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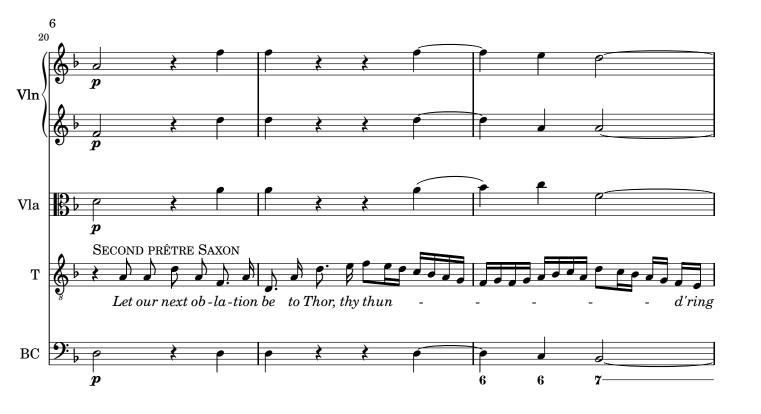














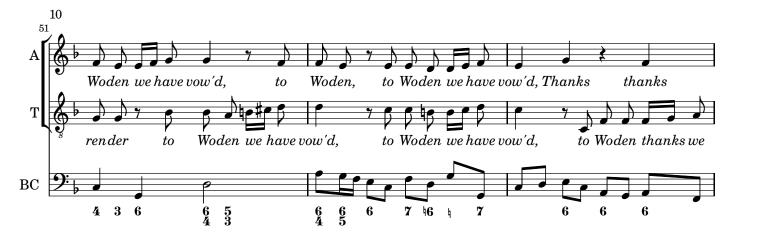


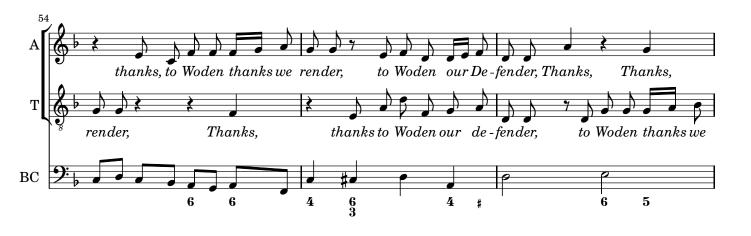


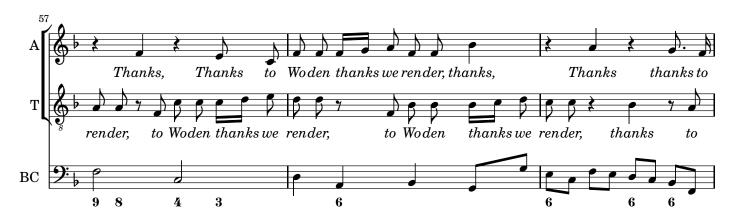


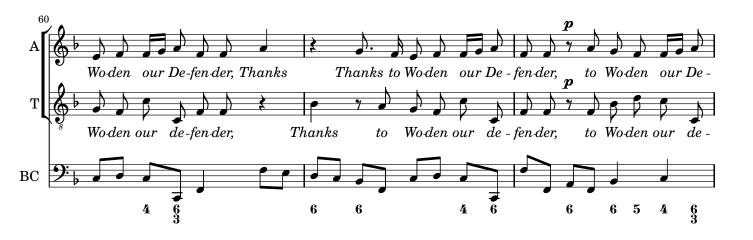




















































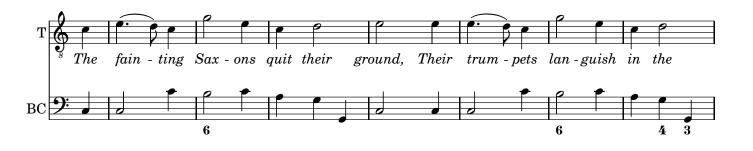
















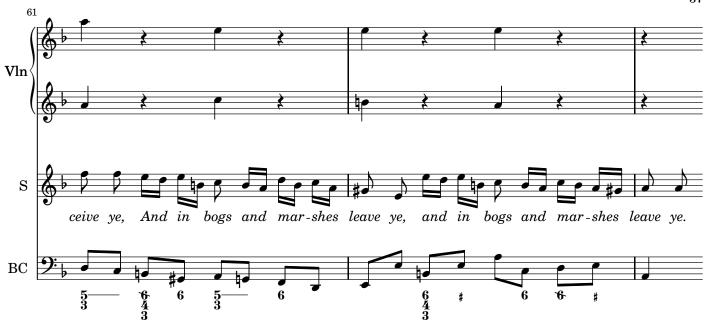














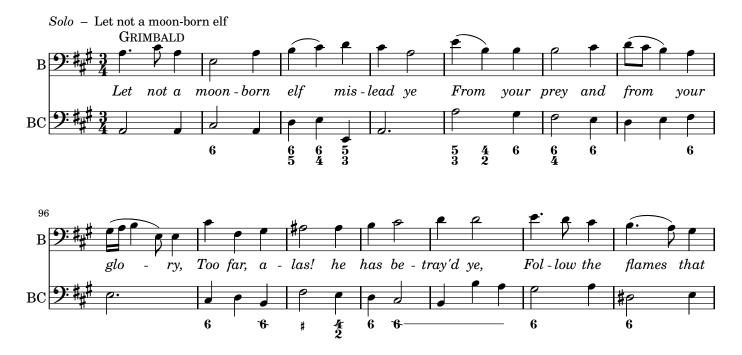












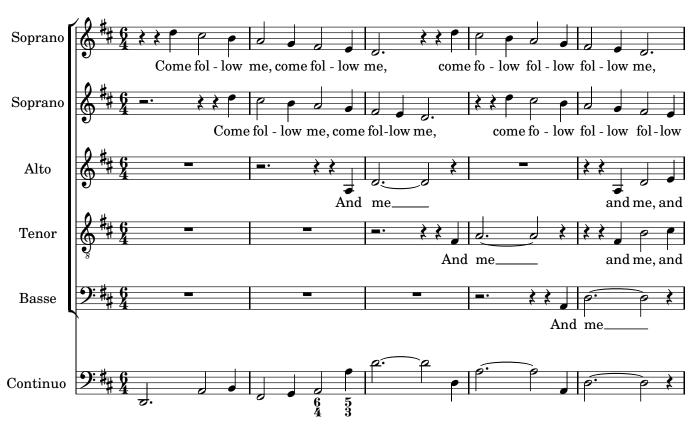


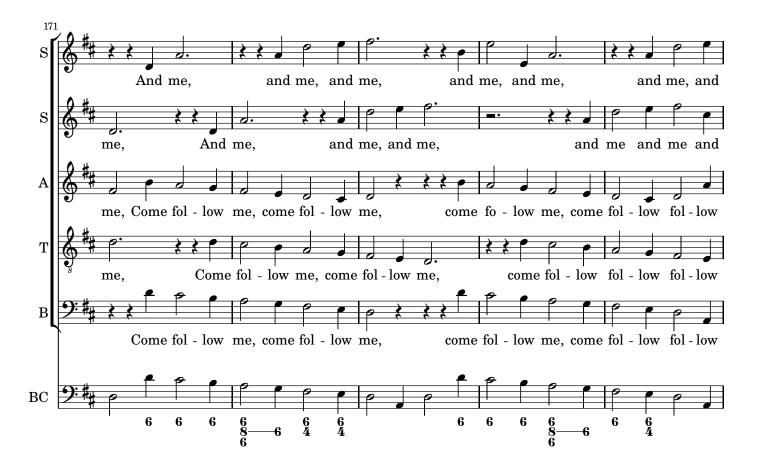




















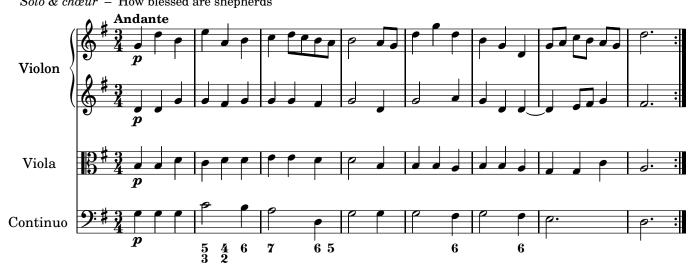


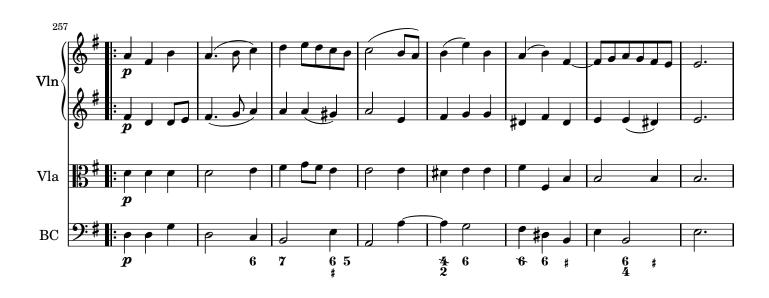




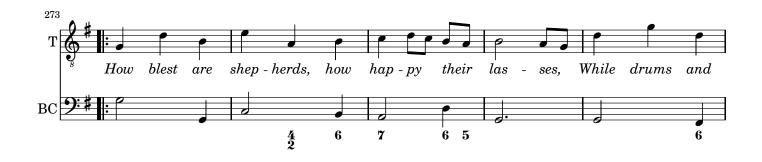


Solo & chœur - How blessed are shepherds



























































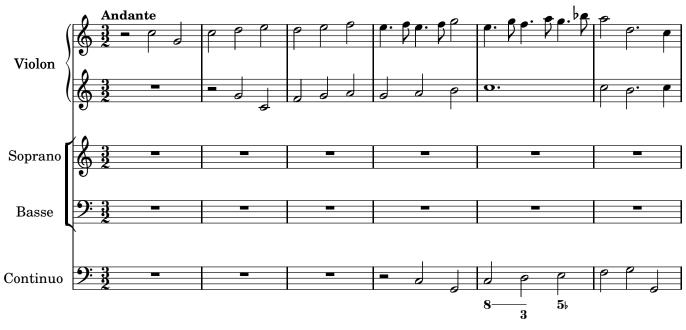


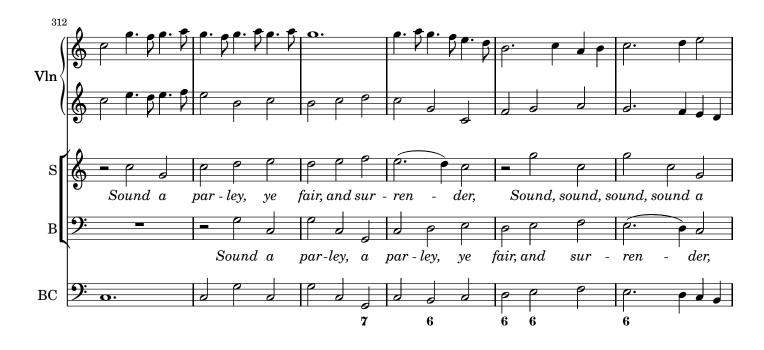


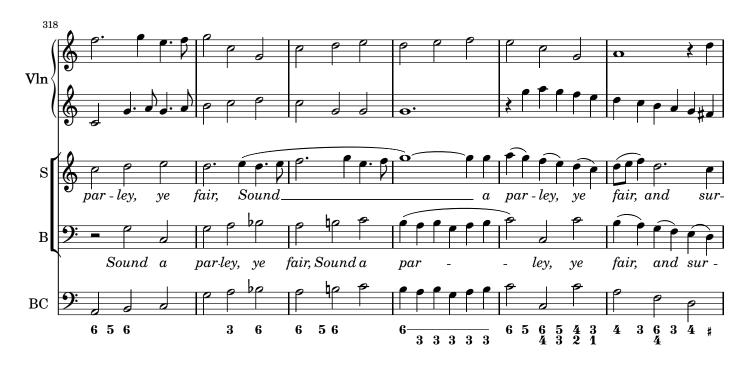




Duo - Sound a parley, ye fair



















Acte quatre



























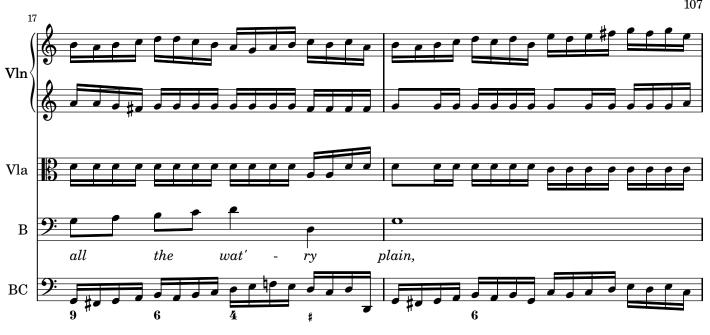


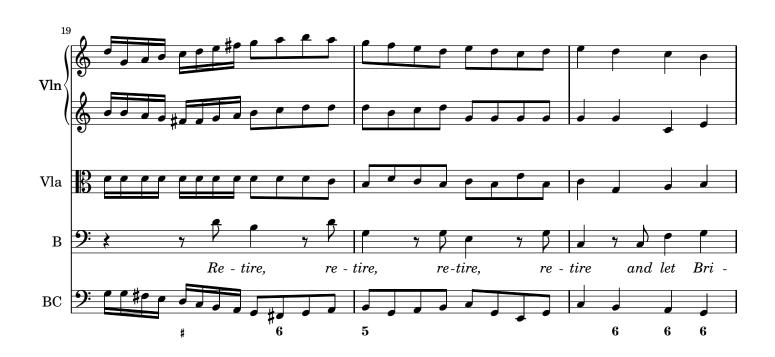


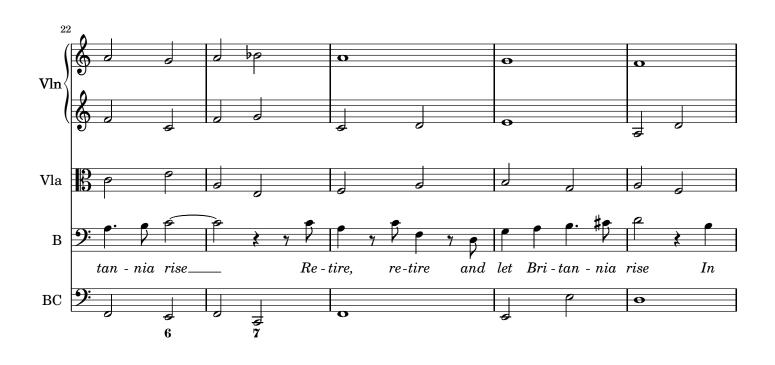
Acte cinq















110 Symphonie Andante maestoso Violon Hautbois Continuo 2 Htb Htb BCHtb BCHtb



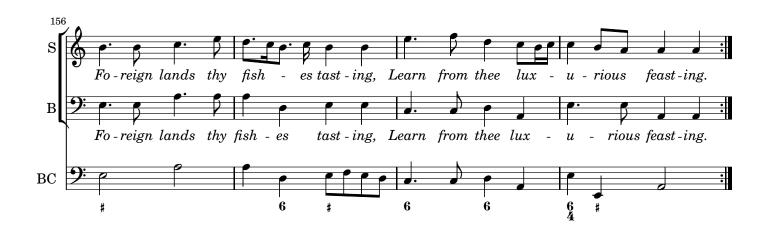








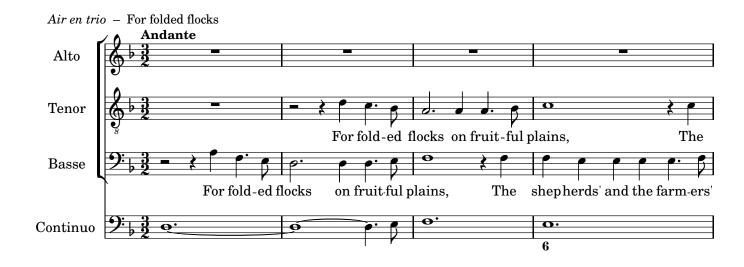


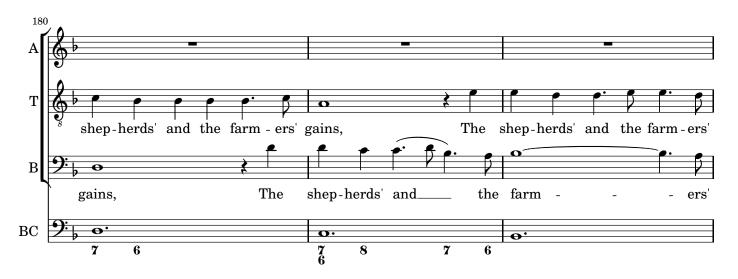
































































Notes éditoriales

Acte premier

Solo & chœur – I call you all to Woden's hall Troisième prêtre Saxon – paroles

I call you all... Where ye shall laugh

I call ye all... Where you shall laugh

 $Solo \& ch \alpha ur - Come$, if you dare Second prêtre Saxon & Ch \alpha ur - paroles

Then return to our lasses...

We return to our lasses...

Acte deux

Solo & $ch\alpha ur$ — Hither, this way bend Philidel — mesures 46, 51





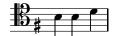
Solo – Let not a moon-born elf Grimbald – paroles

Follow the flames that wave before thee:

Follow the flames that wave before *ye*:

Solo & $ch\alpha ur$ — How blessed are shepherds Tenor — mesure 281





Tutti-paroles

Let not youth fly away without consenting;

Let not youth fly away without contenting;

 ${\it Duo-Shepherd}$, shepherd, leave decoying Tutti – paroles

Pipes are sweet, on Summer's day; ...
... Set your marks that cannot write;

Pipes are sweet, *a* Summer's day; Set *their* marks that cannot write;

Acte trois

 $Ch\alpha ur$ – See, we assemble Tenor – mesure 193





Acte quatre

 ${\it Duo}\,-\,{\it Two}$ daughters of this aged stream

Tutti - paroles

And both our sea green locks have comb'd for ye.

And both our sea green locks have comb'd for thee.

Passacaille – $Solo \& ch\alpha ur$ – How happy the lover

Alto - mesures 125, 129



Passacaille – Solo & chœur – How happy the lover attribué à Soprano

attribué à Tenor

Passacaille – Solo & chœur – How happy the lover Tutti – paroles

Then use the *sweet* blessing, Whilst now in possessing.

Then use the *short* blessing, *That flies* in possessing.

Acte cinq

Duo & chœur - Round thy coasts

Tutti – paroles

Learn from thee luxurious feasting.

Learn from thee luxurious fasting.

Duo & chœur - Round thy coasts

Tutti – paroles

For folded flocks or fruitful plains,

For folded flocks on fruitful plains,

Air - Fairest Isle, all isles excelling

Violon I – mesure 219





Vénus – mesures 243, 251, 275, 283





Vénus – paroles

Those shall be re -- nown'd in Love.

Those shall be re -- nown'd for Love.

 $Air\,-\,$ St. George, the patron of our Isle

Honneur - paroles

On *this* auspicious order smile

On that auspicious order smile

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