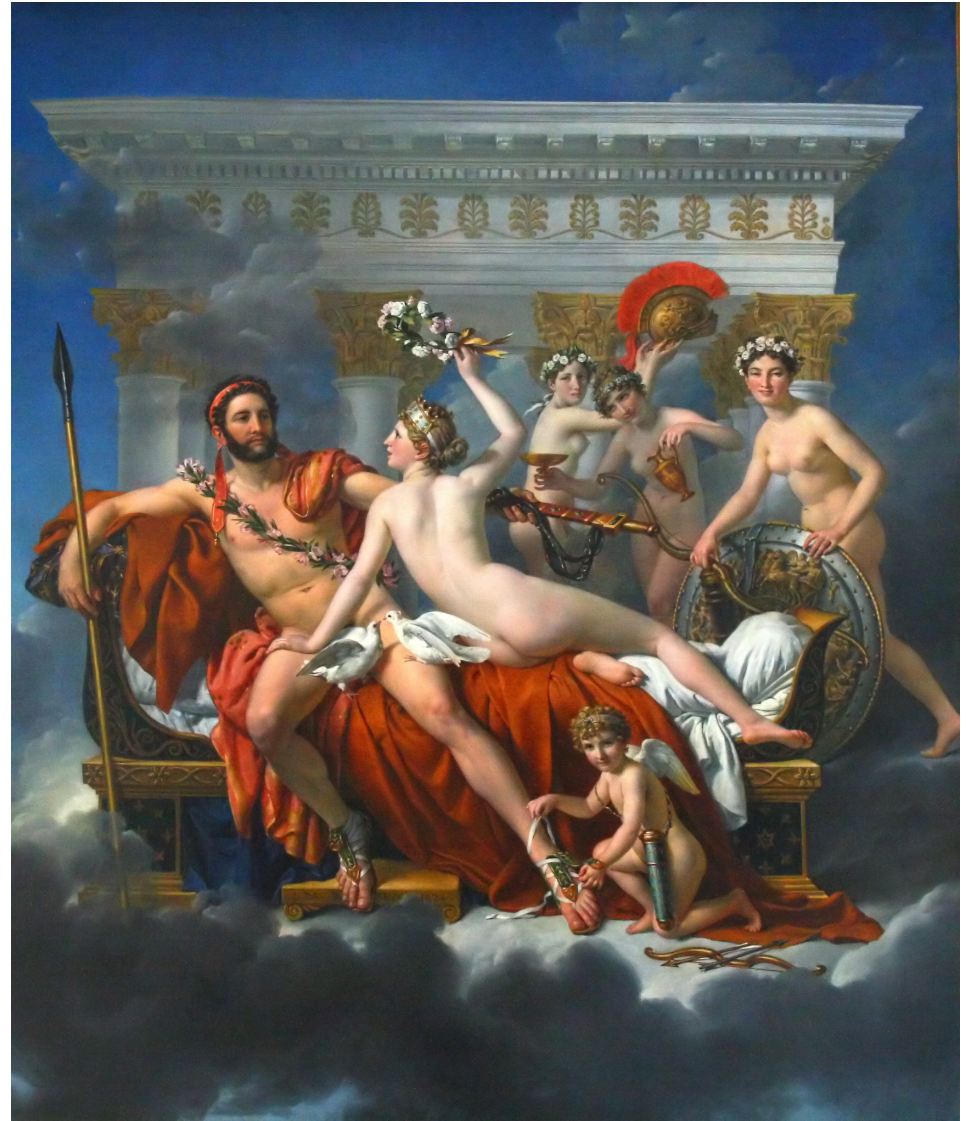


The Art of Venus

a chamber opera
by Edward Lambert





In 1914 Mary Richardson, a prominent suffragette, entered London's National Gallery with a meat cleaver, and repeatedly slashed the painting by Velazquez known as the Rokeby Venus. So shocking was this incident, that contemporary reports describe "cruel" wounds as though inflicted on an actual female body rather than on a artwork. "The incident has come to symbolize a particular perception of feminist attitudes towards the female nude; in a sense, it has come to represent a specific stereotypical image of feminism more generally." (Lynda Nead, 'The Female Nude: Art, Obscenity, and Sexuality', New York, 1992)

In 2013, the selection process began to find crews for the first one-way missions to Mars. In 2027, as the spacecraft hurtles through space, humanity holds its breath... can the planet be colonised?

But has anyone reckoned on Venus? An opera about the power of the gods - and a myth waiting to happen.

Synopsis

We are introduced to Three Earthlings as they blast off from Earth on their one-way mission to settle on Mars. Mars himself recalls his union with Venus and his glorious past as a god; if only humans would return to him and he could see Venus once more in the flesh.

In the confines of their spacecraft, the Earthlings are excited and apprehensive about their future: they are moved to ecstasy by their view of Earth to which they will never return and the prospect of their new life on the Red Planet.

As they report to Mission Control, Mars thinks he hears voices, then is surprised and aroused by the appearance of Venus herself.

Older now and scarred, she scornfully refuses his advances; degraded in Art as an object of human lust, she has come in revenge to thwart the Earthlings' plan. Learning that humans are coming not as worshippers but as conquerors, Mars falls grief-stricken and, with nowhere to go, the spacecraft plummets to oblivion. But Venus isn't finished yet...

The Art of Venus

libretto by Max Waller and Edward Lambert

Characters:

The planetary deities:

Mars - *baritone*

Venus - *mezzo-soprano*

The Earthlings:

Earthling 1 - *soprano*

Earthling 2 - *tenor*

Earthling 3 - *bass*

Scene: The planet Mars, and a space capsule heading towards it

Instruments:

Marimba (5 octave)

Violin

Cello

Accordion

Duration: about 33 minutes

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The Art of Venus

Chamber Opera

music by Edward Lambert

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♩ = 80
Prologue, on Earth as the Earthlings prepare to embark
Earthlings
Earthling 1 We ven - ture forth to es - tab - lish a set - tle - ment on
Earthling 2 We ven - ture forth to es - tab - lish a set - tle - ment on
Earthling 3 We ven - ture forth to es - tab - lish a set - tle - ment on
Marimba
Violin *f*
Cello *f*
Accordion *f* *fp*

E.1
Mars. More than two hun-dred thou-sand men and wo-men from a-round the world re- spon-ded to the

E.2
8 Mars. More than two hun-dred thou-sand men and wo-men from a-round the world re- spon-ded to the

E.3
Mars. More than two hun-dred thou-sand men and wo-men from a-round the world re- spon-ded to the

Mrb.
f

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.
f

11

E.1
call for as - tro-nauts: _____ we will be re - mem - bered for _____ all e - ter -

E.2
8 call for as - tro-nauts: _____ we will be re - mem - bered for _____ all e - ter -

E.3
call for as - tro-nauts: _____ we will be re - mem - bered for _____ all e - ter -

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

17

E.1
- ni - ty!

E.2
- ni - ty!

E.3
- ni - ty!

I dream of in-ter-pla-ne-tary tra - vel ____ as a means to

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

ff

ff

ff

sfz

ff

p

p

p

3

3

3

6

6

6

6

lift hu - ma - ni - ty out of po - ver - ty and war, to fos - ter a new ci - vi - li - sa -

The musical score is arranged for a vocal ensemble (E.1, E.2, E.3), mandolin (Mrb.), violin (Vln.), violoncello (Vc.), and acoustic guitar (Acc.). The vocal parts E.1 and E.2 are in treble clef, while E.3 is in bass clef. The mandolin, violin, and violoncello parts are also in treble clef, and the acoustic guitar part is in bass clef. The lyrics are written below the vocal parts. The score consists of four measures. The first measure contains the lyrics 'lift hu - ma - ni - ty out of po - ver - ty and war,'. The second measure contains 'to fos - ter a new'. The third measure contains 'ci - vi - li - sa -'. The fourth measure is empty. The vocal parts E.1 and E.2 have rests in all four measures. The vocal part E.3 has a melodic line in the first measure, a rest in the second, and a melodic line in the third and fourth measures. The mandolin part has a melodic line in the first measure, a rest in the second, and a melodic line in the third and fourth measures. The violin part has a melodic line in the first measure, a rest in the second, and a melodic line in the third and fourth measures. The violoncello part has a melodic line in the first measure, a rest in the second, and a melodic line in the third and fourth measures. The acoustic guitar part has a melodic line in the first measure, a rest in the second, and a melodic line in the third and fourth measures.

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Score for Edward Lambert: The Art of Venus, page 10. The score is in 12/16 time and includes the following parts:

- E.1**: Vocal part, mostly rests.
- E.2**: Vocal part with lyrics: "I am a Mar-tian! I want to ask you hu-mans: are you peace-ful to-wards one a-no-ther and".
- E.3**: Vocal part with lyrics: "- tion, to cre - ate hope _____ for our youth."
- Mrb.**: Maracas, playing a rhythmic pattern starting in the second measure.
- Vln.**: Violin, playing a melodic line with dynamics *pp* and *p*.
- Vc.**: Violoncello, playing a rhythmic pattern with dynamics *p* and *pp*.
- Acc.**: Accordion, playing a harmonic accompaniment.

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E.1

E.2

E.3

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

I pride ____ my-

o - ther spe - cies? do you care for the pla - net or will you de - stroy it?

It's time for an e - xo - dus, a voyage to a new

self on my work ethic, but I like to have fun and make people smile.

world, offering new ideas for new a -

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

41

E.1

E.2

E.3

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

There's more to life _____ than mar - riage and ba - bies so I es -

what are your com - mon aims? Se - rious - ly, se - rious - ly,

chiev - - - - - ments. I a - wait my fu - ture,

capé _____ this en - vi - ron - ment to tra - vel the u - ni - verse _____

pro - gress ex - pands our em - pa - thy, _____ pro - gress ex - pands our em - pa - thy _____ be - yond fron - tiers, _____ be - yond fron - tiers of

_____ hands on heart, _____ rea - dy to face _____ what - e - ver the

Mrb.

Vln. *p*

Vc. *p*

Acc.

E.1
— for some a - ma - zing ex - pe - rien - ces, for some a - ma -

E.2
8 fa - mily, na - tion or ter - rain. On - ly tech - no - lo - gi - cal ad - van - ces will se - cure the

E.3
U - ni - verse has to throw at me. This is my cal - ling, and

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

53

E.1 - - zing ex-pe - rien-ces! I love a-dre - na-line! We ven - ture forth to es-tab - lish

E.2 fu - ture _____ of the hu - man race. We ven - ture forth to es-tab - lish

E.3 _____ the time is now. _____ We ven - ture forth to es-tab - lish

Mrb. *f*

Vln. *f*

Vc. *f*

Acc. *f*

*(The spacecraft blasts off from Earth)***61**

♩ = 66

E.1
— a set - tle-ment on Mars,
on Mars...

E.2
8 — a set - tle-ment on Mars,
on Mars...

E.3
— a set - tle-ment on Mars,
on Mars...

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

pp

(The scene reveals the figure of Mars on his eponymous planet, dressed in battle armour and carrying a large spear. It is a beautiful, red dawn. Briefly we notice on an easel Velazquez' painting of Venus, a vision which fades as Mars wakes from sleep)

M.

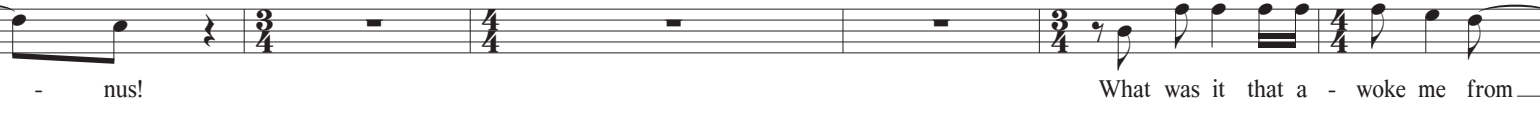
Vln.

Acc.

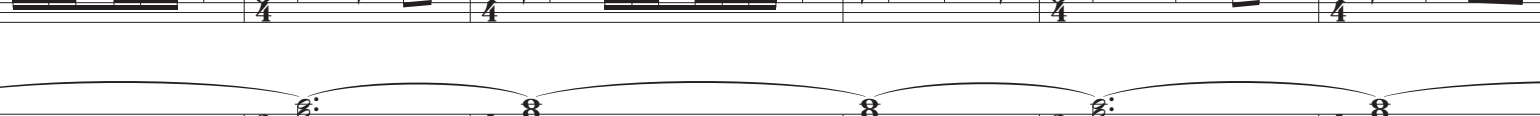
Mars

Ve - nus,

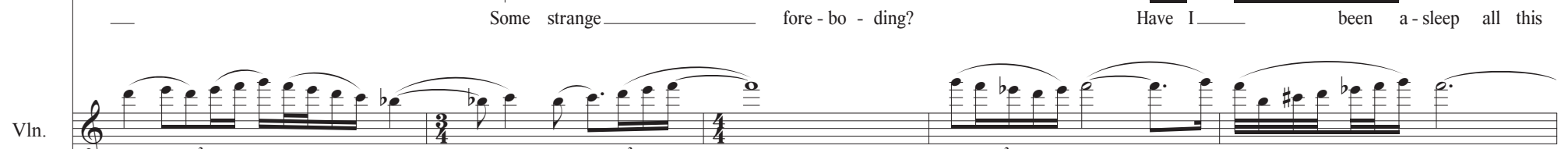
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M. 

Vln. 

Acc. 

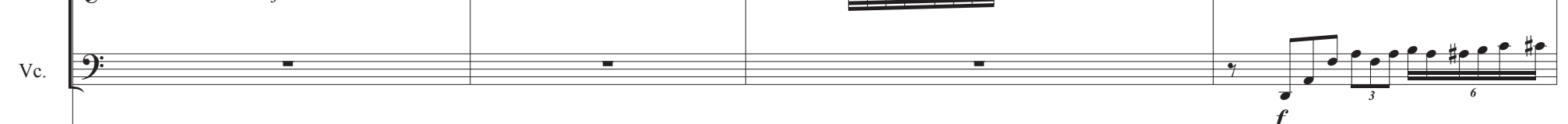
M. 
Some strange _____ fore - bo - ding? Have I _____ been a - sleep all this

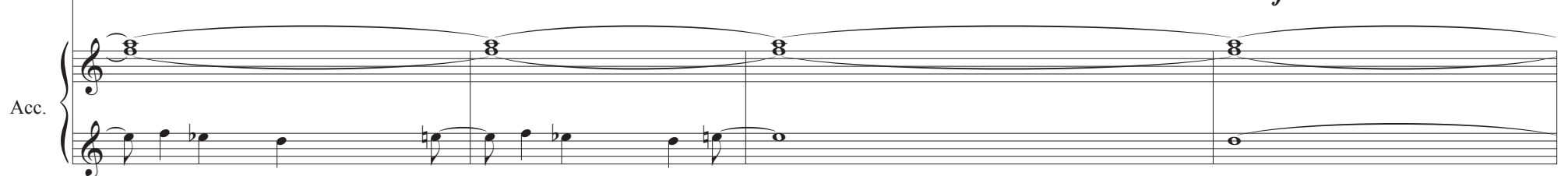
Vln. 

Acc. 

M. 
_____ time, e - ver since Rome turned its back on me?

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

M. *Ve-nus, I see you now! How daz - - - ling your light,*

Mrb. *f* *12*

Vln. *f*

Vc. *f* *3*

Acc. *f* *3*

[SB]

This musical score is for a scene from Edward Lambert's opera 'The Art of Venus'. It features five staves: a vocal line for Mars (M.), a maracas line (Mrb.), a violin line (Vln.), a viola line (Vc.), and an acoustic guitar line (Acc.). The vocal line is in bass clef and includes the lyrics 'Ve-nus, I see you now! How daz - - - ling your light,'. The maracas line is in treble clef and features a rhythmic pattern with a forte (f) dynamic and a triplet of sixteenth notes. The violin line is in treble clef and has a forte (f) dynamic. The viola line is in bass clef and includes a forte (f) dynamic and a triplet of eighth notes. The acoustic guitar line consists of two staves, both in treble clef, with a forte (f) dynamic and a triplet of eighth notes. A section marked [SB] (Second Ending) begins at the end of the guitar line. The score is written in 4/4 time and includes various musical notations such as slurs, ties, and dynamics.

90

M. *how daz - - - - - ling your light*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

The musical score for rehearsal mark 90 consists of five staves. The Male Voice (M.) staff begins with a triplet of eighth notes (Bb, A, G) and continues with a long melodic line. The Maracas (Mrb.) staff features a triplet of eighth notes (Bb, A, G) and a long melodic line. The Violin (Vln.) staff features a triplet of eighth notes (Bb, A, G) and a long melodic line. The Viola (Vc.) staff features a triplet of eighth notes (Bb, A, G) and a long melodic line. The Accordion (Acc.) staff features a triplet of eighth notes (Bb, A, G) and a long melodic line. The lyrics 'how daz - - - - - ling your light' are written under the male voice staff.

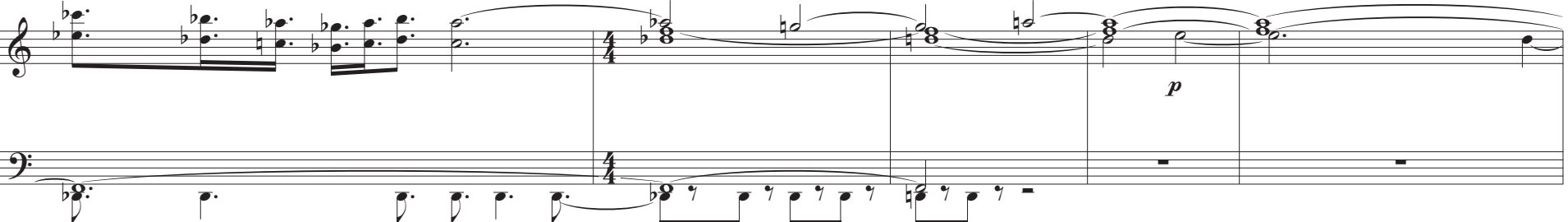
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M. 
seems _____ to me, yet _____ how cold!

Mrb. 
p

Vln. 
p

Vc. 
p

Acc. 
p

101

M.

Have you been wai-ting so long, _____ watch - ing me sleep?

Mrb.

pp

Vln.

p

Vc.

Acc.

pp

M. *Ve - nus, ____ Ve - nus, ____ Ve - nus, ____ Ve - nus, ____ Ve - nus, Ve - nus! Say*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc. *pp*

Acc.

112

♩ = 126

M. some - thing, give me a sign! ____

Earthlings (in the capsule, to one another in conversation)

E.1 The odds were, the odds were

E.2 The odds were, the odds were

E.3 The odds were, the odds were

Mrb. *f*

Vln. *p*

Vc. *pizz.* *p*

Acc. *p* M SB

E.1
six - ty thou - sand to one, the odds were, the odds were six - ty, six - ty thou - sand to one:

E.2
six - ty thou - sand to one, the odds were, the odds were six - ty, six - ty thou - sand to one:

E.3
six - ty thou - sand to one, the odds were, the odds were six - ty, six - ty thou - sand to one:

Mrb.
The harpsichord accompaniment features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a more active bass line in the left hand, often with triplets.

Vln.
The violin part consists of a single melodic line with long, flowing phrases and occasional trills.

Vc.
The viola part provides harmonic support with a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a more active bass line in the left hand, often with triplets.

Acc.
The cello part features a steady eighth-note pattern in the right hand and a more active bass line in the left hand, often with triplets. Dynamics include *M* (mezzo-forte) and *m* (mezzo-piano).

128 132

E.1 they chose us! They chose us de-mo-

E.2 they chose us! They chose us de-mo-

E.3 they chose us! They chose us de-mo-

Mrb.

Vln. *f* *pizz.* *p*

Vc. *f* *p*

Acc. M

E.1
cra - ti - cally, plucked from ob - scu - ri - ty! A big re - spon - si - bi - li - ty, Earth's

E.2
cra - ti - cally, plucked from ob - scu - ri - ty! A big re - spon - si - bi - li - ty, Earth's

E.3
cra - ti - cally, plucked from ob - scu - ri - ty! A big re - spon - si - bi - li - ty, Earth's

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

148

The musical score is for a piece titled "The People's Choice". It features three vocal soloists (E.1, E.2, and E.3) and four instrumental parts (Mrb., Vln., Vc., and Acc.). The score is written in 6/8 time and includes lyrics in English. The vocal parts have lyrics: "re - pre - sen - ta - tives! A once in a life-time op-por - tu - ni - ty, once in a life - time, ____". The instrumental parts include dynamics like *p* (piano) and *f* (forte), and markings like *arco* (arco) and *m* (marcato).

— op-por-tu-ni-ty: a one - way, ti - cket — to e-ter-ni-ty!

feels up here: they should — see! — We tell them, the

— op-por-tu-ni-ty: a one - way, ti - cket — to e-ter-ni-ty!

Mrb. *p* *f* *p* *f*

Vln. *p* *f* *p*

Vc. *p* *f* *p* *pizz.* *p*

Acc. *p* *f* *p* *M* *M*

Score for *The Art of Venus*, page 31. The score includes parts for three vocalists (E.1, E.2, E.3), Maracas (Mrb.), Violin (Vln.), Viola (Vc.), and Accordion (Acc.). The music is in 4/4 time, with key changes to 3/4 and 2/4. The lyrics are:

E.1: We tell _____ them, the stars, the stars, they look won - der - ful, the stars, the stars, they look

E.2: stars, the stars, they look won - der - ful, we tell them, the stars, the stars, they look

E.3: We tell them, the stars, the stars, they look, they look

Mrb.: (Maracas part with triplets)

Vln.: (Violin part, starting with a *p* dynamic marking)

Vc.: (Viola part)

Acc.: (Accordion part with triplets)

171

Score for *The Art of Venus*, page 32, rehearsal mark 171. The score includes parts for three vocalists (E.1, E.2, E.3), piano (Mrb.), violin (Vln.), viola (Vc.), and accordion (Acc.).

Vocal Parts:

- E.1:** won-der-ful! Here is no gra-vi-ty, in- stead our minds are weighed down with mea - ning,
- E.2:** won-der-ful! while our
- E.3:** won-der-ful! Ten long years _____ we've been li - ving _____

Instrumental Parts:

- Mrb. (Piano):** Features a melodic line in the right hand and a supporting line in the left hand. Dynamics include *p* (piano) and *f* (forte).
- Vln. (Violin):** Features a melodic line. Dynamics include *f* (forte).
- Vc. (Viola):** Features a melodic line. Dynamics include *f* (forte) and *arco* (arco).
- Acc. (Accordion):** Features a melodic line. Dynamics include *m* (mezzo-forte) and *f* (forte).

180

E.1
drea - ming of our life to come, the gla - mour of what lies be-yond!

E.2
ship moves through the dark - ness, the sta - sis, the si - lence is awe - some, the strange - ness, the ter - ror, the

E.3
to - ge - ther, we've been wor - king to - ge - ther...

Mrb.
p *f* *p*

Vln.
p *f* *p*

Vc.
p *f* *p*

Acc.
p *f* *p*

189 ♩ = 66

E.2
8 fear of the fu - ture and what lies in store for us when we _____ ar - rive...

Mrb.

Vln.
p

Vc.
pp

Acc.
M
f

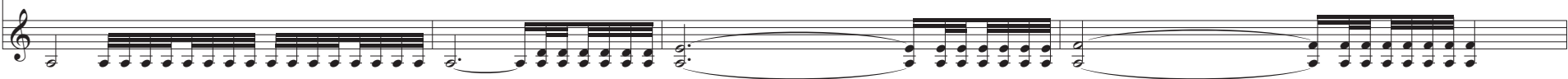
Mars

M. 
No an - swer yet, Gone are the glo - ries of my life as a

Mrb. 
f

Vln. 

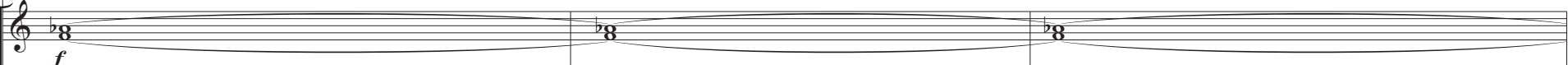
Vc. 

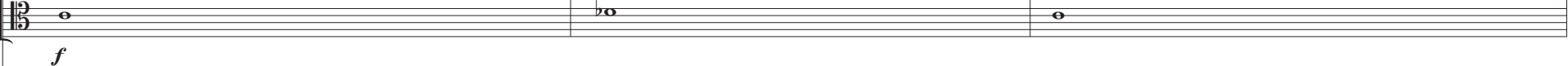
Acc. 

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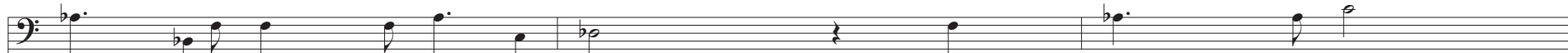
M. 
god: as the pa - tron of war - tions I knew no fear. I

Mrb. 

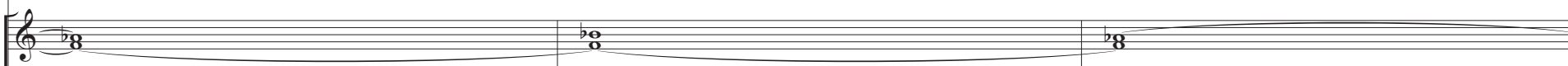
Vln. 
f

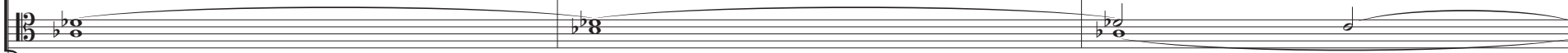
Vc. 
f

Acc. 

M.  crushed re-bel - ions on blood - stained roads, laid siege to great

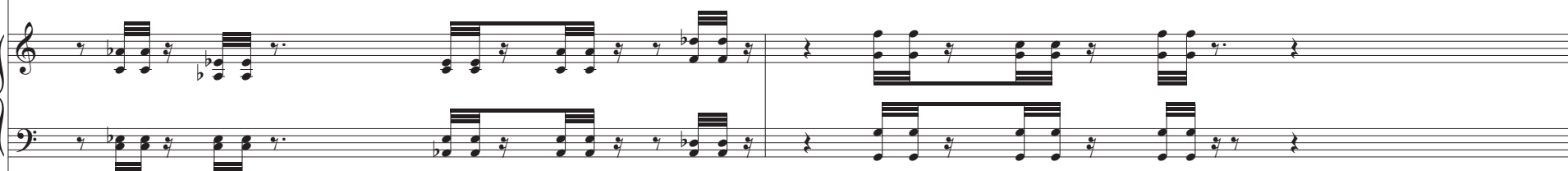
Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

M.  ci - ties, and de - fen - - - - ded Rome,

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

202

M.

Ro - - - ma Ae - ter - - - na, Ro - - -

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

FB

8va

M. *ma Ae - ter - na!* But when the Em - pire

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc. ^(8^{va})

M. fell to its knees I re - mained stan - ding, I sur - vived as I al - ways shall, yet

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

216

M. — a - ban - doned — by men. Wars di - vide them, it was e - ver thus; this — blood red dust —

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

M. — is all I have left — of my splen - dour; im - preg - na - ble, un - rea - cha - ble.

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

224

♩. = 48

Earthlings

E.1 and le - gend is the font — of myth.

E.2 Deeds — are the germ — of le - gend,

E.3 The

Mrb. *p*

Vln.

Vc. *p*

Acc. *p*

strong - - - willed war - riors were our - he -

sai - lers of the stars, - - - were in - deed our he - roes; - - -

first a-stro-nauts - - - were in - deed - - - our - - - he - - - roes;

p

p

233

Score for Edward Lambert: *The Art of Venus*, page 42, rehearsal mark 233. The score is in 12/8 time and consists of four measures.

Vocal Parts:

- E.1:** - roes; now we reach out not for te - ri - tory to
- E.2:** not for te - ri - tory to
- E.3:** not for te - ri - tory to

Instrumental Parts:

- Mrb.:** (Mandolin) - Rests in all measures.
- Vln.:** (Violin) - *p* (piano) in measures 1 and 2. Notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4, F#4, E4, D4.
- Vc.:** (Violoncello) - *p* (piano) in measures 1 and 2. Notes: G3, F#3, E3, D3, C3, B2, A2, G2.
- Acc.:** (Acoustic guitar) - Notes: G2, F#2, E2, D2, C2, B1, A1, G1.

238

E.1 con - quer, in the vast - ness to nur - ture.

E.2 con - quer, but a fra - gile o - a - sis in the vast - ness to nur - ture.

E.3 con - quer, in the vast - ness to nur - ture. So, in - stead of con - quering pio - neers, we are

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

E.1

Acc. *p*

musical score for Edward Lambert's *The Art of Venus*, page 44. The score features vocal parts (E.1, E.2, E.3), piano (Mrb.), violin (Vln.), viola (Vc.), and accordion (Acc.). The lyrics are: "mis-sio-na-ries rea-ching out ___ be-yond nor-ma-li-ty ___ to a grea - ter than our - selves. We a - lone must spell out new me-ta-phors of".

The score is written for a vocal ensemble (E.1, E.2, E.3), piano (Mrb.), violin (Vln.), viola (Vc.), and accordion (Acc.). The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 12/8. The tempo is marked *Andante*.

The vocal parts (E.1, E.2, E.3) are in treble and bass clefs. The piano (Mrb.) is in bass clef. The violin (Vln.) is in treble clef. The viola (Vc.) is in bass clef. The accordion (Acc.) is in treble and bass clefs.

The lyrics are: "mis-sio-na-ries rea-ching out ___ be-yond nor-ma-li-ty ___ to a grea - ter than our - selves. We a - lone must spell out new me-ta-phors of".

The score includes various musical notations, including rests, notes, and dynamic markings (*p*).

245

E.1
that trans - form hu - - - man per -

E.2
con - text, mea - ning and myth, that trans - form

E.3
that trans -

Mrb.
pp

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

E.1
cep - tion of Space; _____ that _____

E.2
8 hu - man per - cep - tion of Space; _____

E.3
form _____ hu - man per - cep - - tion _____ of

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

point to a new re - la - tion - ship of em - pi - ri - cal

Space;

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

258

E.1 and me - ta - phy - si - cal states, and to new ways

E.2 and to new ways

E.3 and to new ways

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

E.1
____ of ex - pres - sing ____ that in - ef - fa - ble ex - pe - rience which is ab - so - lute - ly ____ and for - e - ver ____ and from e - very con - cei - va - ble

E.2
____ of ex - pres - sing ____ that in - ef - fa - ble ex - pe - rience which is ab - so - lute - ly ____ and for - e - ver ____ and from e - very con - cei - va - ble

E.3
____ of ex - pres - sing ____ that in - ef - fa - ble ex - pe - rience which is ab - so - lute - ly ____ and for - e - ver ____ and from e - very con - cei - va - ble

Mrb.

Vln.
pp

Vc.

Acc.

The musical score is arranged in a system with six staves. The top three staves are for vocal parts E.1, E.2, and E.3, each with a vocal line and lyrics. The lyrics are: '____ of ex - pres - sing ____ that in - ef - fa - ble ex - pe - rience which is ab - so - lute - ly ____ and for - e - ver ____ and from e - very con - cei - va - ble'. The bottom three staves are for instrumental parts: Mrb. (Maracas), Vln. (Violin), and Vc. (Violoncello). The Vln. part has a 'pp' marking. The Acc. (Acoustic guitar) part is also present. The time signature changes from 12/8 to 4/4. The Vln. part has a 'pp' marking.

265

**Mars**

M. Men _____ no lon - ger need their

E.1 hu - man stand - point___ un know - a - ble.

E.2 hu - man stand - point un know - a - ble.

E.3 hu - man stand - point___ un know - a - ble.

Mrb. *ff*

Vln. *ff* 3

Vc. *ff*

Acc. *f*

M. *gods; they made us ob - so - lete.*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

This system of music features five staves. The vocal line (M.) is in bass clef, 4/4 time, with lyrics 'gods; they made us ob - so - lete.' The music consists of three measures. The first measure has a whole note 'gods;'. The second measure has a quarter rest followed by eighth notes for 'they' and 'made'. The third measure has a half note for 'us' and a quarter note for 'ob - so - lete.' The harpsichord (Mrb.) and violin (Vln.) parts are in treble clef, 4/4 time. The harpsichord has a melodic line with some grace notes. The violin has a continuous eighth-note accompaniment with triplets. The viola (Vc.) is in bass clef, 4/4 time, with a continuous eighth-note accompaniment. The harpsichord (Acc.) is in treble clef, 4/4 time, with a continuous eighth-note accompaniment. There are trill markings in the harpsichord part.

M. *I be-came the ghost of a for - got - ten age, e - - - xiled in this*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

This system of music continues the composition. The vocal line (M.) is in bass clef, 4/4 time, with lyrics 'I be-came the ghost of a for - got - ten age, e - - - xiled in this'. The music consists of four measures. The first measure has a quarter note for 'I be-came', a quarter note for 'the ghost', and a quarter note for 'of'. The second measure has a quarter note for 'a', a quarter note for 'for -', and a quarter note for 'got -'. The third measure has a quarter note for 'ten', a quarter note for 'age,', and a quarter note for 'e -'. The fourth measure has a quarter note for 'e -', a quarter note for 'xiled', and a quarter note for 'in this'. The harpsichord (Mrb.) and violin (Vln.) parts are in treble clef, 4/4 time. The harpsichord has a melodic line with some grace notes. The violin has a continuous eighth-note accompaniment with triplets. The viola (Vc.) is in bass clef, 4/4 time, with a continuous eighth-note accompaniment. The harpsichord (Acc.) is in treble clef, 4/4 time, with a continuous eighth-note accompaniment. There are trill markings in the harpsichord part.

M. *va - cuum, this o - cean of emp - ti - ness;*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

M. *like stars in the heaven, a re - lic from the past, an ex - hi - bit in the mu - seum.*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

282 (♩ = 42)

M.

Earthlings

E.1

E.2

E.3

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

The Pale Blue Dot: a speck of dust! the Pale Blue Dot: _____

The Pale Blue Dot: a speck of dust!

The Pale Blue Dot: _____ a speck, _____ a speck _____ of

p

p

p

295 301

E.1
a speck of dust! float ing in a sun beam.

E.2
float ing in a sun beam We weep

E.3
dust! float ing in a sun beam

Vln.
Vc.

Acc.

(♩ = 54)

E.1 We weep we weep for its frail -

E.2 - - - we weep for its frail -

E.3 We weep. we weep for

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

313

E.1
- - ty, its frail - - - ty;

E.2
- - - ty, for its frail - - - ty; its lone - ly

E.3
- its frail - - - ty,

Vln.
p

Vc.
p

Acc.
dolce
p

8
or - - bit is lost in the u - - ni-ty of

E.1

E.2

E.3

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

323

no - - - - - thing - nesss.

I had a dream that Mars _____ had va - - nished: there was no

The o - -

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

musical score for Edward Lambert's *The Art of Venus*, page 59. The score is written for three vocal parts (E.1, E.2, E.3), violin (Vln.), viola (Vc.), and accordion (Acc.).

The vocal parts are in treble clef (E.1, E.2) and bass clef (E.3). The lyrics are:

E.1: - - ver - view: we feel it, the o - - - -

E.2: - - - -

E.3: place - - - - to land... on - ly Earth of - fered

The instrumental parts include:

- Vln. (Violin): Treble clef, playing a melodic line.
- Vc. (Viola): Bass clef, playing a melodic line.
- Acc. (Accordion): Treble and Bass clefs, playing a complex, rhythmic accompaniment.

E.1
- - ver - view...

E.2

E.3
shel - ter.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

331

♩ = 76

Earthlings

E.1 "Qui - ri - nus to Mis - sion Con - trol:

E.2 "Qui - ri - nus to Mis - sion Con - trol:

E.3 "Qui - ri - nus to Mis - sion Con - trol:

Mrb. *f*

Vln. pizz.

Vc. *f*

Acc.

344

Rehearsal mark 344. The score is in 3/4 time and B-flat major. The vocal parts (E.1, E.2, E.3) sing the lyrics: "Qui - ri - nus to Mis - sion Con - trol:". The piano (Mrb.) part features a complex harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines. The violin (Vln.) part has a melodic line with a crescendo. The cello (Vc.) part has a bass line with accents. The accordion (Acc.) part has a melodic line with sixteenth-note runs.

E.1
"Qui - ri - nus to Mis - sion Con - trol:

E.2
"Qui - ri - nus to Mis - sion Con - trol:

E.3
"Qui - ri - nus to Mis - sion Con - trol:

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

349

Mars

M. *Voi - ces, who's cal - ling to me?*

E.1 *on - ly ten mil - lion ki - lo - me - ters to go!*

E.2 *on - ly ten mil - lion ki - lo - me - ters to go!*

E.3 *on - ly ten mil - lion ki - lo - me - ters to go!*

Mrb.

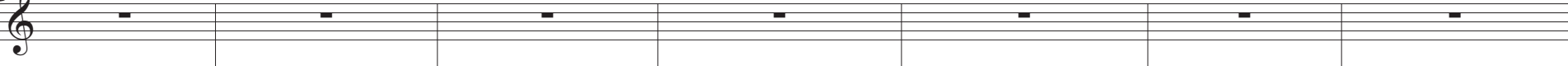
Vln. *p*

Vc. *p* arco

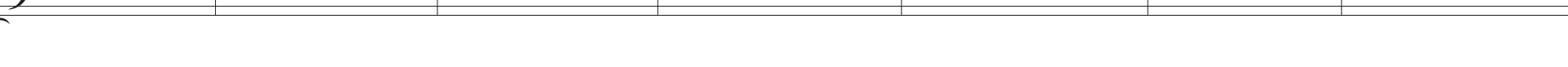
Acc.

353

M. 
Have my cries been answered, or am I de-

E.1 

E.2 

E.3 

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

361

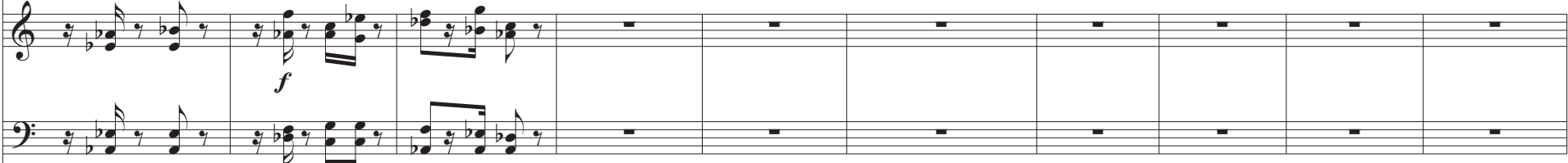
M. 

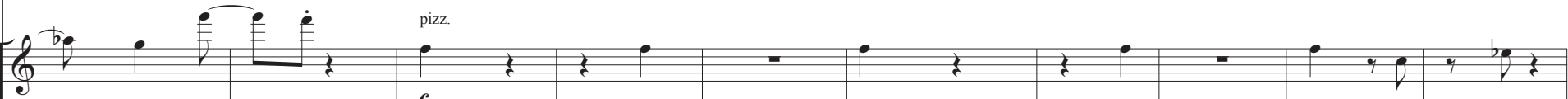
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E.1 

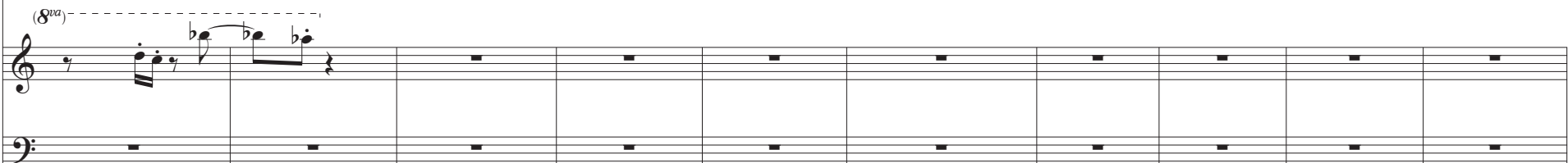
E.2 

E.3 

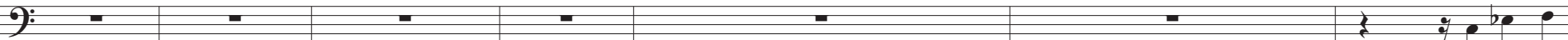
Mrb. 

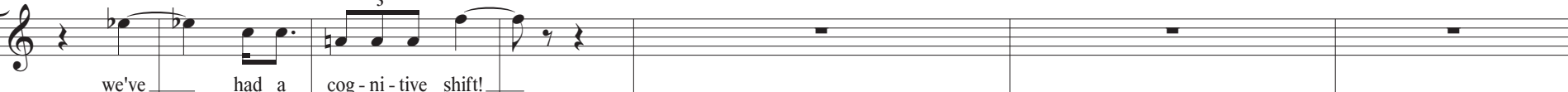
Vln. 

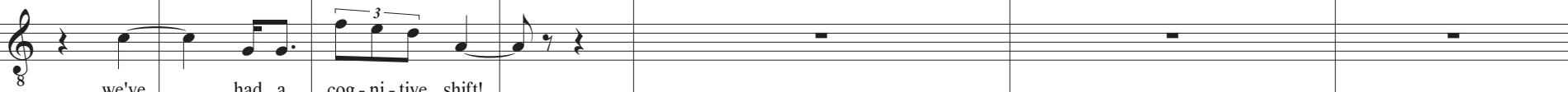
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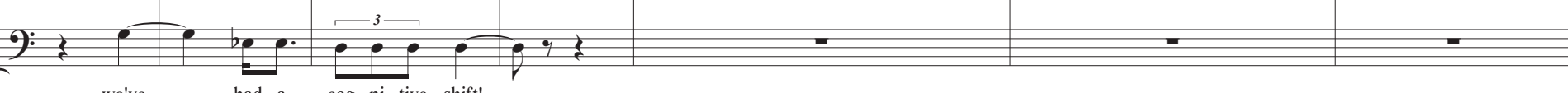
Acc. 

374

M.  Is this the

E.1  we've had a cog-ni-tive shift!

E.2  we've had a cog-ni-tive shift!

E.3  we've had a cog-ni-tive shift!

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

381

[illegible]

E.1
all man - kind could feel this, if on - ly all man - kind could feel this: the wis - dom of

E.2
all man - kind could feel this, if on - ly all man - kind could feel this: the wis - dom of

E.3
all man - kind could feel this, if on - ly all man - kind could feel this: the wis - dom of

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

393

E.1
lea - ders would e - volve, e - volve in-to a vi - tal force for good.

E.2
8 lea - ders would e - volve, e - volve in-to a vi - tal force for good.

E.3
lea - ders would e - volve, e - volve in-to a vi - tal force for good.

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

f

8va

6

6

6

6

E.1
Earth must, Earth must be che - rished, Earth must be

E.2
Earth must, Earth must be che - rished, Earth must be

E.3
Earth must, Earth must be che - rished, Earth must be

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

(8^{va})

6

6

3

6

3

6

3

M

SB

The musical score is for a piece titled "The Earth Must Be Rishid". It features three vocal parts (E.1, E.2, E.3) and four instrumental parts (Mrb., Vln., Vc., and Acc.). The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The vocal parts enter with the lyrics "che - - - rished," in the first measure, followed by "Earth must be" in the second measure, and "che - - - rished," in the third measure. The instrumental parts provide a rhythmic and harmonic accompaniment. The Mrb. part features a steady eighth-note pattern. The Vln. and Vc. parts play a similar eighth-note pattern. The Acc. part features a complex rhythmic pattern with sixteenth and thirty-second notes, and a bass line with a steady eighth-note pattern.

E.1
che - - - rished, must be che - rished."

E.2
che - - - rished, must be che - rished."

E.3
che - - - rished, must be che - rished."

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.
m M m M

413

♩. = 72

Mars

M.

Ju - - - pi - ter! fa - ther, ru - ler of the sky, are ___

M.

422

M.
 plete. An-swer me, Ju-pi-ter. Qui-ri-nus, make your-self known,— I

Mrb.
 p

Vln.
 FB

Vc.
 p

Acc.
 p

429

M.
 — com-mand you — with my sa-cred spear! —

Mrb.
 p

Vln.
 FB

Vc.
 p

Acc.
 p

M.  Ro - ling clouds of sul - - - phurous light

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

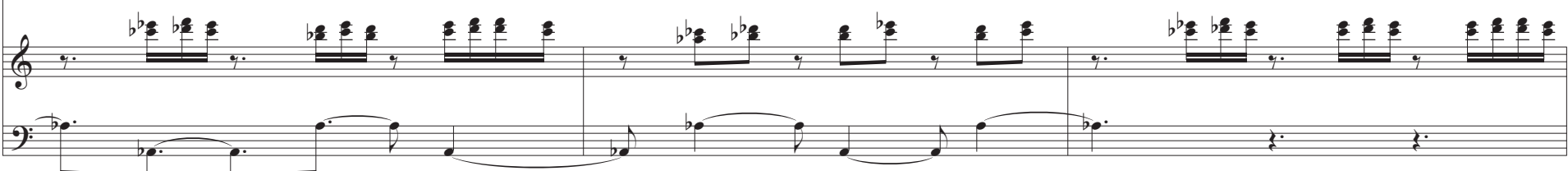
Acc. 

M.  are swir - ling, _____ swir - ling, all a - round! _____

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

437

M.

Earthlings

E.1
Mars shines bright, shines bright to -

E.2
Mars shines bright, shines bright to -

E.3
Mars shines bright, shines bright to -

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.
m
M
SB

M. That light, that bea - con - - - - - daz -

E.1 night:

E.2 night:

E.3 night:

Mrb. *cresc.*

Vln. *cresc.*

Vc. *cresc.*

Acc. *cresc.* m

The musical score is written for a vocal soloist (M.) and three electric guitarists (E.1, E.2, E.3). The vocal line is in bass clef and has the lyrics "That light, that bea - con - - - - - daz -". The electric guitar parts are in treble clef. The Mrb. (Maracas) part is in bass clef and features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. The Vln. (Violin) and Vc. (Violoncello) parts are in treble and bass clefs respectively, both featuring a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. The Acc. (Acoustic guitar) part is in treble and bass clefs, featuring a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. The score is marked with "cresc." (crescendo) for the Mrb., Vln., Vc., and Acc. parts. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4.

444

M. - - zles me!

E.1 our new ha - bi - tat.

E.2 our new ha - bi - tat.

E.3 our new ha - bi - tat.

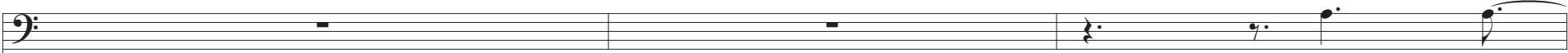
Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

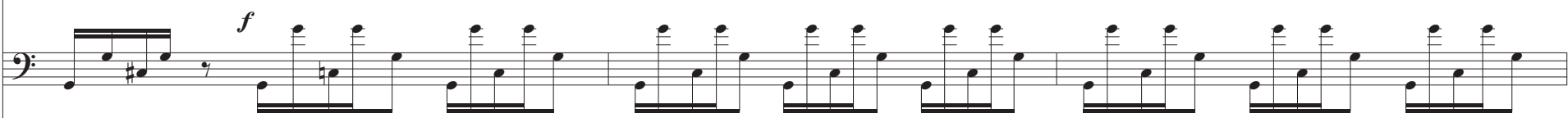
d

M. 

E.1 

E.2 

E.3 

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

This is _____

We've ab - an - doned the Blue for the

M.
 — not Ju - pi - ter! —

E.1
 Red, the Blue for the

E.2
 Red, the Blue for the

E.3
 Red, the Blue for the

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.
 M m M

452

M. This is not Qui - - - rinus! Say, who

E.1 Red, the Red,

E.2 Red, the Red,

E.3 Red! the Red,

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc. m

M. is _____ this? _____

E.1 _____ (they sleep)

E.2 _____ Red! _____

E.3 _____ Red! _____

Mrb. *ff*

Vln. *ff*

Vc. *ff*

Acc. *ff* M m M m

(Venus has appeared on Mars and it is immediately clear that things are not going to turn out well. She has been scarred by the ways of the world and is now a modern militant)

Venus 461 ♩. = 54 *(teasing)*

V. Your _____ fe - - - cund ____ Ve - nus ____

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc. M m m

p

V. 
stands be-fore you, still be-gui-ling, de-si- - - - - ra-ble, en-

Acc. 

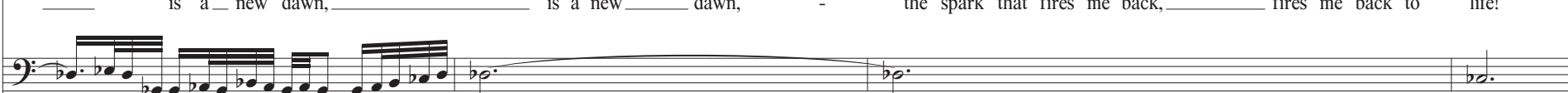
V. 
ti - - - - -

Mars (in rapture)

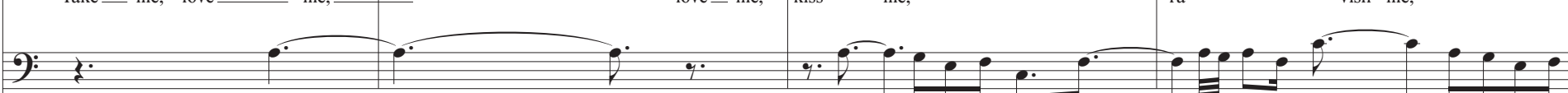
M. 
p The light of my be-lo- - - - - ved Ve - - - - - nus

Vc. 
p

Acc. 

V. 
M. 
Vc. 
Acc. 
_____ is a new dawn, _____ is a new dawn, - the spark that fires me back, _____ fires me back to life!
cing!

476

V. 
M. 
Vln. 
Vc. 
Acc. 
Take me, love me, love me, kiss me, ra - vish me,
Life, _____ life in all its glo - ry, _____ in all its glo - ry, in all its
p
pp

V. ra - vish me, e - ja - cu - late _____ and _____ im - preg - nate - me and plant _____ in me your war - riors!

M. glo - - - ry, _____ in all its glo - - - - - ry,

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

483

V. I _____ am as moist _____ and fer - tile, *f*

M. glo -

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

V. I am as moist and fer - tile as the soil on Earth!

M. - - - ry, glo - ry! On - ly the Sun is hot - ter than you, I wor - ship you!

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

491

Vln. *pp*

Vc. *pp*

Acc. *pp*

497 $\text{♩} = 96$ (recoiling as Mars turns ardent, and restraining him)

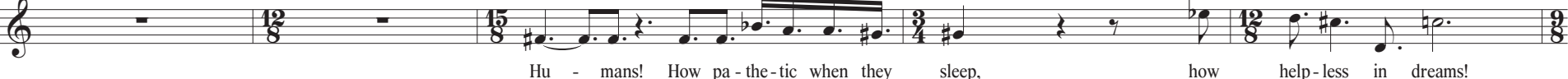
V. 

Mrb. 

V. 

Mrb. 

504 (indicating the Earthlings)

V. 

Mrb. 

V. 

Mrb. 

514

V. is a de-lu - sion to be mar - velled at. I, the in-fec - tious

M. Ve - nus,

Mrb. *f*

Vln. pizz. *f*

V. a - gent, the vi - rus of the gods, am here on bu - siness. Hu - man - kind is in - tent on in - va - sion: we are

M. di - vine wo - man, so cruel in love. You in - flame my blood and in - to -

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc. pizz. *f*

521

V. *threa-tened, we are threa-tened by Earth-lings who will soon set foot on this pla-net of yours! They ap-proach,*

M. *- xi-cate my sen - - - ses! Hu - mans co-ming here? I knew*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

V. they are not far off. Get real, you

M. — it! I — am re-stored! To be loved and wor-shiped once more... they'll

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

526

V. i - diot! They come as con - querors, you will be no god to them. Hu - mans on - ly wor - ship what they can - not see.

M. kneel be - fore me!

Mrb. *f*

Vln. *arco* *p*

Vc. *f*

V. Once they are here you will be like dirt - shit! We must halt them, thwart their am - bi - tions, curb their ar - ro - gance,

Mrb. *p cresc.*

Vln. *cresc.*

Vc. *p* *arco* *cresc.*

537

V. cure — their pride! Soon their craft will de-scend, the first of ma-ny: they plan a mi-gra-tion, a co-lo-ny

M. They in-tend — to land here, on this pla-net?

Mrb. *f*

Vln. *f* pizz. *f* pizz.

Vc. *f*

V. here. We must en-sure that their fu-ture is fu-tile!

M. So dark-ness will win out? — We must re-main a-lone? Why must the Earth-lings be pu-nished?

Mrb. *ff*

Vln.

Vc.

551

 $\text{♩} = 60$ *(producing Botticelli's The Birth of Venus)*

V. I _____ drew _____ breath _____ as the a - po - gee of beau - ty, _____ as the a - po - gee of beau - ty,

Vln. *arco* *p*

Vc. *arco* *p*

Acc. *p* FB

V. born of the sea _____ by ce - les - tial pro - cre - a - tion, the de - i - ty _____ to di - vine _____ love:

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

563

V. ga-zing on me, — most beau - teous, most beau - - - teous of god-des-ses, would in - voke

Vln. *pp*

Vc. *pp*

Acc.

572 (she reveals the Velazquez painting we saw earlier...)

V. on - ly de - sire for the Ho - ly, on - ly de - sire for the Ho - ly. Then I be -

Mrb. *p*

Vln. *p* pizz. *3*

Vc. *p*

Acc. *p*

579

V. came an ob - ject of sex, of sex, a sym - bol of sex, I be -

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

pizz.

arco

V. came _____ an ___ ob - ject of ___ sex, _____ a ___ sym - bol, a ___ sym - bol of ___ sex, sex, sex, sex, _____

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

pizz.

The musical score is written for five instruments: Voice (V.), Maracas (Mrb.), Violin (Vln.), Viola (Vc.), and Accordion (Acc.). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The Voice part has lyrics: 'came _____ an ___ ob - ject of ___ sex, _____ a ___ sym - bol, a ___ sym - bol of ___ sex, sex, sex, sex, _____'. The Maracas part consists of rhythmic patterns. The Violin part features triplet patterns. The Viola part features triplet and sextuplet patterns. The Accordion part features a triplet pattern and a sustained chord.

585 $\text{♩} = 88$ (taking her knife...)

V. of sex, pain - ted un - clothed, re - cum - bent on a bed,

Mrb.

Vln. arco *p*

Vc. pizz. *p*

Acc. *p*

590

(...she slowly and methodically slashes the painting...)

V. my beau-ti-ful but-tocks, las-ci-vious, e-ro-tic, were ob-jects of lust, my beau-ti-ful but-tocks, _____ my

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

600

V. beau-ti-ful but-tocks, _____ my beau-ti-ful but-tocks, las-ci-vious, e-ro-tic, were ob-jects of lust; a-bused and ex-ploi-ted, por-

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

pp

arco

pp

pp

604

V. *trayed as por - no - gra - phy* in the name of Art, *por - trayed as por - no - graphy* in the name _____ of

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

V. Art! A - bused and ex - ploi - ted, a - bused and ex - ploi - ted, Ve - nus, a porn star, me bol - lock na - ked,

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

612

V. _____ Ve - nus a porn star, pro - vi - - - - - ding the pri - vate plea - sure

Mrb.

Vln. *p*

Vc. *pizz.* *p*

Acc. *p*

617

V.
 — of — prin - ces, the — pri - - - vate plea - sure — of prin - ces!

Mrb.
 8^{va} —

Vln.
 3 3 3

Vc.
 8^{va} —

Acc.
 8^{va} —

625

*(...when she looks up again, she and the painting are covered in blood)*

V.

M.
Mars
Your power o - ver me is both cru - - -

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.
arco
f

Acc.
f
m d m d m d m d m d m d m d m d

SB

V. *Spurned,*

M. *el tor ture, cru*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc. *f* *pizz.*

Acc. *m d m d m d M M M M m m d*

The musical score is written for five instruments and an accordion. The Violin (V.) and Viola (M.) parts are in treble and bass clefs respectively, with lyrics 'Spurned,' and 'el tor ture, cru'. The Maracas (Mrb.) part consists of two staves with a rhythmic pattern. The Violoncello (Vc.) part is in bass clef with a dynamic marking 'f' and a 'pizz.' instruction. The Accordion (Acc.) part is in treble and bass clefs with a complex rhythmic pattern and notes 'm', 'd', and 'M'.

Violin (V.)

Viola (Vc.)

Maracas (Mrb.)

Violin (Vln.)

Viola (Vc.)

Acc.

spurned, el tor ture, o god dess, o

arco

m d m d m d m d m d m d

god - - - dess of stone,

The musical score is written for a vocal ensemble (V. and M.), maracas (Mrb.), violin (Vln.), viola (Vc.), and accordion (Acc.). The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The vocal parts feature triplets and a melodic line. The maracas part consists of rhythmic patterns. The violin and viola parts have triplets and a melodic line. The accordion part has a rhythmic pattern with chords labeled M, m, and d.

641

V. *spurned* _____ *and ri - di - culed, ri - di - culed in all the hea - vens,*

M. _____ *and ex - qui - ste, ex - - - qui - site rap - ture,*

Mrb.

Vln. *pizz.* *arco*

Vc.

Acc. *m d m d* *m d m* *d m d* *m d m d*

V. *spurned and ri-di-culed in all the hea - - - - - vens, in all the*

M. *ex - qui - site rap - ture, ex - qui - site rap - - - - - ture, ex - qui - site*

Mrb. *ff*

Vln. *ff*

Vc. *ff*

Acc. *ff* *M*

m d m d m d m

V. hea - - - - - vens, in all the

M. rap - - - - - ture, ex - qui - site

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc. m d m

650

V. hea - - - - vens, bugged, _____ bugged, _____ bugged, bugged,

M. rap - - - - ture! Fet - ter me, whip me,

Mrb.

Vln. *p*

Vc. *p*

Acc. *M* *p*

V. bugged, bugged, bugged, bugged, I am the worm that

M. fet - ter me, whip me, tread me un - der - foot! Be my

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

turns, _____ I am the worm _____ that

ham - - - mer, _____ I _____ your

f *p* *f* *p* *f* *M* *p*

Mrb. Vln. Vc. Acc.

12/8 9/16 12/8 9/16 12/8 9/16 12/8

Detailed description: This musical score page contains five staves. The vocal staves (V. and M.) are in 12/8 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The instrumental staves (Mrb., Vln., Vc., and Acc.) are in 12/8 time. The score is divided into two systems. The first system (measures 114-117) features a 12/8 time signature. The second system (measures 118-121) features a 9/16 time signature. The vocal parts have lyrics: 'turns, _____ I am the worm _____ that' for the vocal line and 'ham - - - mer, _____ I _____ your' for the male line. The instrumental parts include a maracas part (Mrb.) with dynamics *f* and *p*, a violin part (Vln.) with dynamics *f* and *p*, a viola part (Vc.) with dynamics *f* and *p*, and an accordion part (Acc.) with dynamics *f* and *p*. The accordion part also includes a 'M' marking. The score ends with a 12/8 time signature in the final measure.

V. turns, that turns!

M. an - - - - vil! I love you more, the worse you

Mrb. *f*

Vln. *f*

Vc. *f*

Acc. *f* M

9 16

665 (As she sings her coloratura, Venus seizes Mars, ties him up and lashes him while he cries out and weeps)

V. *O joy, the power to make this he-god suf-fer! Beg,*

M. *treat me!*

Mrb. *p*

Vln. *p*

Vc. *p*

Acc. *p_m*

9/16 16

9/16 16

9/16 16

9/16 16

9/16 16

9/16 16

9/16 16

9/16 16

672 678

V. *I'll show no mer-cy! Whim - - -*

Mrb. *p*

Vln. *p*

Vc. *p*

Acc. *p*

The musical score is written for five instruments: Violin (V.), Maracas (Mrb.), Violin (Vln.), Viola (Vc.), and Accordion (Acc.). The time signature is 9/16. The key signature has one flat. The score is divided into two systems, with measures 672 and 678 marked. The Violin part has a melodic line with a fermata. The Maracas part has a rhythmic pattern. The Violin and Viola parts have a rhythmic pattern. The Accordion part has a bass line with a fermata. The lyrics 'I'll show no mer-cy! Whim - - -' are written under the Violin staff.

682

Score for *The Art of Venus*, page 118, measures 682-687.

The score is written for five staves: Violin (V.), Maracas (Mrb.), Violin (Vln.), Violoncello (Vc.), and Accordion (Acc.).

Measure 682 is marked with a box containing the number 682. The tempo is 3/4, and the key signature is one flat (B-flat).

The lyrics for the vocal part (V.) are: "per! Wail! Trem".

The instrumentation includes:

- V. (Violin):** Features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, and a tremolo section.
- Mrb. (Maracas):** Provides a rhythmic accompaniment with eighth and sixteenth notes.
- Vln. (Violin):** Features a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, and a tremolo section.
- Vc. (Violoncello):** Provides a rhythmic accompaniment with eighth and sixteenth notes.
- Acc. (Accordion):** Provides a rhythmic accompaniment with eighth and sixteenth notes.

The score includes dynamic markings: *f* (forte) and *p* (piano).

688

V. *ble! Groan! Whine!*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

f

p

f

p

M

693

V. *I'll tear you to shreds! Writhe,*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

V.

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

wrig - gle like a worm! What

9/16

704

V. *plea - sure, what ec - - - sta - sy!* *Squirm!*

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

f *p* *f* *p* *f* *p* *M*

710

V. *Howl! — Nor will gods be, nor will gods be hu - mans'*

Mrb.

Vln. *f p*

Vc. *f p*

Acc. *m*

V. *pro - per - ty, _____ gods will not be hu - mans' pro - per - ty, _____ sub - ser - vient to their*

Mrb. *p fp p fp*

Vln. *f p f p*

Vc. *f p f p*

Acc. *fp p fp p*

720

V. will, o - be - dient, sub - ser - vient to their will! If

Mrb. *p* *fp* *p*

Vln. *f* *p* *p*

Vc. *f* *p* *p*

Acc. *fp* *p* *p* M

Earth - lings, _____ Earth - lings _____ in - vade _____ Mars, _____

Mars

If Earth - lings _____ in vade _____ Mars, _____

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

Detailed description: This musical score is for a scene from 'The Art of Venus' by Edward Lambert. It features five staves. The top two staves are for vocal parts: 'V.' (Soprano) and 'M.' (Bass). The vocal lines are in G major and 4/4 time. The Soprano part begins with 'Earth - lings, _____' and continues with 'Earth - lings _____ in - vade _____ Mars, _____'. The Bass part begins with a rest, then enters with 'If Earth - lings _____ in vade _____ Mars, _____'. The word 'Mars' is written in bold above the Bass staff. The next three staves are for instrumental accompaniment: 'Mrb.' (Mandolin), 'Vln.' (Violin), and 'Vc.' (Viola). The Mandolin part consists of a series of eighth-note chords. The Violin and Viola parts play a continuous eighth-note pattern. The bottom staff is for the 'Acc.' (Acoustic guitar), which plays a bass line of eighth notes. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4.

The musical score is arranged in five systems, each with a vocal part (V. and M.), a maracas part (Mrb.), a violin part (Vln.), a viola part (Vc.), and an accordion part (Acc.).

V. (Soprano): The vocal line begins with a half note G4, followed by a half note A4, and a half note B4. It then rests for two measures before entering with a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The lyrics "if Earth - lings," are written below the notes.

M. (Alto): The vocal line begins with a half note G3, followed by a half note A3, and a half note B3. It then rests for two measures before entering with a quarter note G3, followed by quarter notes A3, B3, and C4. The lyrics "Earth - lings" are written below the notes.

Mrb. (Maracas): The part consists of a continuous rhythmic pattern of eighth notes, alternating between G#3 and A3 in the right hand, and G#2 and A2 in the left hand.

Vln. (Violin): The part consists of a continuous rhythmic pattern of eighth notes, alternating between G#3 and A3 in the right hand, and G#2 and A2 in the left hand.

Vc. (Viola): The part consists of a continuous rhythmic pattern of eighth notes, alternating between G#3 and A3 in the right hand, and G#2 and A2 in the left hand.

Acc. (Accordion): The part consists of a continuous rhythmic pattern of eighth notes, alternating between G#3 and A3 in the right hand, and G#2 and A2 in the left hand. A dynamic marking "m" is placed below the first measure of the right hand.

Score for *The Art of Venus* by Edward Lambert. The score includes vocal parts (V., M., Mrb.) and instrumental parts (Vln., Vc., Acc.).

V. (Soprano): in - vade Mars, their

M. (Bass): if Earth - lings in vade Mars, their

Mrb. (Baritone): (Instrumental accompaniment)

Vln. (Violin): (Instrumental accompaniment)

Vc. (Violoncello): (Instrumental accompaniment)

Acc. (Piano): (Instrumental accompaniment)

741

V. power will know no bounds,

M. power will know no bounds,

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc. M

V.

M.

(in despair, as the light fades)

The bliss _____ of love _____ and pain... _____

E.1

Earthlings
(dreamily, stirring in their sleep)

When we _____ Earth-lings

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

pp

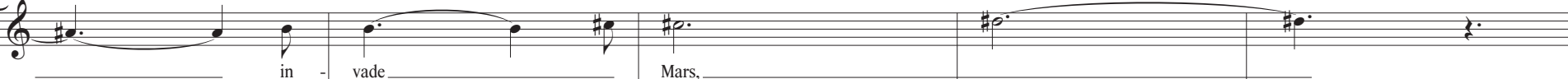
Detailed description: This is a page of a musical score for 'The Art of Venus' by Edward Lambert, page 130. The score is written for five vocal parts and an accompaniment. The vocal parts are labeled V. (Voice), M. (Male Voice), E.1 (Ethereal Voice 1), Mrb. (Mezzo-soprano), and Vln. (Violin). The accompaniment is labeled Acc. (Accompaniment). The lyrics for the vocal parts are: 'The bliss _____ of love _____ and pain... _____' and 'Earthlings (dreamily, stirring in their sleep) When we _____ Earth-lings'. The accompaniment consists of a piano (Vc.) and a string quartet (Vln., Vrb., Acc.). The piano part has a dynamic marking of 'pp' (pianissimo). The string quartet parts (Vln., Vrb., Acc.) are written in a continuous, flowing manner, with the Vln. part having a dynamic marking of 'pp'.

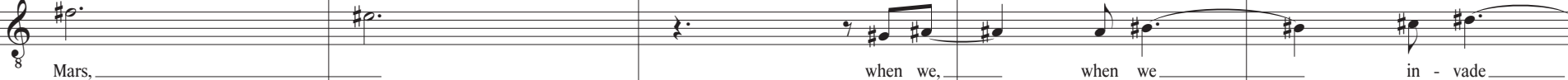
Score for *The Art of Venus*, page 131. The score includes the following parts:

- V.** (Vocal): Treble clef, whole rests.
- M.** (Male vocal): Bass clef, whole rests.
- E.1** (Vocal): Treble clef, lyrics: "in vade Mars, when we, when we".
- E.2** (Vocal): Treble clef, lyrics: "When we Earth - lings in vade".
- E.3** (Vocal): Bass clef, lyrics: "When we Earth - lings in vade Mars,".
- Mrb.** (Mandolin): Bass clef, playing a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- Vln.** (Violin): Treble clef, playing a melodic line.
- Vc.** (Violoncello): Bass clef, playing a melodic line.
- Acc.** (Acoustic guitar): Treble and Bass clefs, playing a rhythmic accompaniment.

V. 

M. 

E.1 
in - vade Mars, in - vade

E.2 
Mars, when we, when we in - vade

E.3 
when we in vade Mars, our power will know no bounds,.

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 
d

759

759

V.

M.

E.1

E.2

E.3

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

Mars,

no bounds.

our power will

our power will

our power will

p

m

765**Venus**

V.

M.

Mars

E.1

E.2

E.3

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

772

V. vade _____ Mars, _____ their

M. _____ in vade _____ Mars, their

E.1 _____

E.2 _____

E.3 _____

Mrb. _____

Vln. _____

Vc. _____ *pp*

Acc. _____ m

power will know no bounds, their

power will know no bounds,

our power will know no

our power will

our power will know no

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

783

power will know no bounds.

their power will know no bounds.

bounds.

know no bounds.

bounds.

bounds.

p

M

Score for *The Art of Venus*, page 138. The score includes the following parts:

- V.** (Vocal): Lyrics: "We must trash their tra-jec - to - ry be - fore time runs out!"
- M.** (Music):
- E.1** (Electric Guitar 1):
- E.2** (Electric Guitar 2):
- E.3** (Electric Guitar 3):
- Mrb.** (Maracas):
- Vln.** (Violin):
- Vc.** (Viola):
- Acc.** (Acoustic Guitar):

The score is written in 9/16 and 12/16 time signatures. The lyrics are: "We must trash their tra-jec - to - ry be - fore time runs out!"

791

V. *Let fla - shes in their eyes ap pear, like lu - mi - nous*
 M.
 E.1
 E.2
 E.3
 Mrb.
 Vln.
 Vc.
 Acc.



V. dan - cing fai - - ries, like lu - mi - nous dan - cing fai ries!

M.

E.1

E.2

E.3

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

m

802

V. Come, sis - ters, the Fu - ries, to avenge my

M.

Earthlings *(The Earthlings have woken, confused and muttering incomprehensibly; they panic as they see Mars fading away, and the spacecraft goes out of control)*

E.1 (vowels ad lib.)

E.2 (vowels ad lib.)

E.3 (vowels ad lib.)

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc. M

809

V. tor - - - - - ments! time for di - vine re - tri - bu - tion:

E.1

E.2

E.3

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

m

817

V. make _____ a big stink! _____ Let pu - trid

E.1

E.2

E.3

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

d

M

V. o - dours _____ rot _____ them! _____ For these

E.1

E.2

E.3

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

d

Measure 1: V. (Vocal) has a half note G#4, quarter note A#4, and half note B4. E.1 (Electric Guitar 1) is silent. E.2 (Electric Guitar 2) has an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4. E.3 (Electric Guitar 3) is silent. Mrb. (Maracas) has a quarter note G#2, quarter note A#2, quarter note B2, and quarter note C#3. Vln. (Violin) has an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4. Vc. (Double Bass) has an eighth note G#2, eighth note A#2, eighth note B2, and eighth note C#3. Acc. (Piano) has a right hand with an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4, and a left hand with an eighth note G#2, eighth note A#2, eighth note B2, and eighth note C#3.

Measure 2: V. (Vocal) has a half note G#4, quarter note A#4, and half note B4. E.1 (Electric Guitar 1) has an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4. E.2 (Electric Guitar 2) is silent. E.3 (Electric Guitar 3) has an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4. Mrb. (Maracas) has a quarter note G#2, quarter note A#2, quarter note B2, and quarter note C#3. Vln. (Violin) has an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4. Vc. (Double Bass) has an eighth note G#2, eighth note A#2, eighth note B2, and eighth note C#3. Acc. (Piano) has a right hand with an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4, and a left hand with an eighth note G#2, eighth note A#2, eighth note B2, and eighth note C#3.

Measure 3: V. (Vocal) has a half note G#4, quarter note A#4, and half note B4. E.1 (Electric Guitar 1) is silent. E.2 (Electric Guitar 2) is silent. E.3 (Electric Guitar 3) is silent. Mrb. (Maracas) has a quarter note G#2, quarter note A#2, quarter note B2, and quarter note C#3. Vln. (Violin) has an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4. Vc. (Double Bass) has an eighth note G#2, eighth note A#2, eighth note B2, and eighth note C#3. Acc. (Piano) has a right hand with an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4, and a left hand with an eighth note G#2, eighth note A#2, eighth note B2, and eighth note C#3.

Measure 4: V. (Vocal) has a half note G#4, quarter note A#4, and half note B4. E.1 (Electric Guitar 1) is silent. E.2 (Electric Guitar 2) is silent. E.3 (Electric Guitar 3) has an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4. Mrb. (Maracas) has a quarter note G#2, quarter note A#2, quarter note B2, and quarter note C#3. Vln. (Violin) has an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4. Vc. (Double Bass) has an eighth note G#2, eighth note A#2, eighth note B2, and eighth note C#3. Acc. (Piano) has a right hand with an eighth note G#3, eighth note A#3, eighth note B3, and eighth note C#4, and a left hand with an eighth note G#2, eighth note A#2, eighth note B2, and eighth note C#3.

825

V. un - hinged an - ti hu - mans an - ni - hi - la - tion a - waits!

M. So _____

E.1

E.2

E.3

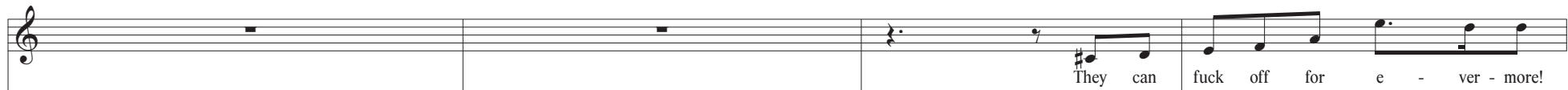
Mrb.

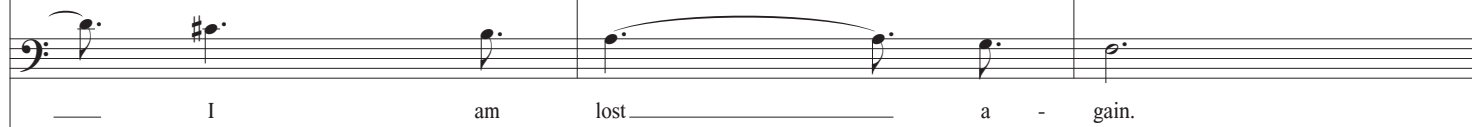
Vln.

Vc.

Acc. m

Detailed description of the musical score: The score is for measures 825-828. The key signature is two sharps (F# and C#). The time signature is 4/4. The voice part (V.) has the lyrics 'un - hinged an - ti hu - mans an - ni - hi - la - tion a - waits!'. The male part (M.) has the word 'So' followed by a long line. The electric violin parts (E.1, E.2) have complex melodic lines. The electric bass part (E.3) has a steady eighth-note pattern. The maracas part (Mrb.) has a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. The violin part (Vln.) has a melodic line. The viola part (Vc.) has a melodic line. The accordion part (Acc.) has a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes.

V.  They can fuck off for e - ver - more!

M.  I am lost a - gain.

(As the atmosphere in the capsule becomes ever more poisonous, the crew put on their masks and their sounds become ever more muffled until they soon fall silent)

E.1 

E.2 

E.3 

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

833

(Suddenly, VENUS takes the knife to MARS and castrates him)

V. Man - kind can screw it - self; the fu - ture is for high - er forms.

M. My

E.1

E.2

E.3

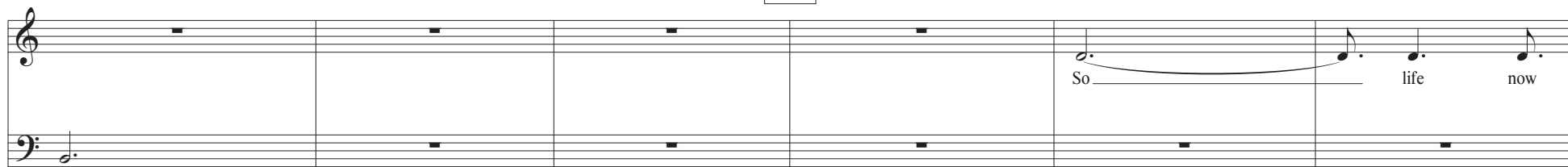
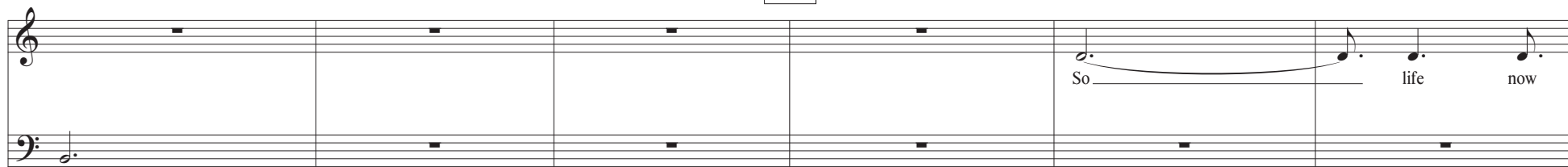
Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.

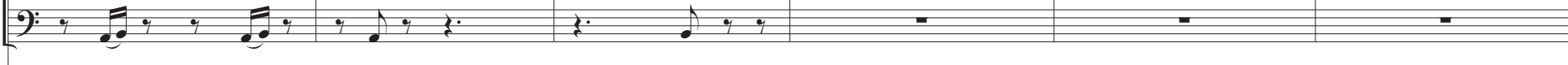
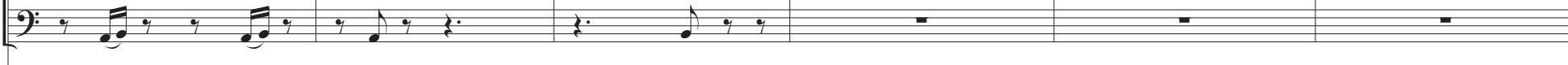
d

V.  V.  So life now

M.  M.  fate...

E.1  E.1 

E.2  E.2 

E.3  E.3 

Mrb.  Mrb. 

Vln.  Vln. 

Vc.  Vc. 

Acc.  Acc.  d m

V. ends for a god that's im - mor - tal! Still - - - ness

Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.



847

V. re - turns to the dark - - - ness:

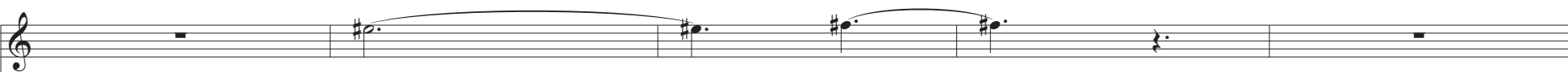
Mrb.

Vln.

Vc.

Acc.



V. 

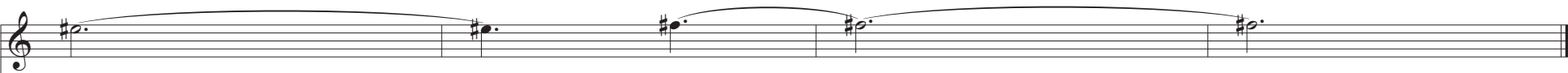
Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

sleep,

V. 

Mrb. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Acc. 

sleep!