Sapho.

(1851.)

«Ô jours heureux.»

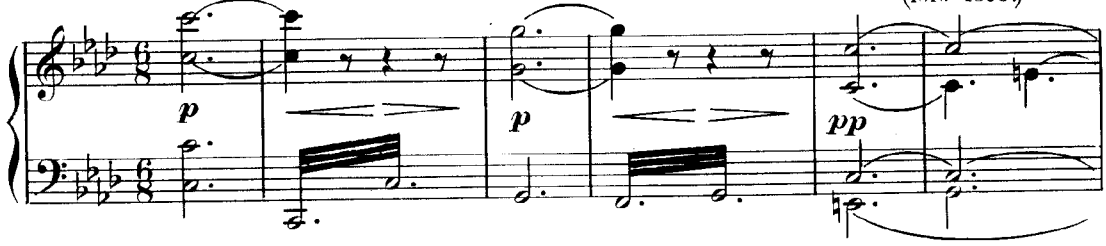
Romance.

Poem by Emile Augier.

English version by Dr. Th. Baker.

CHARLES GOUNOD.
(1818-1893.)

Moderato.



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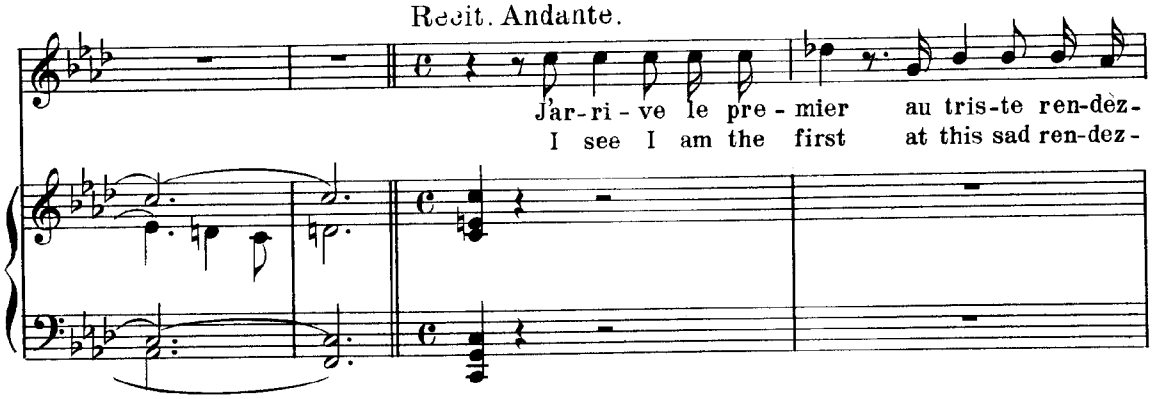

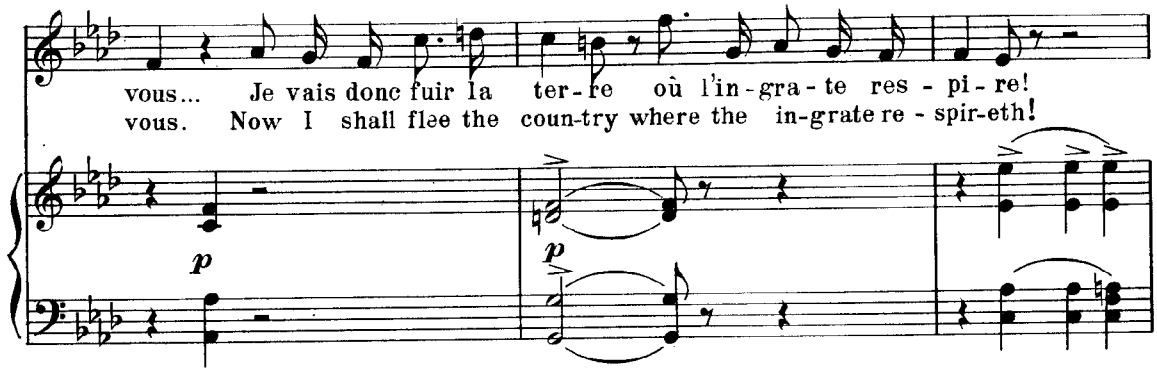

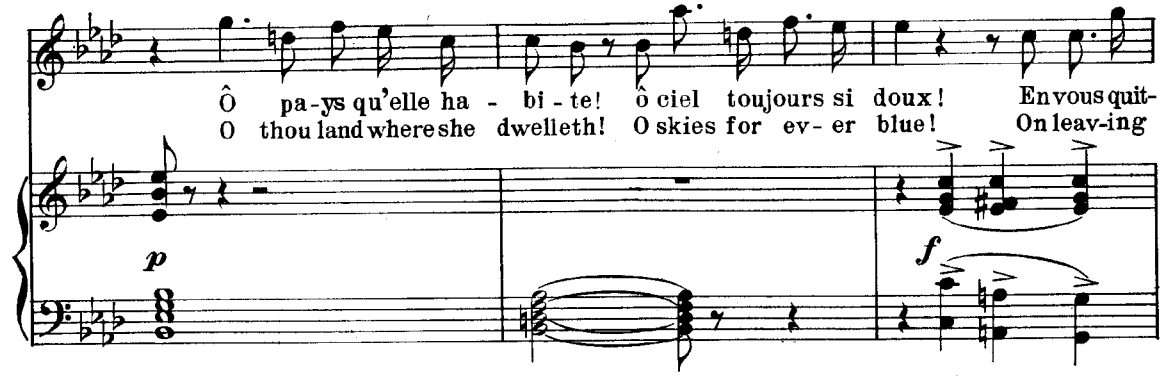

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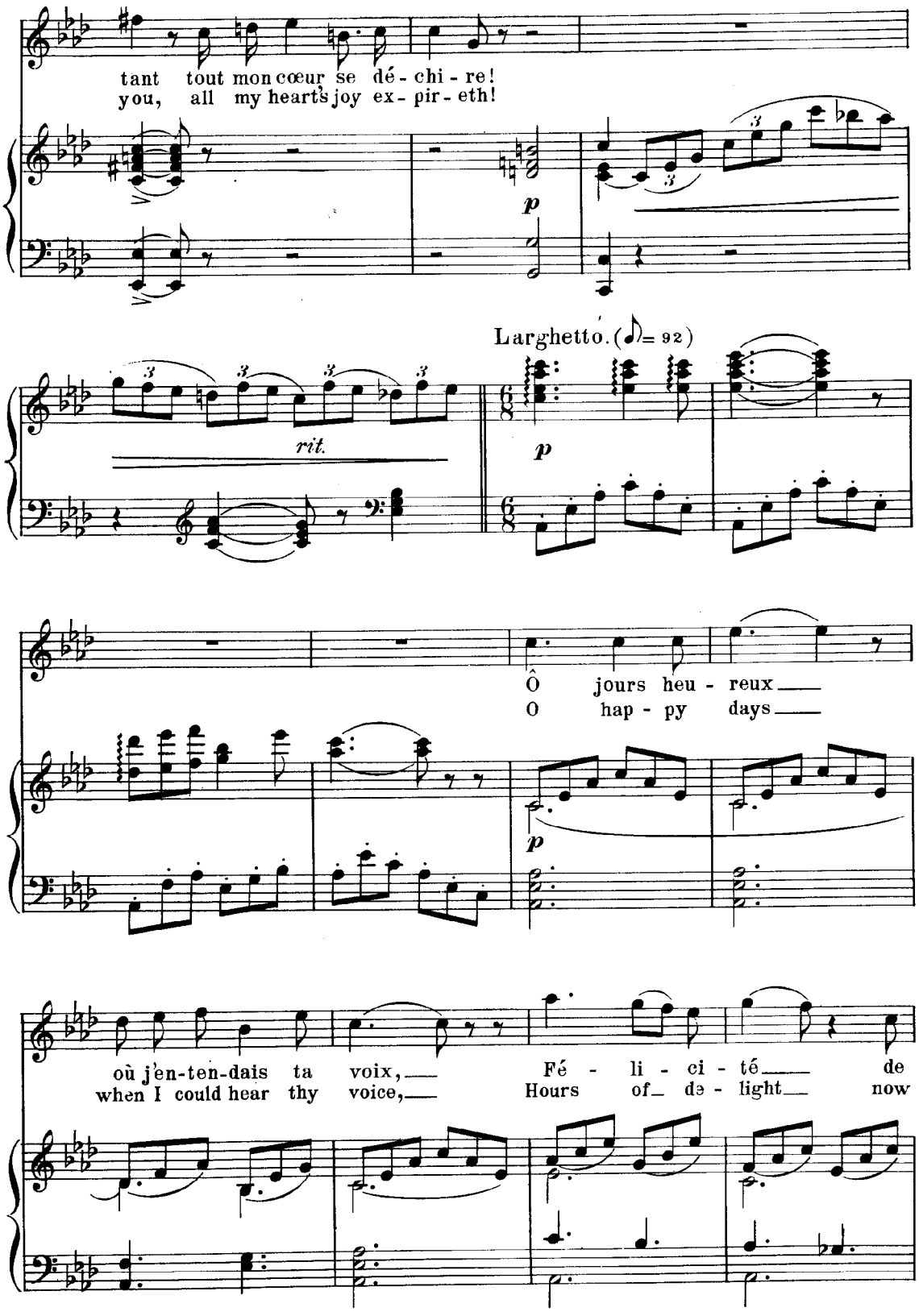
tant tout mon cœur se dé - chi - re!
you, all my heart's joy ex - pir - eth!
p
Larghetto. (♪= 92)
rit.
p
Ô jours heu - reux
O hap - py days
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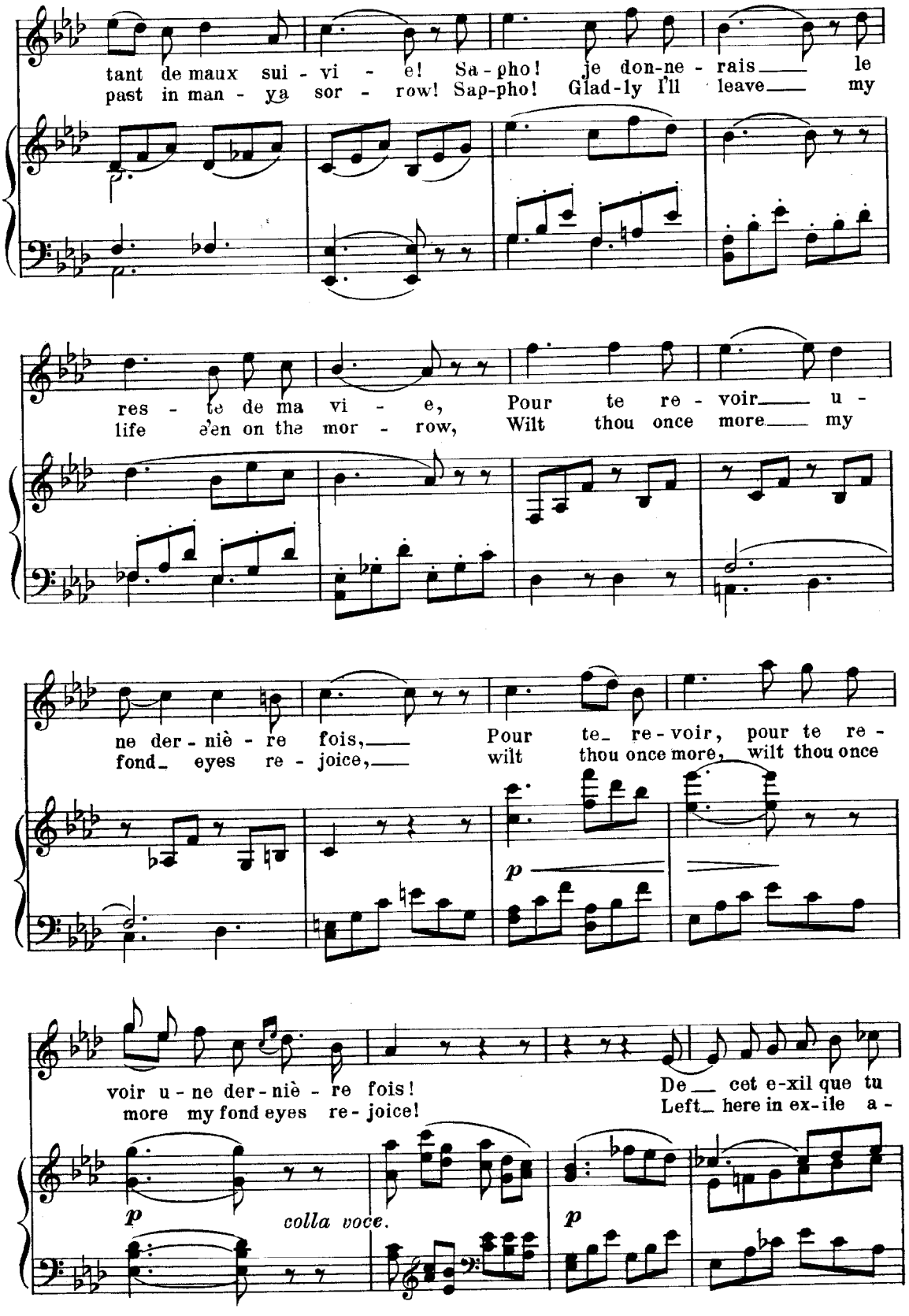
où j'en-ten-dais ta voix,
when I could hear thy voice,
Fé - li - ci - té de
Hours of de - light now


tant de maux sui - vi - e! Sa - pho! je don-ne - rais le
past in man - ya sor - row! Sap-pho! Glad-ly I'll leave my
res - te de ma vi - e, Pour te re - voir u -
life e'en on the mor - row, Wilt thou once more my
ne der - niè - re fois, Pour te re - voir, pour te re -
fond eyes re - joice, wilt thou once more, wilt thou once
p
voir u - ne der - niè - re fois! De cet e-xil que tu
more my fond eyes re - joice! Left here in ex-ile a -
p
colla voce.
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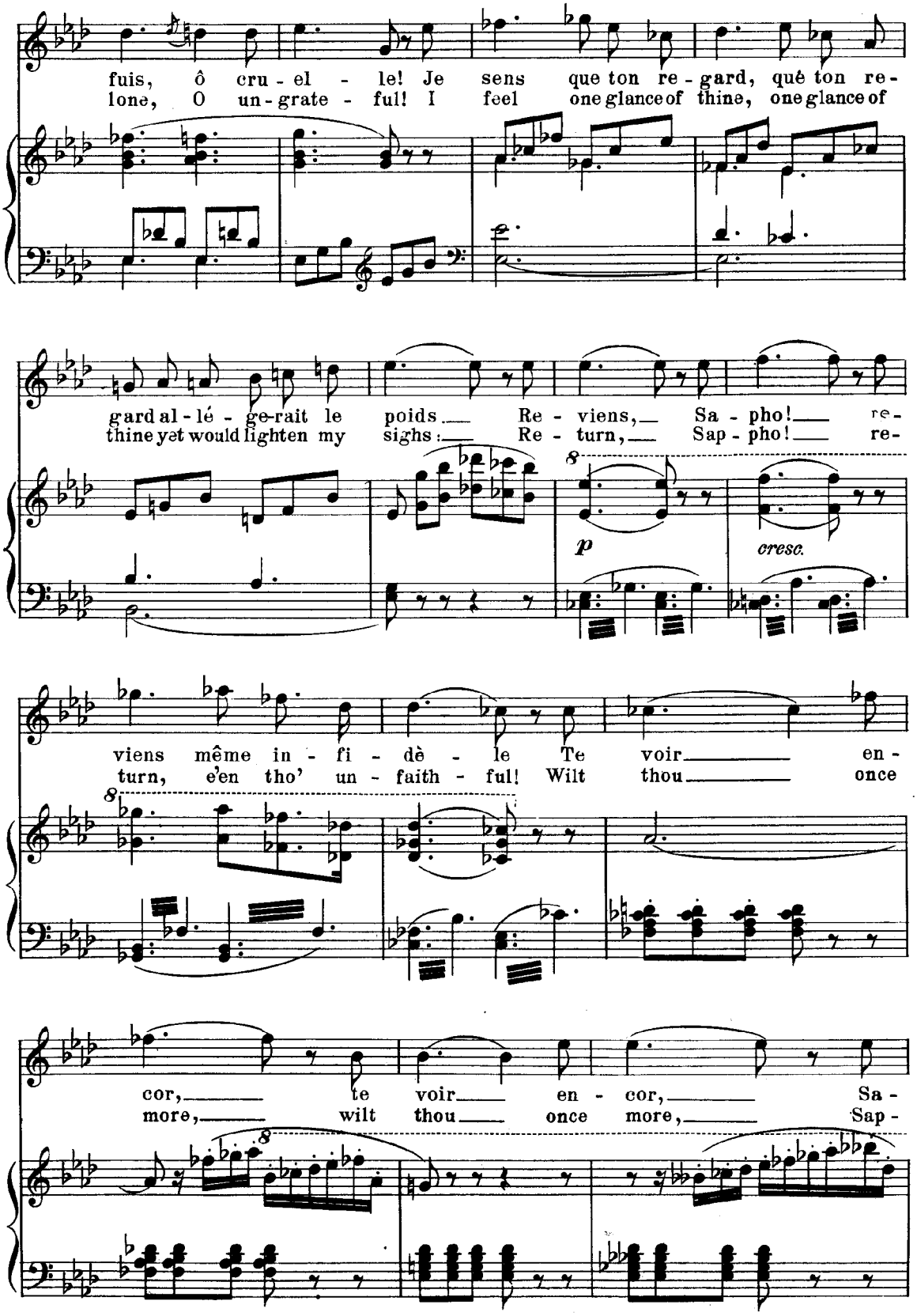
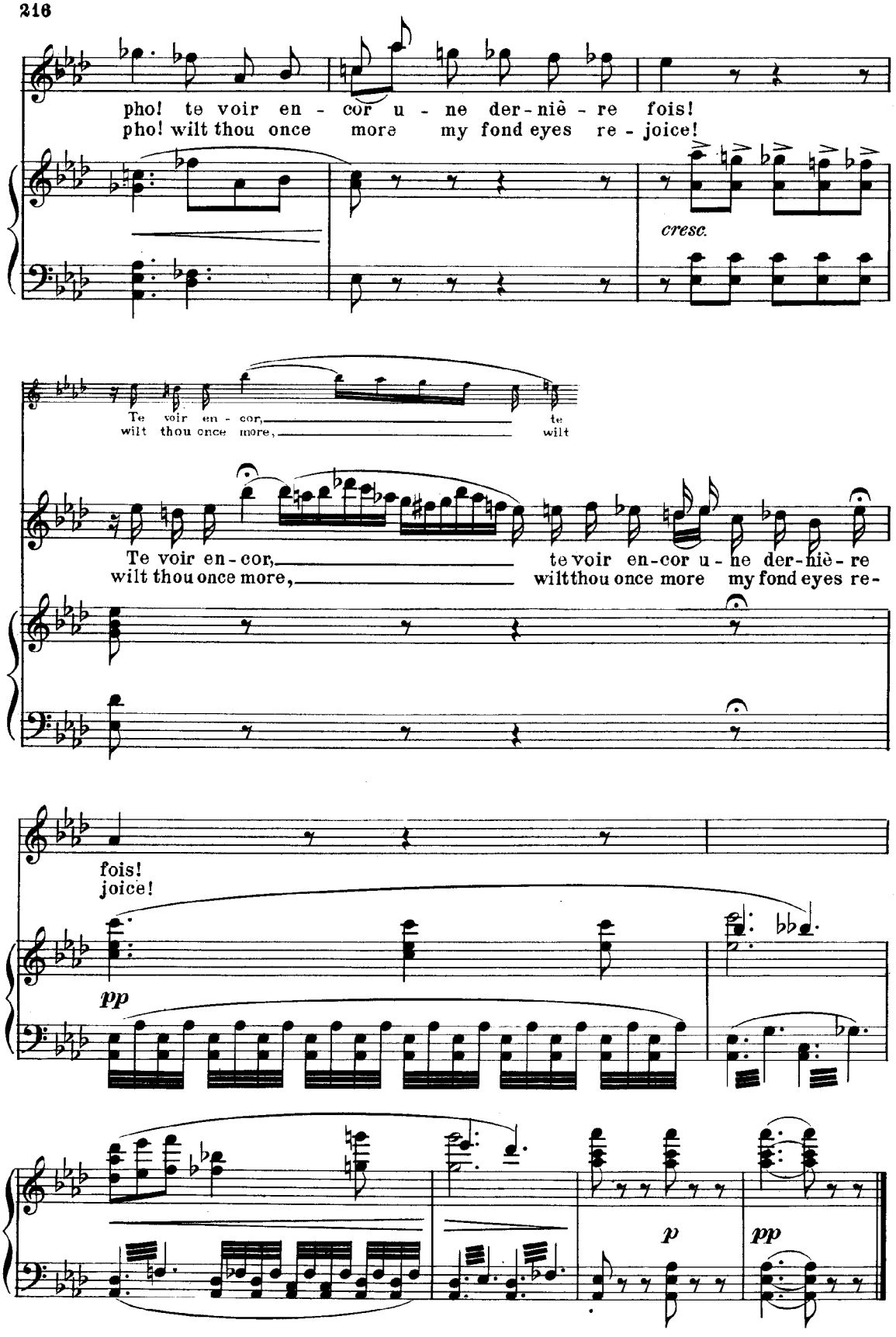

fuis, ô cru - el - le! Je sens que ton re - gard, qué ton re-
lone, O un - grate - ful! I feel one glance of thine, one glance of
gard al - lé - ge-rait le poids Re - viens, Sa - pho! re-
thine yet would lighten my sighs: Re - turn, Sap - pho! re-
p
cresc.
viens même in - fi - dè - le Te voir en -
turn, e'en tho' un - faith - ful! Wilt thou once
cor, te voir en - cor, Sa -
more, wilt thou once more, Sap -


pho! te voir en - cor u - ne der-niè - re fois!
pho! wilt thou once more my fond eyes re - joice!
cresc.
Te voir en - cor, te
wilt thou once more, wilt
Te voir en-cor, te voir en-cor u - ne der-niè - re
wilt thou once more, wilt thou once more my fond eyes re-
fois!
joice!
pp
p
pp