

Claudio Monteverdi (1567 – 1643)

# Il ritorno d'Ulisse in patria

## Opera

Libretto: Giacomo Badoaro (1602 – 1654)

BASSO CONTINUO

# PROLOGO

**Sinfonia avanti il prologo.**



[9] **Mortal cosa son io.** L'humana fragilità



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[24] **Salvo è niente.** Tempo



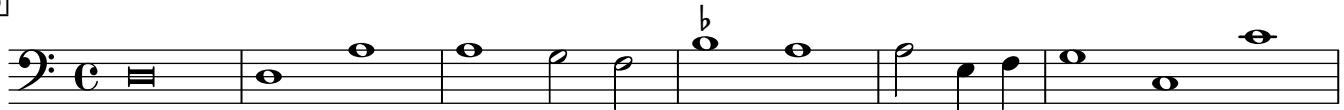
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[47] **Sinfonia ut supra.**



[55] **Mortal cosa son io.** L'humana fragilità



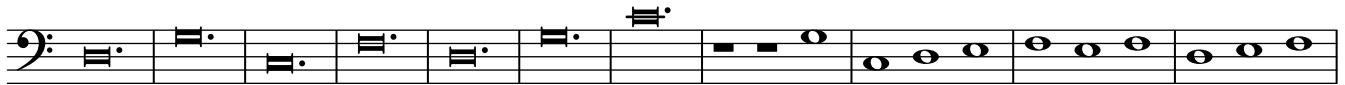
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**[67] Mia vita son voglie.** Fortuna



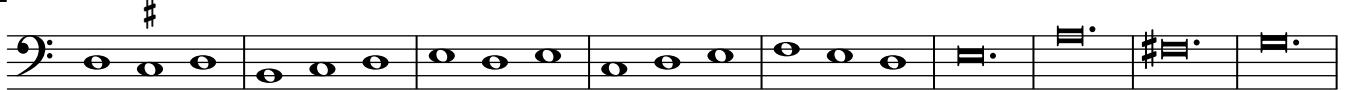
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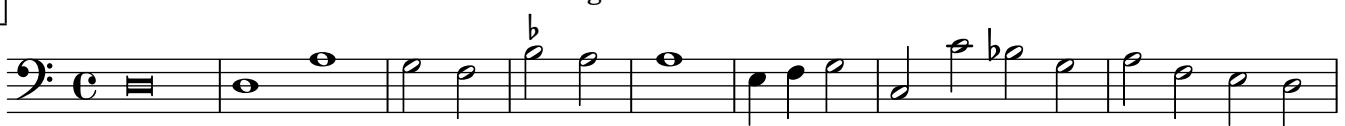
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**[130] Mortal cosa son io.** L'humana fragilità

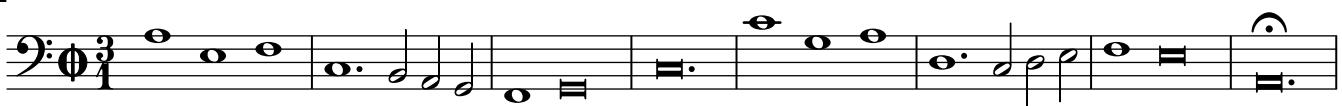


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**Ritornello I**

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**Dio de dei feritor.** Amore

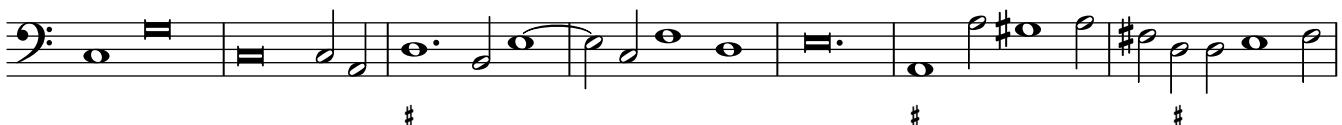
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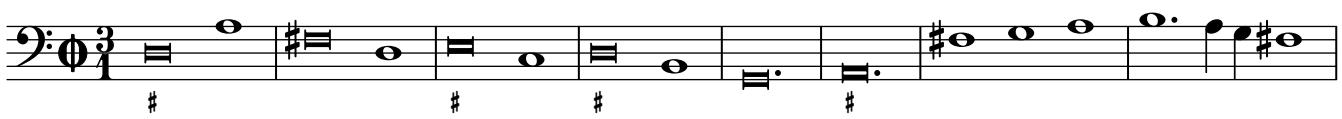
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**Misera son ben io.** L'humana fragilità

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**Per me fragile.** Amore, Fortuna, Tempo

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# ATTO PRIMO

## Scena prima

Questa Sinfonia si replica tante volte insin che Penelope arriva in Scena.



[3] **Di misera regina.** Penelope



[12]



[21]



[31]



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**[69] Infelice Ericlea.** Ericlea



**[75] Non è dunque per me.** Penelope



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**[118] Partir senza ritorno.** Ericlea



**[124] Torna il tranquillo al mare.** Penelope



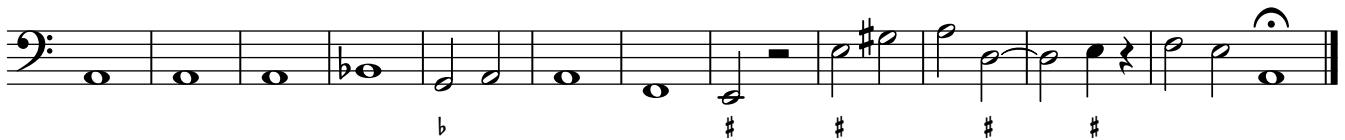
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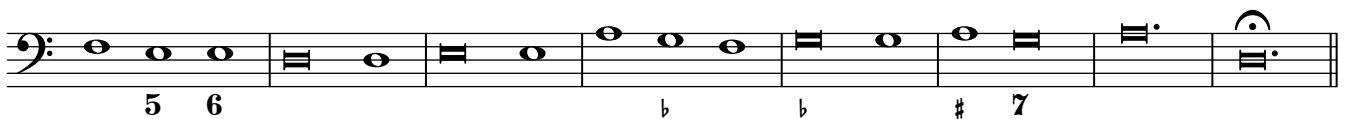


## Scena seconda

Melanto, Eurimaco.

**Sinfonia B.**

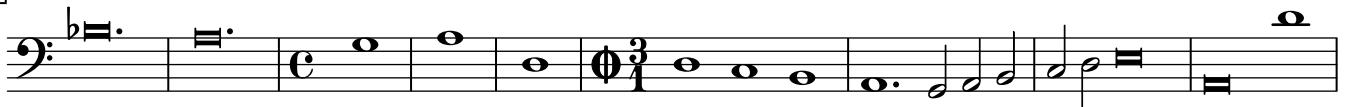
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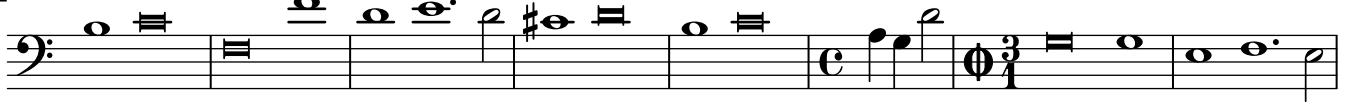
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**Duri e pensosi.** Melanto

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Sinfonia antecedente B et poi la seconda strofa

**Bella, bella Melanto.** Eurimaco

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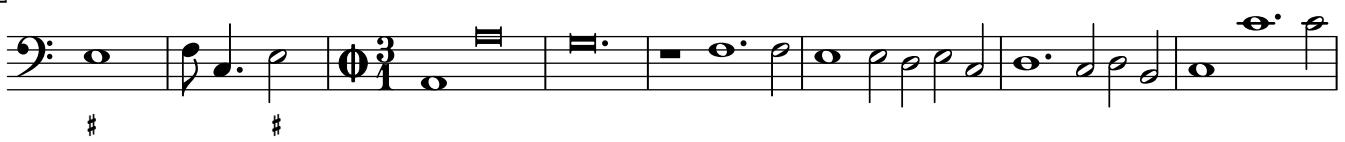
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**Vezzoso garruletto.** Melanto

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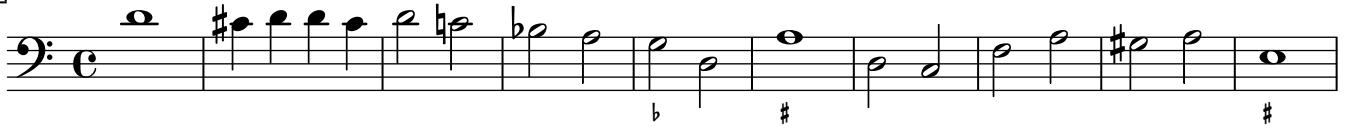
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**Bugia sarebbe.** Eurimaco

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**De' nostri amor concordi.** Melanto, Eurimaco

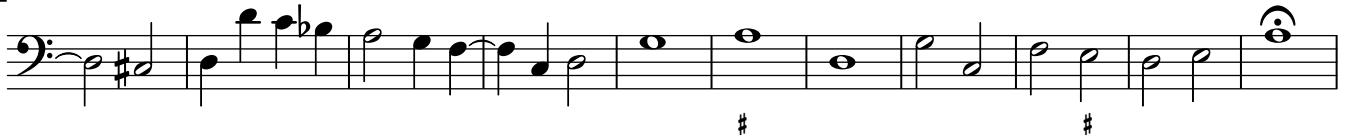
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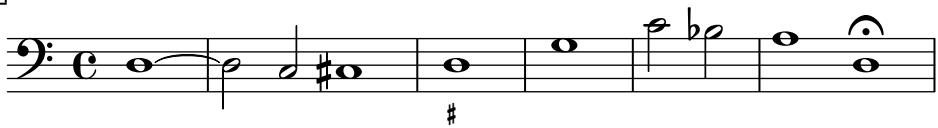
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**S'io non t'amo.** Melanto

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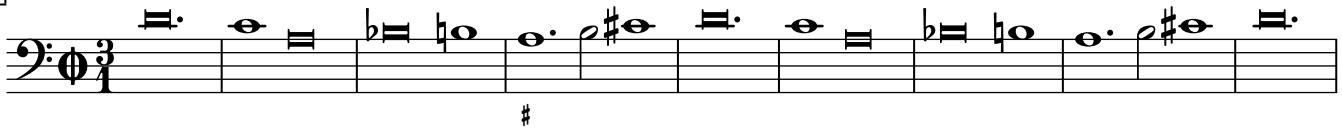
**S'in adorarti il cor.** Eurimaco

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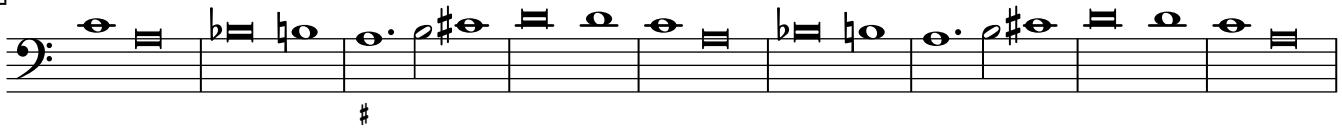


**Dolce mia vita.** A due

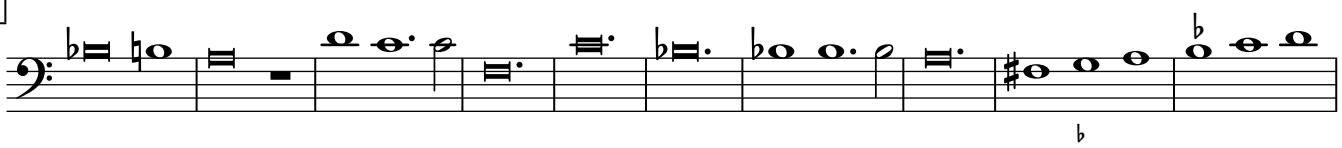
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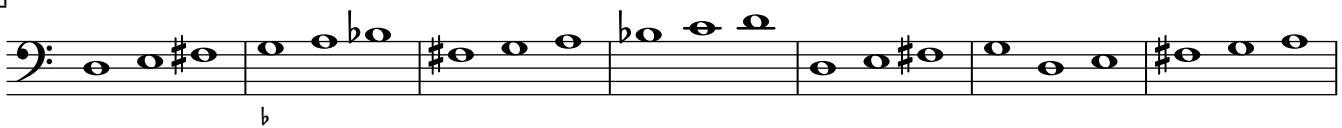
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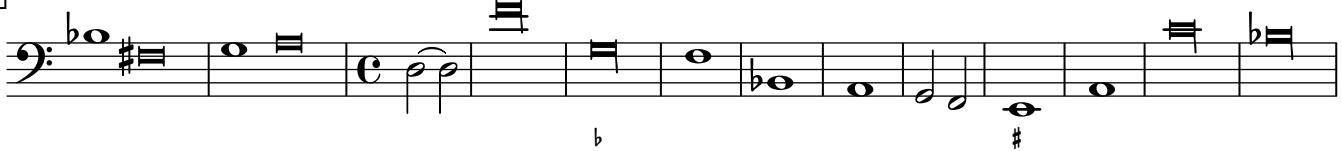
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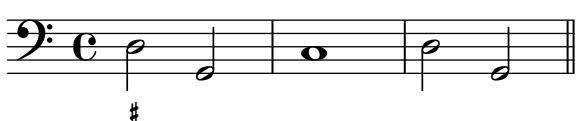
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**252 Tu dunque t'affatica.** Eurimaco



**255 Ritenterò quell' alma.** Melanto

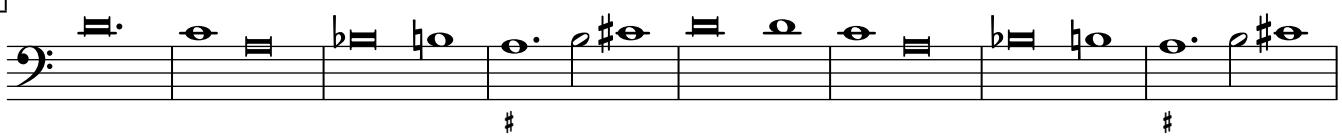


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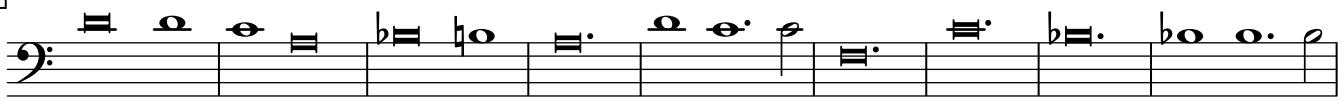
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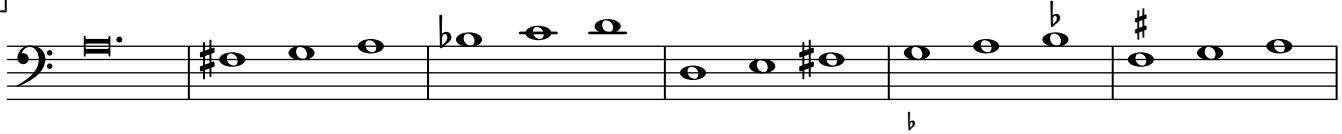
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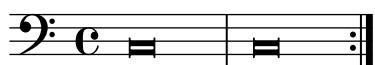


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## Scena quarta

Qui esce la Barca de' Feaci, che conduce Ulisse che dorme, et perché non si desti si fa la seguente Sinfonia toccata soavemente sempre sù una corda.

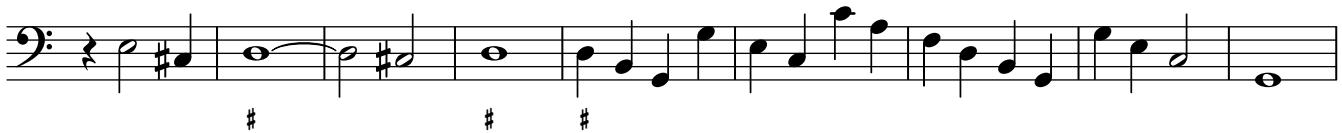


## Scena quinta

Nettuno, Giove.

**Superbo è l'huom.** Nettuno

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**Sinfonia alta C**

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**Gran Dio de' salsi flutti.** Giove

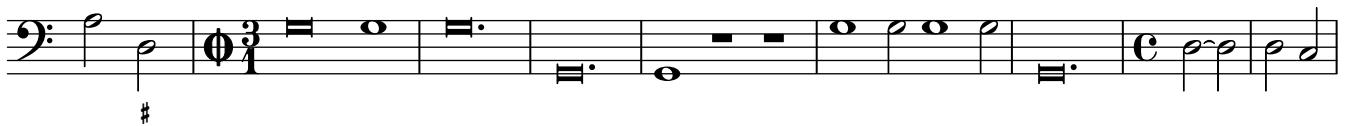
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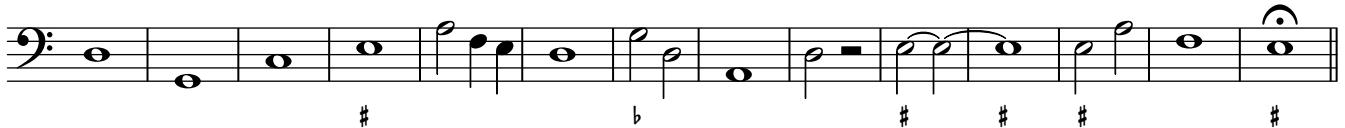
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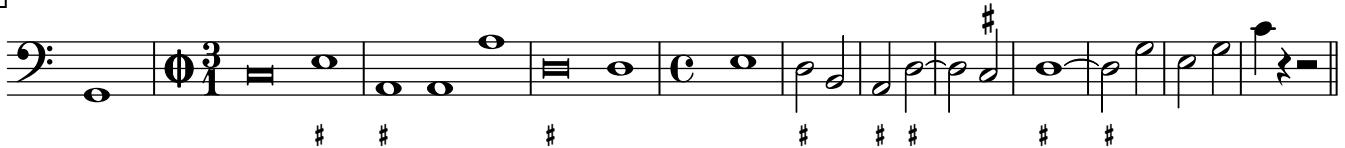
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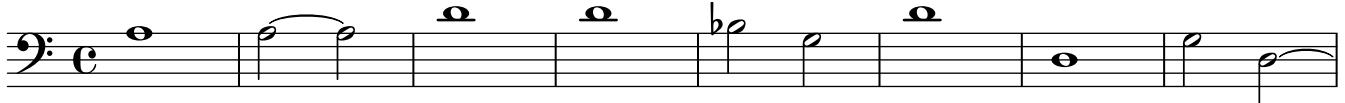
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[113] **Hanno i Feaci arditi.** Nettuno

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**Non fien discare.** Giove

[137]



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**Hor gia che non dissentì.** Nettuno

[152]

**Facciarsi il tuo comando.** Giove

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## Scena sesta

Coro di Feaci in Nave, poi Nettuno.

**In questo basso mondo.** Feaci

Musical score for Basso Continuo, page 14, measures 1-6. The score is in common time (C) and consists of two systems. The first system ends with a double bar line. Measure 1 starts with a dotted half note followed by eighth notes. Measures 2-6 continue with eighth-note patterns. Measure 6 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Below the staff, measure numbers 6, 5, 6, 6, 7, 6, 7, 6, 7, 6, 4, 3 are written under the notes.

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Musical score for Basso Continuo, page 14, measures 7-11. The score continues with eighth-note patterns. Measure 7 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Measures 8-11 show a continuation of the pattern. Measure 11 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Below the staff, measure numbers 6, 5, 7, 6, 7, +6, 5 are written under the notes.

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Musical score for Basso Continuo, page 14, measures 13-17. The score continues with eighth-note patterns. Measure 13 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Measures 14-17 show a continuation of the pattern. Measure 17 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Below the staff, measure numbers 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 are written under the notes.

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Musical score for Basso Continuo, page 14, measures 20-24. The score continues with eighth-note patterns. Measure 20 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Measures 21-24 show a continuation of the pattern. Measure 24 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Below the staff, measure numbers 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 are written under the notes.

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Musical score for Basso Continuo, page 14, measures 26-30. The score continues with eighth-note patterns. Measure 26 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Measures 27-30 show a continuation of the pattern. Measure 30 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Below the staff, measure numbers 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 are written under the notes.

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Musical score for Basso Continuo, page 14, measures 33-37. The score continues with eighth-note patterns. Measure 33 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Measures 34-37 show a continuation of the pattern. Measure 37 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Below the staff, measure numbers 33, 34, 35, 36, 37 are written under the notes.

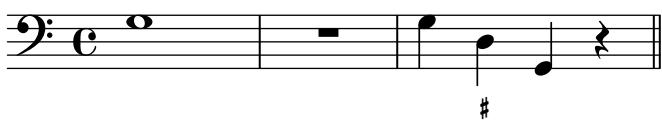
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Musical score for Basso Continuo, page 14, measures 39-43. The score continues with eighth-note patterns. Measure 39 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Measures 40-43 show a continuation of the pattern. Measure 43 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Below the staff, measure numbers 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 are written under the notes.

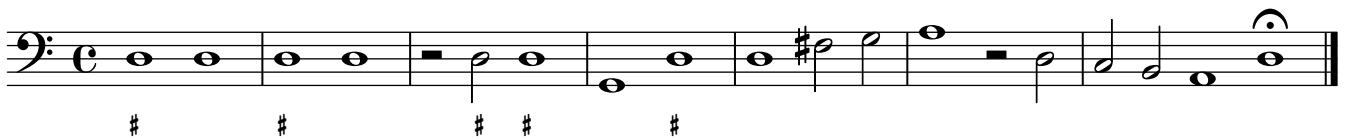
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Musical score for Basso Continuo, page 14, measures 46-50. The score continues with eighth-note patterns. Measure 46 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Measures 47-50 show a continuation of the pattern. Measure 50 ends with a bass clef and a key signature of one flat. Below the staff, measure numbers 46, 47, 48, 49, 50 are written under the notes.

[52] **Ricche d'un nuovo scoglio.** Nettuno



[55] **Imparino i Feaci.** Nettuno



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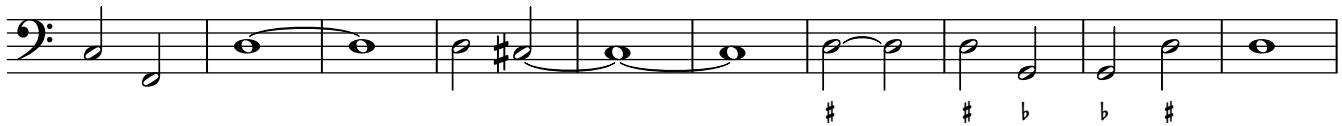
**Dormo ancora.** Ulisse



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## Scena ottava

### Sinfonia E



### Cara e lieta gioventù. Minerva

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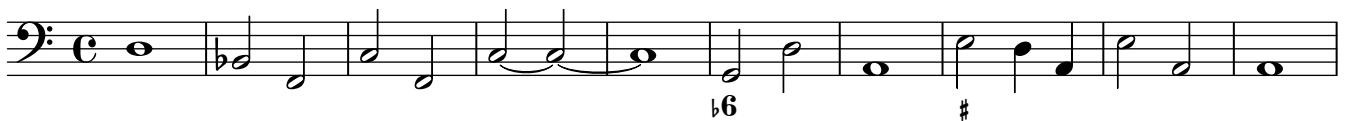
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**[27] Sempre l'human bisongo.** Ulisse, Minerva



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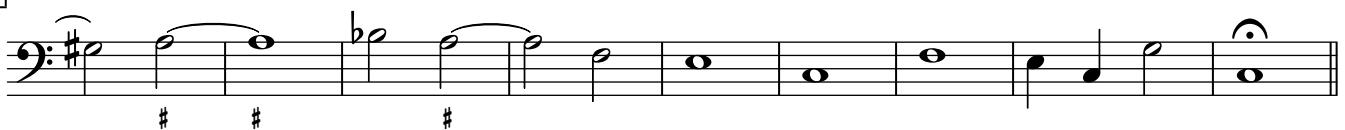
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**[59] Vezzoso pastorello.** Ulisse



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**[76] Itaca è questa.** Minerva



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**[94] Io Greco sono.** Ulisse



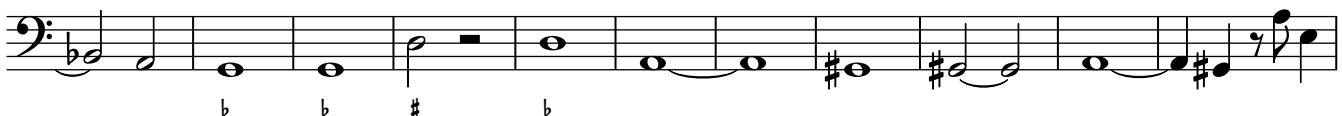
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**[146] Ben lungamente addormentato fosti.** Minerva



**[160] Chi crederebbe mai.** Ulisse



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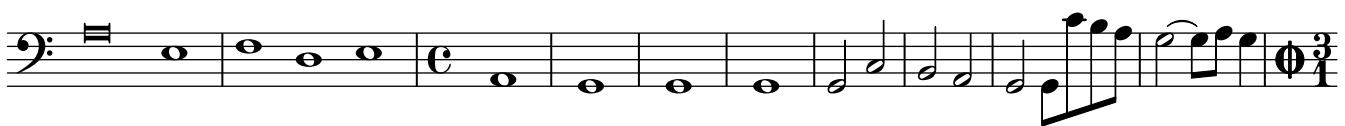
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191 **Incognito sarai.** Minerva, Ulisse

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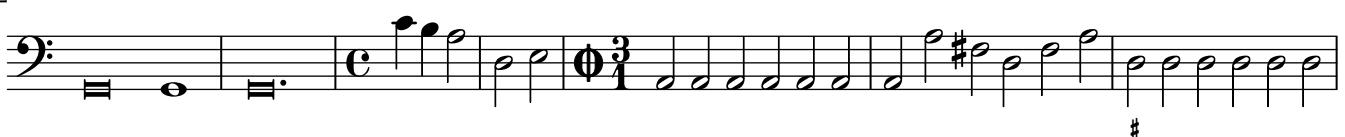
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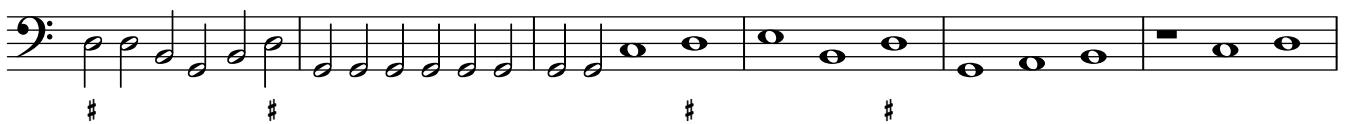
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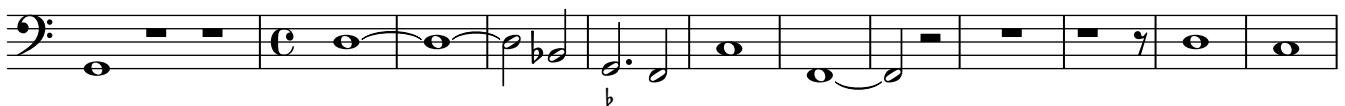
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**Ecco mi, saggia Dea.** Ulisse

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**Hor poniamo in sicuro.** Minerva

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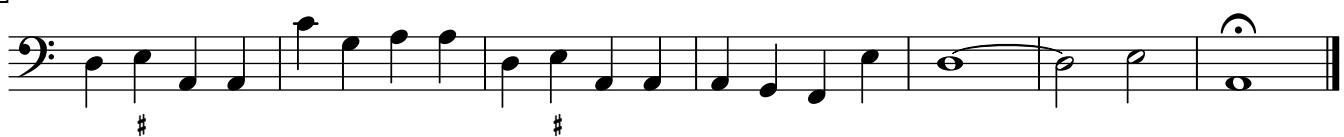


**Ninfe, serbate le gemme.** A due

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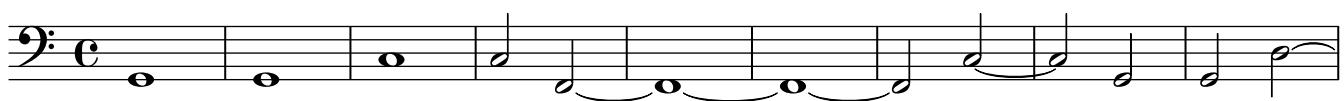
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### Scena nona

Coro di Najadi, Minerva, Ulisse.

**Tù d'Aretusa al fonte.** Minerva

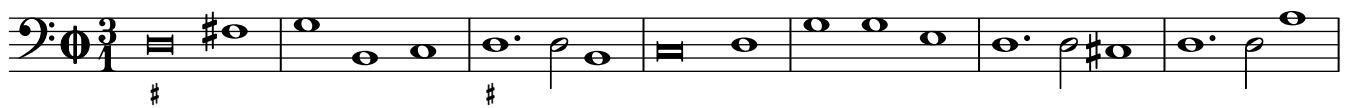


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**O fortunato Ulisse.** Ulisse

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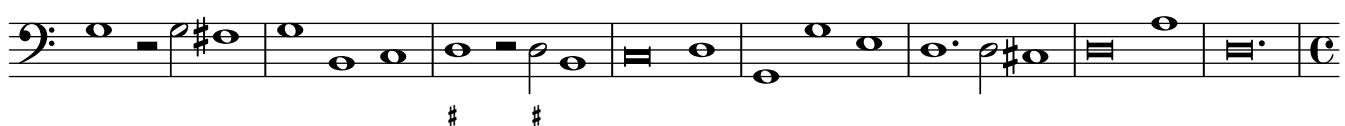
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### Scena decima

Penelope, Melanto. Reggia.

**Donate un giorno.** Penelope



**[8] Cara amata regina.** Melanto

The musical score consists of 12 staves of basso continuo music. The music is in common time. Key signatures change throughout the piece, indicated by sharps and flats. Measure numbers are provided for each staff: 8, 19, 29, 39, 49, 57, 64, 73, 82, 94, 102, and 109. Measure 109 includes a first ending (1) and a second ending (2).

**116** **Amor è un idol vano.** Penelope



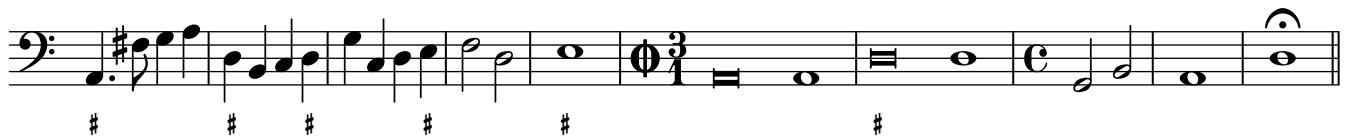
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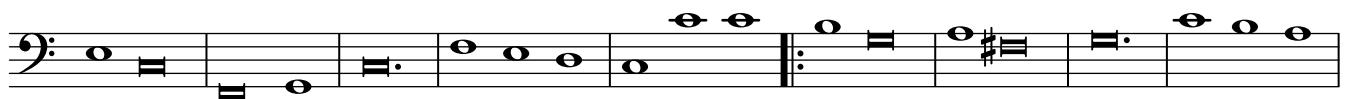
**154** **Perche Aquilone infido.** Melanto



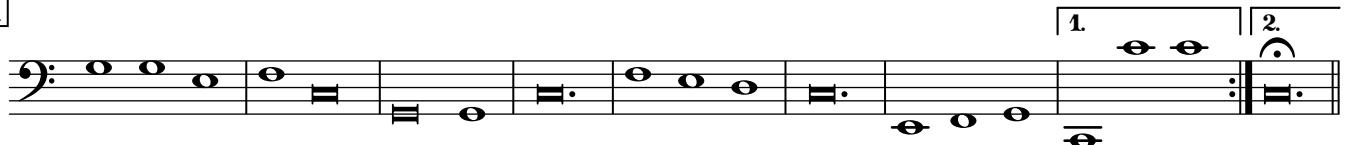
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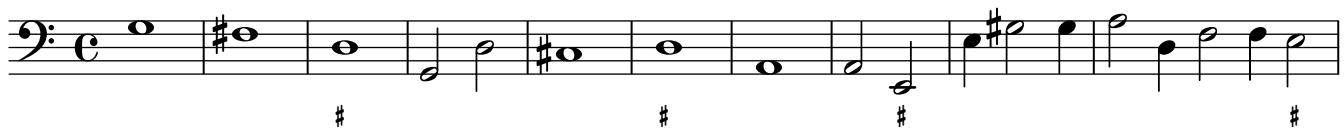


**189** **Non dee di nuovo amar.** Penelope

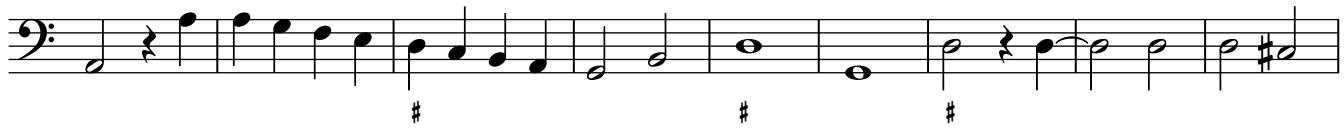


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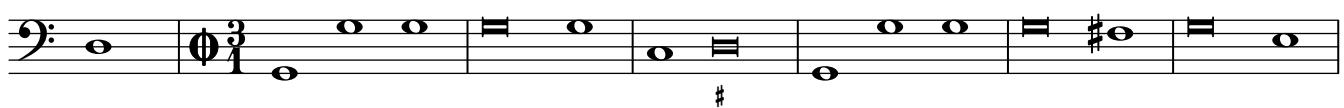
Eumete.

**Come, o come mal si salva.** Eumete

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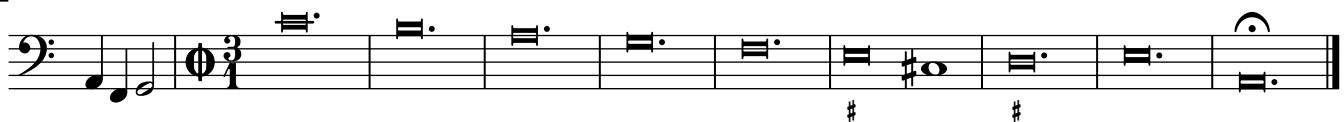
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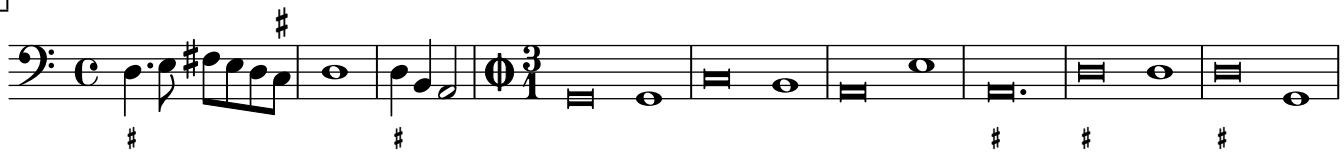


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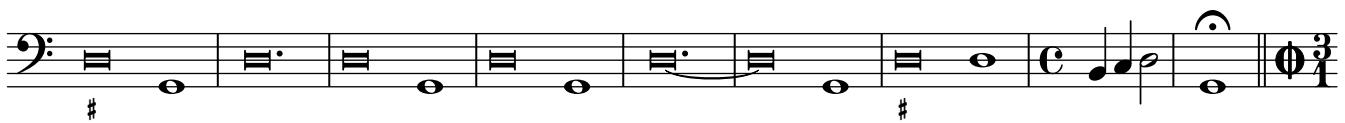
Iro, Eumete.

**Pastor d'armenti.** Iro

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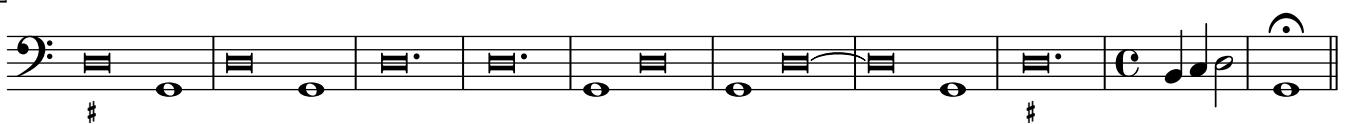
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**Iro, gran mangiatore.** Eumete

[53]



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[67]



## Scena tredicesima

Eumete, Ulisse in sembianza di vecchio.

**Ulisse generoso.** Eumete

7

**Se del nomato Ulisse.** Ulisse

14

**Hospite mio sarai.** Eumete

30

**Ulisse e vivo.** Ulisse

39

46

**Come lieto t'accoglio.** Eumete

56

66

76

# ATTO SECONDO

## Scena prima

Telemaco e Minerva su'l carro.

### Sinfonia F.

Musical score for Sinfonia F. in C major, featuring a bassoon line. The score consists of two staves of musical notation. Measure 1 starts with a bassoon playing eighth-note pairs. Measures 2-8 continue the bassoon line with various rhythmic patterns, including sixteenth-note figures and sustained notes. A sharp sign is present at the end of measure 8.

**Lieto camino, dolce viaggio.** Telemaco

[9]

Musical score for Sinfonia F. in C major, featuring a bassoon line. The score consists of two staves of musical notation. Measures 9-15 continue the bassoon line with eighth-note pairs and sixteenth-note figures. Measures 14 and 15 show a transition with different rhythms and dynamics.

[16]

Musical score for Sinfonia F. in C major, featuring a bassoon line. The score consists of two staves of musical notation. Measures 16-22 continue the bassoon line with eighth-note pairs and sixteenth-note figures, maintaining the melodic line established earlier.

[23]

Musical score for Sinfonia F. in C major, featuring a bassoon line. The score consists of two staves of musical notation. Measures 23-29 continue the bassoon line with eighth-note pairs and sixteenth-note figures, concluding the section.

**Gli dei possenti navigan l'aure.** A due

[30]

Musical score for Gli dei possenti navigan l'aure. in common time, featuring a bassoon line. The score consists of two staves of musical notation. Measures 30-36 feature sustained notes and short rests, creating a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes.

[40]

Musical score for Gli dei possenti navigan l'aure. in common time, featuring a bassoon line. The score consists of two staves of musical notation. Measures 40-46 continue the rhythmic pattern of sustained notes and short rests established in the previous section.

[51]

Musical score for Gli dei possenti navigan l'aure. in common time, featuring a bassoon line. The score consists of two staves of musical notation. Measures 51-57 continue the rhythmic pattern of sustained notes and short rests, maintaining the melodic line.

[60]

Musical score for Gli dei possenti navigan l'aure. in common time, featuring a bassoon line. The score consists of two staves of musical notation. Measures 60-66 conclude the section with the sustained notes and short rests established throughout the piece.

[70] **Eccoti giunto alle paterne ville.** Minerva



[80] **Periglio in van mi sgrida.** Telemaco



### Scena seconda

Eumete, Ulisse, Telemaco.

**O gran figlio d'Ulisse.** Eumete



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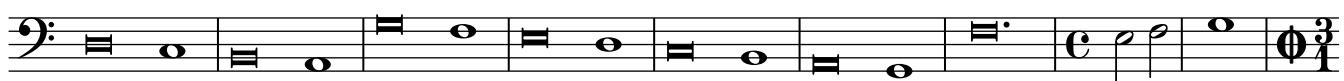
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[80] **Verdi piagge, al lieto giorno.** Eumete, Ulisse

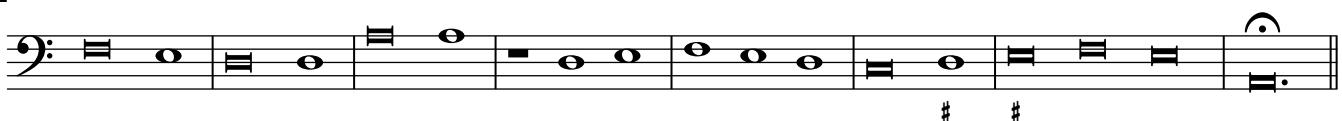
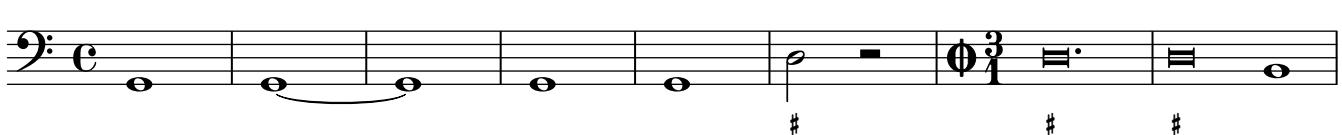
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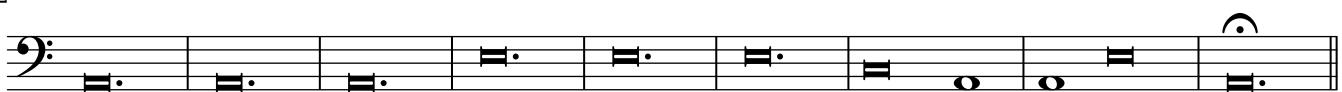
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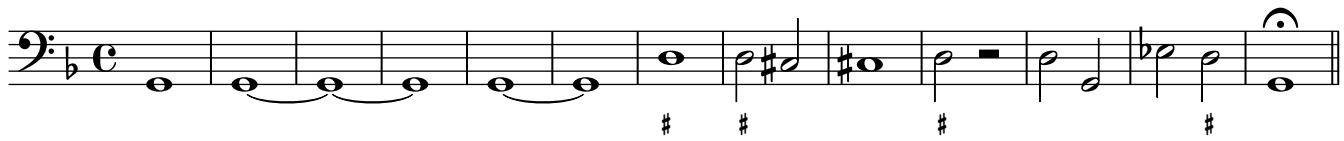
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[115] **Vostri cortesi auspici.** Telemaco[123] **Questo che tu qui miri.** Eumete

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**Pastor, se nol fia ver.** Ulisse  
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**Dolce speme cor lusinga.** Eumete, Ulisse  
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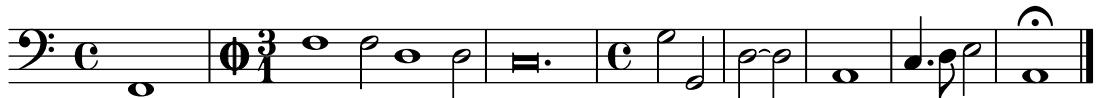
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**Vanne pur tu veloce.** Telemaco  
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### Scena terza

Telemaco, Ulisse.

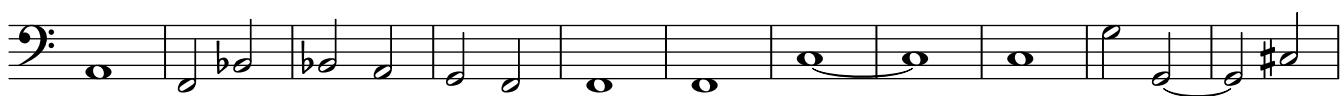
**Che veggio, oime.** Telemaco



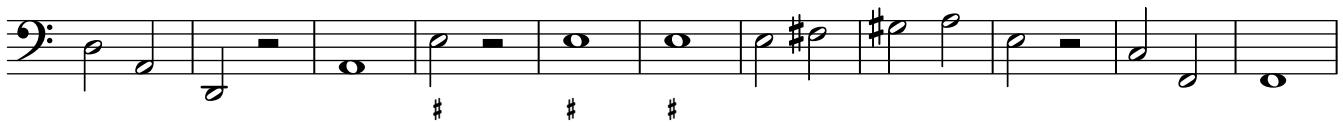
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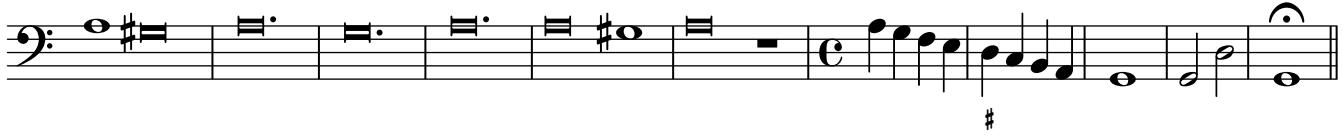
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[65] **Telemaco, convienti cangiar le meraviglie.** Ulisse

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[81] **Benche Ulisse si vanti.** Telemaco[94] **Ulisse sono, testimonio è Minerva.** Ulisse

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**O padre sospirato.** A due

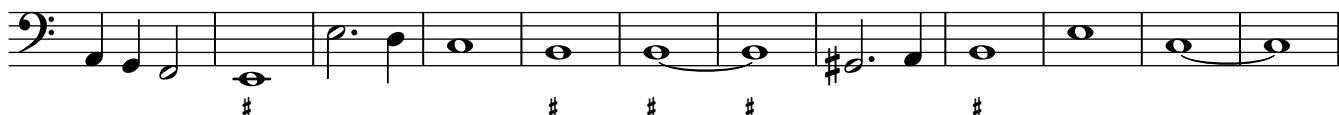
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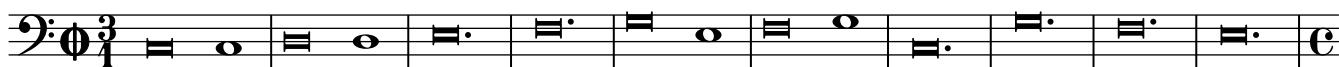
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**Vanne alla madre.** Ulisse

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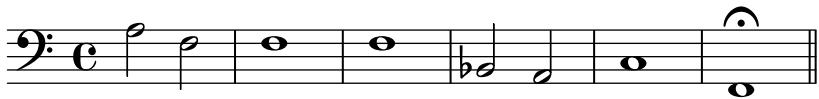
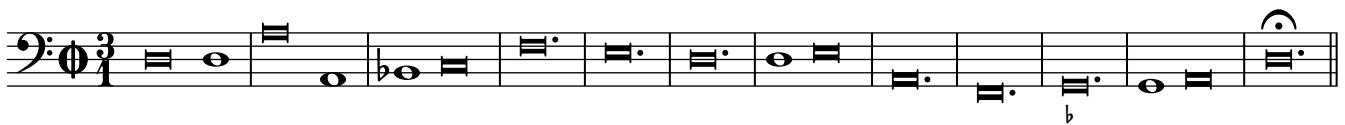
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**Scena quarta**

Melanto, Eurimaco.

**Eurimaco, la donna.** Melanto

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[20] **E pur udii sovente.** Eurimaco[26] **Ho speso in van parole.** Melanto[36] **Peni chi brama.** Eurimaco**Penelope trionfa nella doglia.** Melanto

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**Gridendo, ridendo si lacera.** A due

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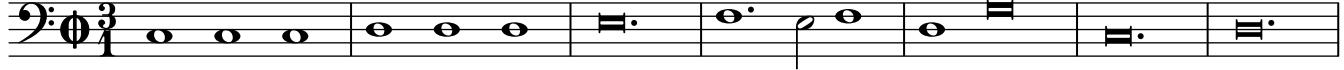


**Scena quinta**

Antionoo, Anfinomo, Pisandro, Eurimaco, Penelope.

**Sono l'altre regine coronate.** Antinoo**Ama dunque, sì, sì.** A tre

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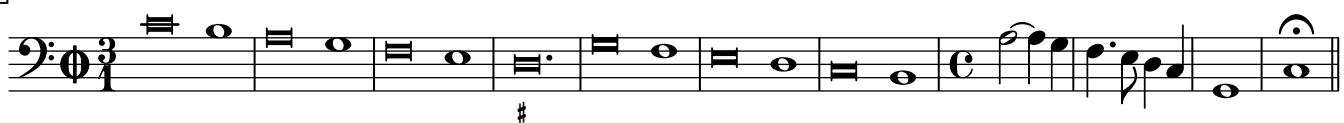
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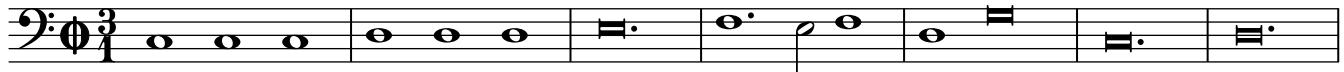
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**Non voglio amar, ch'amando penerò.** Penelope

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**Ama dunque, sì, sì.** A tre

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**Cari tanto mi sete.** Penelope

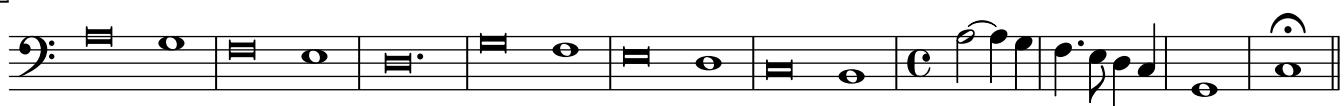
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**La pampinosa vite.** Pisandro

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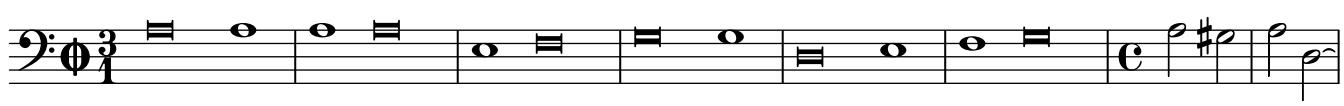
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**Il bel cedro.** Anfinomo

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**L'edera che verdeggia.** Antinoo

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**Ama dunque, sì, sì.** A tre

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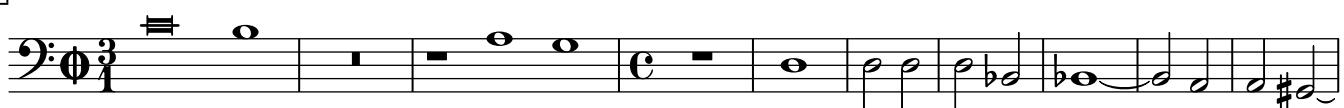
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**Non voglio amar.** Penelope

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**All' allegrezze dunque al ballo.** A tre

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A bass clef staff with five horizontal lines and four spaces. It contains six notes: two open circles (quarter notes), one solid circle (half note), one open circle with a dot (eighth note), three solid circles (three half notes), and one open circle with a dot (eighth note). There are also four rests: a short vertical line (eighth rest), a longer vertical line (quarter rest), a short vertical line with a dot (eighth rest), and a longer vertical line with a dot (quarter rest). The staff ends with a double bar line and repeat dots at both ends.

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Ritornello

## Scena settima

Eumete, Penelope.

## **Apportator d' alte novelle.** Eumete

Musical staff showing measures 1-4 of the first system. The key signature is one sharp (F#). The first measure starts with a bass clef, followed by a common time signature, and a '1' indicating the first measure. It consists of two eighth notes. The second measure starts with a common time signature and a '2' indicating the second measure. It consists of two eighth notes. The third measure starts with a common time signature and a '3' indicating the third measure. It consists of two eighth notes. The fourth measure starts with a common time signature and a '4' indicating the fourth measure. It consists of two eighth notes.

9

A musical score for the bassoon part of the first movement of Tchaikovsky's 1812 Overture. The score consists of two staves of music. The first staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. The notes are primarily eighth and sixteenth notes. The second staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a key signature of one sharp (G#), and a common time signature. The notes are primarily eighth and sixteenth notes.

18

A musical staff in bass clef. The key signature consists of one sharp sign under the G line. A tempo mark indicates 120 eighth notes per minute.

25

A bass clef staff with five horizontal lines and four spaces. It features several note heads and rests: an open circle, a solid circle, an open circle with a vertical stroke, a solid circle with a vertical stroke, an open circle, a solid circle, an open circle, a solid circle, an open circle, and a solid circle. There is also a short vertical line with a sharp sign below it.

**[34] Per si dubbie novelle.** Penelope



**Scena ottava**

Antinoo, Anfinomo, Pisandro, Eurimaco.

**Compagni udiste il vostro vicin.** Antinoo



**[12]**



**[22]**



**[32]**



**[43] N'han fatto l'opre nostre.** Anfinomo, Pisandro



**[52]**



**[61] Dunque l'ardir s'accresca.** Antinoo



**Sì, de' grand' amori.** A tre  
[68]

Musical score for "Sì, de' grand' amori. A tre" at measure 68. The vocal line starts with a melodic line in C major, followed by a bassoon part with a sustained note and a dynamic marking of  $\Phi$ . The vocal line continues with eighth-note patterns.

[75]

Musical score for "Sì, de' grand' amori. A tre" at measure 75. The vocal line consists of eighth-note patterns in C major.

[83]

Musical score for "Sì, de' grand' amori. A tre" at measure 83. The vocal line features eighth-note patterns with dynamic markings  $\#$  and  $\#$ .

**Chi dall'alto n'ascolta.** Eurimaco  
[94]

Musical score for "Chi dall'alto n'ascolta. Eurimaco" at measure 94. The vocal line starts with a sustained note in C major, followed by eighth-note patterns with dynamic markings  $b$ ,  $b$ , and  $\#$ .

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Musical score for "Chi dall'alto n'ascolta. Eurimaco" at measure 104. The vocal line consists of eighth-note patterns in C major.

**Crediam minacciar del ciel.** A tre  
[113]

Musical score for "Crediam minacciar del ciel. A tre" at measure 113. The vocal line features eighth-note patterns in C major.

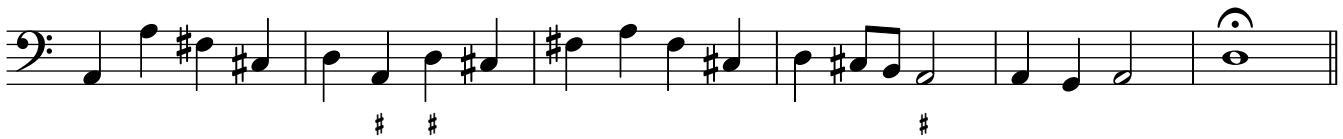
**Dunque prima che gionga il figlio.** Antinoo  
[123]

Musical score for "Dunque prima che gionga il figlio. Antinoo" at measure 123. The vocal line consists of eighth-note patterns in C major.

**L'oro sol, l'oro sia l'amorosa magia.** Eurimaco  
[137]

Musical score for "L'oro sol, l'oro sia l'amorosa magia. Eurimaco" at measure 137. The vocal line features eighth-note patterns in C major.

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150 **Amor è un armonia.** A tre

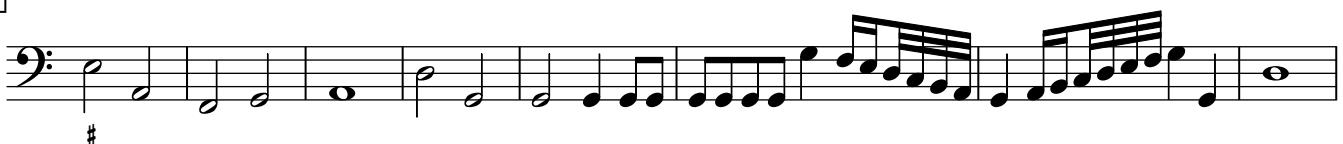
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**Scena nona.**

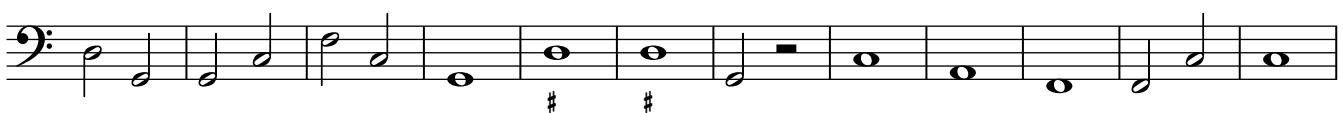
Ulisse, Minerva.

**Sì, de' grand' amori.** A tre15 **O coraggioso Ulisse.** Minerva

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[58] **Sempre è cieco il mortale.** Ulisse



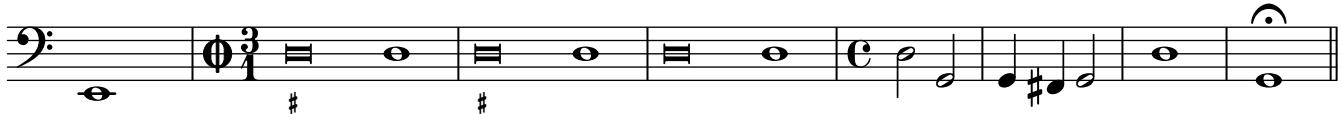
**Scena decima.**

Eumete, Ulisse.

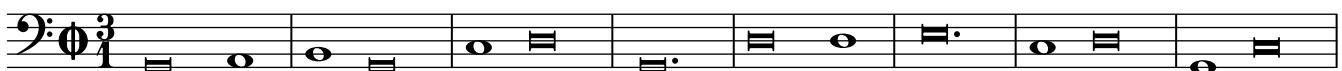
**Io viddi, o peregrin.** Eumete



[10]



[18] **Godò anch' io, nè so come.** Ulisse



[26]



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[43]



[52] **Tosto c'havrem con povera sostanza.** Eumete



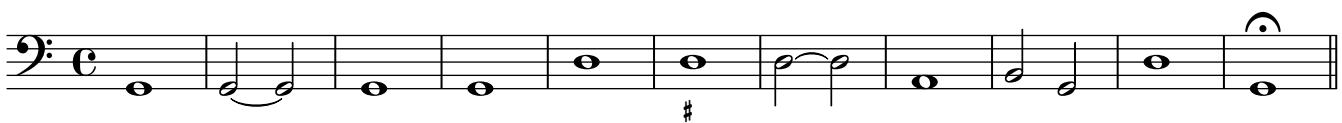
[61] **Non vive eterna l'arroganza.** Ulisse



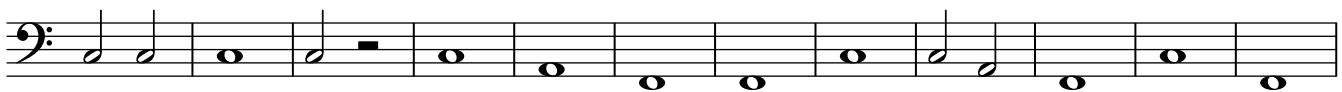
Scena undicesima.

Telemaco, Penelope.

**Del mio lungo viaggio.** Telemaco



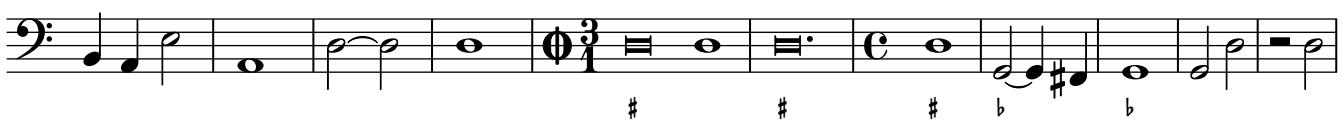
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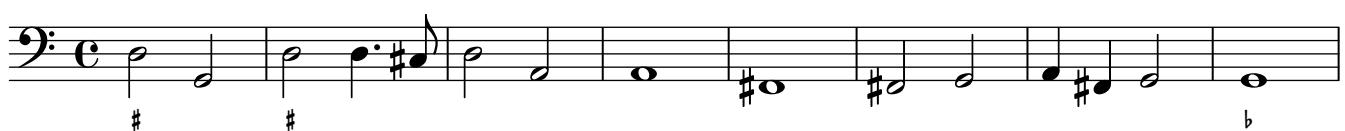
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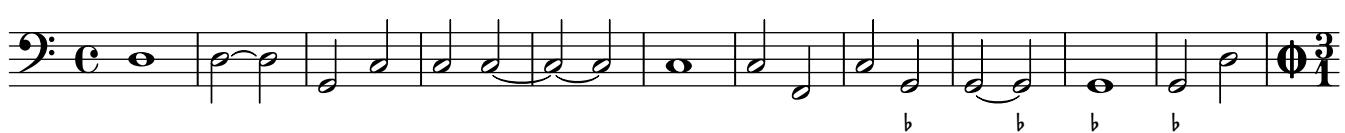
[88] **Beltà troppo funesta.** Penelope



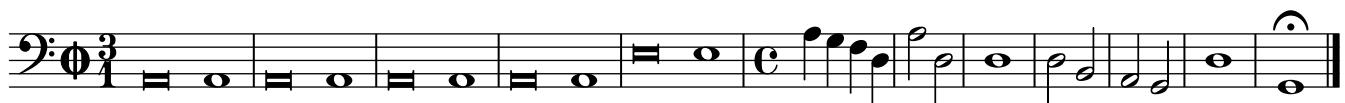
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[103] **Non per vana follia.** Telemaco



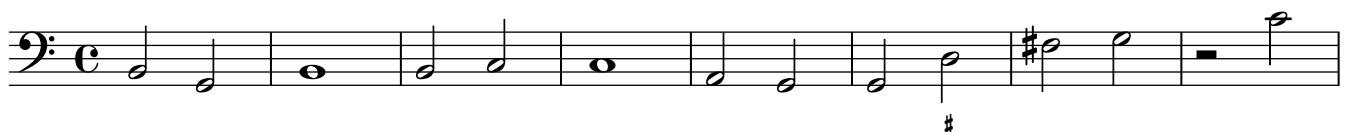
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**Scena dodicesima.**

Antinoo, Eumete, Iro, Ulisse, e sopragiunge.

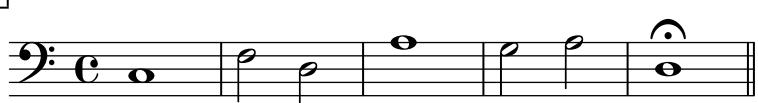
**Sempre villano, Eumete.** Antinoo



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[16] **L'ha condotto fortuna alle case.** Eumete



**[21] Rimanga ei teco.** Antinoo

**[28] Civile nobilità non è crudele.** Eumete

**[37] Arrogante plebeo! Insegnar opre eccelse.** Antinoo

**[49] Partiti, movi il piè.** Iro

**[56] Huomo di grosso taglio.** Ulisse

**[69]**

**[81] E che sì, ribambito guerriero.** Iro

**[90] Toglio à perder la vita.** Ulisse

**95** **Vediam, regina, in questa bella coppia.** Antinoo

**Il campo io t'assicuro.** Telemaco

## **Anch' io ti dò franchiggia. Iro**

## **114** La gran disfida accetto. Ulisse

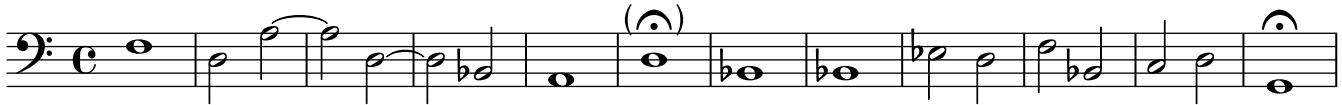
119 Sù, dunque sù, sù. Iro

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## **Son vinto. Iro**

**Tu vincitor perdona.** Antinoo

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**Valoroso mendico in corte resta.** Penelope

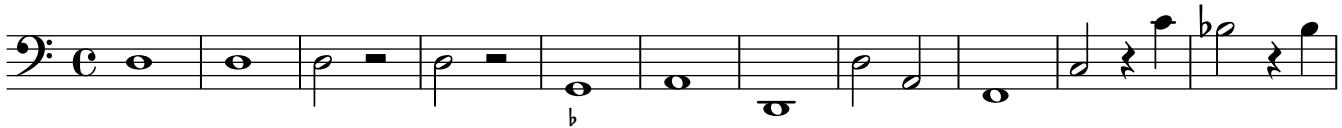
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Scena tredicesima.

Pisandro, Anfinomo, e sopragiunge.

**Generosa regina, Pisandro à te s'inchina.** Pisandro



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**Anima generosa, prodigo cavalliere.** Penelope

24



**Se t'invoglia il desio.** Anfinomo

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**48** **Nobil contesa e generosa gara.** Penelope



**55** **Il mio cor che t'adora.** Antinoo



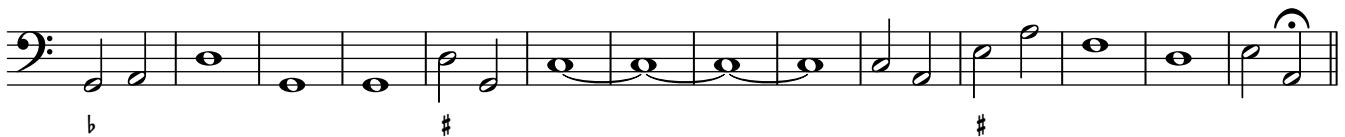
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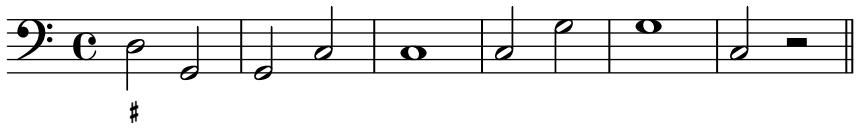
**76** **Non andran senza premio.** Penelope



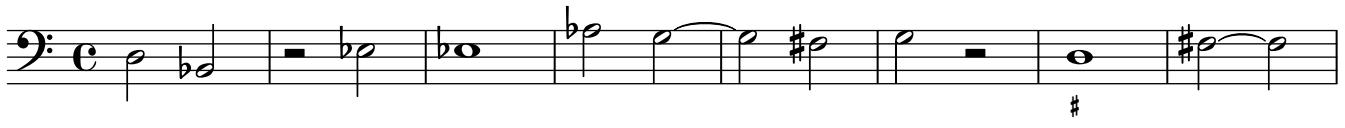
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**102** **Ulisse, e dove sei?** Telemaco



**108** **Ma che promise bocca facile.** Penelope



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**Lieta soave gloria.** A tre

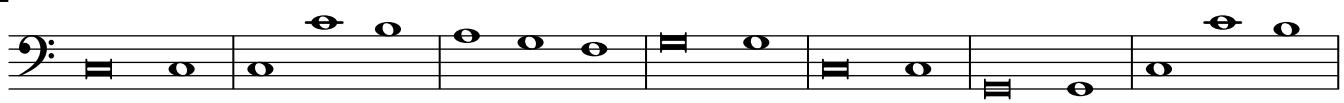
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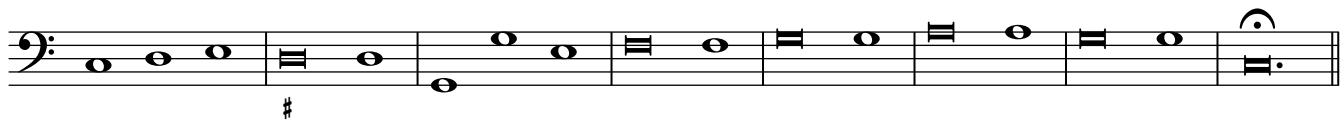
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[178] **Ecco l'arco d'Ulisse.** Penelope

**Sinfonia G.**

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**Amor, se fosti arciero.** Pisandro

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**Sinfonia G.**

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[254] **Amor, picciolo nume.** Anfinomo



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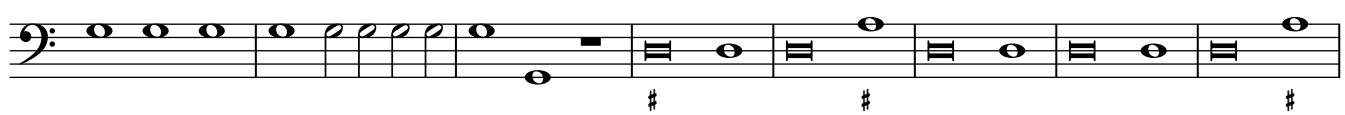
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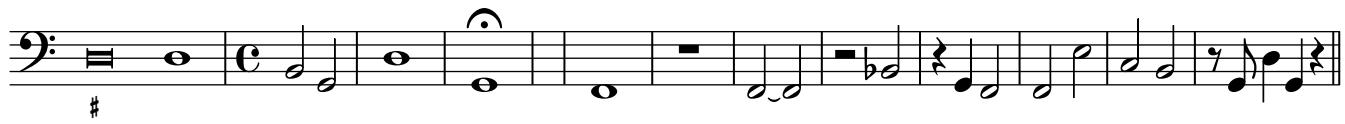
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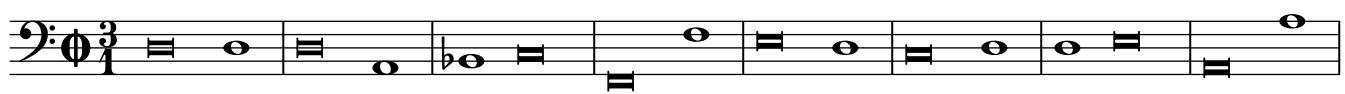
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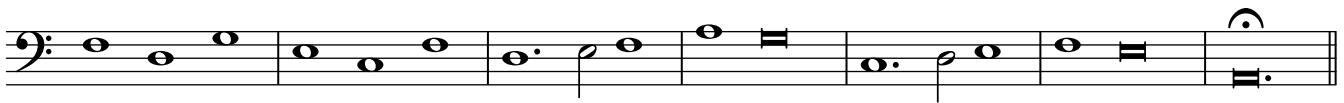
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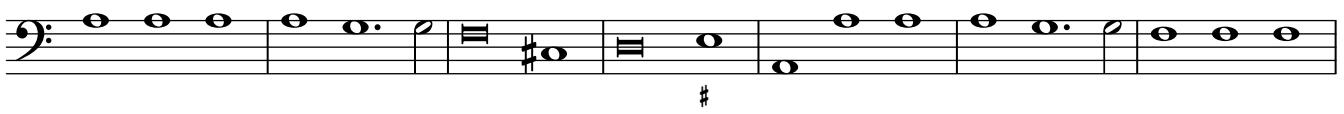
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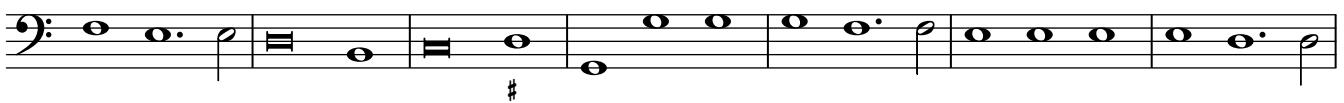
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316 **Cedan Marte et Amore.** Antinoo

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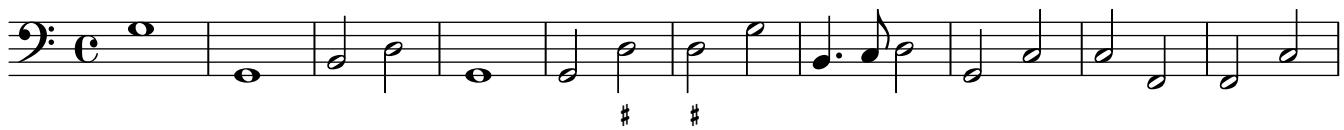
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364 **Son vani, oscuri pregi.** Penelope

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**381 Gioventute superba sempre valor.** Ulisse



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**401 Concedasi al mendico.** Penelope



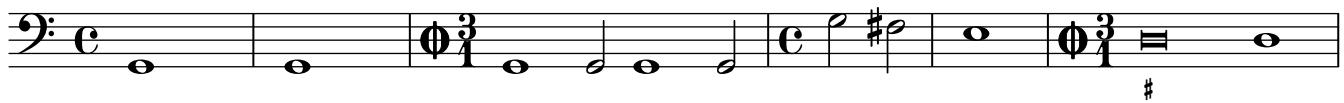
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**424 Questa mia destra humile.** Ulisse



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A musical score for bassoon, featuring ten measures of music on a bass clef staff. The key signature is one sharp, indicating G major. Measure 1 starts with a half note followed by a whole note. Measures 2 and 3 show a dotted half note followed by a half note. Measure 4 begins with a half note, followed by a quarter note, another quarter note, and a half note. Measures 5 and 6 consist of two half notes each. Measures 7 and 8 show a half note, followed by a quarter note, another quarter note, and a half note. Measure 9 starts with a half note, followed by a quarter note, another quarter note, and a half note. Measure 10 concludes with a half note.

## **438 Meraviglie, stupori. A tre**

438

## **Giove nel suo tuonar.** Ulisse

444

A musical score for bassoon, showing ten measures of music. The key signature is common time (C). Measure 1: Bass note. Measure 2: Two eighth notes. Measure 3: Two eighth notes. Measures 4-7: A series of eighth-note patterns: (two eighth notes), (two eighth notes), (one eighth note followed by a sixteenth note), (one eighth note followed by a sixteenth note). Measures 8-10: A melodic line consisting of eighth notes, sixteenth notes, and quarter notes, ending with a sixteenth-note flourish.

## **Sinfonia da Guerra.** Ulisse

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A bass clef staff with a dotted half note followed by a dashed half note.

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# ATTO TERZO

## Scena prima

Iro.

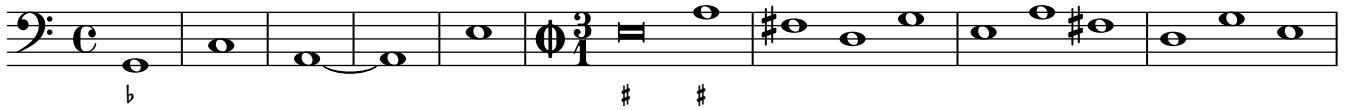
**O dolor, o martir.** Iro

The musical score consists of eight staves of basso continuo music, likely for harpsichord or organ. The music is in common time (indicated by 'c' or '3'). The key signature changes throughout the score, indicated by various sharps and flats. Measure numbers are provided in boxes at the start of each staff: 8, 17, 27, 36, 43, 58, and 72. The notation includes bass clef, quarter notes, eighth notes, sixteenth notes, and rests. Measure 8 starts with a sixteenth-note pattern followed by eighth-note pairs. Measure 17 features a sustained note over a fermata. Measure 27 includes a sharp sign under the bass clef. Measure 36 shows a transition to common time (indicated by '3'). Measure 43 includes a sharp sign under the bass clef. Measure 58 features a sustained note over a fermata. Measure 72 ends with a sharp sign under the bass clef.

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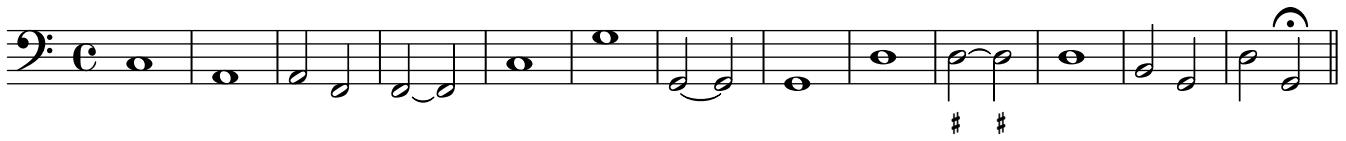
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### Scena terza

Melanto, Penelope.

**E quai nuovi rumori.** Melanto



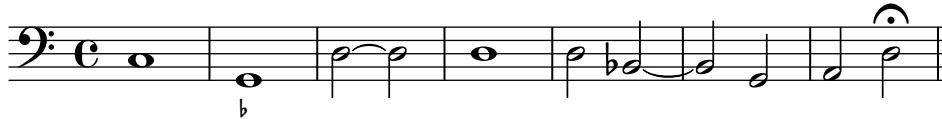
[14] **Vedova amata, vedova regina.** Penelope



**[22] Così all' ombra.** Melanto



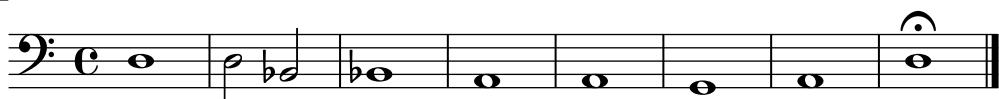
**[29] Moriro i proci.** Penelope



**[36] Penelope, il castigo dell' importante.** Melanto



**[45] Dell' occhio la pietate.** Penelope



### Scena quarta

sopragiunge, Eumete.

**Forza d'occulto affetto.** Eumete



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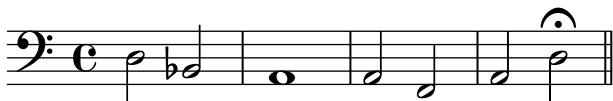
**[25] Sei buon pastor, Eumete.** Penelope



**[30] Il canuto, l'antico.** Eumete



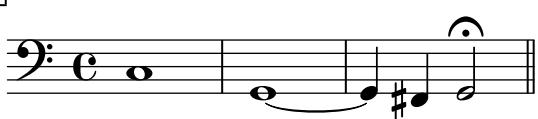
**41 Credulo il volgo.** Penelope



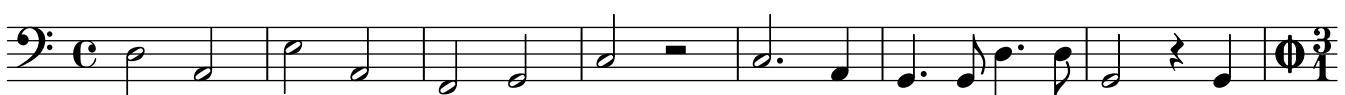
**45 Ulisse io viddi.** Eumeo



**50 Relator importuno.** Penelope



**53 Dico che Ulisse.** Eumeo



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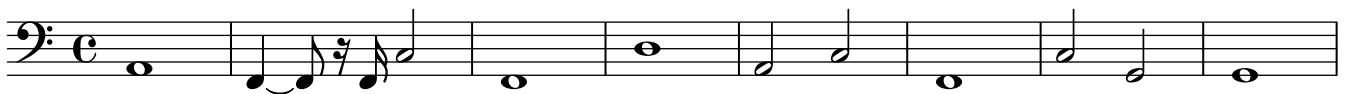
**66 Io non contendo teco.** Penelope



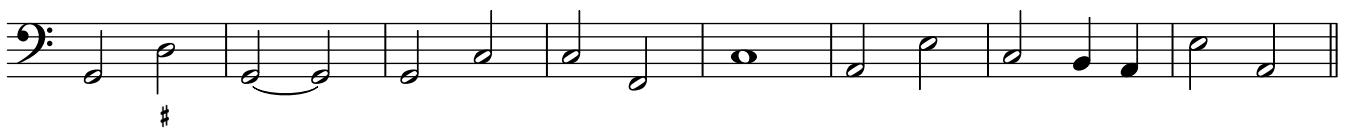
**Scena quinta**

sopragiunge, Telemaco

**E saggio Eumeo.** Telemaco



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**[17] Troppo egli è ver.** Penelope



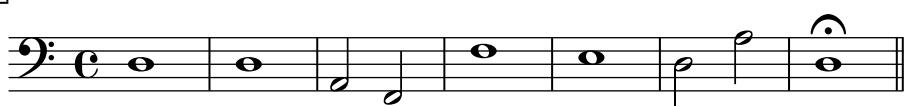
**[27] Vuole così Minerva.** Telemaco



**[32] Se d'ingannar gli Dei.** Penelope



**[40] Protettrice dei Greci.** Telemaco



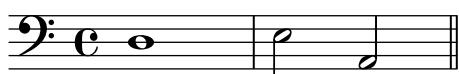
**[47] Non han tanto pensiero gli Dei.** Penelope



**[55]**



**[62] Togliti in pace.** Telemaco



**[64] Io lo dirò.** Eumeo



**Scena sesta**  
Minerva, Giunone

**Fiamma è l'ira.** Minerva



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[27] **Per vendetta che piace.** Giunone



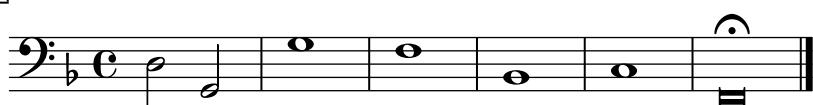
[36] **Dalle nostre vendette nacquero.** Minerva



[49] **Procurerò la pace.** Giunone

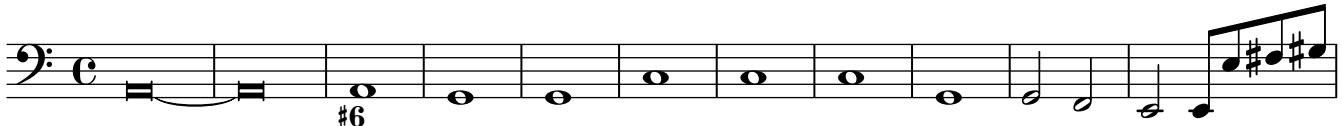


[56] **Per te del sommo Giove.** Minerva



## Scena settima

sopragiunge, Giove, Nettuno

**Gran Giove, alme de' Dei.** Giunone

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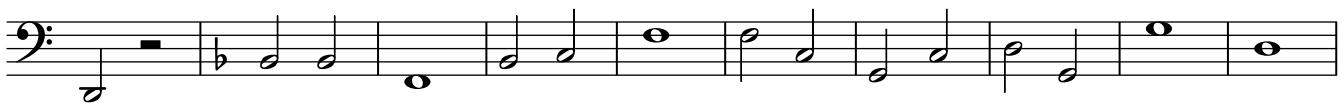
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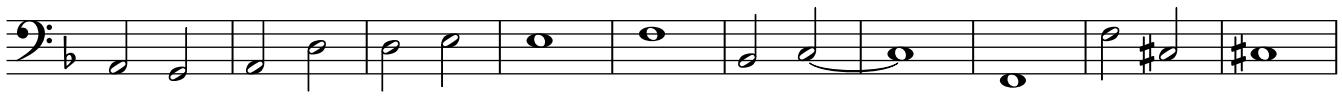
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[41] **Per me non havrà mai vota.** Giove

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[82] **Son ben quest' onde.** Nettuno



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[110] **Giove amoroso fà il ciel pietoso.** Coro



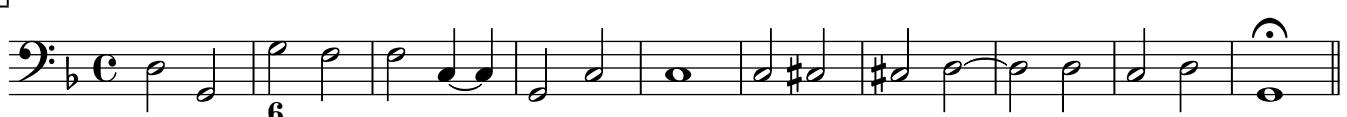
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[138] **Minerva, hor fia tua cura.** Giove



[148] **Rintuzzero quei spiriti.** Minerva

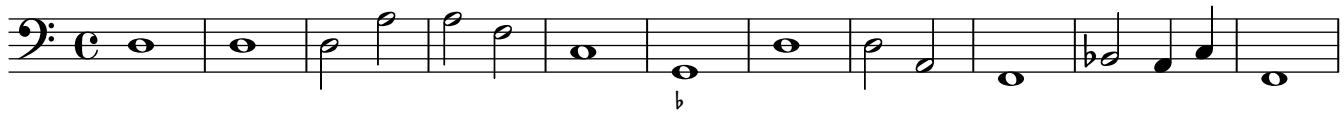


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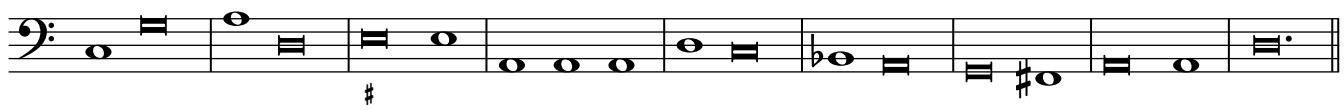
Ericlea

**Ericlea, che vuoi far.** Ericlea

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**Sinfonia H.**

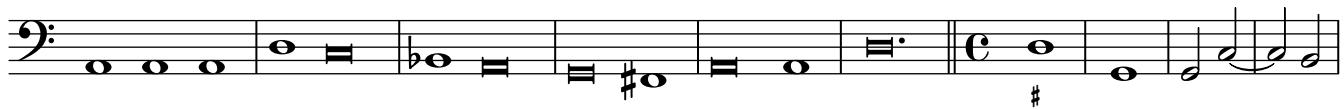
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**Medicar chi languisce.** Ericlea

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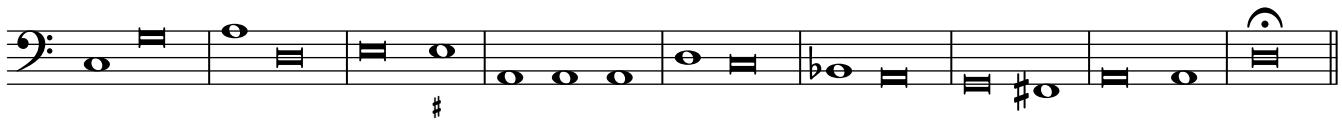
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### Sinfonia H.



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### Bel segreto tacciuto tosto. Ericlea



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### Sinfonia H.



### Scena nona

sopragiunge, Penelope, Telemaco, Eumete

### Ogni vostra ragion. Penelope



**[10] Troppo incredula.** Telemaco, Eumete



**[18]**



Scena decima, et ultima  
sopragiunge, Ulisse in sua forma

**O delle mie fatiche meta dolce.** Ulisse



**[7] Fermati, cavalliero incantator.** Penelope



**[12] Cosi del tuo consorte.** Ulisse



**[18] Consorte io sono, mà del.** Penelope



**[26] In honor de' tuoi rai.** Ulisse



**[34] Quel valor che ti rese.** Penelope



[46] **Quell' Ulisse son io.** Ulisse

Bass clef, common time. Key signature changes from B-flat to A major (no sharps or flats). The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

[55] **Non sei tu 'l primo ingegno.** Penelope

Bass clef, common time. Key signature changes from B-flat to A major (no sharps or flats). The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

[60] **Hor di parlar è tempo.** Ericlea

Bass clef, common time. Key signature changes from B-flat to A major (no sharps or flats). The melody includes a bassoon-like sound (indicated by a circle with a dot) and eighth-note patterns.

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Bass clef, common time. Key signature changes from B-flat to A major (no sharps or flats). The melody continues with eighth-note patterns.

[85] **Creder ciò che desio m'insegna.** Penelope

Bass clef, common time. Key signature changes from B-flat to A major (no sharps or flats). The melody features eighth and sixteenth notes with a melodic line.

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Bass clef, common time. Key signature changes from B-flat to A major (no sharps or flats). The melody continues with eighth-note patterns.

[104] **Del tuo casto pensiero io sò.** Ulisse

Bass clef, common time. Key signature changes from B-flat to A major (no sharps or flats). The melody includes a bassoon-like sound (indicated by a circle with a dot) and eighth-note patterns.

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**Hor si ti riconosco.** Penelope

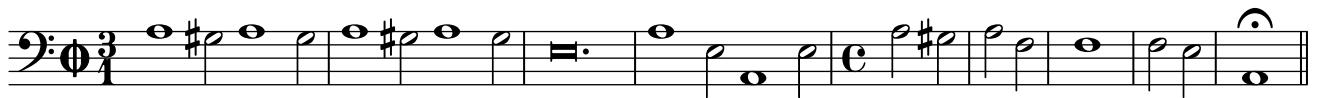
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**Sciogli la lingua.** Ulisse

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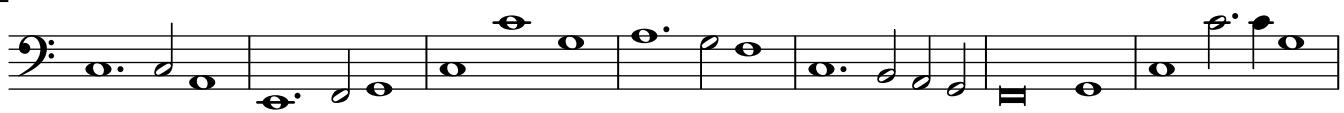
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**Illustratevi, ò cieli.** Penelope

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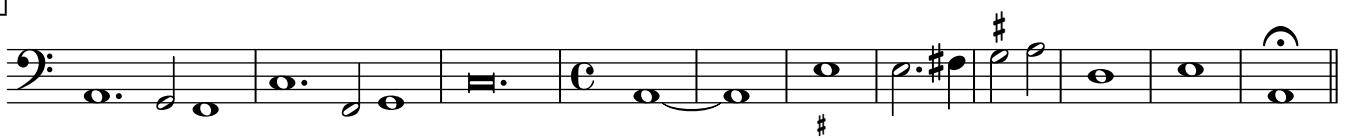
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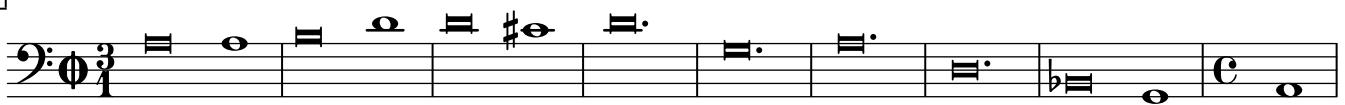


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Sospirato mio sole. Penelope, Ulisse

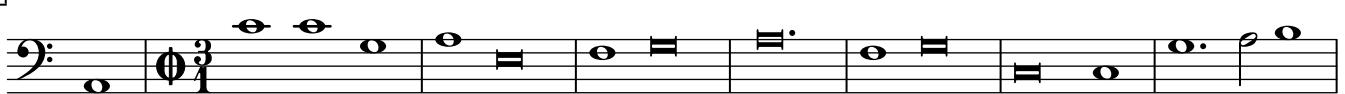
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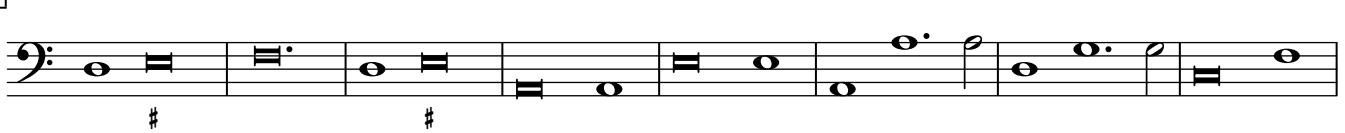
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