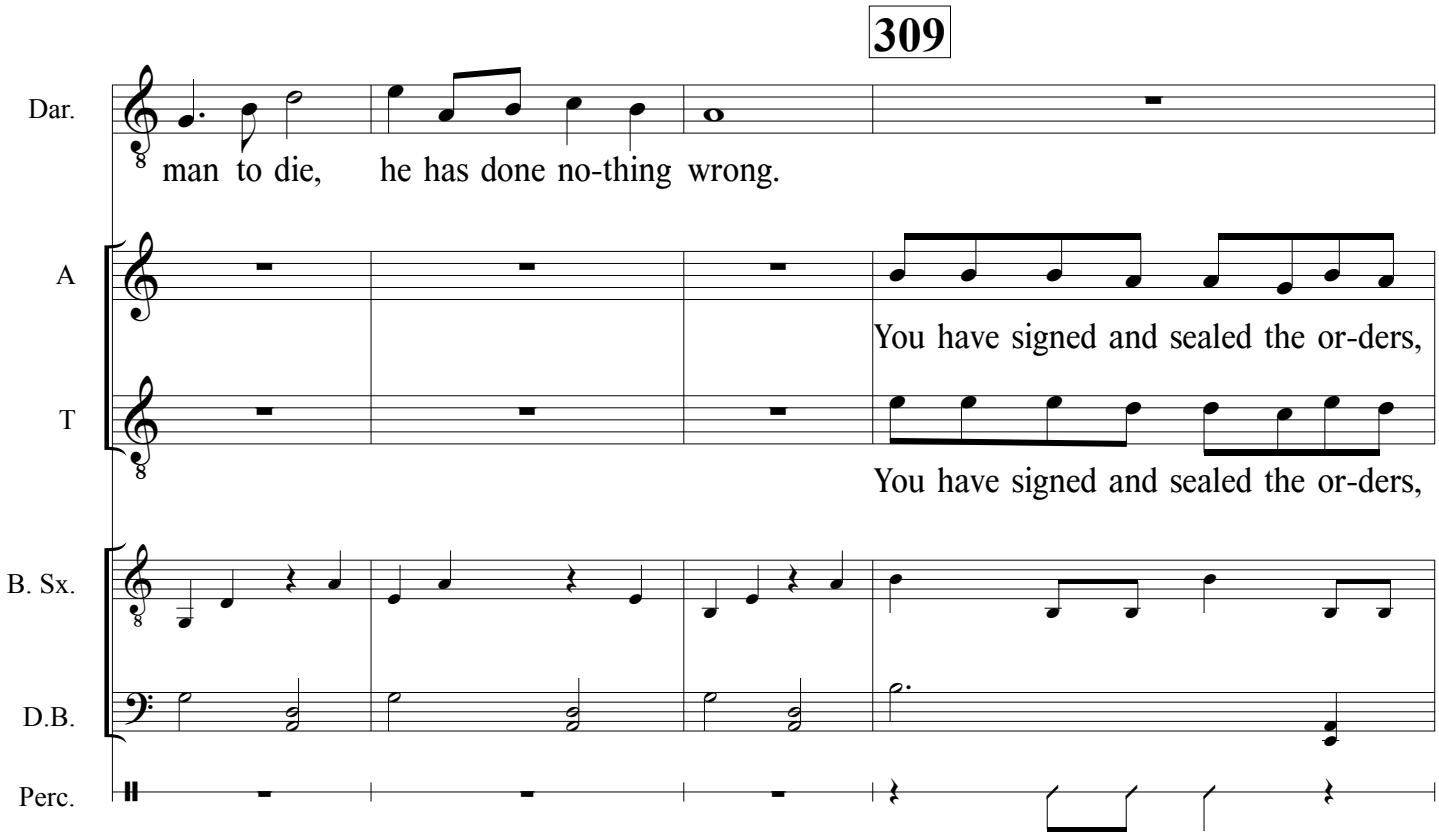
B. Sx.

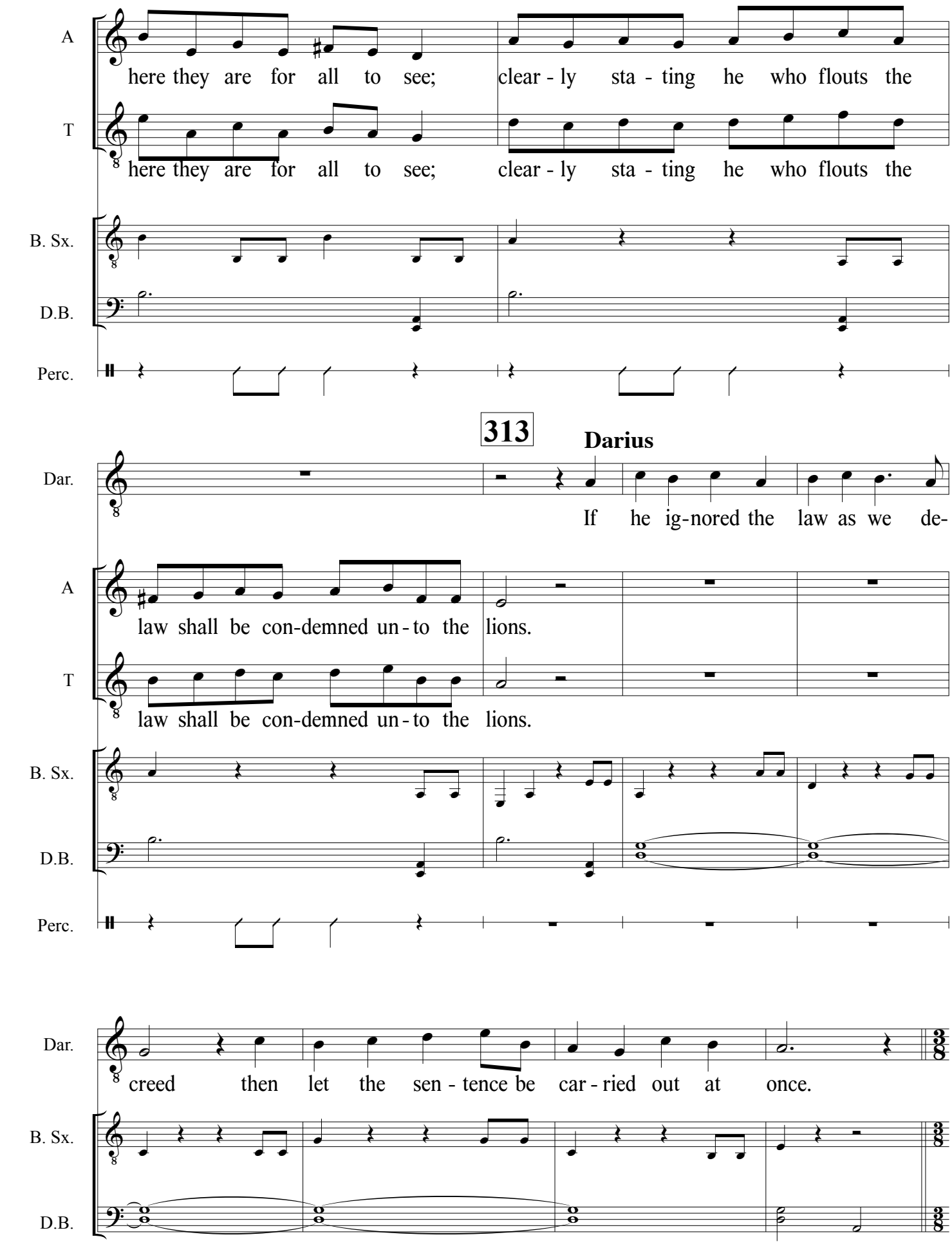
D.B.

Perc.


A
this trans - gres - sion would re - sult in pu - nish - ment of cer - tain death, the
T
this trans - gres - sion would re - sult in pu - nish - ment of cer - tain death, the
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Darius
Dar.
Yes, I or-dered that e-very one
A
e-dict of the court is clear, he's cast in-to the li-on's den.
T
e-dict of the court is clear, he's cast in-to the li-on's den.
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
300
Dar.
must pe-ti - tion me a-lone.
A
Da-niel, Ju-dah's lea-der we have spot-ted wor-ship-ping his God,
T
Da-niel, Ju-dah's lea-der we have spot-ted wor-ship-ping his God,
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


Darius
Dar.
Yet I'll not al-low this ho-ly
A
in de-fi-ance of the or-der he pe-ti-tions some-one else!
T
in de-fi-ance of the or-der he pe-ti-tions some-one else!
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


309
Dar.
man to die, he has done no-thing wrong.
A
You have signed and sealed the or-ders,
T
You have signed and sealed the or-ders,
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


A
here they are for all to see; clear - ly sta - ting he who flouts the
T
here they are for all to see; clear - ly sta - ting he who flouts the
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
313
Darius
Dar.
If he ig-nored the law as we de-
A
law shall be con-demned un - to the lions.
T
law shall be con-demned un - to the lions.
B. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Dar.
creed then let the sen - tence be car - ried out at once.
B. Sx.
D.B.

320 **Daniel** ♪ = 104

Dan. He - u, he - u, he - u! Quo ca - su sor - tis ve - nit

B. Sx.

D.B. *p*

Dan. hec - dam - na - ti - o mor - tis? He - u, he - u, he - u! Sce -

B. Sx.

D.B.

Dan. lus in - fan - dum! Cur me da - bit ad la - ce - ran - dum hec fe - ra tur - ba

B. Sx.

D.B.

Dan. fe - ris! Sic me Rex per - de - re quae - ris? He - u!

B. Sx.

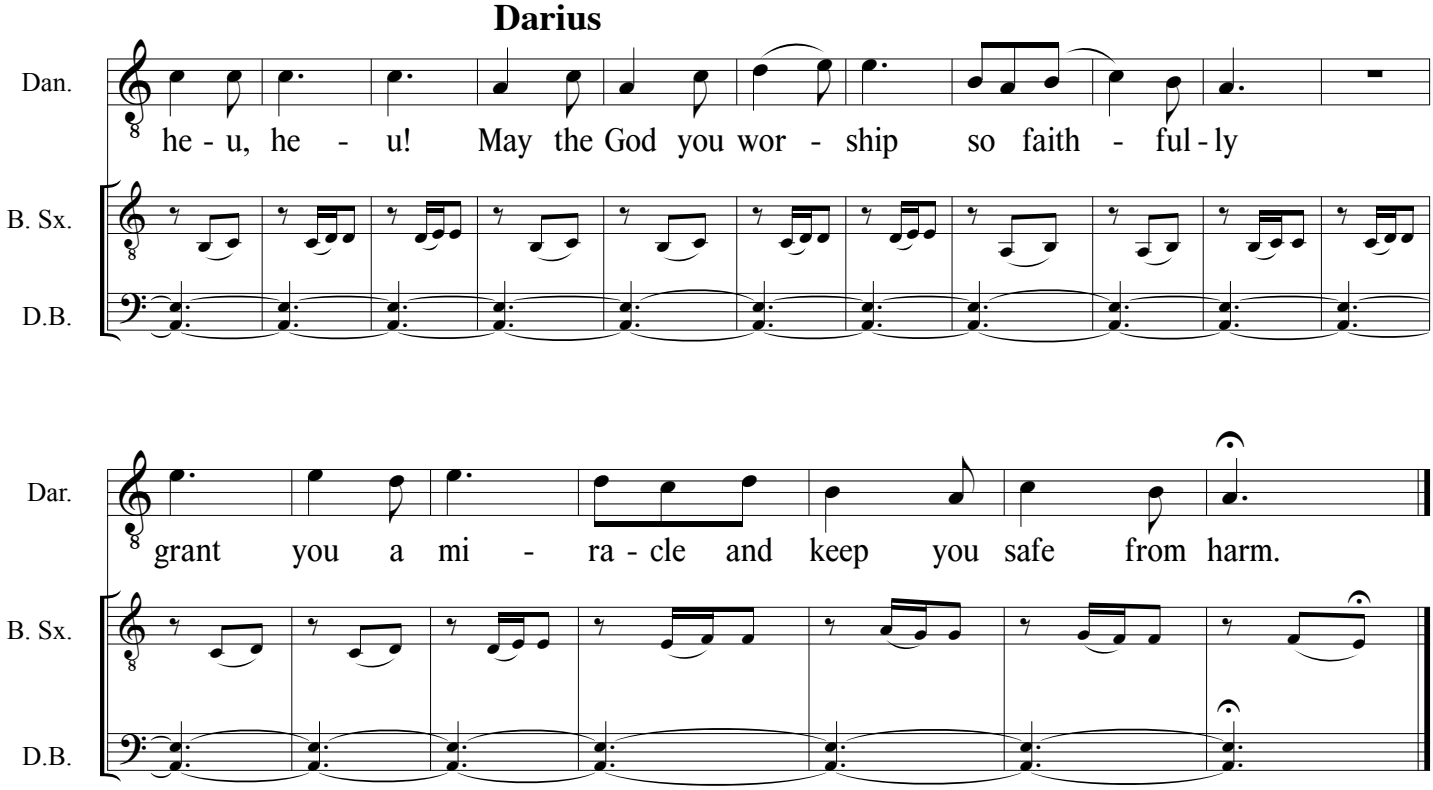
D.B.

360

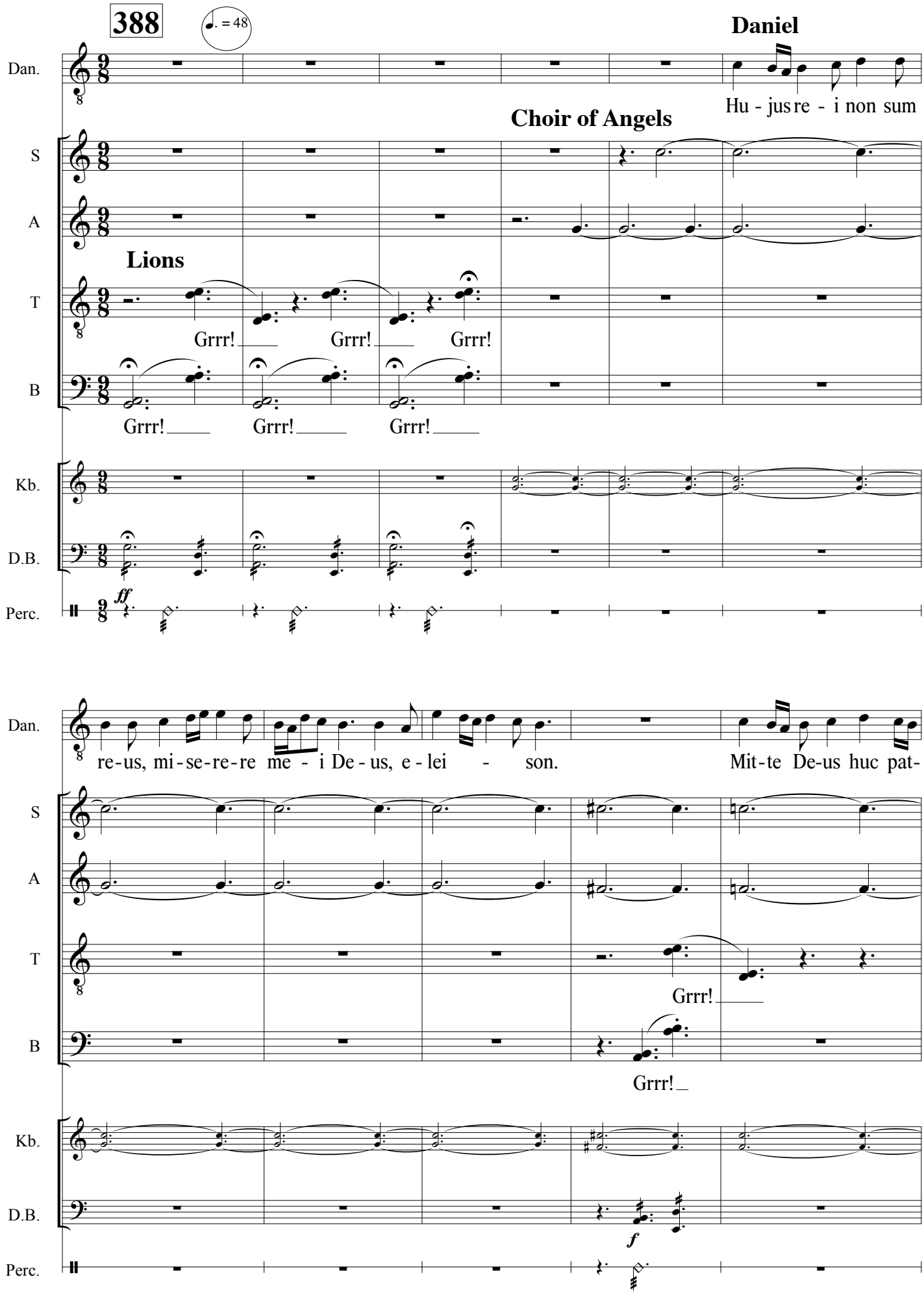
Dan. Qua mor - te - mo - ri me co - gis! Par - ce fu - ro - ri. He - u,

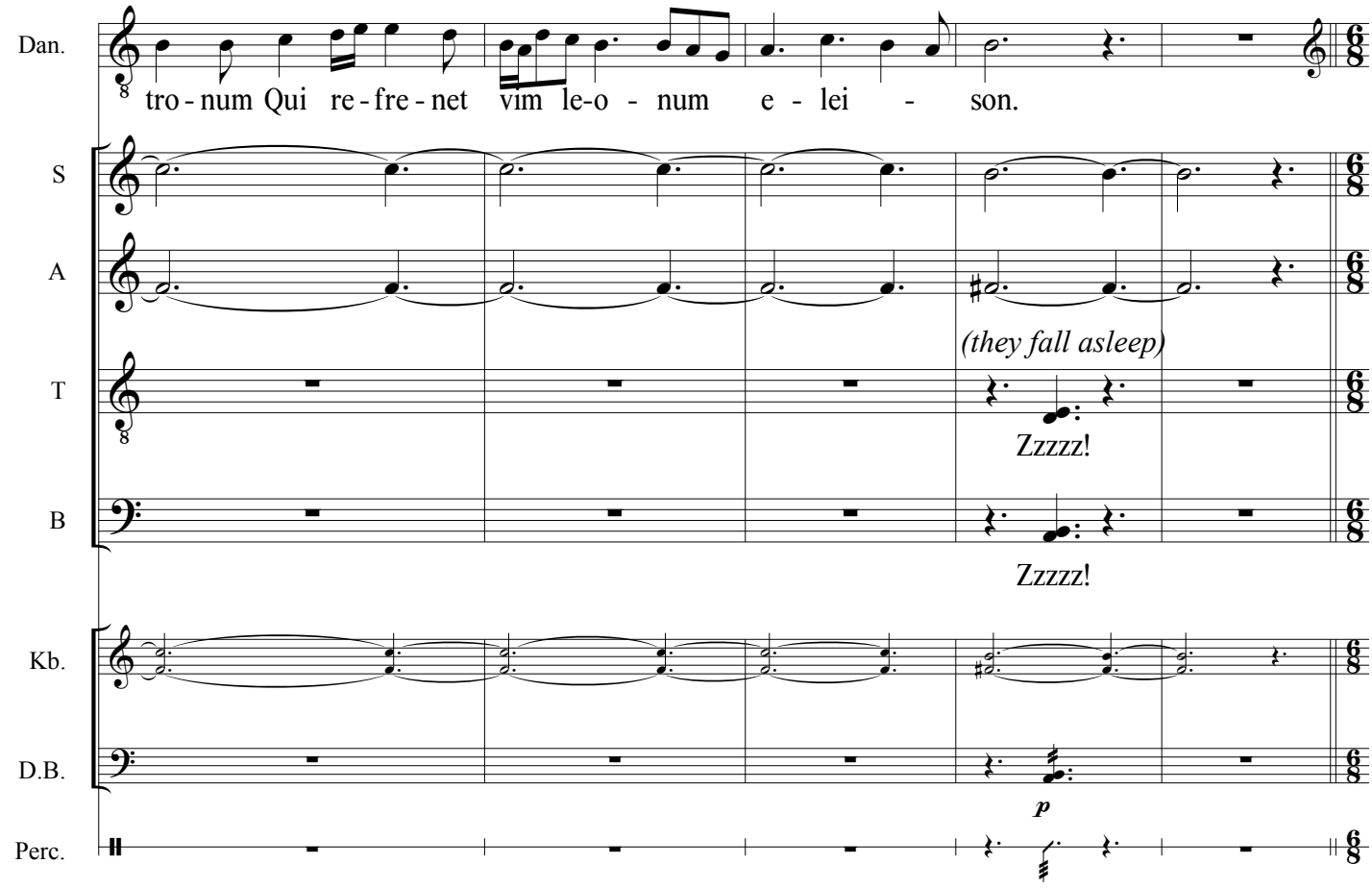
B. Sx.

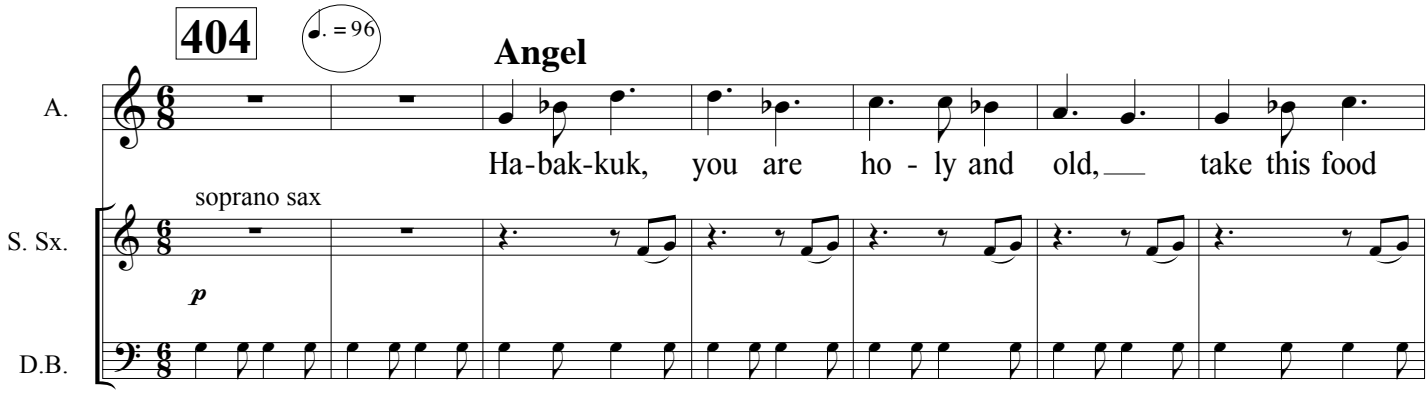
D.B.

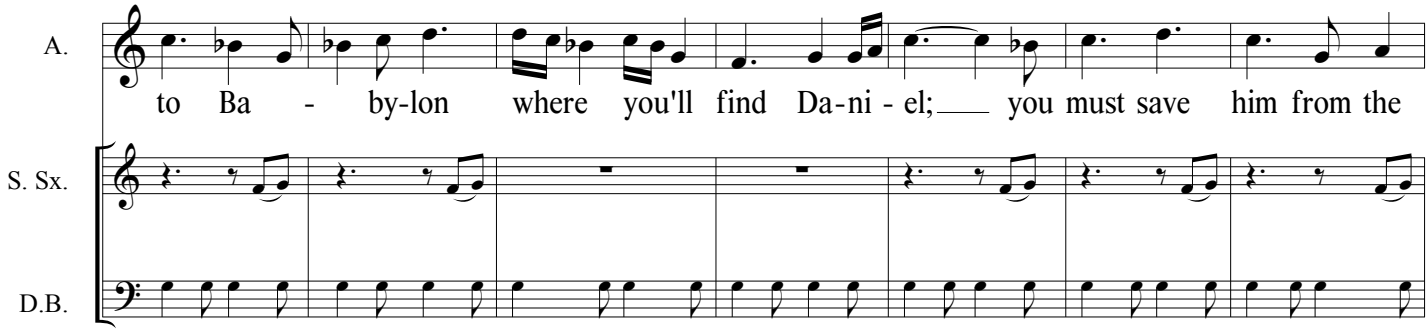


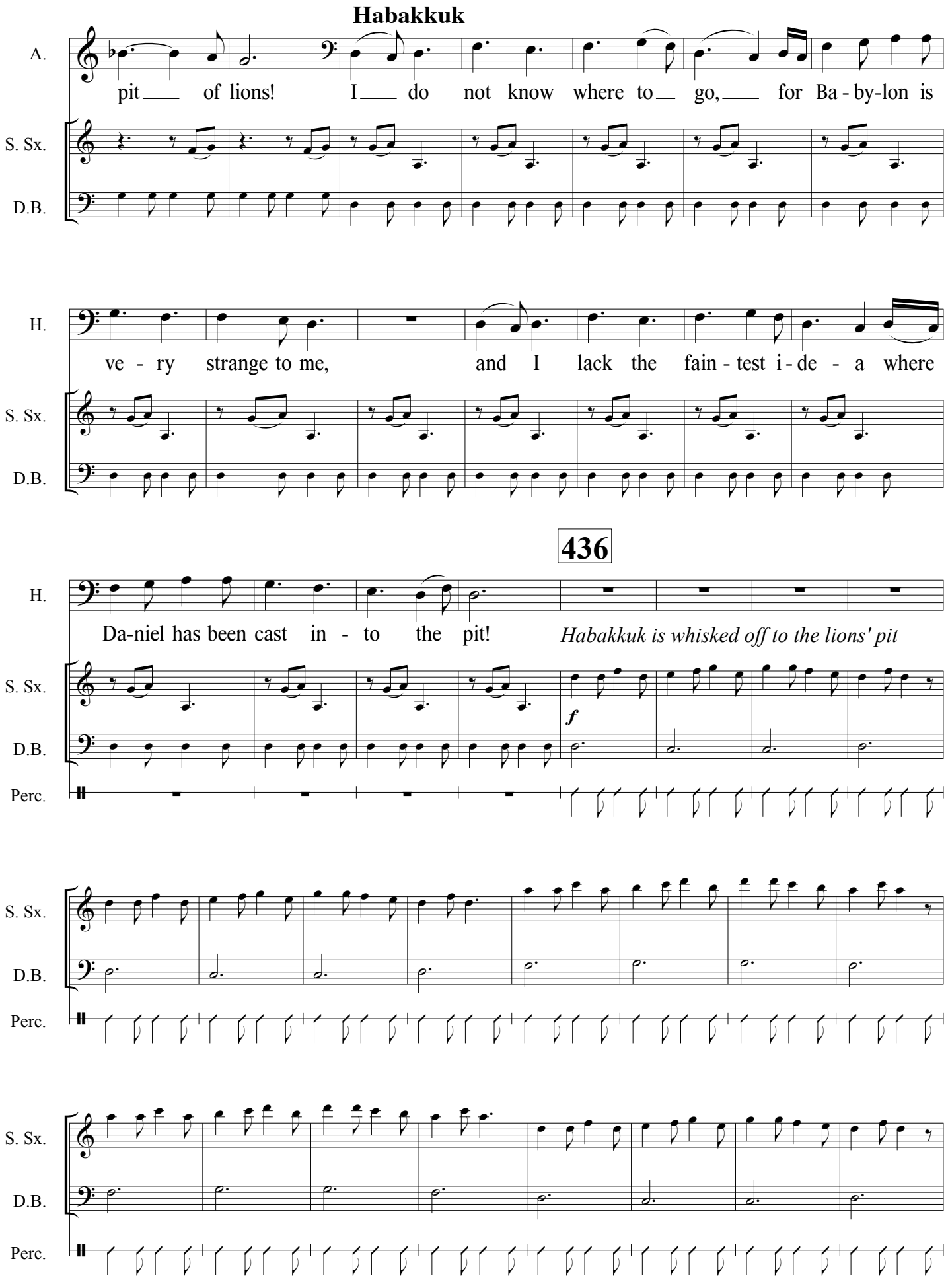
NARRATOR
So Daniel is down in the deep pit,
Alone among lions. But the Lord of Heaven
Sends an angel with a sword to keep
Those beasts at bay that they bite him not.
And a second angel; He sends in the night
To Habbakkuk, a holy prophet,
Saying: “Arise! The road is long.
I am bid to bring you to Babylon town
And the dark den where Daniel lies.”
“That is full far,” says that faithful man,
“And I know not the way; nevertheless
I will go to greet him.” God’s angel
Takes him by the hair; in a trice they come
To the perilous pit; he appears to Daniel,
Refreshes with food his fainting spirit.

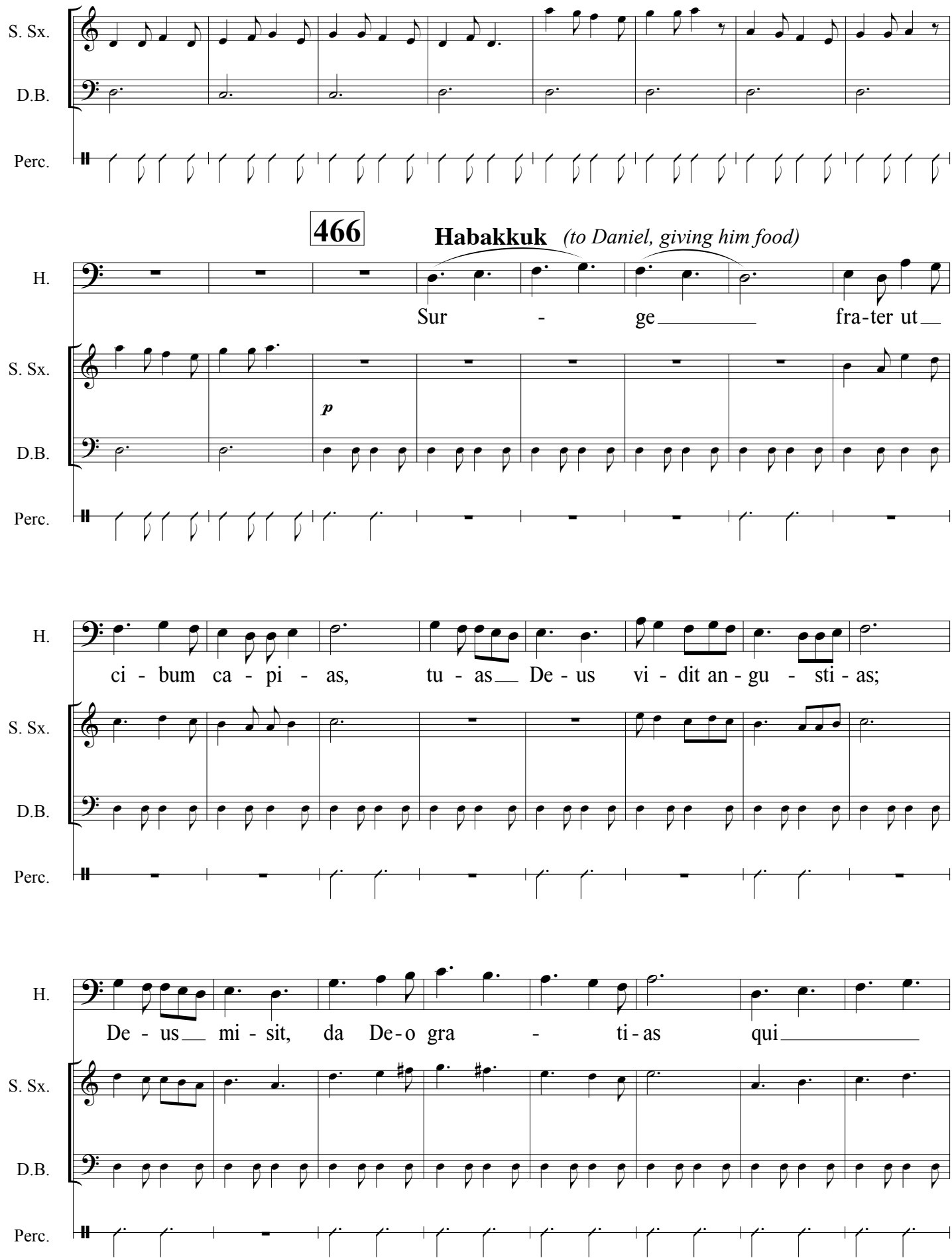

388
♩. = 48
Daniel
Dan.
Hu - jus re - i non sum
Choir of Angels
S
A
Lions
T
Grrr! Grrr! Grrr!
B
Grrr! Grrr! Grrr!
Kb.
D.B.
Perc.
ff
re-us, mi-se-re-re me - i De - us, e - lei - son.
Mit-te De-us huc pat-
Grrr!
Grrr!
f

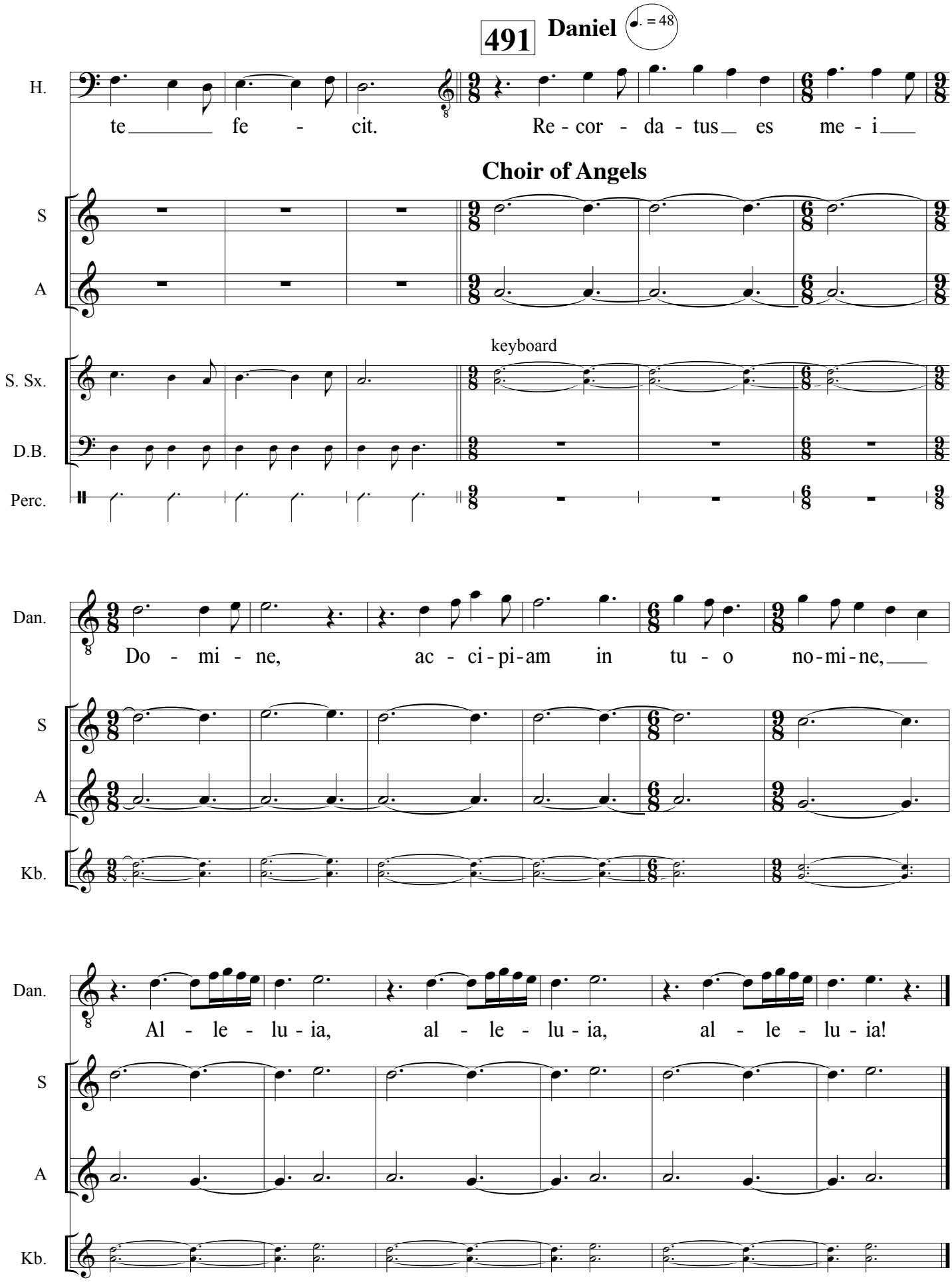

Dan.
tro - num Qui re - fre - net vim le-o - num e - lei - son.
S
A
(they fall asleep)
T
Zzzzz!
B
Zzzzz!
Kb.
D.B.
p
Perc.


404
♩. = 96
Angel
A.
Ha-bak-kuk, you are ho - ly and old, take this food
soprano sax
S. Sx.
p
D.B.

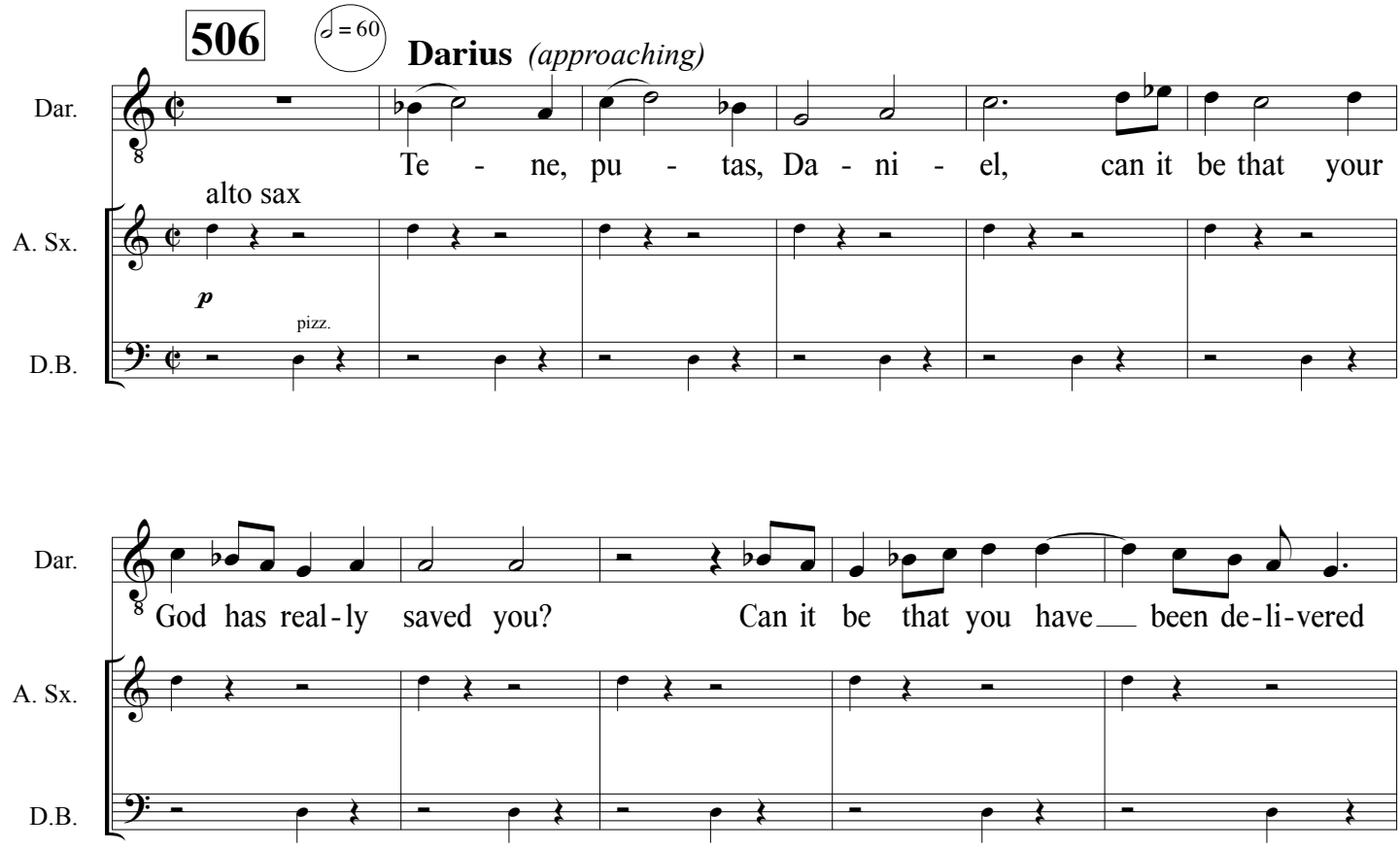

A.
to Ba - by-lon where you'll find Da-ni - el; you must save him from the
S. Sx.
D.B.

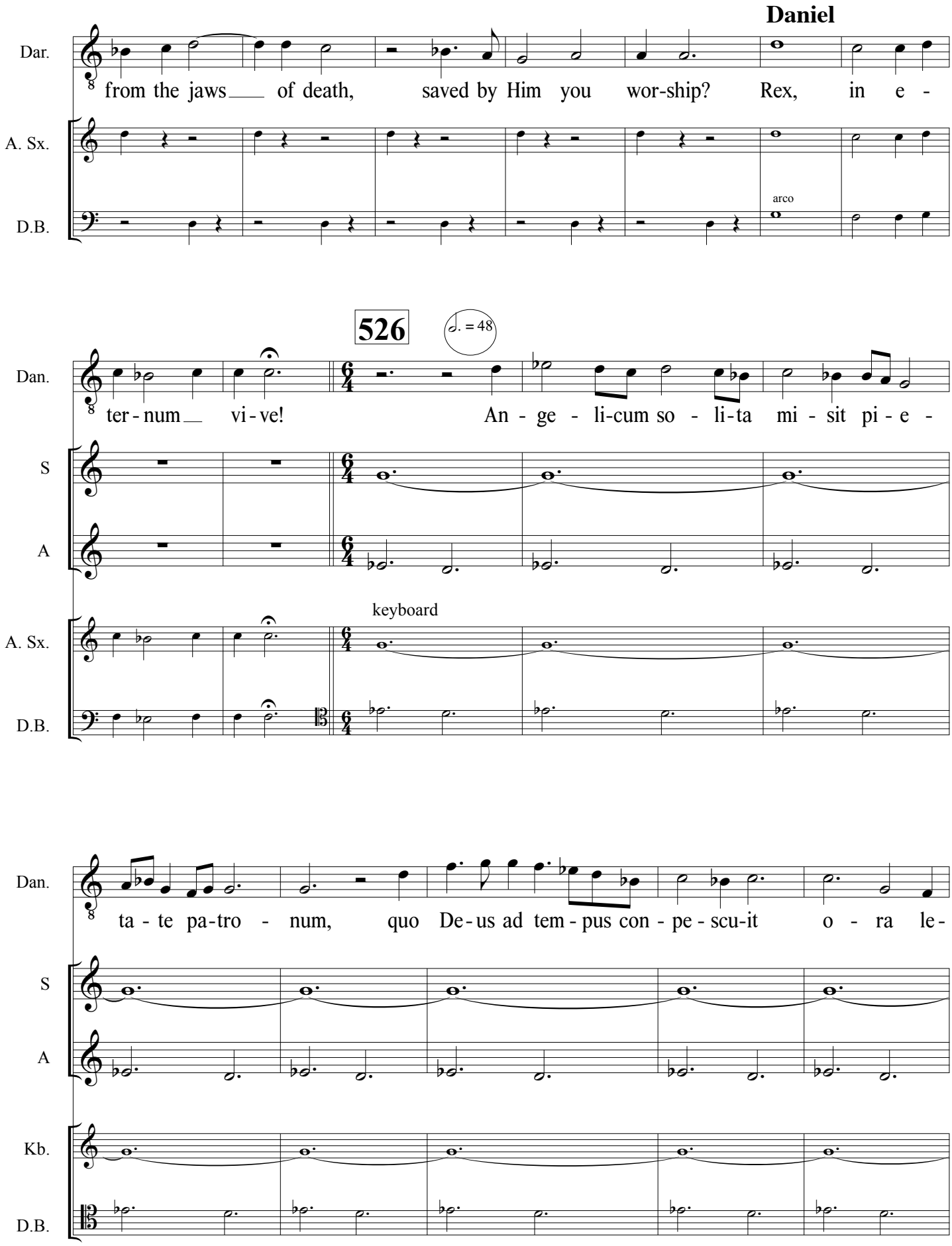

Habakkuk
A.
pit of lions! I do not know where to go, for Ba - by-lon is
S. Sx.
D.B.
H.
ve - ry strange to me, and I lack the fain - test i - de - a where
S. Sx.
D.B.
436
H.
Da-niel has been cast in - to the pit!
Habakkuk is whisked off to the lions' pit
S. Sx.
f
D.B.
Perc.
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

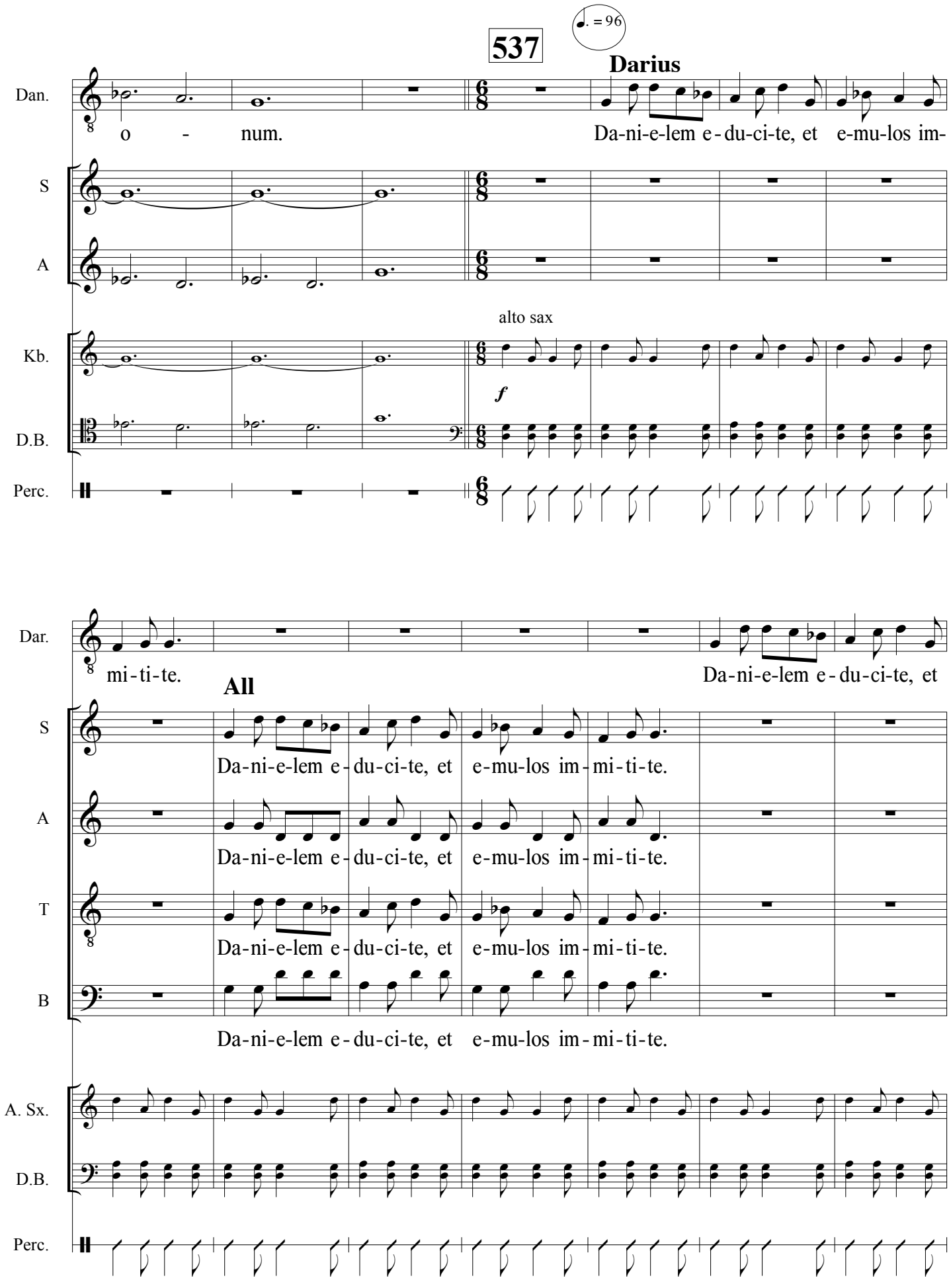

S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
466
Habakkuk (to Daniel, giving him food)
H.
Sur - ge fra-ter ut
p
ci - bum ca - pi - as, tu - as De - us vi - dit an - gu - sti - as;
De - us mi - sit, da De-o gra - ti-as qui


491
Daniel
♩. = 48
H.
te fe - cit.
Re - cor - da - tus es me - i
Choir of Angels
S
A
keyboard
S. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Dan.
Do - mi - ne, ac - ci - pi - am in tu - o no - mi - ne,
S
A
Kb.
Dan.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!
S
A
Kb.

NARRATOR
Day dawns: to the den of lions
The king is come. He calls aloud:
"Daniel, O Daniel, my dear friend,
Dost thou live yet? Hath the Lord thy God
Saved his servant from sudden death?"
And Daniel answers: "Hail, O king!
I am safe and sound. God sent an angel
With a shining sword to shut the mouths
Of the hungry lions. They lie asleep."
Glad is Darius at this great wonder,
Bids his bodyguard bring up Daniel,
Set him free, and in fury commands:
"Let his accusers be cast in the pit!"
The princes and presidents who plotted evil
Rue their wrong. Ere they reach the bottom
Their bones are broken, their bodies rent,
Torn in pieces by the teeth of the lions.
So Daniel was restored to his state of honour
And dwelt in peace until his days end.
Visions revealed to him events to come;
Truly he foretold the return of Judah
To its own home, and the end of Jerusalem,
Her final fall when, in fullness of time,
The wise Word that was from the beginning,
Maker of all things, should be made flesh
And suffer death to redeem mankind.




Daniel
Dar.
from the jaws of death, saved by Him you wor-ship? Rex, in e -
A. Sx.
D.B.
arco
526
♩. = 48
Dan.
ter - num vi - ve!
An - ge - li-cum so - li-ta mi - sit pi - e -
S
A
keyboard
A. Sx.
D.B.
Dan.
ta - te pa-tro - num, quo De - us ad tem - pus con - pe - scu-it o - ra le -
S
A
Kb.
D.B.


537
♩. = 96
Darius
Dan.
o - num.
Da-ni-e-lem e - du-ci-te, et e-mu-los im-
S
A
alto sax
Kb.
f
D.B.
Perc.
Dar.
mi-ti-te.
Da-ni-e-lem e - du-ci-te, et
All
S
Da-ni-e-lem e - du-ci-te, et e-mu-los im - mi-ti-te.
A
Da-ni-e-lem e - du-ci-te, et e-mu-los im - mi-ti-te.
T
Da-ni-e-lem e - du-ci-te, et e-mu-los im - mi-ti-te.
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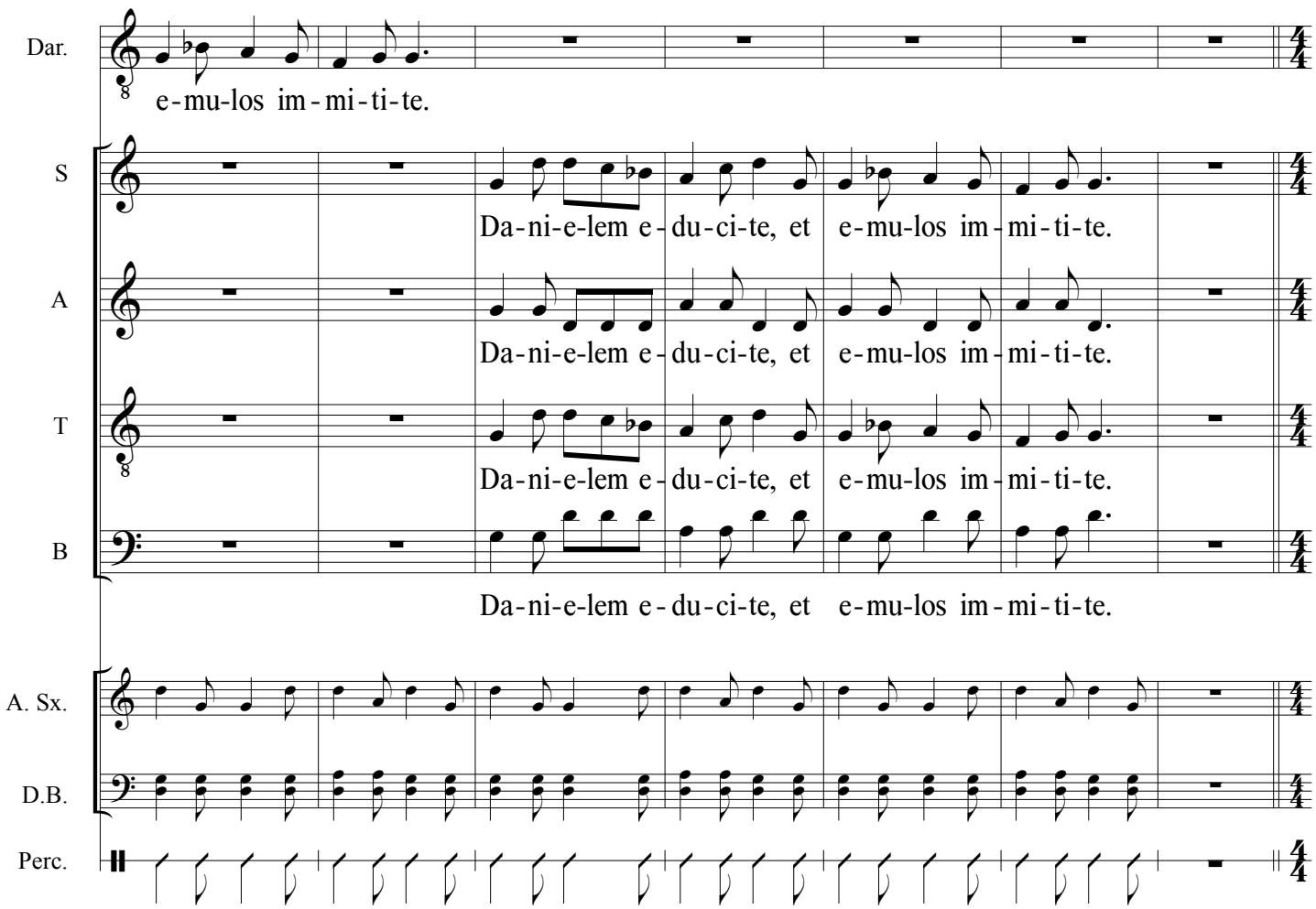
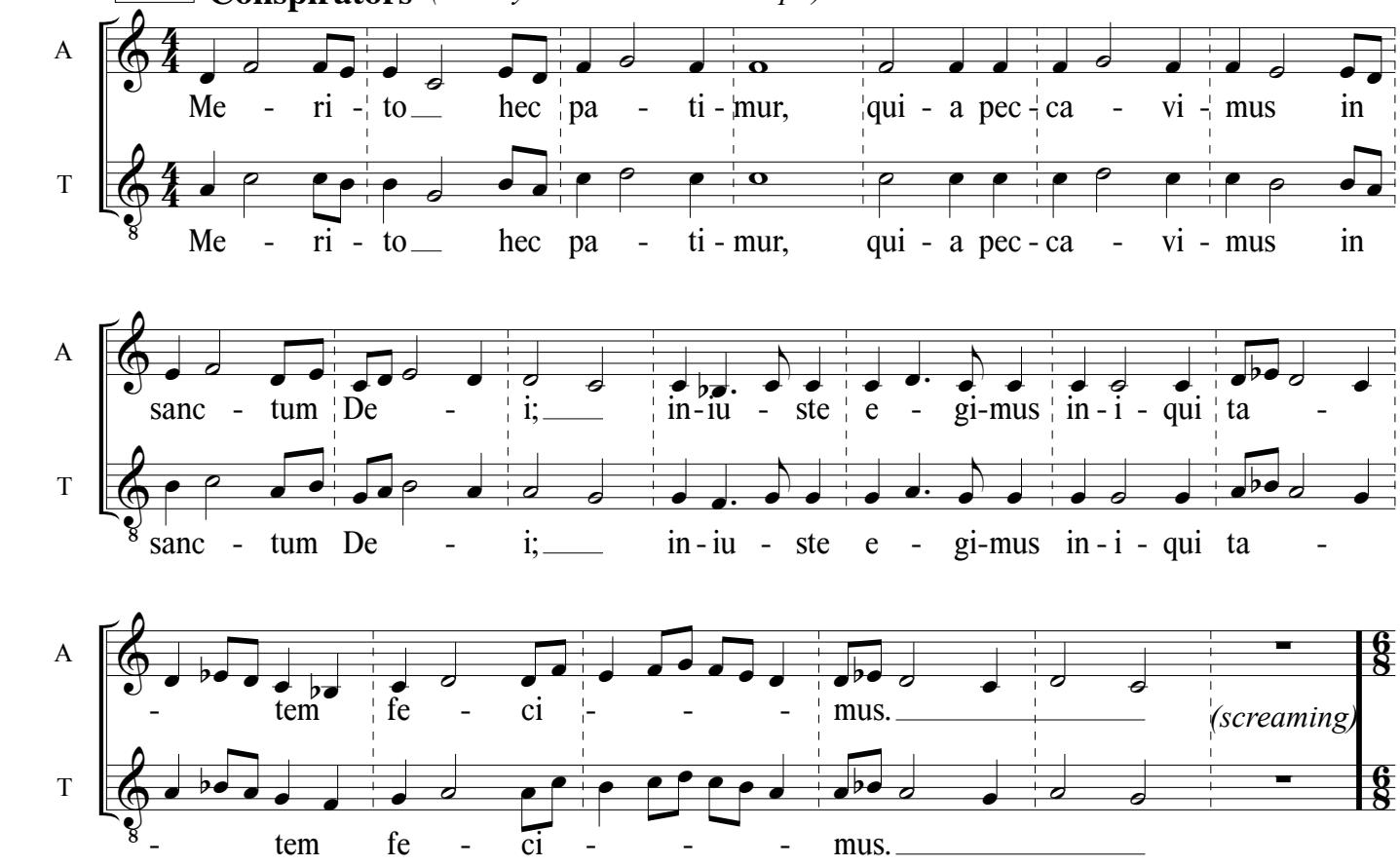
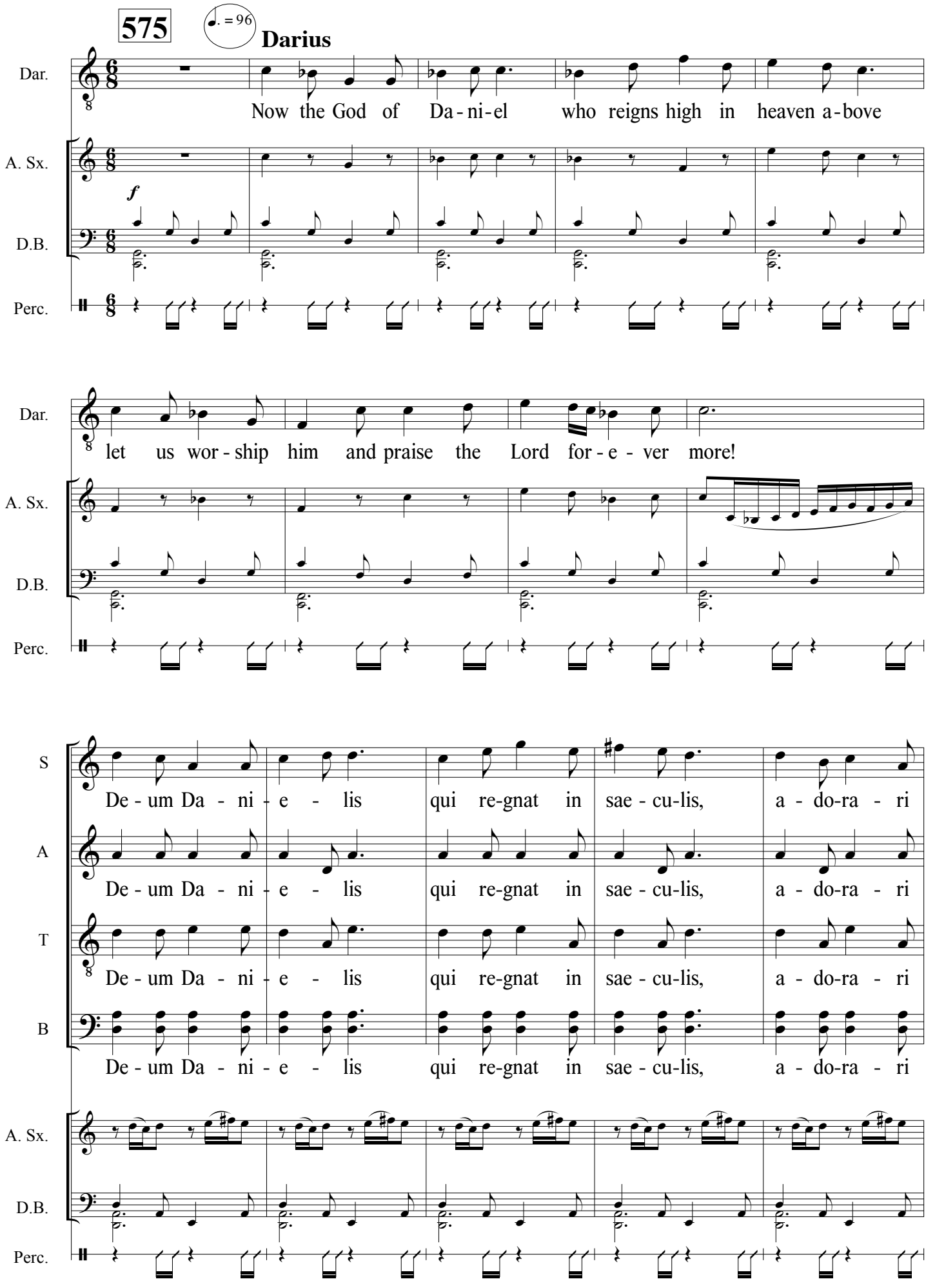
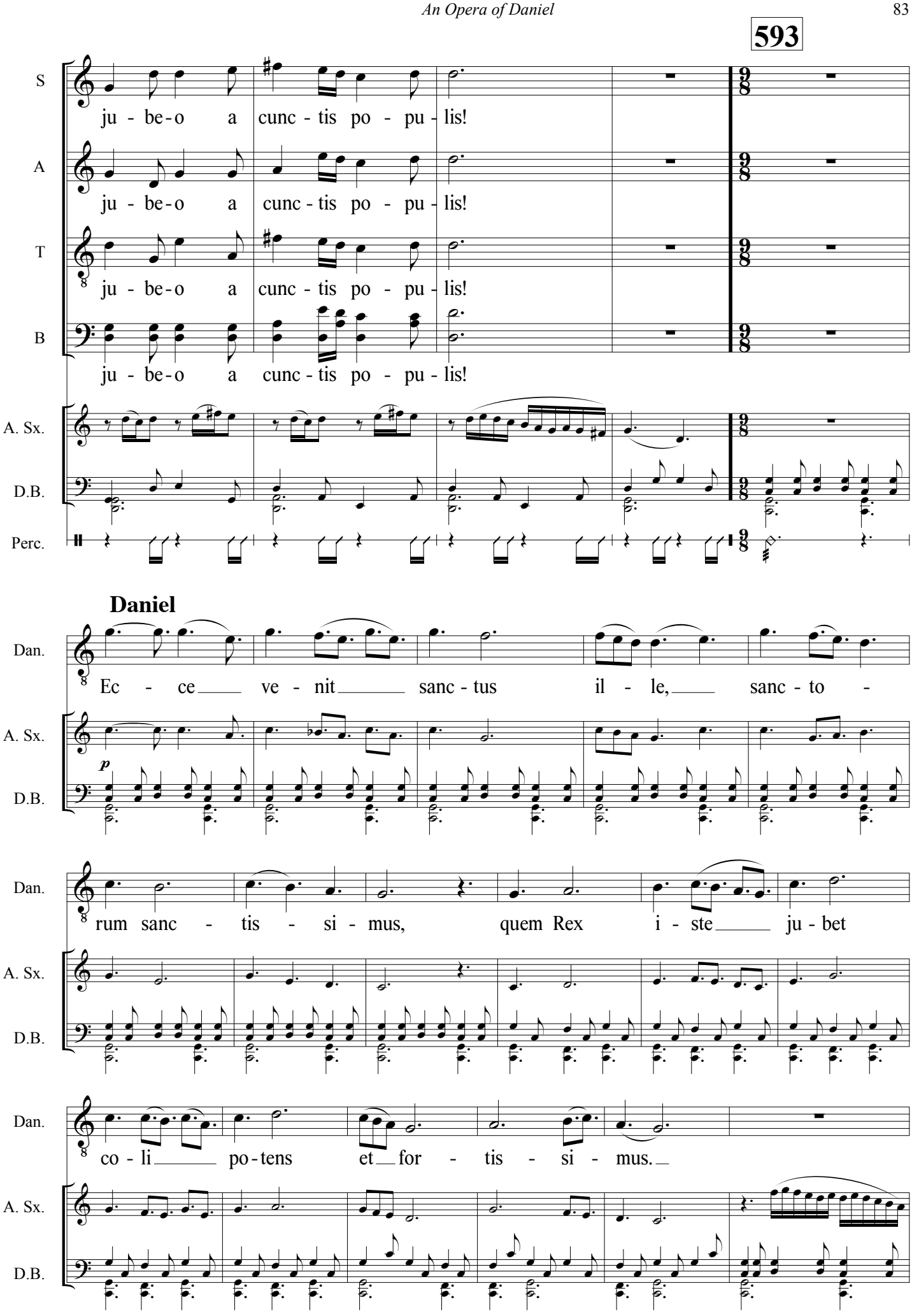
Da-ni-e-lem e - du-ci-te, et e-mu-los im - mi-ti-te.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

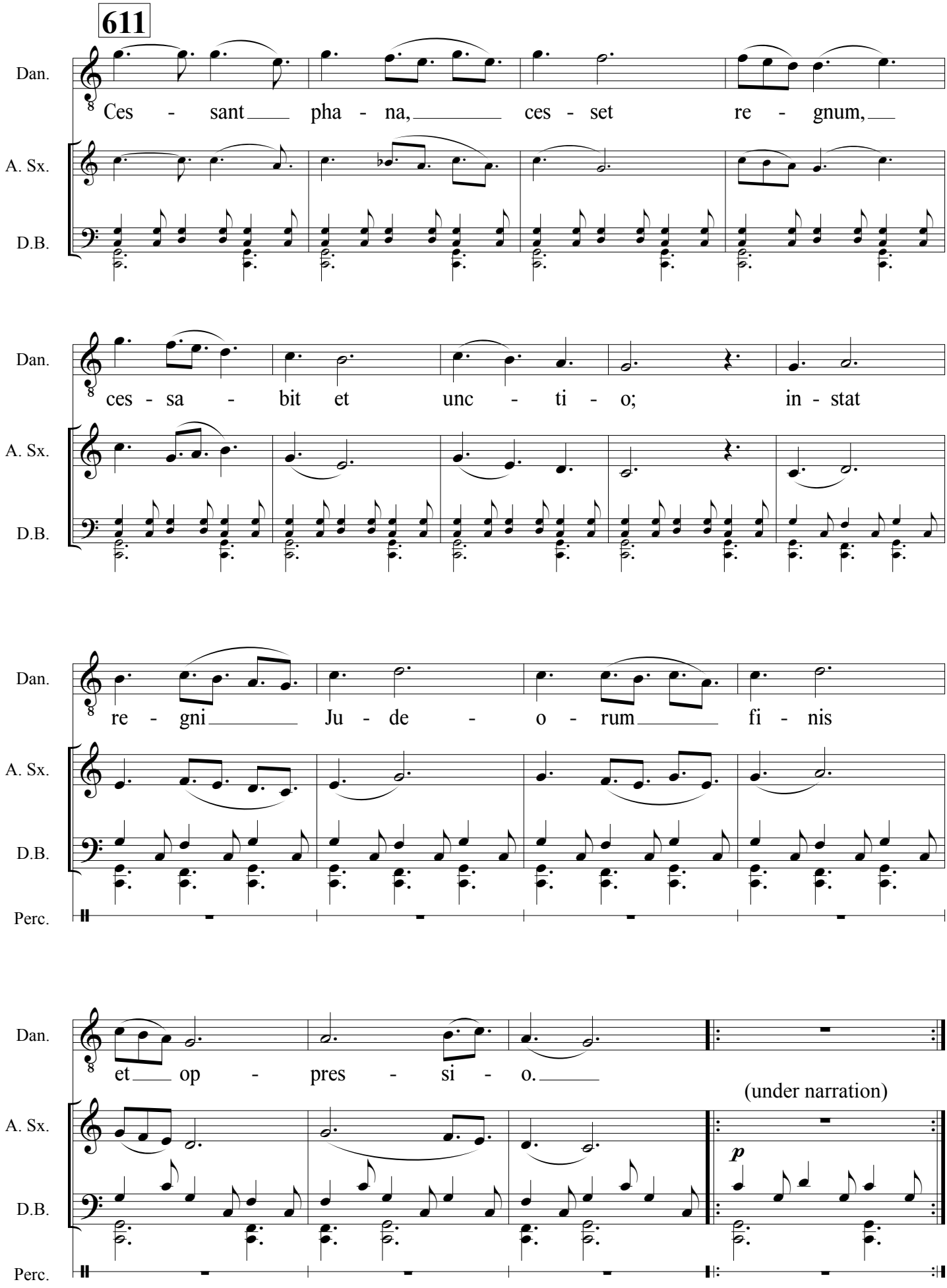


555 **Conspirators** *(as they are thrown into the pit)*

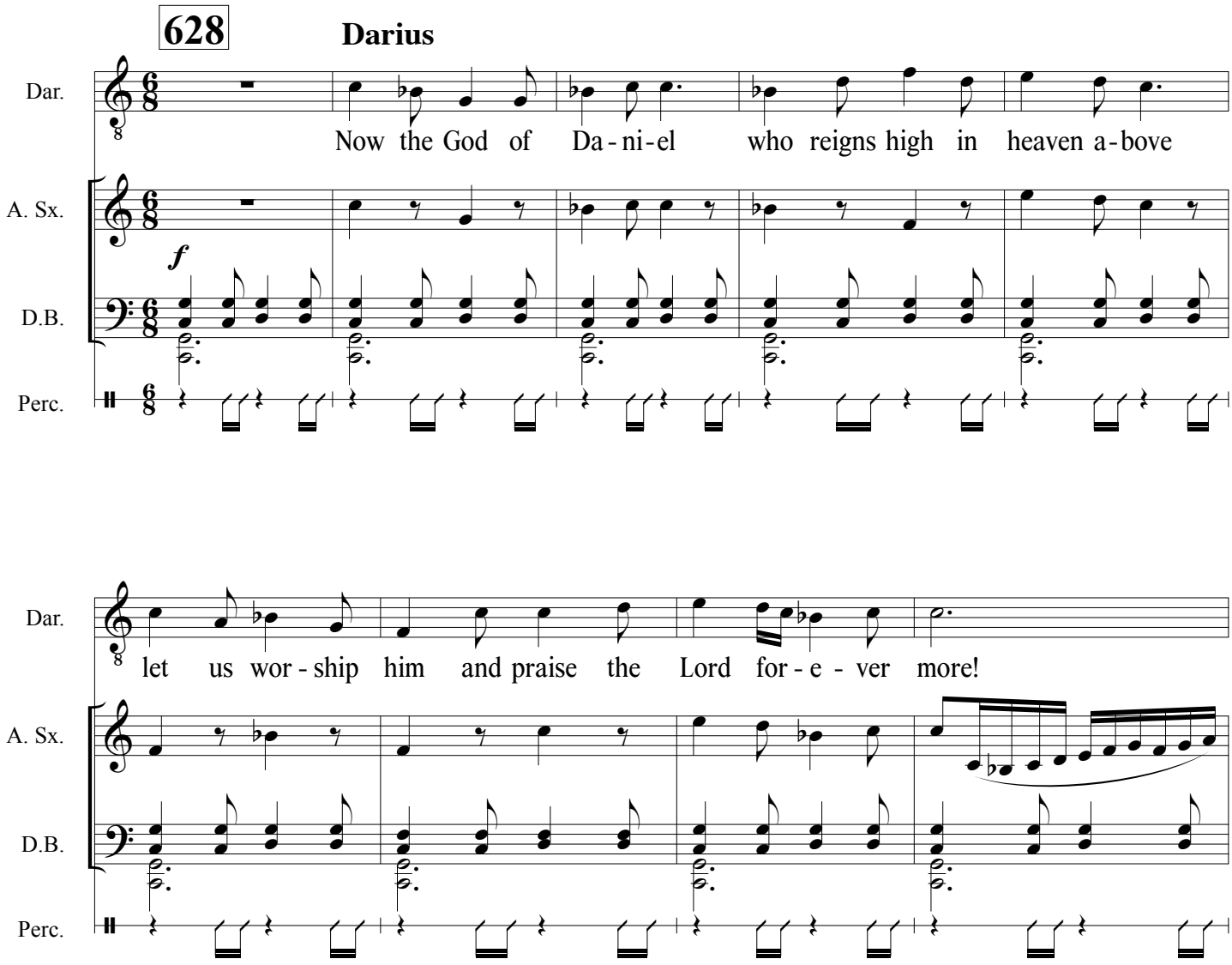


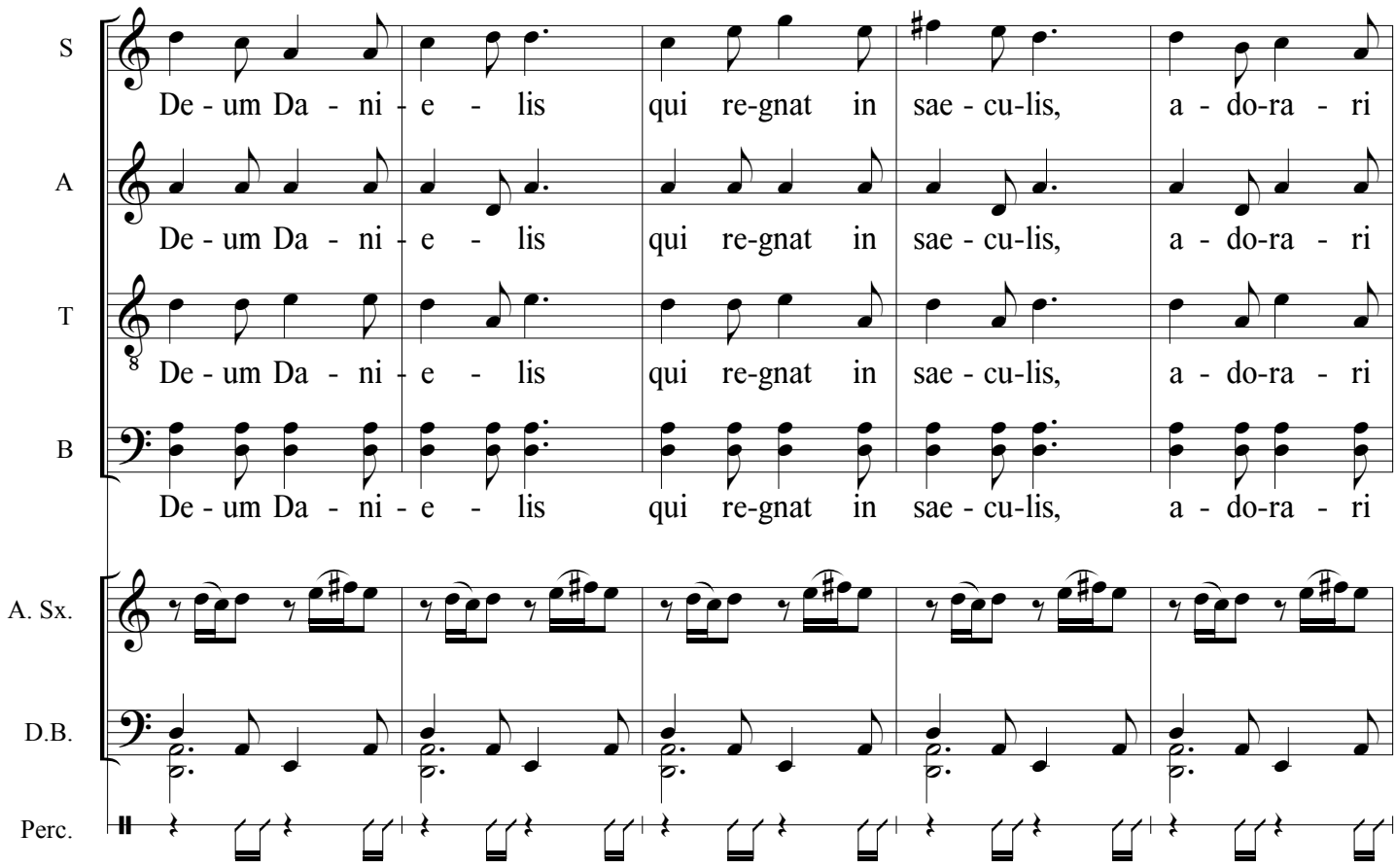

575
♩. = 96
Darius
Dar.
Now the God of Da - ni - el who reigns high in heaven a - bove
A. Sx.
f
D.B.
Perc.
Dar.
let us wor - ship him and praise the Lord for - e - ver more!
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
S
De - um Da - ni - e - lis qui re-gnat in sae - cu-lis, a - do-ra - ri
A
De - um Da - ni - e - lis qui re-gnat in sae - cu-lis, a - do-ra - ri
T
De - um Da - ni - e - lis qui re-gnat in sae - cu-lis, a - do-ra - ri
B
De - um Da - ni - e - lis qui re-gnat in sae - cu-lis, a - do-ra - ri
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.

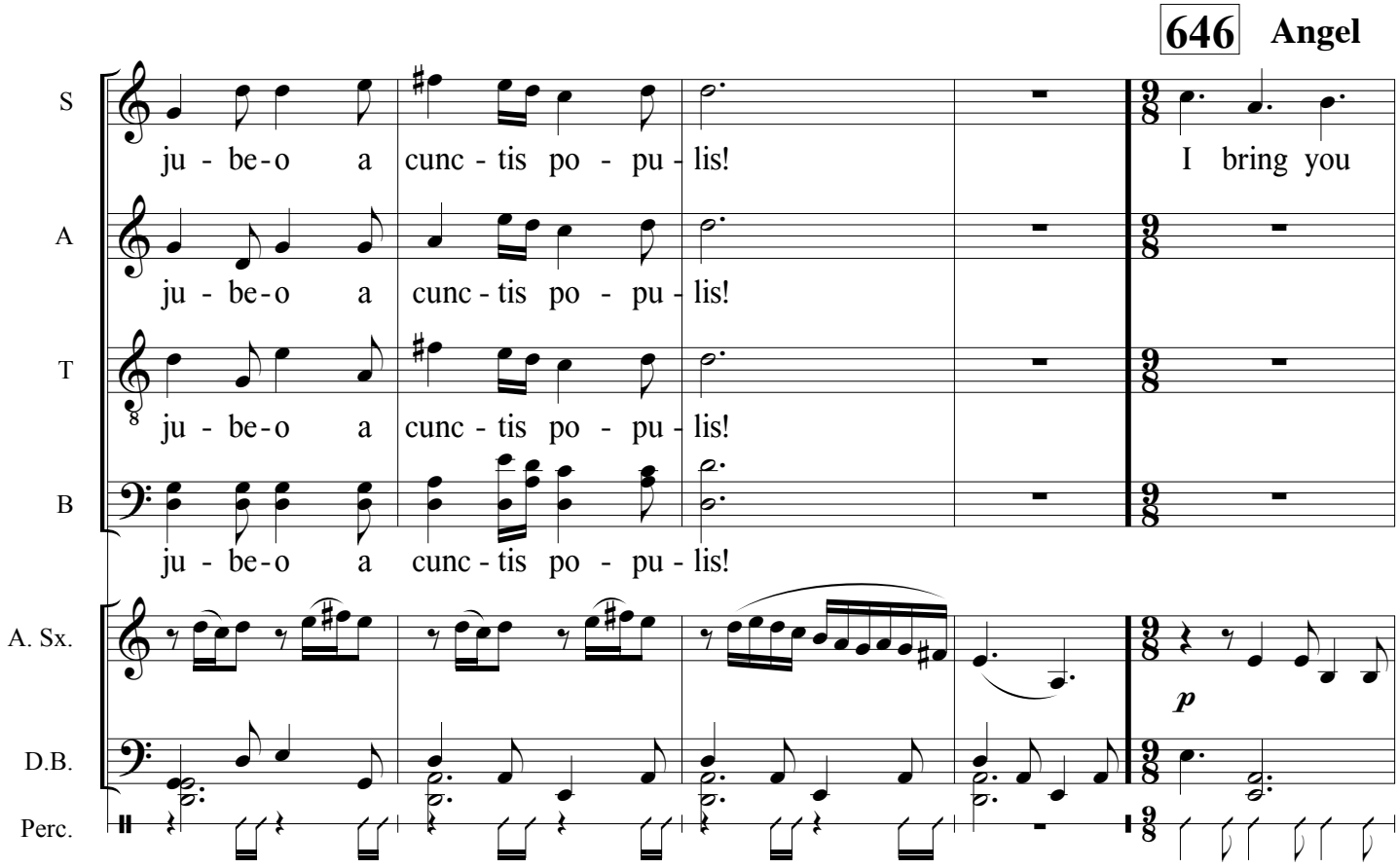

593
S
ju - be - o a cunc - tis po - pu - lis!
A
ju - be - o a cunc - tis po - pu - lis!
T
ju - be - o a cunc - tis po - pu - lis!
B
ju - be - o a cunc - tis po - pu - lis!
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Daniel
Dan.
Ec - ce ve - nit sanc - tus il - le, sanc - to -
p
rum sanc - tis - si - mus, quem Rex i - ste ju - bet
co - li po - tens et for - tis - si - mus.


611
Dan.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Ces - sant pha - na, ces - set re - gnum,
ces - sa - bit et unc - ti - o; in - stat
re - gni Ju - de - o - rum fi - nis
et op - pres - si - o.
(under narration)
p
Perc.

NARRATOR
And now, good people, our play is done.
But, to grace our going, let God's angel
Tell you tidings of eternal joy.
To the maiden Mary, the immaculate Virgin,
A baby is born in Bethlehem City
Who is called Christ, our King and Saviour.
Sing glory to God and goodwill,
Peace to all people! Praise the Lord!




S
De - um Da - ni - e - lis qui re-gnat in sae - cu-lis, a - do-ra - ri
A
De - um Da - ni - e - lis qui re-gnat in sae - cu-lis, a - do-ra - ri
T
De - um Da - ni - e - lis qui re-gnat in sae - cu-lis, a - do-ra - ri
B
De - um Da - ni - e - lis qui re-gnat in sae - cu-lis, a - do-ra - ri
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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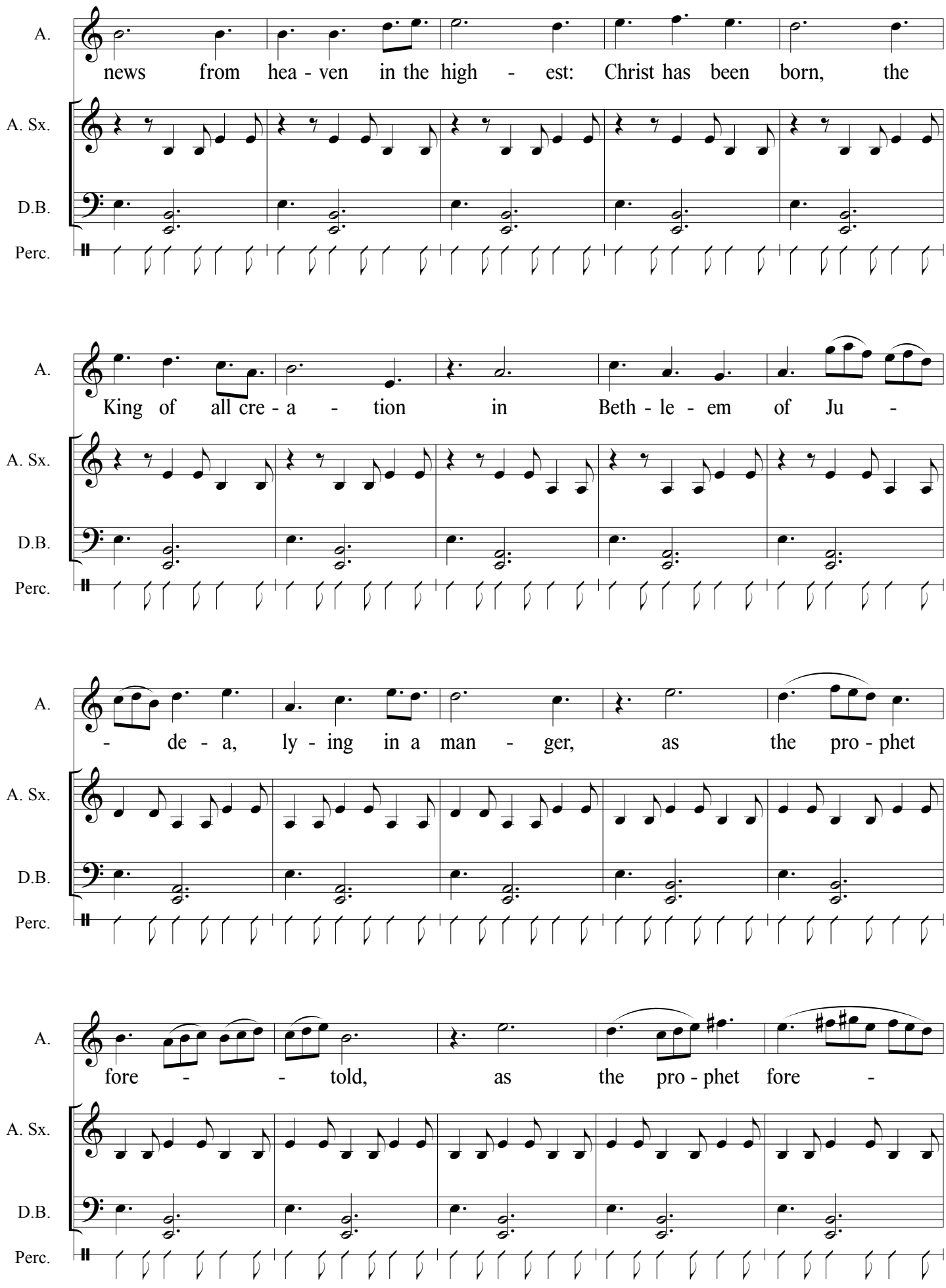
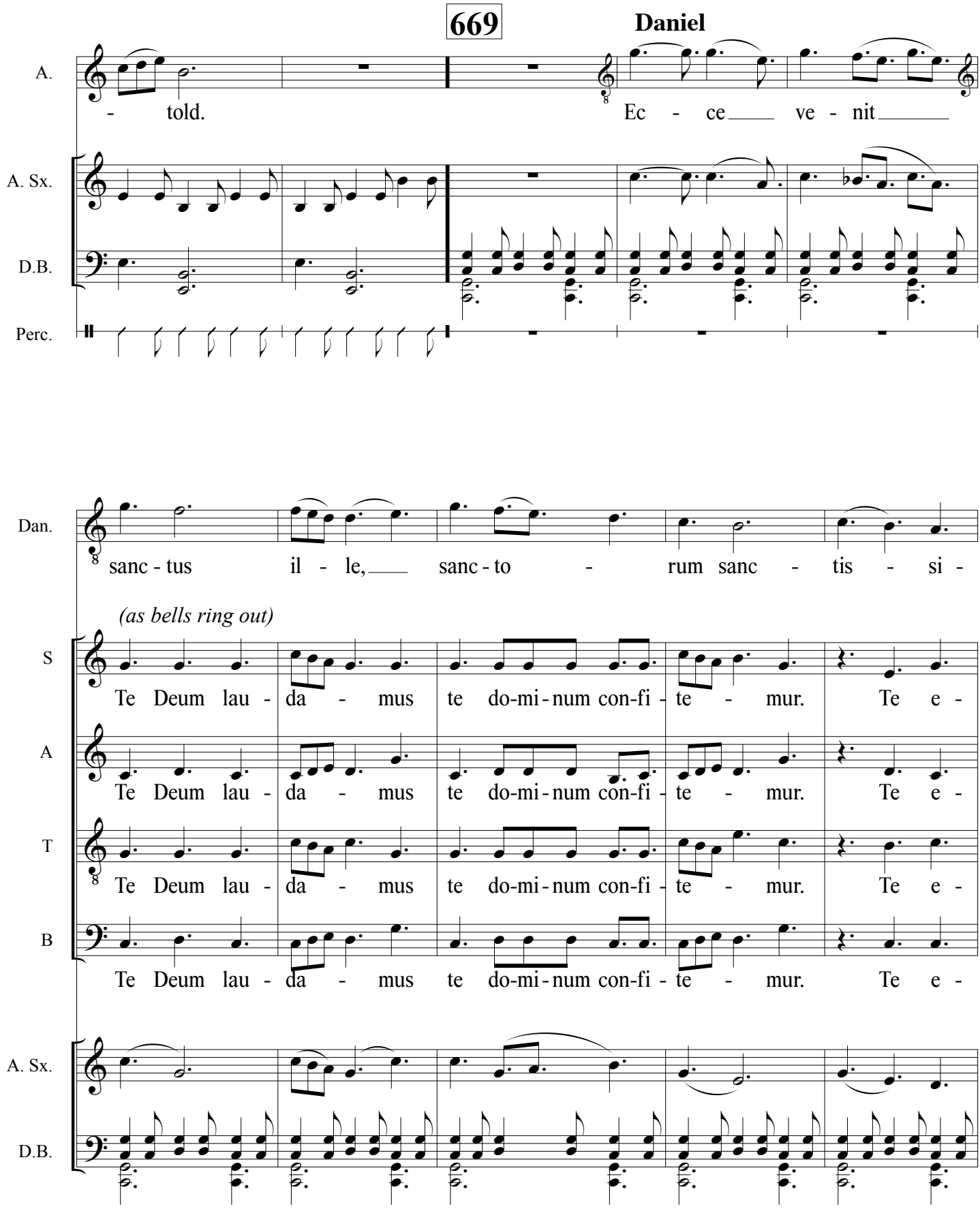
S
ju - be-o a cunc - tis po - pu - lis!
I bring you
A
ju - be-o a cunc - tis po - pu - lis!
T
ju - be-o a cunc - tis po - pu - lis!
B
ju - be-o a cunc - tis po - pu - lis!
A. Sx.
p
D.B.
Perc.


A.
news from hea - ven in the high - est: Christ has been born, the
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
A.
King of all cre - a - tion in Beth - le - em of Ju -
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
A.
- de - a, ly - ing in a man - ger, as the pro - phet
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
A.
fore - - told, as the pro - phet fore -
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.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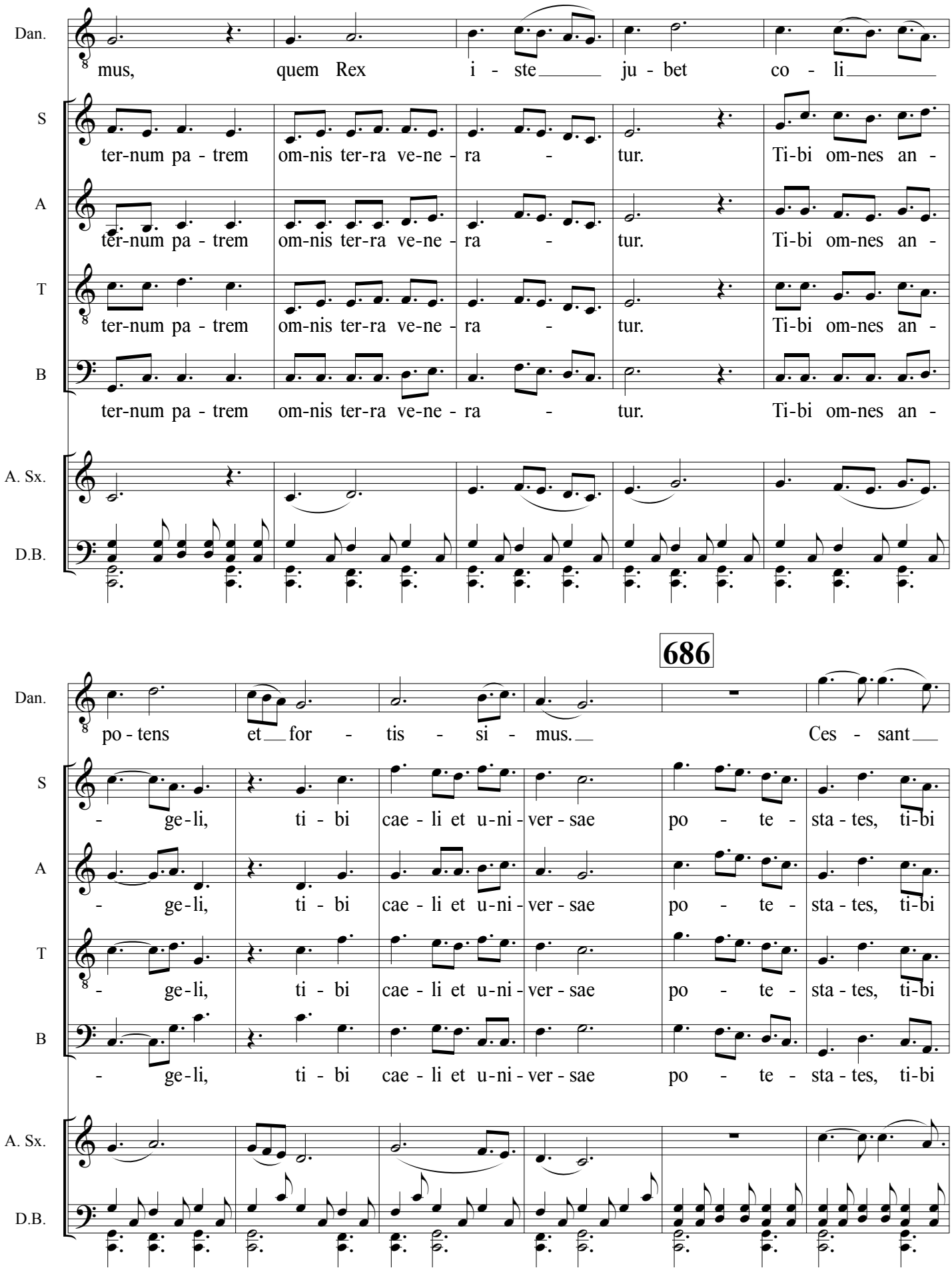
Daniel
A.
- told.
Ec - ce ve - nit
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Dan.
sanc - tus il - le, sanc - to - rum sanc - tis - si -
(as bells ring out)
S
Te Deum lau - da - mus te do-mi - num con-fi - te - mur. Te e -
A
Te Deum lau - da - mus te do-mi - num con-fi - te - mur. Te e -
T
Te Deum lau - da - mus te do-mi - num con-fi - te - mur. Te e -
B
Te Deum lau - da - mus te do-mi - num con-fi - te - mur. Te e -
A. Sx.
D.B.


Dan.
mus, quem Rex i - ste ju - bet co - li
S
ter-num pa - trem om-nis ter-ra ve-ne - ra - tur. Ti-bi om-nes an -
A
ter-num pa - trem om-nis ter-ra ve-ne - ra - tur. Ti-bi om-nes an -
T
ter-num pa - trem om-nis ter-ra ve-ne - ra - tur. Ti-bi om-nes an -
B
ter-num pa - trem om-nis ter-ra ve-ne - ra - tur. Ti-bi om-nes an -
A. Sx.
D.B.
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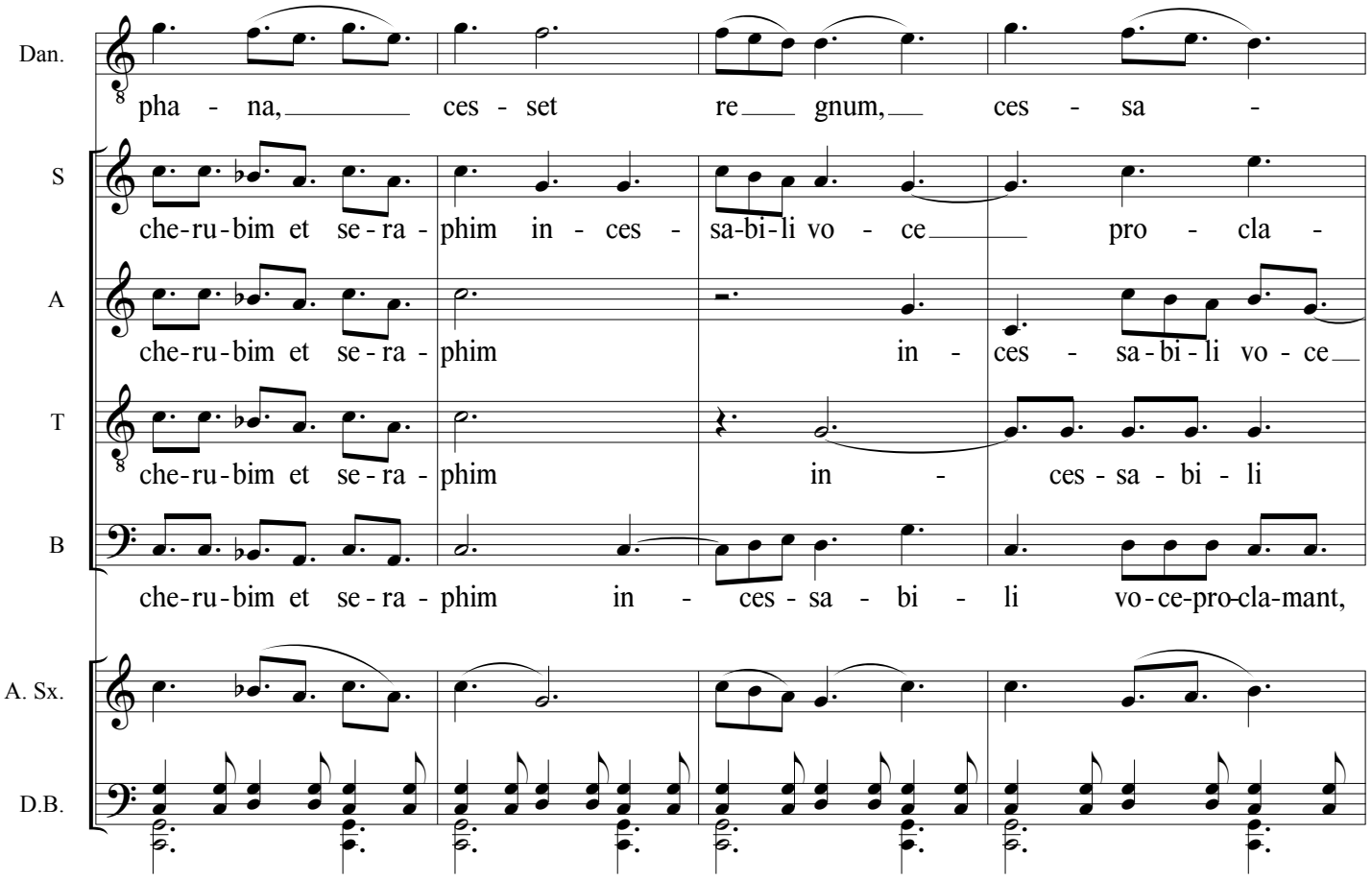
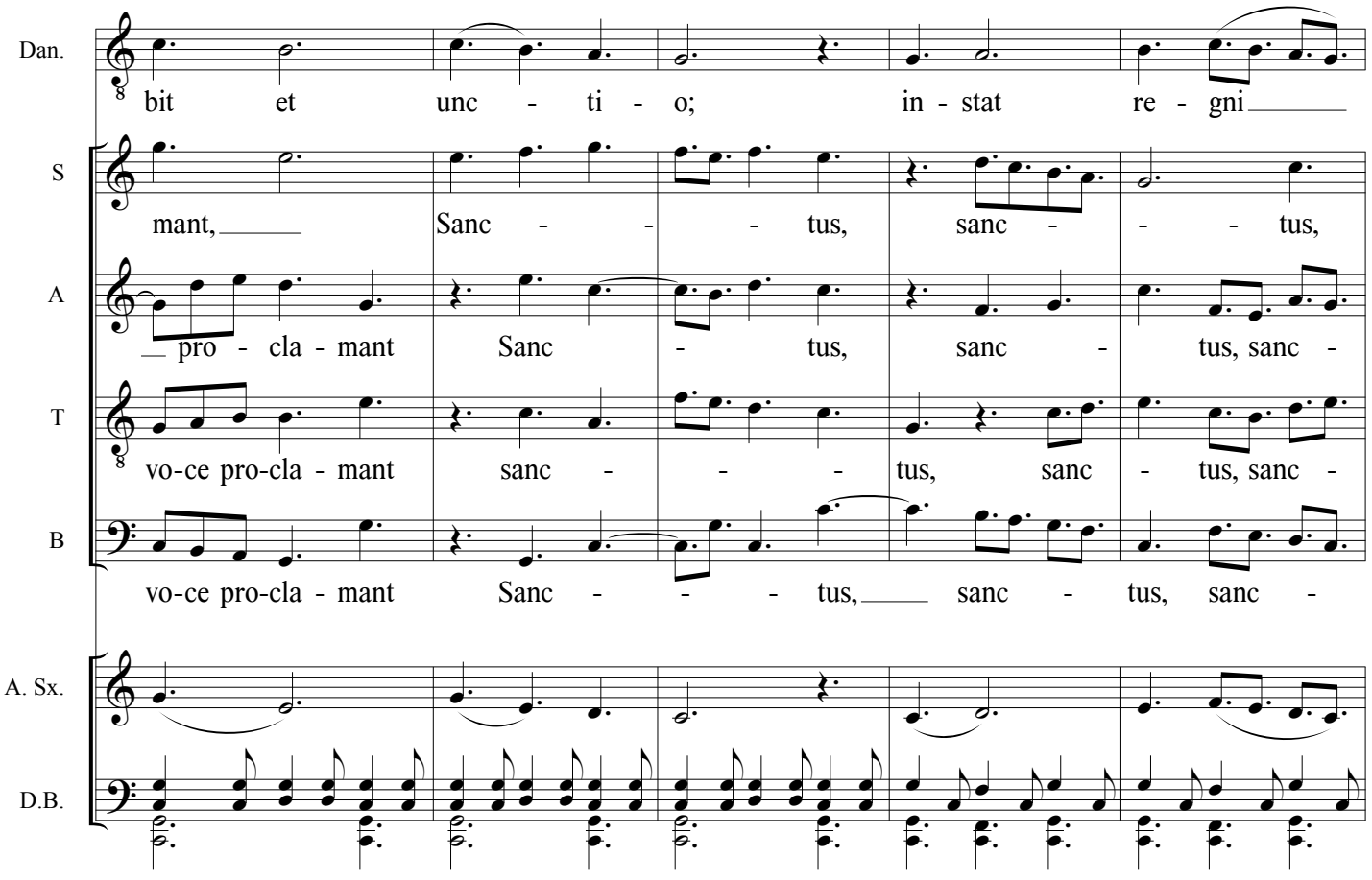
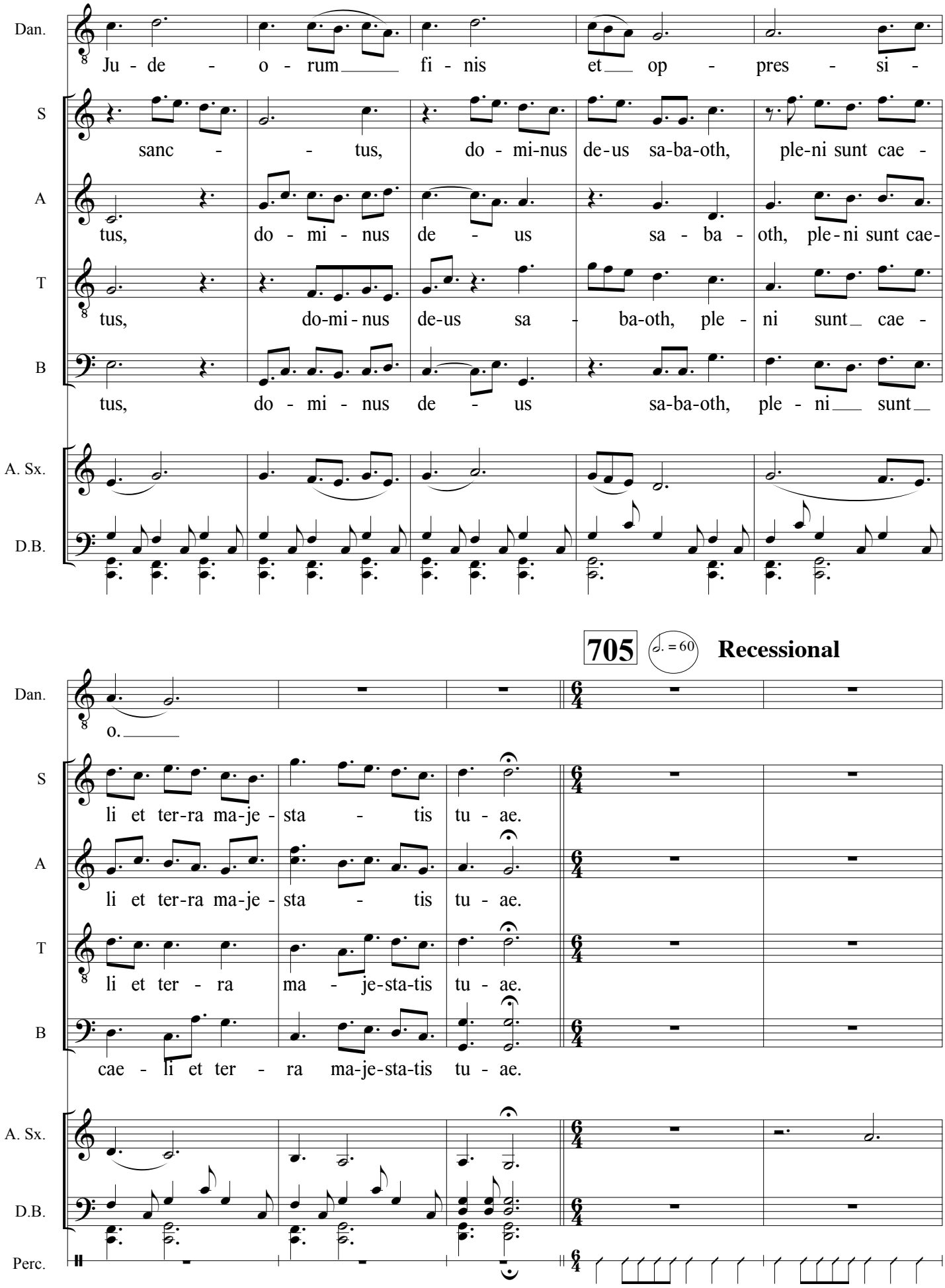
Dan.
po - tens et for - tis - si - mus. Ces - sant
S
- ge-li, ti - bi cae - li et u-ni - ver - sae po - te - sta - tes, ti-bi
A
- ge-li, ti - bi cae - li et u-ni - ver - sae po - te - sta - tes, ti-bi
T
- ge-li, ti - bi cae - li et u-ni - ver - sae po - te - sta - tes, ti-bi
B
- ge-li, ti - bi cae - li et u-ni - ver - sae po - te - sta - tes, ti-bi
A. Sx.
D.B.


Dan.
pha - na, ces - set re gnum, ces - sa -
S
che-ru-bim et se-ra - phim in - ces - sa-bi-li vo - ce pro - cla -
A
che-ru-bim et se-ra - phim in - ces - sa-bi-li vo - ce
T
che-ru-bim et se-ra - phim in - ces - sa - bi - li
B
che-ru-bim et se - ra - phim in - ces - sa - bi - li vo-ce-pro-cla-mant,
A. Sx.
D.B.


Dan.
bit et unc - ti - o; in - stat re - gni
S
mant, Sanc - - - tus, sanc - - - tus,
A
pro - cla - mant Sanc - tus, sanc - tus, sanc -
T
vo-ce pro-cla - mant sanc - - - tus, sanc - tus, sanc -
B
vo-ce pro-cla - mant Sanc - - - tus, sanc - tus, sanc -
A. Sx.
D.B.


Dan.
Ju - de - o - rum fi - nis et op - pres - si -
S
sanc - - tus, do - mi-nus de-us sa-ba-oth, ple-ni sunt cae -
A
tus, do - mi - nus de - us sa - ba - oth, ple-ni sunt cae-
T
tus, do-mi-nus de-us sa - ba-oth, ple - ni sunt cae -
B
tus, do - mi - nus de - us sa-ba-oth, ple - ni sunt
A. Sx.
D.B.
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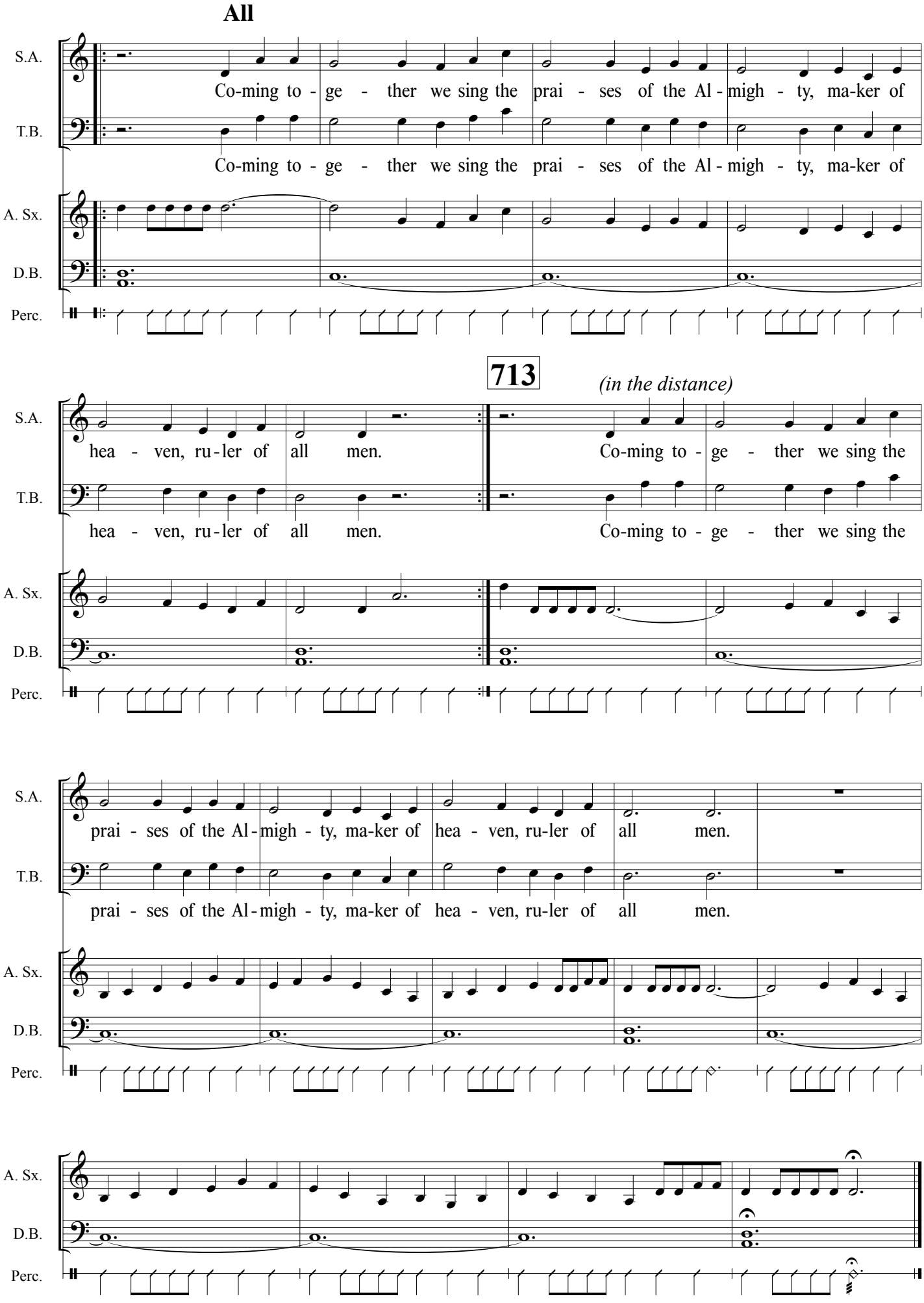
♩. = 60
Recessional
Dan.
o.
S
li et ter-ra ma-je - sta - tis tu - ae.
A
li et ter-ra ma-je - sta - tis tu - ae.
T
li et ter - ra ma - je-sta-tis tu - ae.
B
cae - li et ter - ra ma-je-sta-tis tu - ae.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.


All
S.A.
T.B.
A. Sx.
D.B.
Perc.
Co-ming to - ge - ther we sing the prai - ses of the Al - migh - ty, ma-ker of
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(in the distance)
hea - ven, ru - ler of all men.
Co-ming to - ge - ther we sing the
prai - ses of the Al - migh - ty, ma-ker of hea - ven, ru-ler of all men.