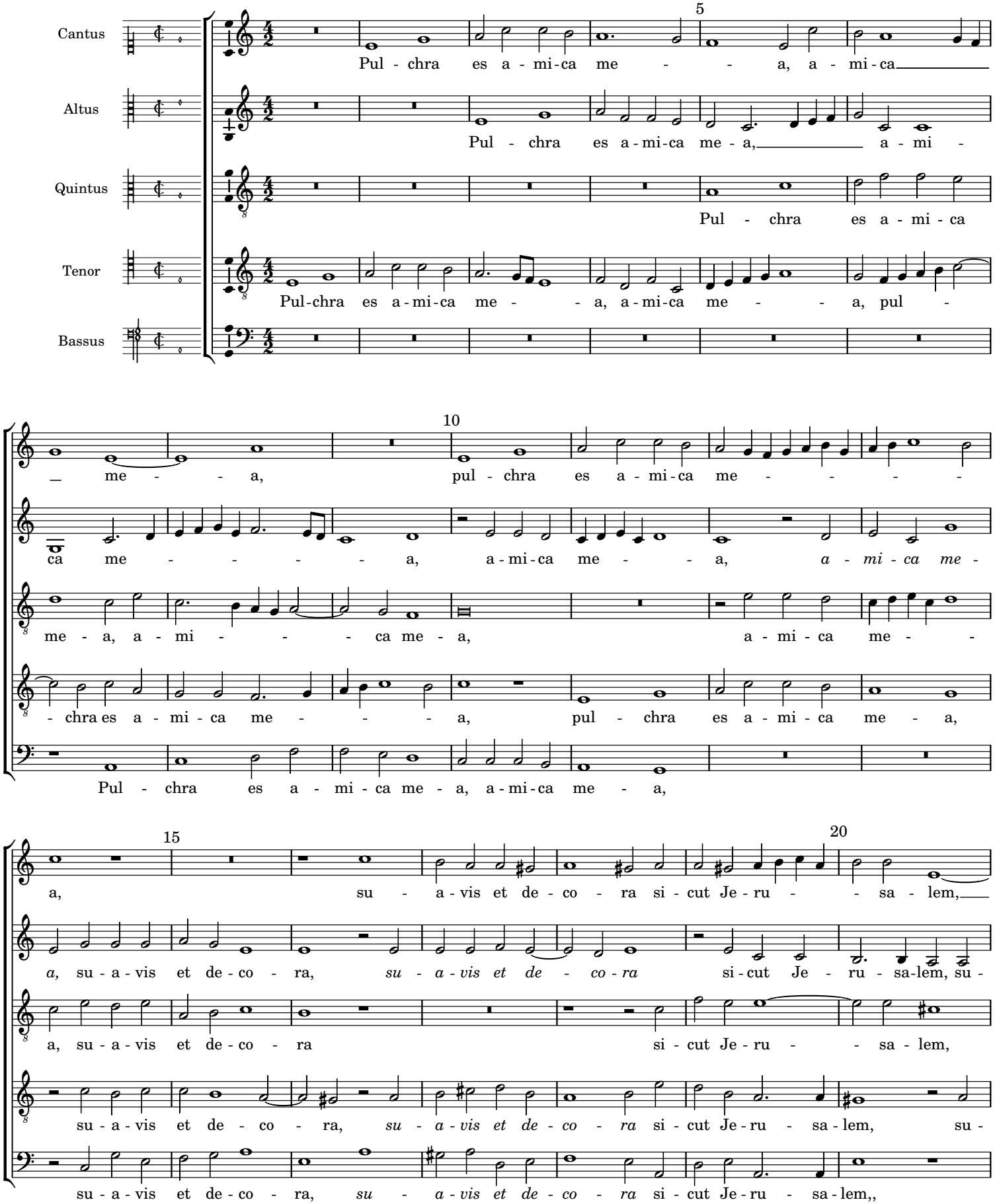
Pulchra es, amica mea

Song of Songs 6:3-4

Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (c.1525-1594)

Motettorum ... Liber quartus (Gardano press, Rome, 1584)



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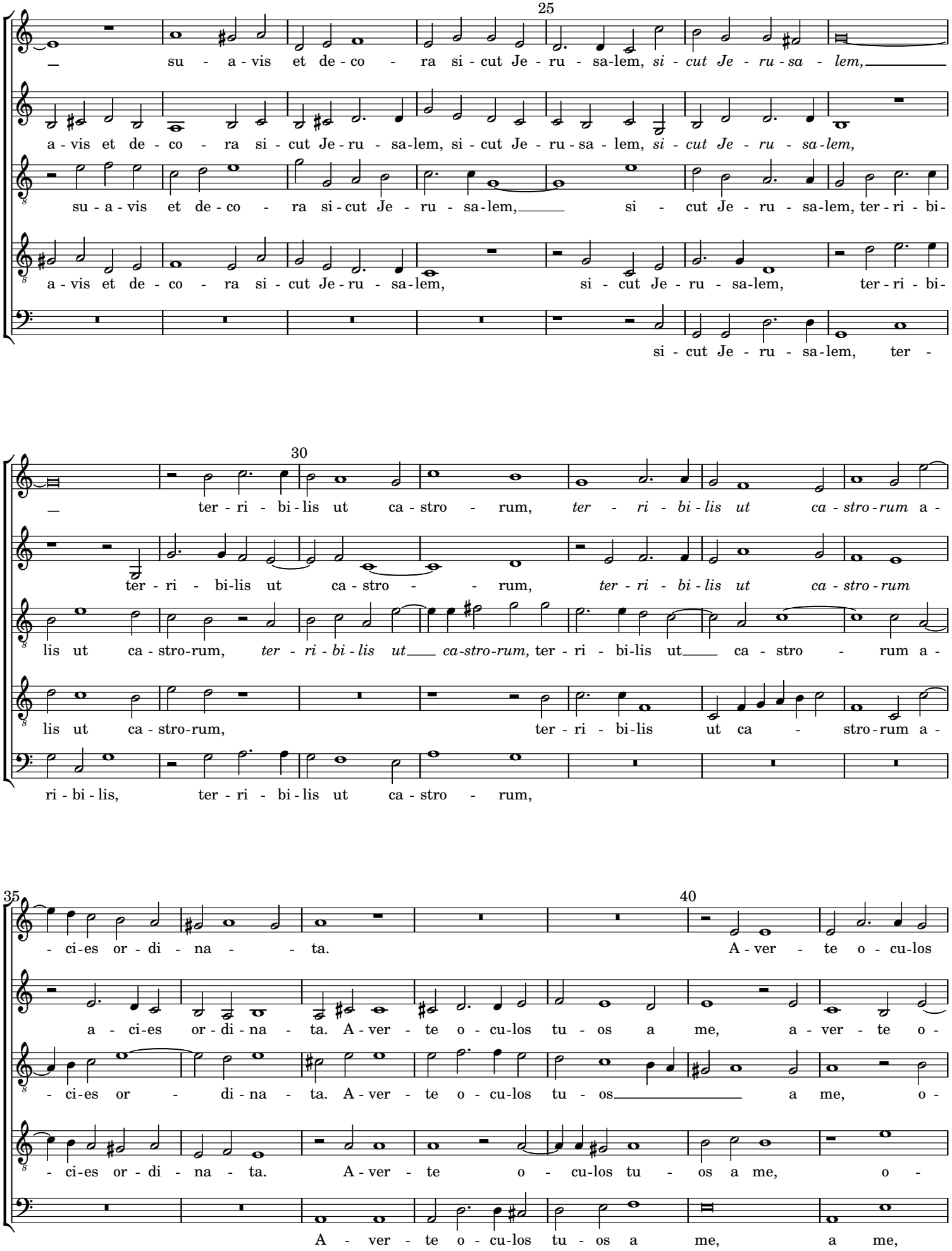

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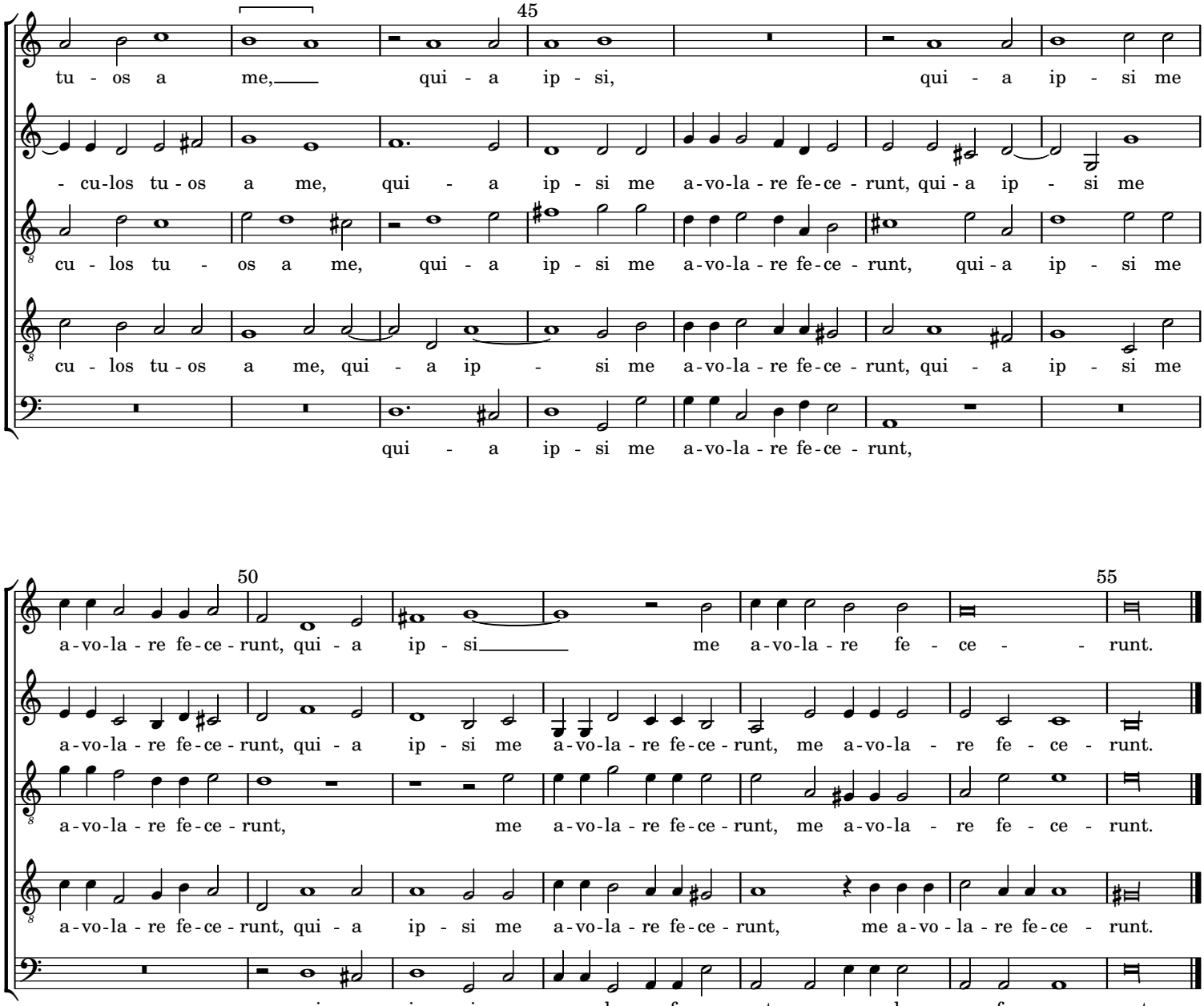

Pulchra es, amica mea;
suavis, et decora sicut Jerusalem;
terribilis ut castrorum acies ordinata.
Averte oculos tuos a me,
quia ipsi me avolare fecerunt.

Thou art beautiful, O my love,
sweet and comely as Jerusalem:
terrible as an army set in array.
Turn away thy eyes from me,
for they have made me flee away.
Douay Rheims translation

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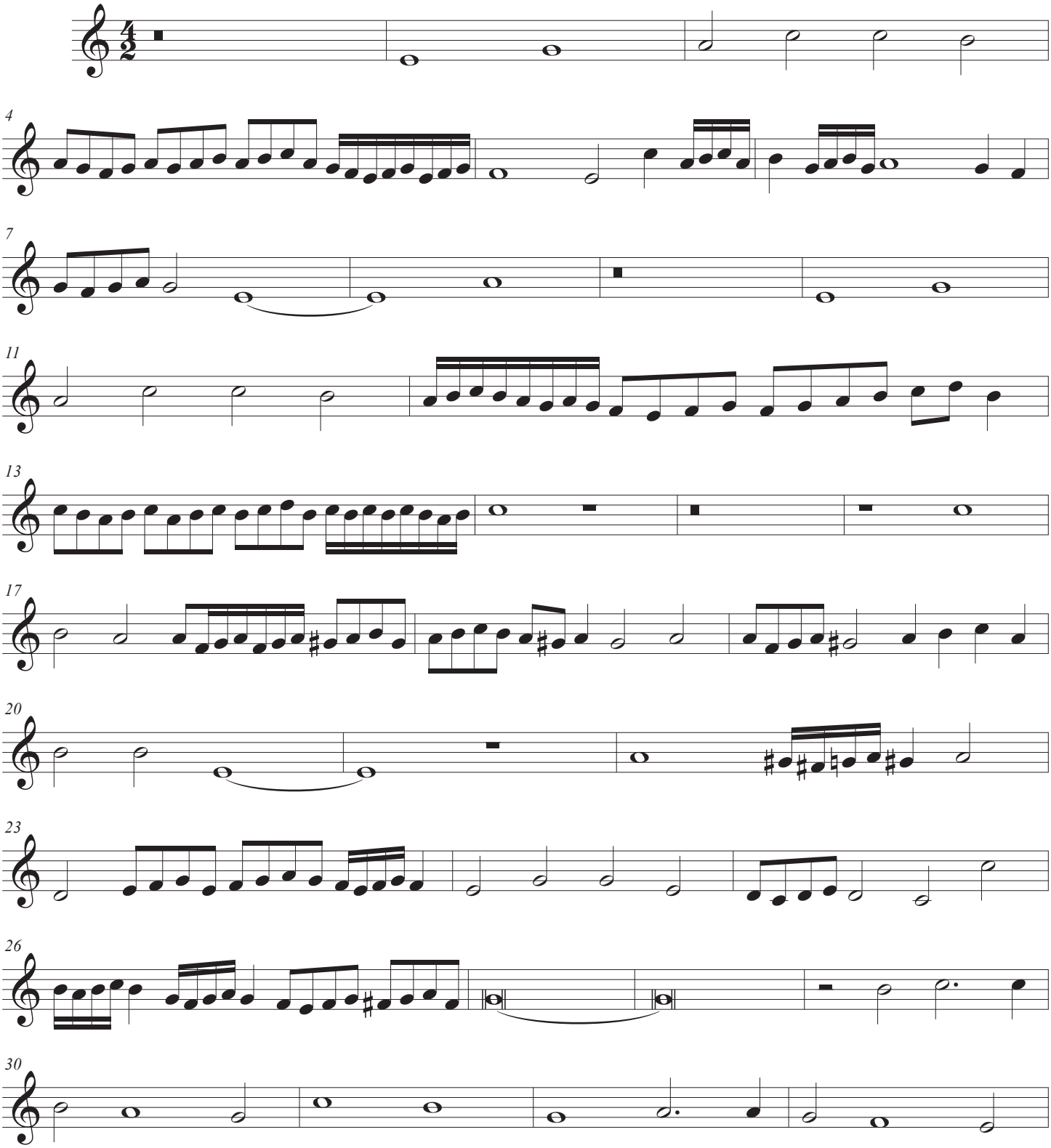

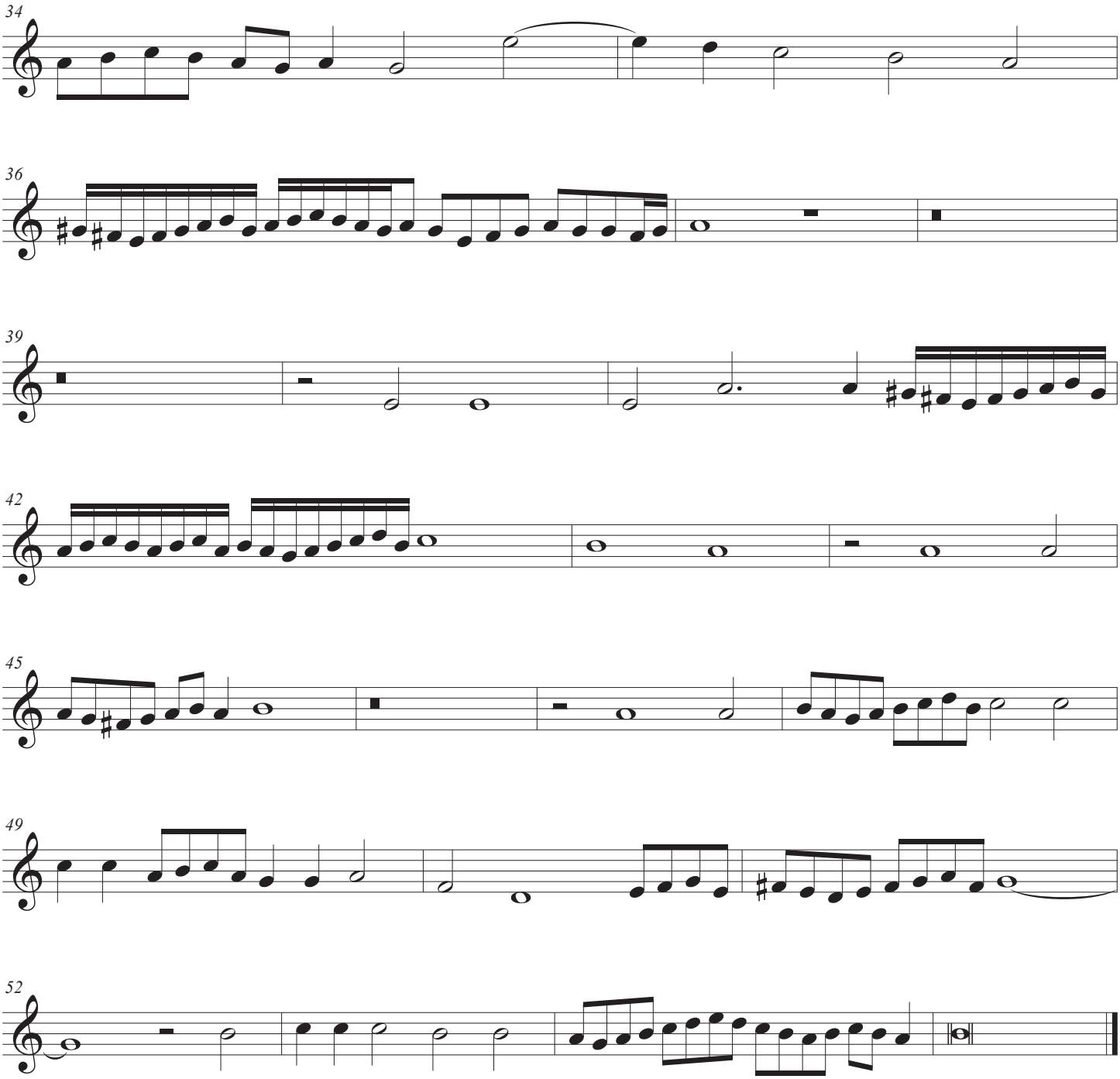

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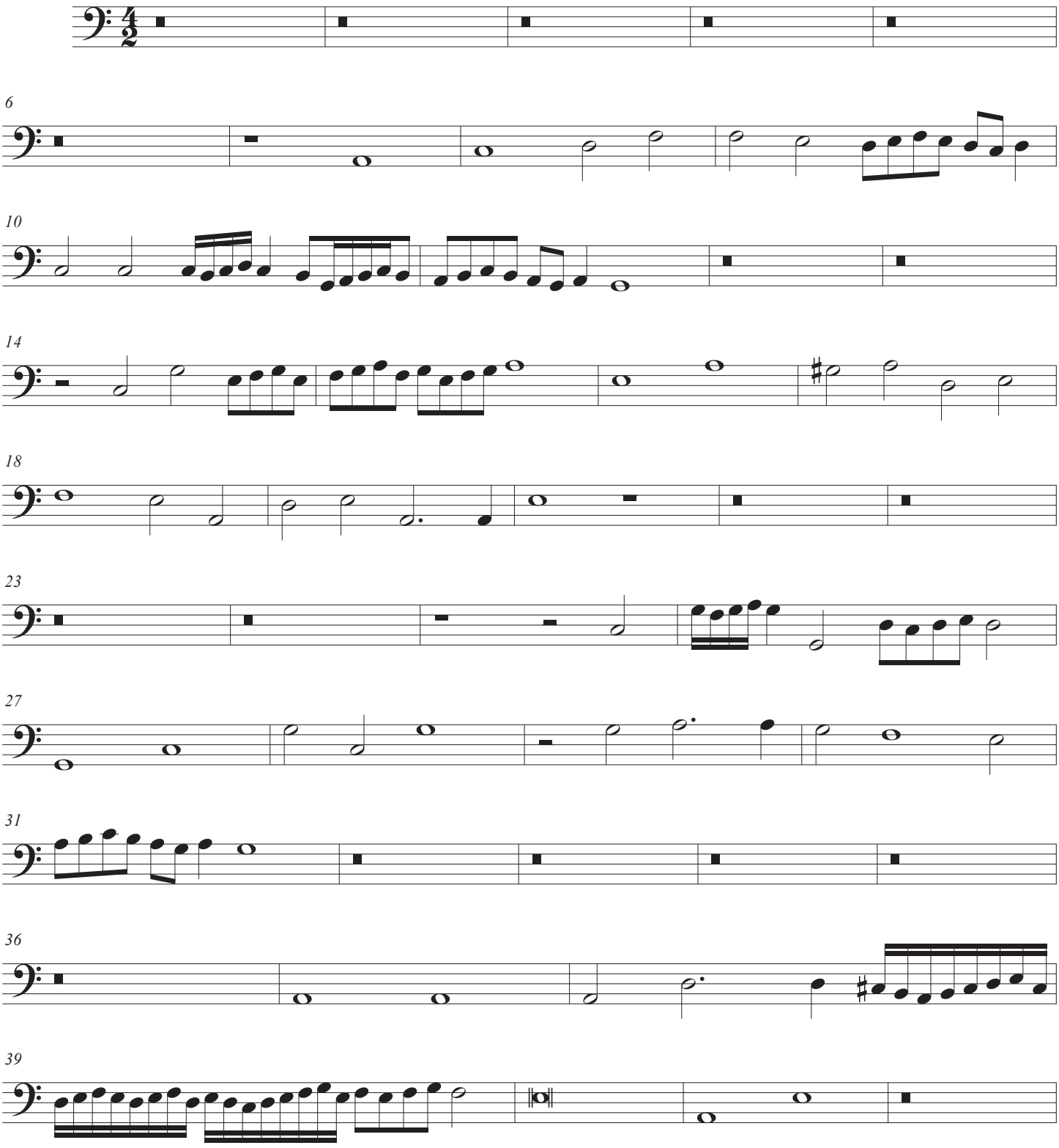

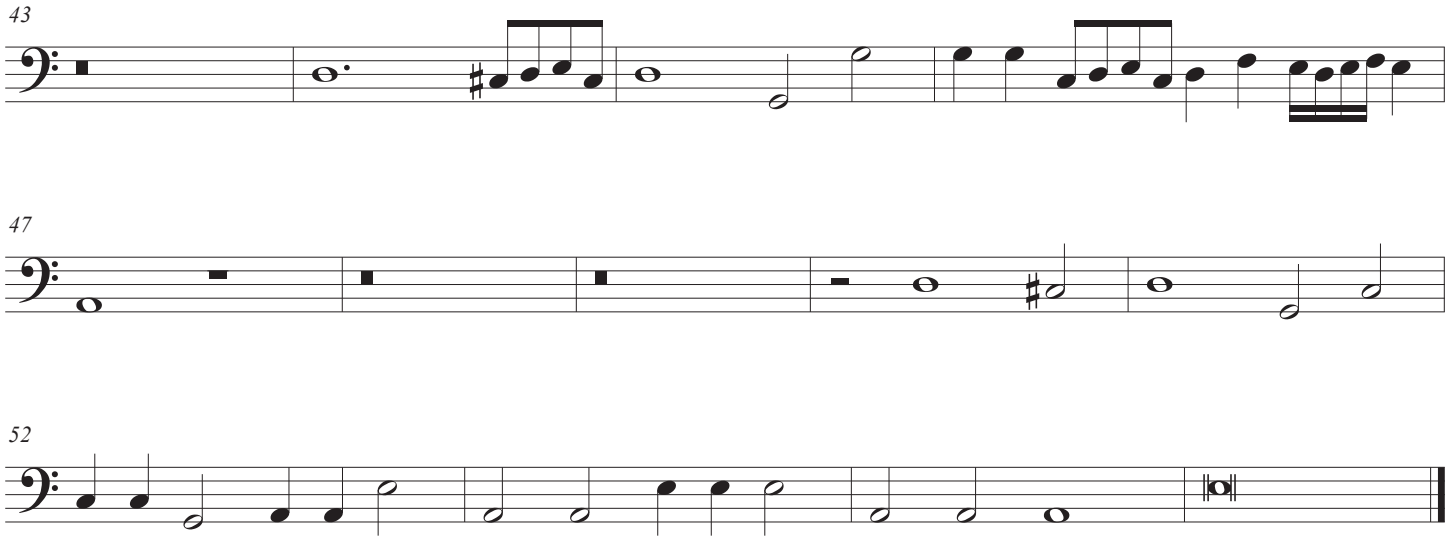

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