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# BID ME TO LIVE

Canzonet

Sung by Mrs. G. F. HAYTER. Poetry by ROBT. HERRICK.

Music composed & dedicated (with permission) TO

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# BID ME TO LIVE.

Poetry by R. Herrick, 1648.

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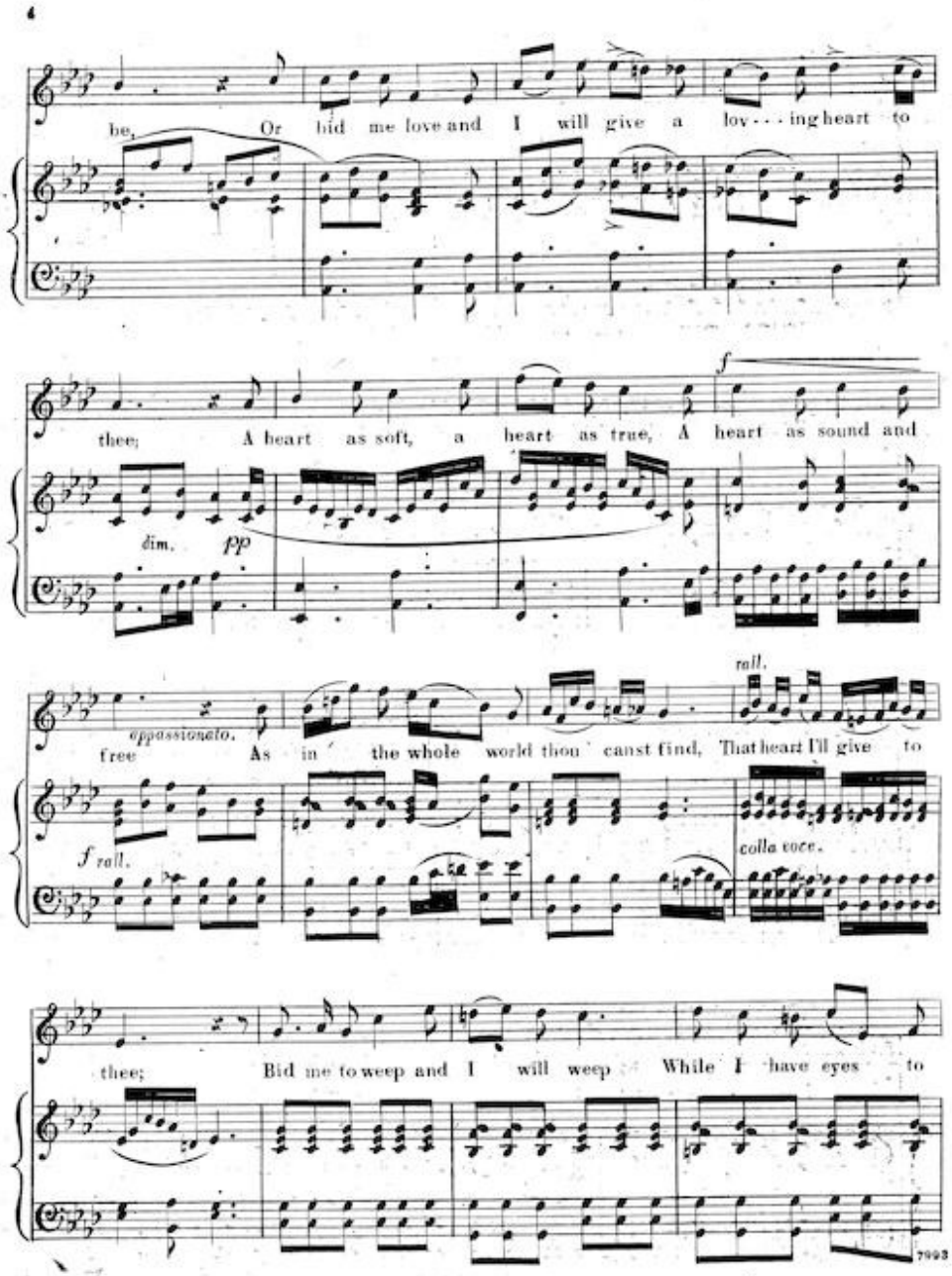
*Larghetto con amore.*

*Legato.*

Bid me to live and I will live, thy pro - - - testant to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be, Or bid me love and I will give a lov - - - ing heart to
thee; A heart as soft, a heart as true, A heart as sound and
f
dim.
pp
free As in the whole world thou canst find, That heart I'll give to
appassionato.
rall.
f rall.
colla voce.
thee; Bid me to weep and I will weep While I have eyes to
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rit.

see; and hav . . ing none, yet I will keep a heart to weep for

col voce.

thee. Thou art my life, my love, my heart, The

molto espr.

p

affetuoso.

rit.

ve - - ry eyes of me; And hast command of ev - - 'ry part, to

rit.

col voce.

live or die for thee.

p e rit.

sempre rit. e dim.