

(takes up her place at the foot of the throne. Beautiful, impassive as a golden image, she gives the Prince a cold glance and says, solemnly)

(va a collocarsi ai piedi del trono. Bellissima, impassibile, è tutta una cosa d'oro. Guarda con freddis.)

TURANDOT simi occhi il Principe. Solennemente dice:)

Within this Pal - ace, a thou_s_and thou_s_and years a-go,
In que_st_a Reg - gia, or son mil_l'an_nie mil - le

43 Molto lento $\text{d}=46$

TURANDOT

TURANDOT

TURANDOT

44

Nob - le Princ - ess Lo-u - - - Ling
Prin - ci - pes - sa Lo-u - - - Ling,

Lento $\text{d} = 66$

p
v

thou ex.amp.le of wis - dom, who did 'st
a - va dol - ce e se - re - na che re -

V
v
v

rule in strict se.clus - ion and glor.y o'er thy peop - le, and de -
- gna vi nel tuo cu - po si - lenzio ingio - ja pu - ra, e sfi -
 poco rit:..... a tempo

pp

fy - ing with firm unyielding will the rule of man, thou liv.est still in
- da sti infles - si - bi - lee si - cu - ra l'a - spro dominio, og - gi ri - vi - vi in
 poco rit:..... a tempo

poco rit.

v

TURANDOT

CHORUS - CORO

me!
me!Sop. (very softly)
(sommessamente)'Twas when the King of Tar-tar-y dis-play'd his sev-en red and hostile
Ten. Fu quando il Re dei Tar-ta-ri le set - te sue ban-die-re di-spie -'Twas when the King of Tar-tar-y dis-play'd his sev-en red and hostile
Basses Fu quando il Re dei Tar-ta-ri le set - te sue ban-die-re di-spie -'Twas when the King of Tar-tar-y dis-play'd his sev-en red and hostile
Bassi Fu quando il Re dei Tar-ta-ri le set - te sue ban-die-re di-spie -

a tempo

sostenendo sempre

p

TURANDOT (evoking distant memories)
(come cosa lontana)Yet in those days as ev 'ry-one rem.em. bers, war broke out with the
Pu . re nel tem - po che ciascun ri - cor - da, fu sgo - men - to e ter -

flags!

- go!

flags!

- go!

flags!

- go!

45 Movendo appena

pp

p

cresc.

TURANDOT

clash of arms and ter - ror! Her realm was conquer'd! Her realm was conquer'd!
ro-re e rom-bo d'ar-mi! *Il re - gno vin - to!* *Il re - gno vin - to!*

(Trumpets in orchestra) (Trombe in orchestra)

This musical score page features three staves. The top staff is for voice and piano, with lyrics in English and Italian. The middle staff shows a bassoon part with dynamic markings 'mf' and 'p'. The bottom staff shows a cello part with a sustained note. The score includes dynamic markings like '3' over notes and a bracketed section labeled '(Trumpets in orchestra)' and '(Trombe in orchestra)'.

TURANDOT

And Lo - u - ling, nob - le Princess, rough - ly cap - tur'd by a
E Lo-u-ling, la mia a - va tra - sci - na - ta da un

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TURANDOT

man, a man like thee,
uo - mo, co - me te, like to thee, O strang - er,
co - me te, stranie - ro,

mf

This musical score page features three staves. The top staff is for voice and piano, with lyrics in English and Italian. The middle staff shows a bassoon part with dynamic markings '3' over notes and 'meno f'. The bottom staff shows a cello part with a sustained note. The score includes dynamic markings like '3' over notes and 'meno f'.

TURANDOT

TURANDOT

cruelly dragg'd to tort ure, till her im plor ing voice was still for
là nel la not - te a tro - ce, do - ve si spen - se la sua fre - sca

rit:..... a tempo..... e rall:.....

p subito

dim.

TURANDOT

TURANDOT

Sop. *pp*

Ten. *pp*

Basses *pp*

Bassi *pp*

For ag - es with - out num - ber, Peaceful - ly doth she
 Da se - co - li el - la dor - me nel - la sua tom - ba e .

For ag - es with - out num - ber, Peaceful - ly doth she
 Da se - co - li el - la dor - me nel - la sua tom - ba e .

For ag - es with - out num - ber, Peaceful - ly doth she
 Da se - co - li el - la dor - me nel - la sua tom - ba e .

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A musical score page showing two staves. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. Both staves are in common time (indicated by 'C'). The music consists of eighth-note patterns. Measure 11 starts with a whole rest followed by a half note. Measure 12 starts with a half note followed by a whole rest.

TURANDOT

Ye Princes who, in caravans and splendour,
O Prin_ci_pi, che a lunghe caro - va - ne from the
d'o - gni

slum - ber!

nor - me!

slum - ber!

nor - me!

slum - ber!

nor - me!

(Wood Wind - Legni) (Glockenspiel)

(Celeste) (Harp - Arpa)

*pp**poco rit.....a tempo**I. Tempo**pp*

TURANDOT

cresc. e tremendo

four corners of the world come hith - er, in tent to try your fort.une, I will avenge on
par - te del mondo qui ve - ni - te a gettar la vo - stra sor - te, io ven - di - co su

rit.....a tempo

TURANDOT

you, on you who broke that lil - y, that ag - on - iz - ing cry! That
voi, su voi quel - la pu-rez - za, quel gri-do e quel - la mor - te! Quel

sostenendo

TURANDOT

cry that dy - ing cry!
grido e quel - la mor-te!

(resolutely)
(con energia)

Ne'er shall I be
Mai nes-sun m'a-

allarg. molto.....

Largamente ♩ = 56

47

ff

p

cresc.

*

TURANDOT

wed!
*-vrà!*Ne'er shall man pos - sess
Mai nes - sun, nes - sun m'a-

espress.

Rit.

TURANDOT

me! - vrà! The hate of him who kill'd her L'orror di chi l'u - ci - se rit.col canto a tempo

TURANDOT

heart cor. for e'er! mi sta! No. No.

(Harp & Cellos)
(Arpa e Celli)

TURANDOT

no! Nevermortal man! Ah! I ne'er will betray the
no! Mainessun m'a.vrà! Ah, ri - na - see in me l'or.

Più sostenuto

mf cresc. ff mf

TURANDOT

239

(menacingly to the Prince)
(e minacciosa al Principe)glor - go - glio y of such chast.it y!
- glio ditan ta pu ri ta!Then
Stra -(Horn - Trumpet I.)
(Corno - Tromba I.)

ff dim.

TURANDOT

stranger! Do not chal - lenge thy fort - une! Myen -
- nie ro! Non ten - tar la for - tu - na! Gli e -

p subito dim.

mf

TURANDOT

- ig - mas none can solve, so death must fol - low!
- nig - mi so - no tre, la mor te è u - na!THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPPE(impetuously)
(con impeto)No! No! The en -
No! No! Gli e -

48

p

TURANDOT

THE PRINCE cresc.

IL PRINCIPE ten.

No! No! The en-
Glie -- ig - mas I shall solve, and life will follow!
- nig - mi so - no tre, una è la vi - ta!The en-
Glie -

Allargando

cresc.

TURANDOT

- ig - mas none can solve, and death will fol - low!
- nig - mi so - no tre, la mor - te è u - na!

THE PRINCE

IL PRINCIPE

- ig - mas I shall solve, and life will fol - low!
- nig - mi so - no tre, u - na è la vi - ta!

Sop.

Now must the valiant stranger
Al Princi-pestranie - ro

Ten.

Now must the valiant stranger
Al Princi-pestranie - roBasses
BassiNow must the valiant stranger
Al Princi-pestranie - ro(Trumpets & Trombones off stage)
(Trombe e Tromboni interni)

be allow'd the tri.al, O Turan - dot! Tur - andot!
of fri la pro - va ardi - ta, o Turan - dot! Tu - randot!

be allow'd the tri.al, O Turan - dot! Tur - andot!
of fri la pro - va ardi - ta, o Turan - dot! Tu - randot!

be allow'd the tri.al, O Turan - dot! Tur - andot!
of fri la pro - va ardi - ta, o Turan - dot! Tu - randot!

poco rit.

m.d.

ff

a:

49 a tempo ma molto sost.
espress.

rit.:.....

dim.

a tempo rall.

pp

ppp

(The trumpets sound. Silence. Turandot proclaims the first enigma.) (*a piacere*)TURANDOT (*Squillano le trombe. Silensio. Turandot proclama il primo enigma.*)

pausa

(Trumpets on stage)
(*Trombe sulla scena*)Then list-en, O
Stra - nie - ro, a .

Largo

50

TURANDOT

TURANDOT

TURANDOT

Up - ward it soars and spreads its wings a - bove the gloomy hum - an
Sa - le e di-spie-ga l'a - le sul - la ne-ra in-fi-ni-ta u-ma - ni

Vcl.

TURANDOT

crowd!
 ---t\`a!

Ev . 'ry.bod.y in.vokes it
Tut - to il mon-do l'in - vo cu

p f

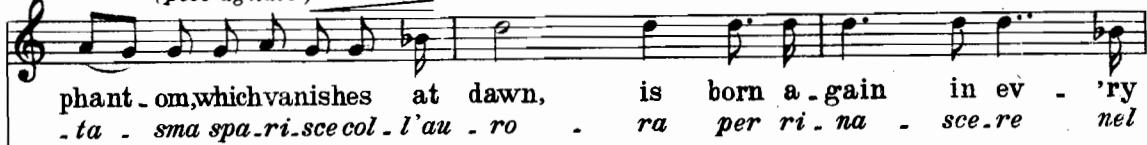
TURANDOT

and ev.'ry.bod - y im - plores it.
 $e tutto il mon - do l'im - plo - ra!$

But the
Ma il fan -

rall.

TURANDOT (with increasing agitation)
(poco agitato)



51 a tempo

TURANDOT

heart! cuo - re!

And ev - 'ry night 'tis
 Ed o gni not . te

p

pp

TURANDOT

born na - - sce and ev - 'ry day ed o - gnigior - it no dies!,, ral.

rall.

pp

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPE

Yes! — Si! — Born a — Ri —

52 Andante mosso ♩ = 92

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is in common time (♩) and the bottom staff is in common time (♩). The vocal line starts with a sustained note followed by eighth-note pairs. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords and sixteenth-note patterns.

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPE

-gain! — na-sce! — 'Tis born a-gain ex - ult - ing and mi

Ri - na-sce e in e - sul - tan - za

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is in common time (♩) and the bottom staff is in common time (♩). The vocal line continues with eighth-note pairs. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords and sixteenth-note patterns.

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPE

car . ries me a . way, Tur . an . dot: for 'tis
por . ta via con sè, Tu . ran . dot, la Spe .

allarg.

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is in common time (♩) and the bottom staff is in common time (♩). The vocal line starts with eighth-note pairs. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords and sixteenth-note patterns. A dynamic marking "mf" is present in the piano part.

THE PRINCE *IL PRINCIPE*

Hope!
-anza!

(They open the 1st. scroll rhythmically)
(aprano ritmicamente il primo rotolo)

(4 only) (4 solid) 3

8 Basses
8 Bassi

'Tis
Laspe.

53 a tempo affrettando
(dopo la parola)

ritornando

TURANDOT

(angrily)
(declamato con ira)

Yes! It is
Si! La spe-

Hope!
- ran - za! (the
(gli)

'Tis Hope!
La speranza!

'Tis Hope! —
La speran - za!

'Tis Hope!
La speranza!

a tempo

dim.

- | $\overline{p}p$

TURANDOT

(She nervously comes halfway down the staircase)
(Turandot scende alla metà della scala nervosamente)

hope that false ly lures you on ward!
- ran - za che de - lu - de sempre!

54

TURANDOT

"Like a flame it is flar - ing,
"Guiz - za al pa - ri di fiam - ma,
(Flutes)
(Flauti)

p

TURANDOT

Yet it is no -
e non è fiam -

TURANDOT

flame!
ma!

Some times
È tal -

it is de -
. vol . ta de -

TURANDOT

lir - - ium!
li - - rio!

and fev - er,
È feb - bre

burn - ing and
d'im . pe - to ear.

TURANDOT

ard. - ent! In -
do. - re! L'i.

55

TURANDOT

er - ia will transmute it in - to lan - guor! If your
ner - zia lo tra - mu - ta in un lan - guo - re! Se ti

55

pp

TURANDOT

life you are los - ing, it grows cold! But
per - di o tra - pas - si, si raf - fred - da! Se

f *p* *p*

TURANDOT

when you dream of con - quest it is flam - ing! When you
so - gni la con - qui - sta avvam - pa, av - vam . - pa! Ha u - na

TURANDOT

heark-en to its voice you are a - tremb - le. And, like the
vo - ce che tre - pi - do tu a - scol - ti, e del tra -

sostenuto

TURANDOT

sun - set, 'tis dyed in crim - son glow!,
mon - to il vi - vi - do ba - glior!,

rit..... a tempo

THE EMPEROR
L'IMPERATORE

CHORUS-CORO

Sop.

Ten.

Basses
Bassi

mf

Think well and long, O stranger!
Non per - der - ti, stran - ie - ro!

Your life's at stake!
È per la vi - ta!

mf

Your life's at stake!
È per la vi - ta!

56

All° moderato

p

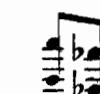
mf

Think well and long, O strang - er!
Non per - der - ti, stra - nie - ro!

Think well and long, O strang - er!
Non per - der - ti, stra - nie - ro!

Your life's at stake! Answer!
È per la vi - ta! Par - la!

un poco incalz.



m.s.

Ans - wer!
Par - la!

LIU (beseechingly)
(supplice)

It is for love's sake!
È per l'a - mo - re!

57

c

c

c

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPÉ

Yes, might - y Prince - ess!
Si, Prin ci - pes - sa!

It flames and yet doth
Av - vam - pa e insie - me

Andante mosso

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPE

lang - uish, Yes, when thine
lan - gue, se tu mi

This musical score consists of three staves. The top staff uses treble clef, the middle staff alto clef, and the bottom staff bass clef. Measure 57 starts with a forte dynamic. The lyrics "lang - uish, Yes, when thine" are followed by "lan - gue, se tu mi". Measure 58 begins with a piano dynamic, continuing the lyrics.

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPE

eyes in mine are gaz - ing: 'tis
guar - di nel - le ve - ne il
allarg.
rit:.....

This musical score consists of three staves. The top staff uses treble clef, the middle staff alto clef, and the bottom staff bass clef. Measure 59 starts with a forte dynamic. The lyrics "eyes in mine are gaz - ing: 'tis" are followed by "guar - di nel - le ve - ne il". Measure 60 begins with a piano dynamic, continuing the lyrics and including a dynamic marking "rit:.....".

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPE

Blood!
san - gue!
a tempo, poco affrettando

58 8
ff

This musical score consists of three staves. The top staff uses treble clef, the middle staff alto clef, and the bottom staff bass clef. Measure 61 starts with a forte dynamic. The lyrics "Blood!", "san - gue!", and "a tempo, poco affrettando" are followed by a dynamic marking "ff". Measure 62 continues with the same dynamic and tempo.

(opening the second scroll)
(aprendo il secondo rotolo)(4 only)
(4 soli)8 Basses
8 Bassi'Tis blood!
'Il san - gue!(the other 4)
(gli altri 4)'Tis
'Il

tornando a tempo

A musical score page featuring two staves of music. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom is in bass clef. Both staves have a common time signature. The music consists of eighth-note patterns. Dynamic markings include 'dim.' and '3' (trill) over specific groups of notes. The piano accompaniment is indicated by vertical stems with downward arrows.

'Tis blood!
'Il san - gue!blood!
Sop. san - gue!'Tis blood!
'Il san - gue!

A musical score page for the Chorus. It includes three vocal parts: Soprano (Sop.), Tenor (Ten.), and Bass (Bass). The bass part is also labeled 'Basses' and 'Bassi'. The music consists of quarter note patterns. Dynamic markings include 'p' (piano) and 'Take Co...' (Take Care). The piano accompaniment is indicated by vertical stems with downward arrows.

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TURANDOT (pointing out the crowd to the guards)
(additando la folla alle guardie)

Make those wretches be
Per - cuo - te - te quei

cour - age, thou who solv - est the en - ig.mas!
-rag - gio, scio - gli - to - re de - gli e - nig.mi!

cour - age, thou who solv - est the en - ig.mas!
-rag - gio, scio - gli - to - re de - gli e - nig.mi!

cour - age, thou who solv - est the en - ig.mas!
-rag - gio, scio - gli - to - re de - gli e - nig.mi!

TURANDOT (comes to the bottom of the staircase and leans towards the Prince, who falls on his knees)
(Turandot scende giù dalla scala. Si china sul Principe che cade in ginocchio.)

59

(opt.)
(opp.)

"Ice that fire doth _ give thee and from thy fire more
 TURANDOT "Ge lo che ti dà fo - co e dal tuo fo - co

"Ice that fire doth give thee and from thy
 "Ge lo che ti dà fo - co e dal tuo

ice is be - got - ten!
 più ge - lo pren - de!

fire more ice is be - got - ten!
 fo - co più ge - lo pren - de!

TURANDOT

Clear as day, yet in - scrut - ab - le! The
 Can - di - da ed o - scu - ra! Se

p (come un lamento)

force that wills you free, a slave will make you!
li - be - ro ti vuol, ti fa più ser - vo!

TURANDOT

Yet, ac - cept - ing you as slave, will make you
Se per ser - vo t'ac - cet - ta, ti fa

TURANDOT (The Prince scarcely breathes. Turandot bends over him, as over a prey.....
(Il Principe non respira più. Turandot è su lui, curva come sulla sua preda.....)

King!"
Re!"

calando

TURANDOT

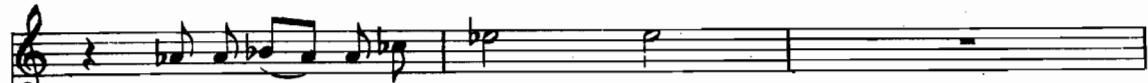
and sneers)
e sogghigna)

f

Now, sur rend - er! Your cheeks are white with ter - ror!
Su, stra - nie - ro! Ti sbian - ca la pa - u - ra!

p *ff*

TURANDOT



For you know it is hope - less!
E ti sen - ti per - du - to!

60

TURANDOT

TURANDOT

a tempo

ff

Ped.

*ppp**

61

THE PRINCE (bounding to his feet, exclaims)
IL PRINCIPE (*balza in piedi con forza, esclama:*)

Ah! thou hast told me; my or -
 La mia vit - to - ria

cedendo un poco

life to thee I owe!
 -mai t'ha da ta a me!

a tempo

cedendo un poco

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPE

And my fire shall dis-solve thee: Tur-an
 Il mio suo - co allarg. ti sge-la: Tu-ran

a tempo

rall.

ff

THE PRINCE
IL PRINCIPE

-dot!
 -dot!

62 *a tempo* *affrett.un poco*

ff

THE WISE MEN
I SAPIENTI

(opening the scroll)
(aprendo il rotolo)

(4 only)
(4 soli)

8 Basses
8 Bassi

Tur.an_dot!

Tu_ran_dot!

Tur.an.
Tu.ran.

(the other 4)
(gli altri 4)

tornando a tempo

Tur.an_dot!
Turandot!

Tur.an.
Tu.ran.

-dot!
-dot!

Sop.
-dot!
-dot!

Ten.

Basses
Bassi

Tur.an_dot!
Tu_randot!

Turandot!
Turandot!

Tur.an_dot!
Tu_randot!

Turandot!
Turandot!

Tur.an_dot!
Tu_randot!

Turandot!
Turandot!

cresc: molto

f

v

CHORUS - CORO

f

Glor . y, glor . y to the conq . u'ror!
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci - to re! Glor . y, glor . y to the
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci -

Sop.I. *f*

Glor . y, glor . y to the conq . u'ror!
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci - to re! Glor . y, glor . y to the
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci -

Sop.II.

Glor . y, glor . y to the conq . u'ror!
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci - to re! Glor . y, glor . y to the
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci -

coro

Ten.I. *f*

Glor . y, glor . y to the conq . u'ror!
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci - to re! Glor . y, glor . y to the
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci -

CHORUS

Ten.II. *f*

Glor . y, glor . y to the conq . u'ror!
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci - to re! Glor . y, glor . y to the
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci -

Basses *Bassi* *f*

Glor . y, glor . y to the conq . u'ror!
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci - to re! Glor . y, glor . y to the
Glo . ria, gloria, o vin . ci -

(Trumpets)
(Trombe)

fff (on the stage)
(sulla scena)
(Trombones)
(Tromboni)

Sostenuto $\text{♩} = 69$

fff

8

Re. * Re. * Re. * Re. * Re. * Re. *

conq - u'ror! Thine is life and tri - umph!
 -to - re! Ti sor - ri - da la vi - ta!

conq - u'ror! Thine is life and tri - umph!
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conq - u'ror! Thine is life and tri - umph!
 -to - re! Ti sor - ri - da la vi - ta!

8

* Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

Thine is life and love!
Ti sor-ri da l'a-mor!

Sop. e Contr.

Thine is life and love!
Ti sor-ri da l'a-mor!

Ten.

p
Ev - er - last - ing
Die - ci - mi - la

Thine is life and love!
Ti sor-ri da l'a-mor!

Basses

p
Ev - er - last - ing
Die - ci - mi - la

Thine is life and love!
Ti sor-ri da l'a-mor!

Ev - er - last - ing
Die - ci - mi - la

Sop.I.

glo - - - - y to our il - lustr - ious Emp - 'ror!
an - ni al no stro Im - pe - ra - to - re!

Sop.II.

pp
glo - y to our illustrious Emp.'ror! Light and Rul - er of all the
an - ni al nostro Impera - to - re! Lu - ce, Re - di - tut - to il

Centr.

pp
glo - y to our illustrious Emp.'ror! Light and Rul - er of all the
an - ni al nostro Impera - to - re! Lu - ce, Re - di - tut - to il

Basses
Bassi

glo - y to our illustrious Emp.'ror! Light and Rul - er of the
an - ni al nostro Impera - to - re! Lu - ce, Re - di - tut - to il

glo - y to our il - lustr - ious Emp - 'ror!
an - ni al no stro Im - pe - ra - to - re!

Light and Rul - er ov - er the Un - iverse!
 Lu - ce, Re di tut - to il mon - do!

Un . iverse! Rul - er ov - er all the Un - iverse!
 mon - do! Lu - ce, Re di tut - to il mon - do!

Un . iverse! Light and Ruler, Ruler over all the Un . iverse!
 mon - do! Lu - ce, lu - ce, Re di tutto, di tutto il mon - do!

Light and Rul - er of the Un - iverse!
 Lu - ce, Re di tut - to il mon - do!

(filled with anguish, mounts the stairs again, close to the Emperor's throne.)
 TURANDOT (*ch'è risalita affannosamente presso il trono dell'Imperatore.*)

Hear me, my fath - er!
 Fi - glio del cie - lo!

Son of Heav - en!
 Pa - dre au - gu - sto!

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