

# L'amour captif

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**Allegretto** *dolce*

Voice

*p*

*p*

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*dolce leggiero*

*poco rit. a tempo* *cresc.* *f*

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pin-ions, Henev-er-more can wan-ton oth-er-where, Or ev-er for-sake our  
ai-les; Il ne pour-ra plus pren-dre son es-sor Ni quit-ter ja-mais nos

true hearts' com-mun-ions.— With a dain-ty strand of your gold-en hair, Sweet-heart,  
deux cœurs fi-dè-les.— D'un nœud souple et fin— de vos che-veux d'or Mi-gnon -

*I have bound way-ward Love's slight pin-ions! — I have bound Love's pin -*  
*-ne, à l'a - mour j'ai li - é les ai - les! — j'ai li - é les ai - -*

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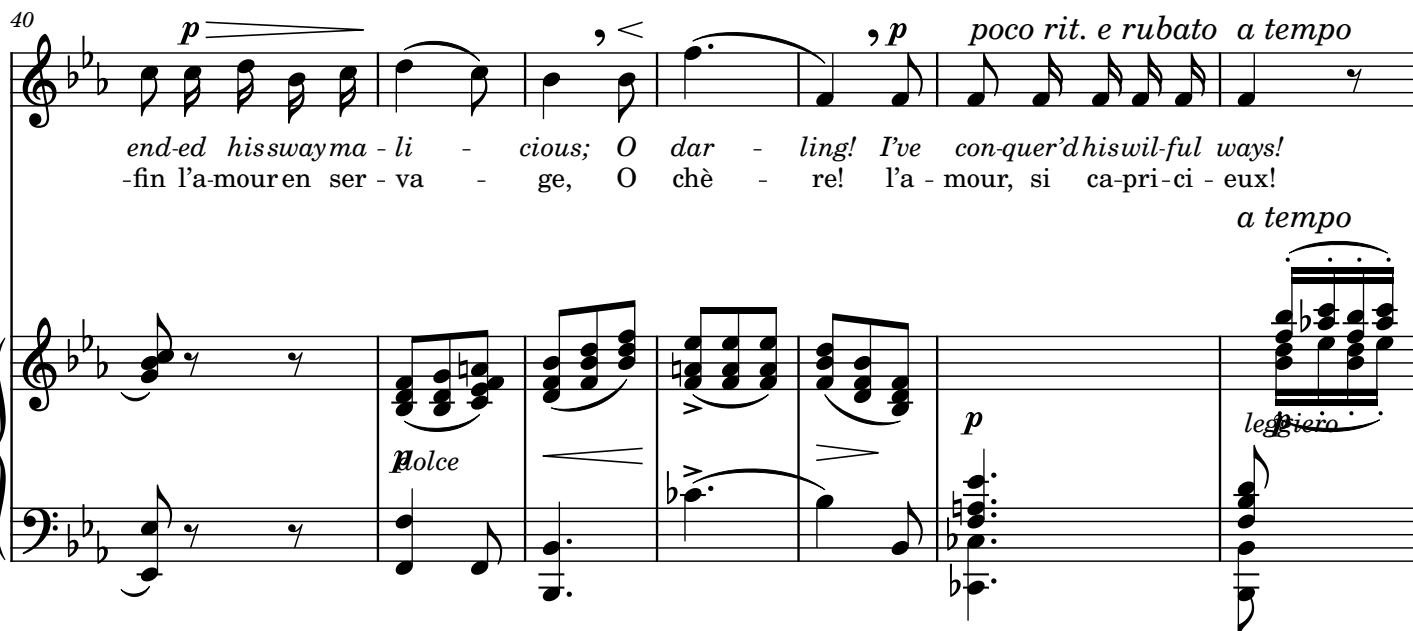
*-ions! Dar - ling! — I have con-quer'd the wil-ful ways Of un - ru - ly Love, so — ca -*  
*-les! Chè - re! — de l'a - mour si ca-pri-ci - eux J'ai domp-té pour-tant le dé-sir vo-*

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*-pri - cious; Each law that your eyes de - clare, he o - beys, And at last I've*  
*- la - ge: Il suit tou - te loi que dic-tent vos yeux, Et j'ai mis en -*

*f*

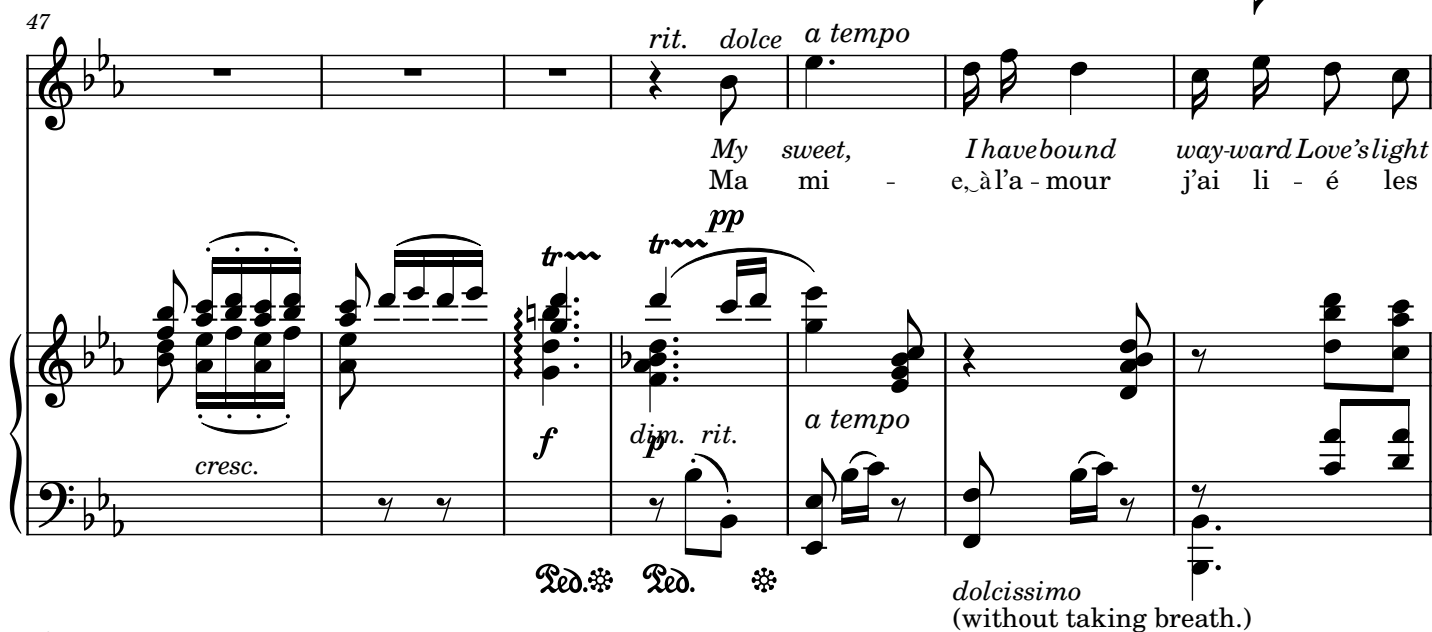
40 *p* *poco rit. e rubato a tempo*



end-ed his way ma - li - cious; O dar - ling! I've con-quer'd his wil-ful ways!  
-fin l'a-mouren ser - va - ge, O chère! l'a - mour, si ca-pri-ci - eux!

*a tempo*

47 *rit. dolce a tempo*



My sweet, I have bound way-ward Love's light  
Ma mi - e, à l'a - mour j'ai li - é les

*pp*

*cresc.* *f* *dim. rit.* *a tempo*

*Red. Red.* *dolcissimo*  
(without taking breath.)

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pin-ions: — Why his parch-ing lips — for - ev - er ex - ile From the bound of your coy  
ai - les, — Lais-sez par pi - tié — ses lè-vres en — feu Ef - fleu - rer par - fois vos

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*poco rit.* *a tempo* *f*

lips' do - min - ions? — On this cap - tive mild — deign to cast a smile; My sweet,  
lè-vres re - - bel - les; — A — ce — doux cap-tif — sou-ri-ez un peu; Ma mi -

*poco rit.* *a tempo* *cresc.* *f*

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*p* *pp*

I have bound way-ward Love's light pin-ions! — I have bound Love's pin - -  
-e, à l'a - mour j'ai li - é les ai - les! — j'ai li - é les ai - -

*p* *pp*

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-ions!  
-les!

*8va*