Hope

Performance Time: Approx. 3:45

Emily Dickinson (1830-1886)

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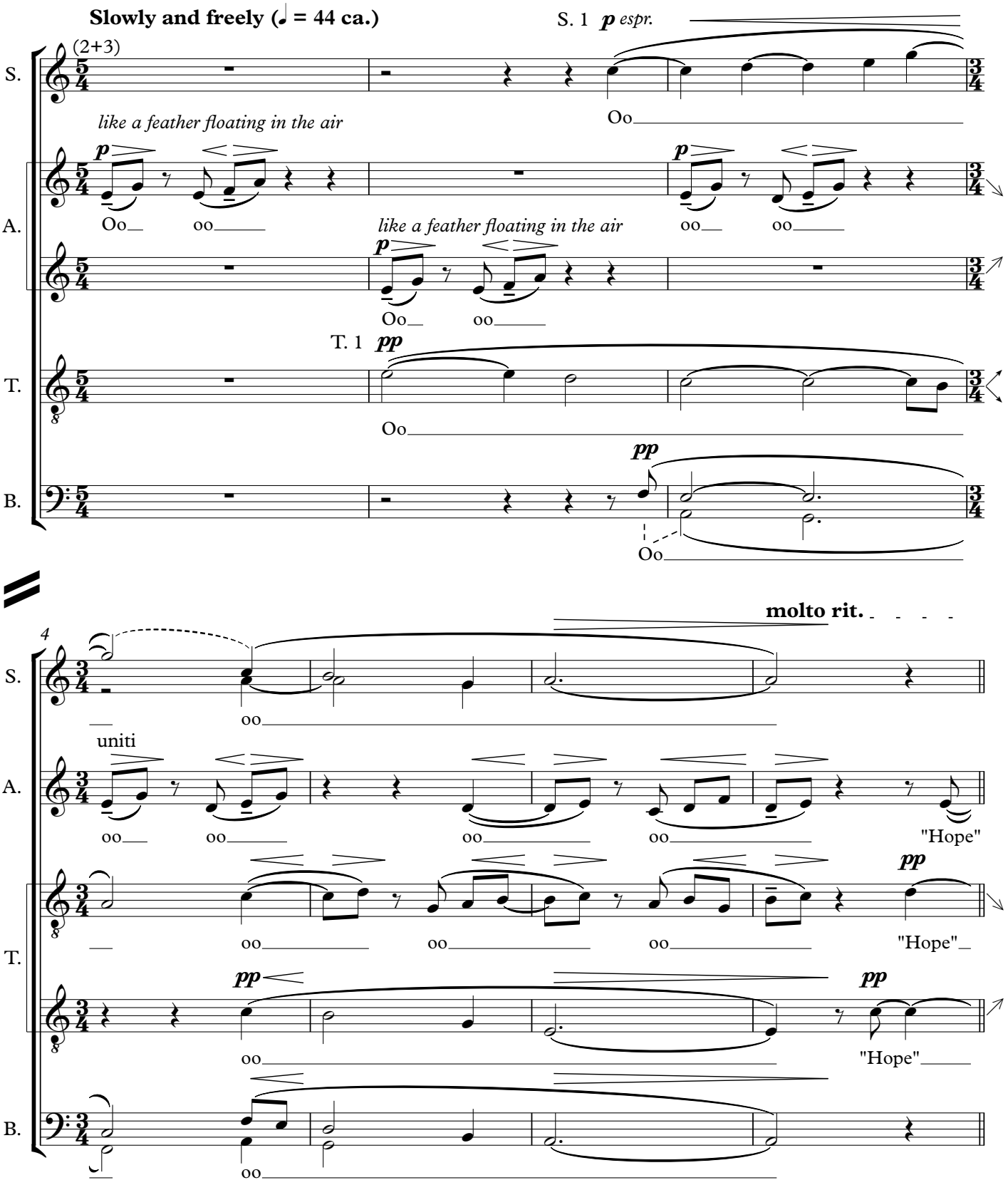
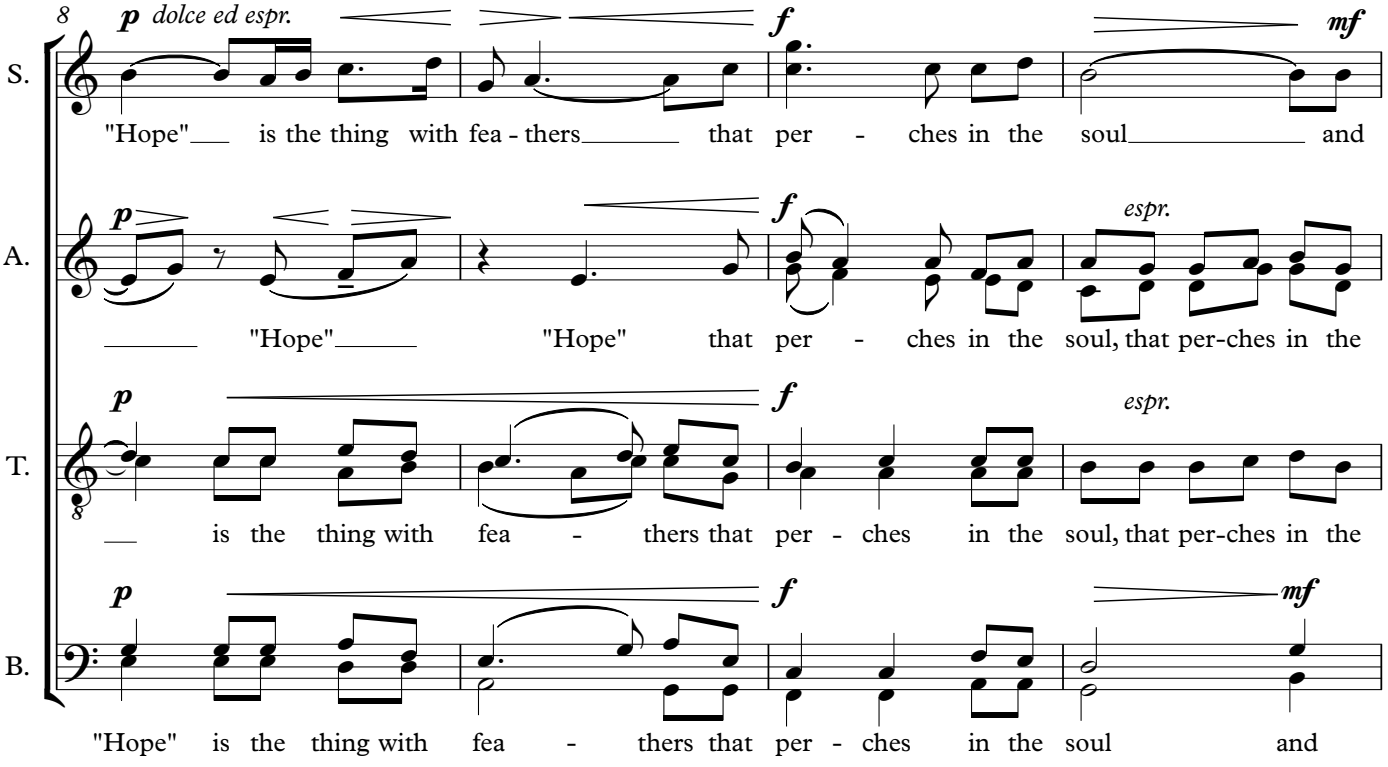
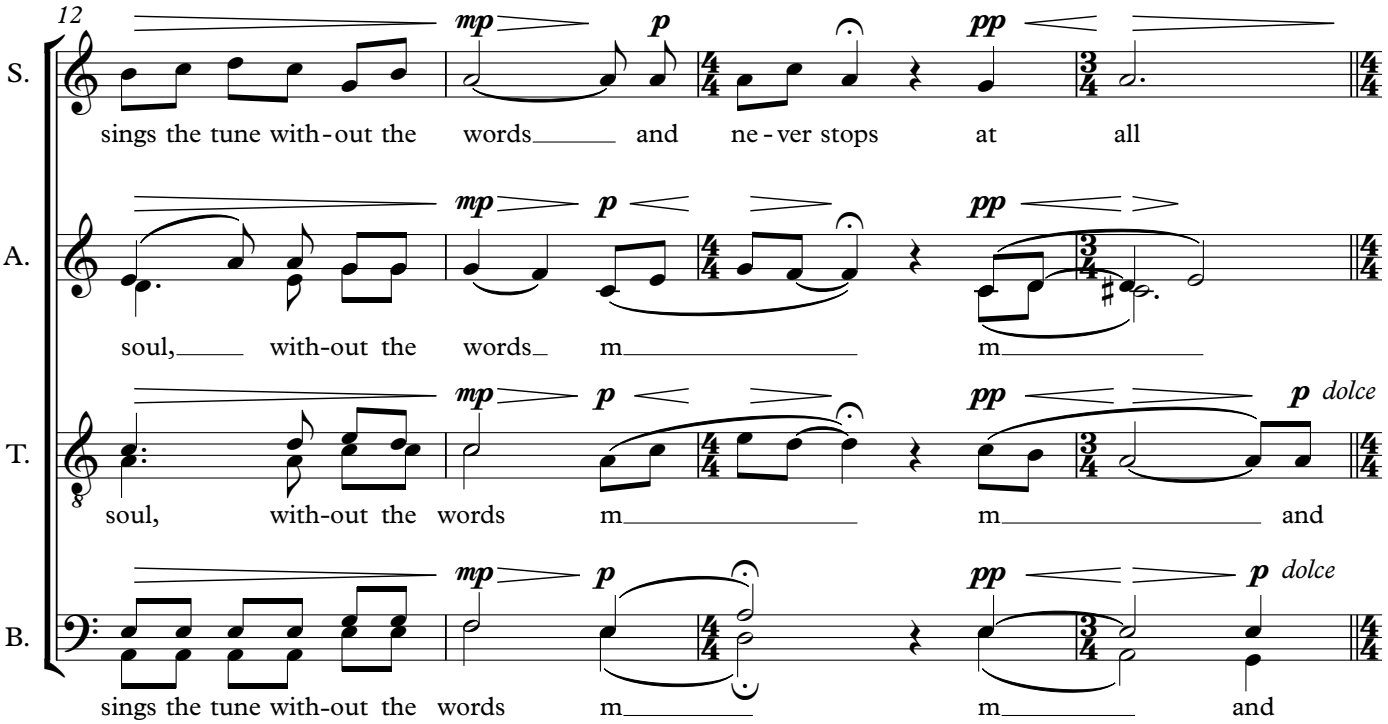
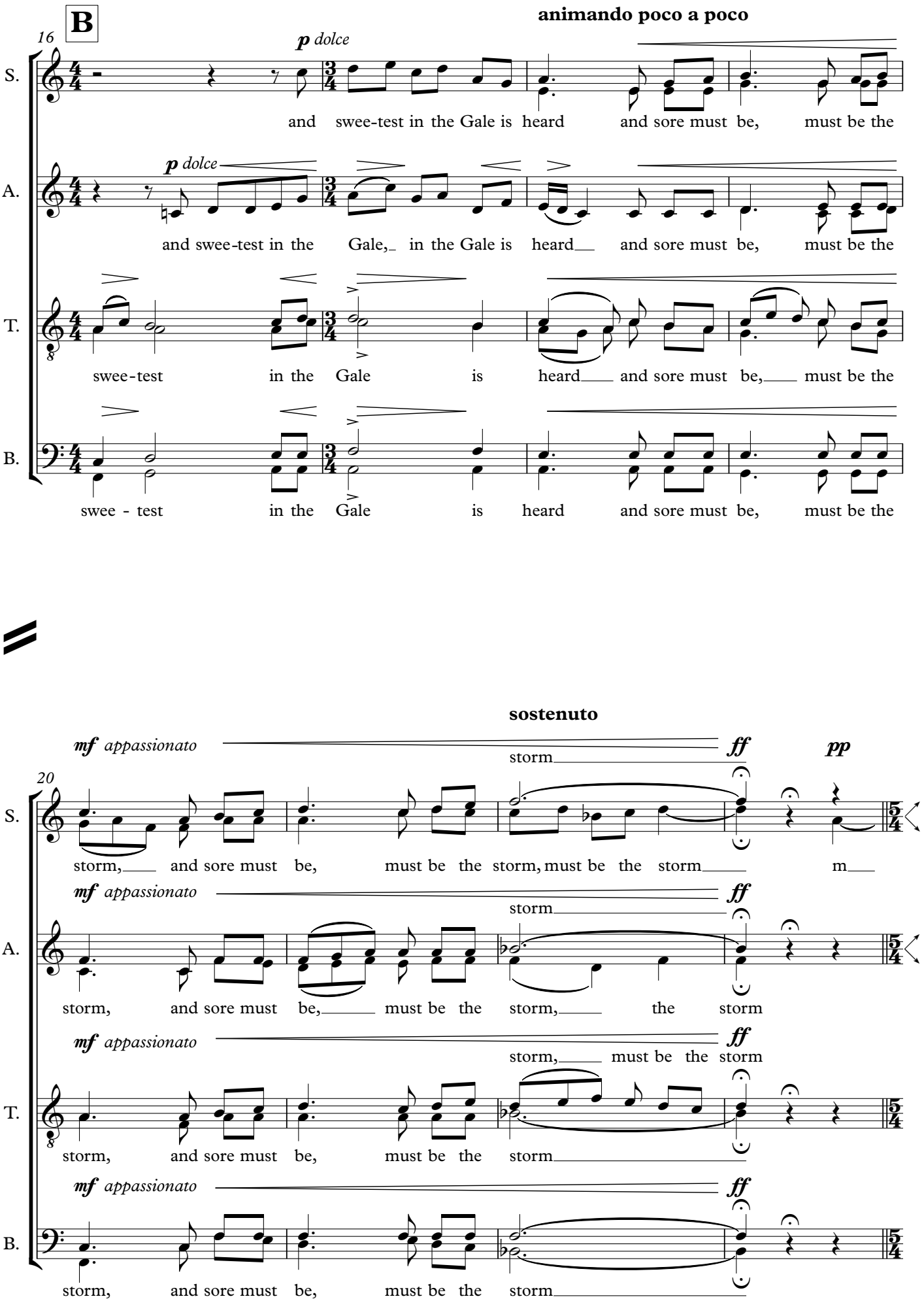


A

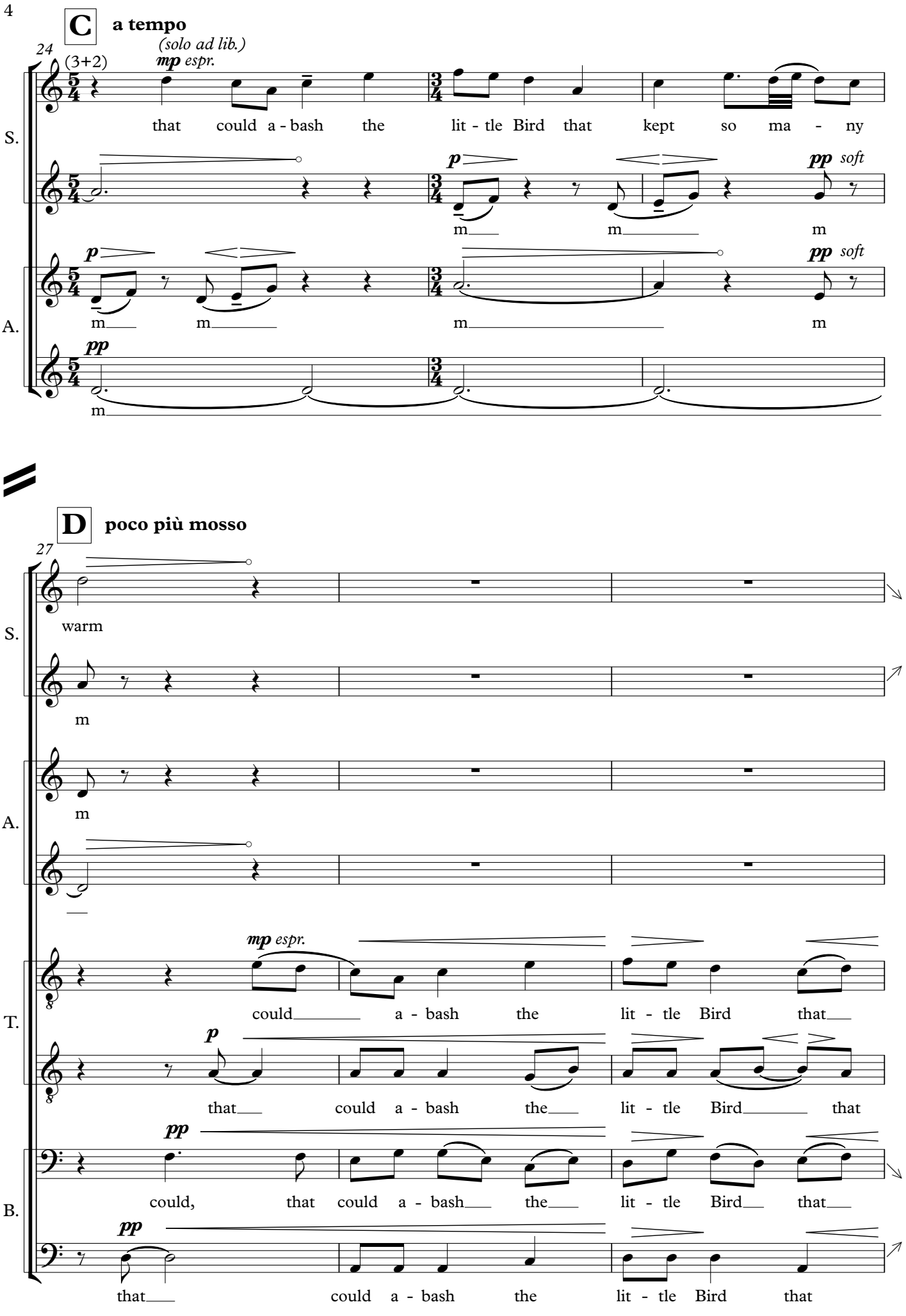
a tempo, poco più mosso (♩ = 48 ca.)

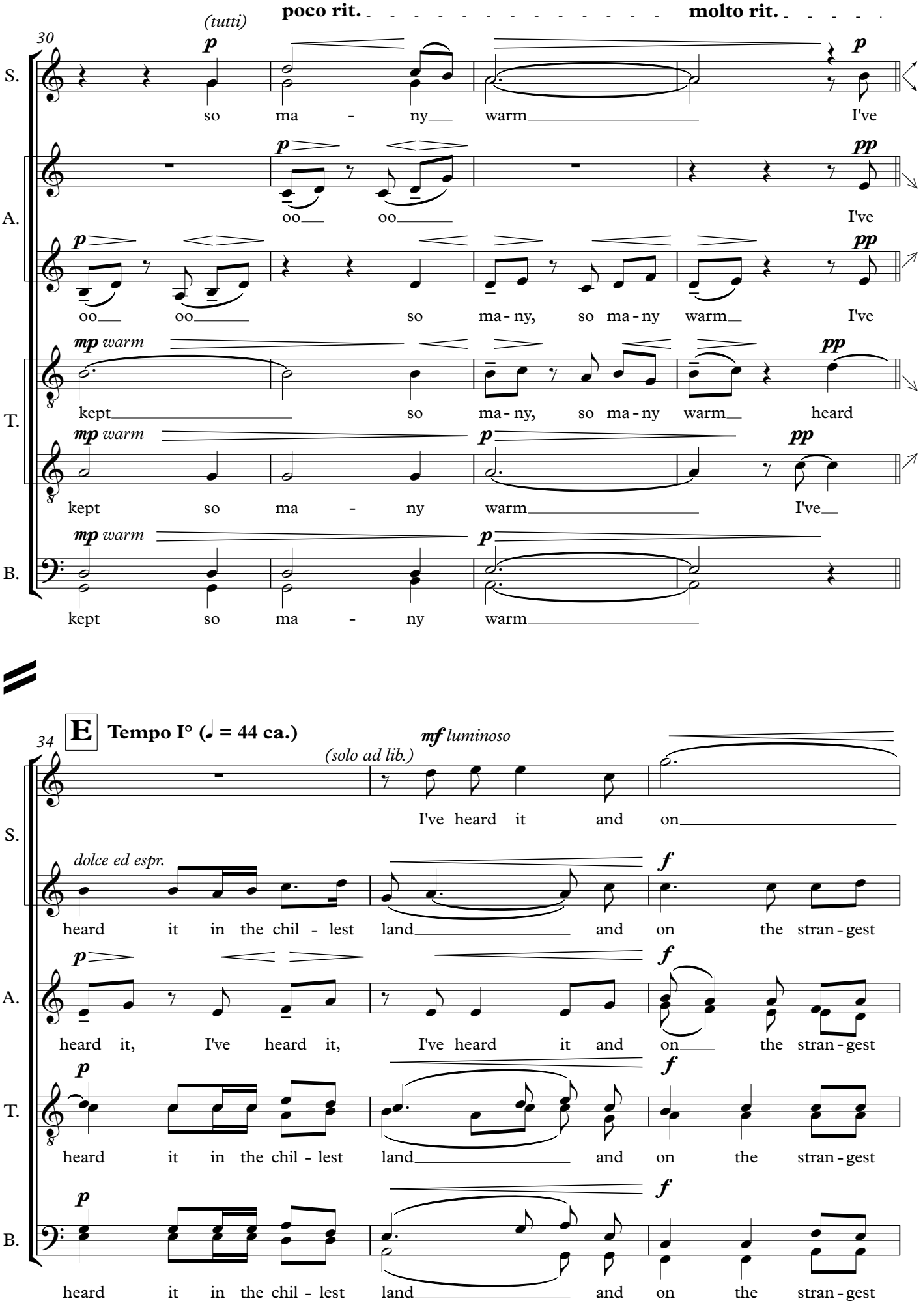


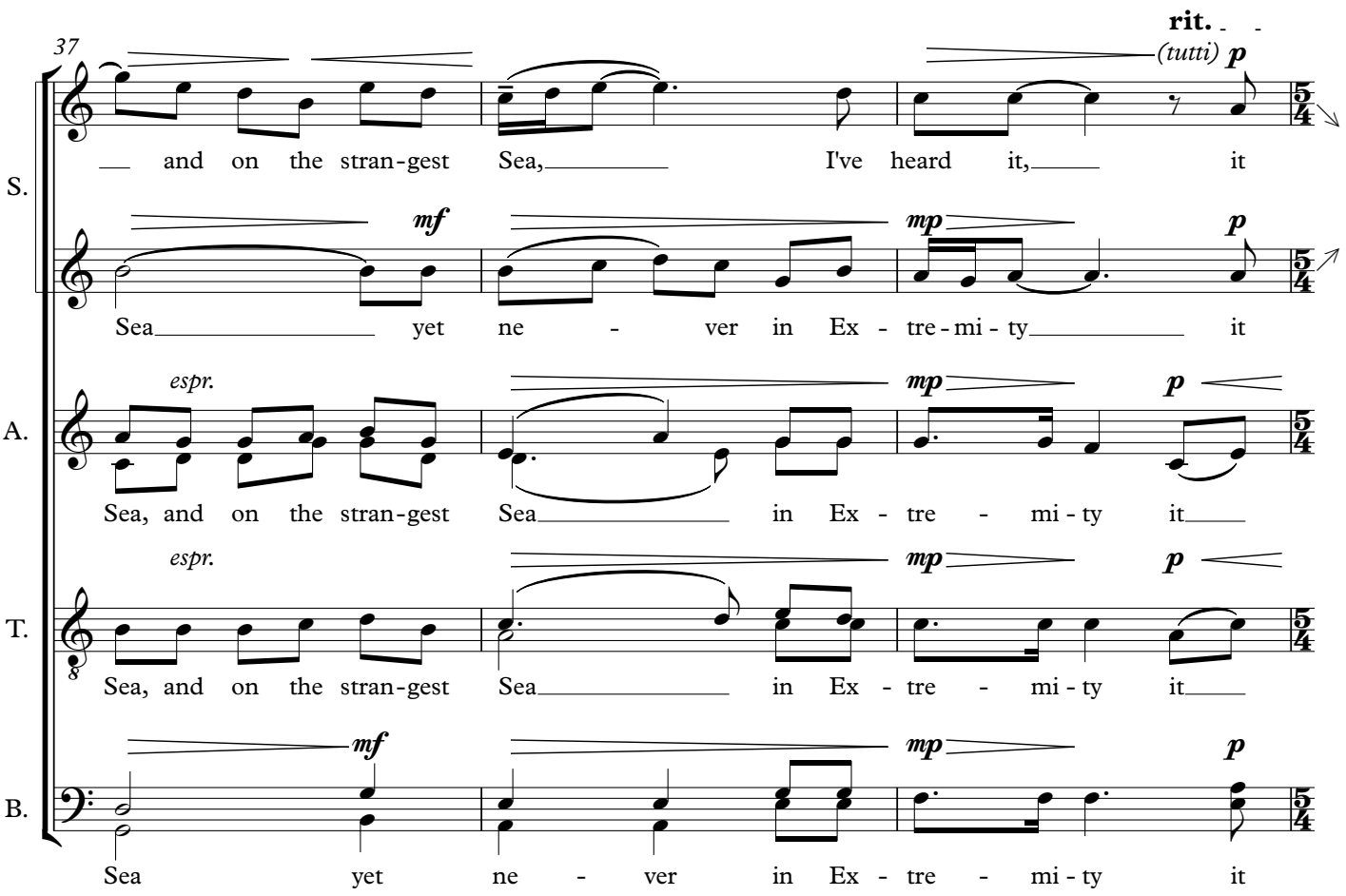


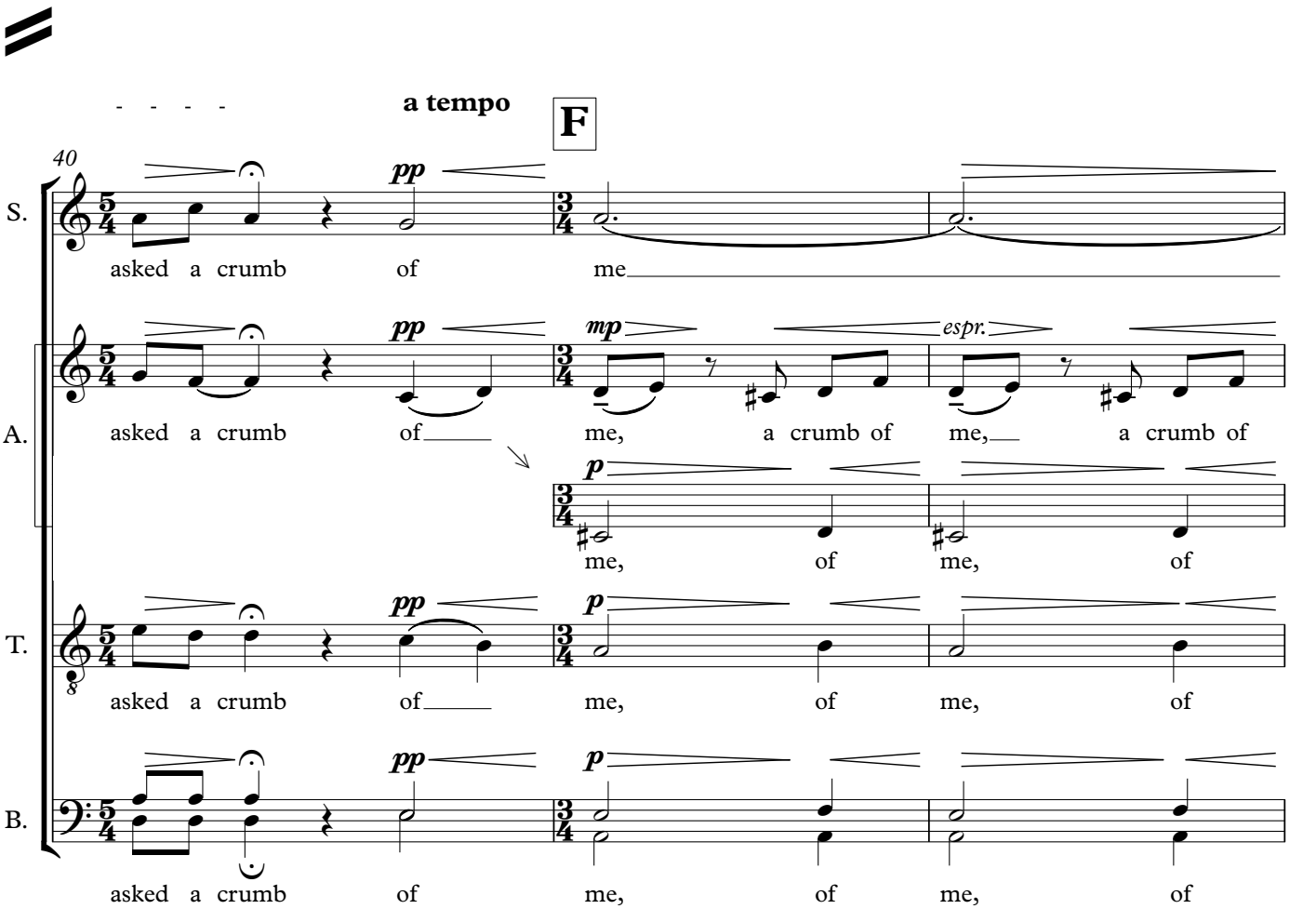

B
16
animando poco a poco
p dolce
S.
and swee-test in the Gale is heard and sore must be, must be the
p dolce
A.
and swee-test in the Gale, in the Gale is heard and sore must be, must be the
T.
swee-test in the Gale is heard and sore must be, must be the
B.
swee - test in the Gale is heard and sore must be, must be the

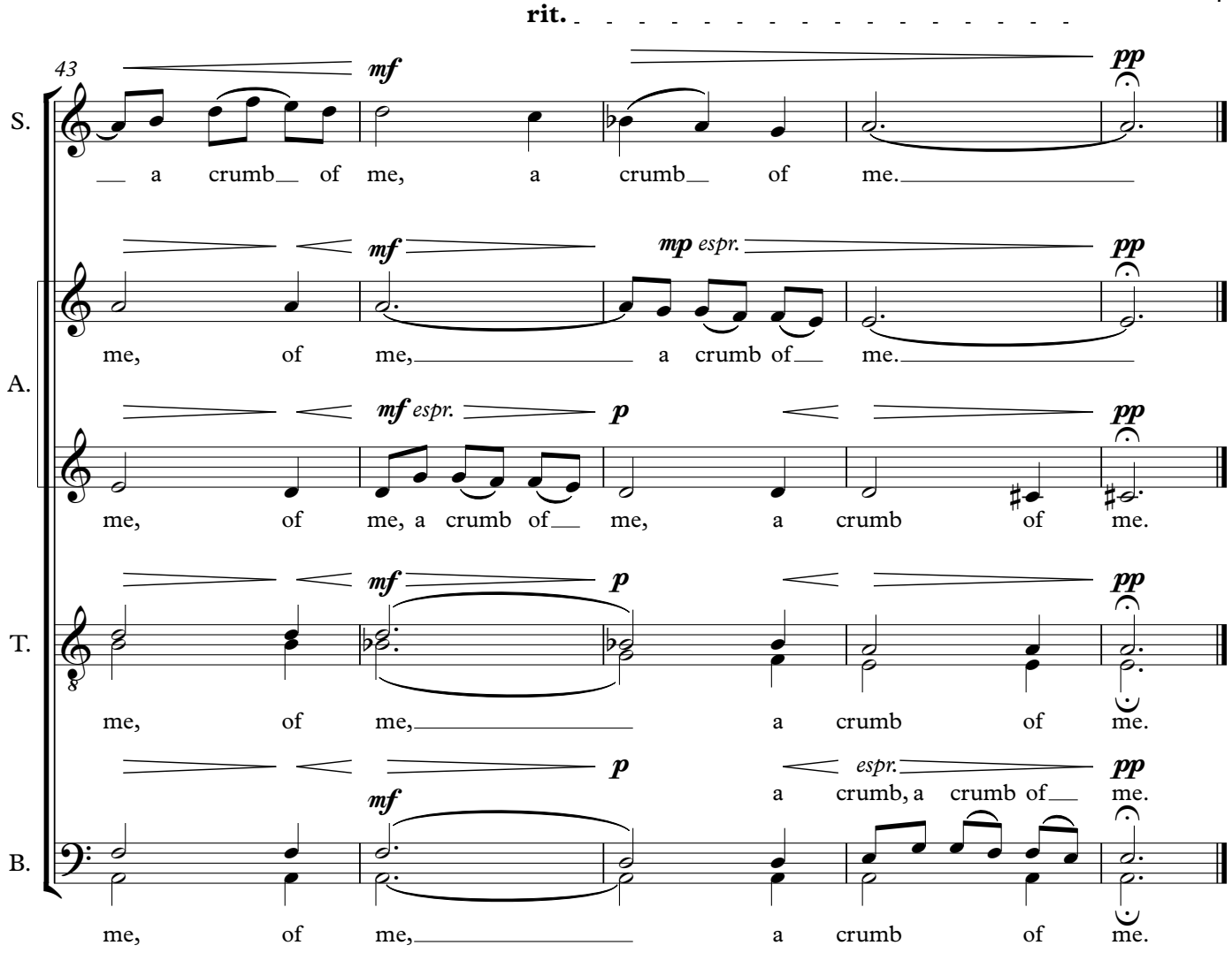
20
sostenuto
mf appassionato
storm
ff
pp
S.
storm, and sore must be, must be the storm, must be the storm m
mf appassionato
storm
ff
A.
storm, and sore must be, must be the storm, the storm
mf appassionato
storm, must be the storm
ff
T.
storm, and sore must be, must be the storm
mf appassionato
ff
B.
storm, and sore must be, must be the storm


C
a tempo
(solo ad lib.)
24
(3+2)
mp espr.
that could a - bash the lit - tle Bird that kept so ma - ny
p
pp soft
m
S.
A.
pp
D
poco più mosso
27
warm
T.
B.
could a - bash the lit - tle Bird that
that could a - bash the lit - tle Bird that
could, that could a - bash the lit - tle Bird that
that could a - bash the lit - tle Bird that


poco rit.
molto rit.
(tutti)
30
S.
A.
T.
B.
so ma - ny warm I've
oo oo I've
oo oo so ma - ny, so ma - ny warm I've
kept so ma - ny, so ma - ny warm heard
kept so ma - ny warm I've
kept so ma - ny warm
E
Tempo I° (♩ = 44 ca.)
34
(solo ad lib.)
I've heard it and on
heard it in the chil - lest land and on the stran - gest
heard it, I've heard it, I've heard it and on the stran - gest
heard it in the chil - lest land and on the stran - gest
heard it in the chil - lest land and on the stran - gest


37
rit.
(tutti)
S.
and on the stran-gest Sea, I've heard it, it
mf
mp
p
Sea yet ne - ver in Ex - tre-mi - ty it
A.
espr.
Sea, and on the stran-gest Sea in Ex - tre - mi - ty it
T.
Sea, and on the stran-gest Sea in Ex - tre - mi - ty it
B.
Sea yet ne - ver in Ex - tre - mi - ty it


a tempo
F
40
S.
pp
asked a crumb of me
A.
mp
espr.
asked a crumb of me, a crumb of me, a crumb of
me, of me, of
T.
asked a crumb of me, of me, of
B.
asked a crumb of me, of me, of



"Hope" is the thing with feathers -
That perches in the soul -
And sings the tune without the words -
And never stops - at all -

And sweetest - in the Gale - is heard -
And sore must be the storm -
That could abash the little Bird
That kept so many warm -

I've heard it in the chillest land -
And on the strangest Sea -
Yet - never - in Extremity,
It asked a crumb - of me.