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Words anon. 15th century

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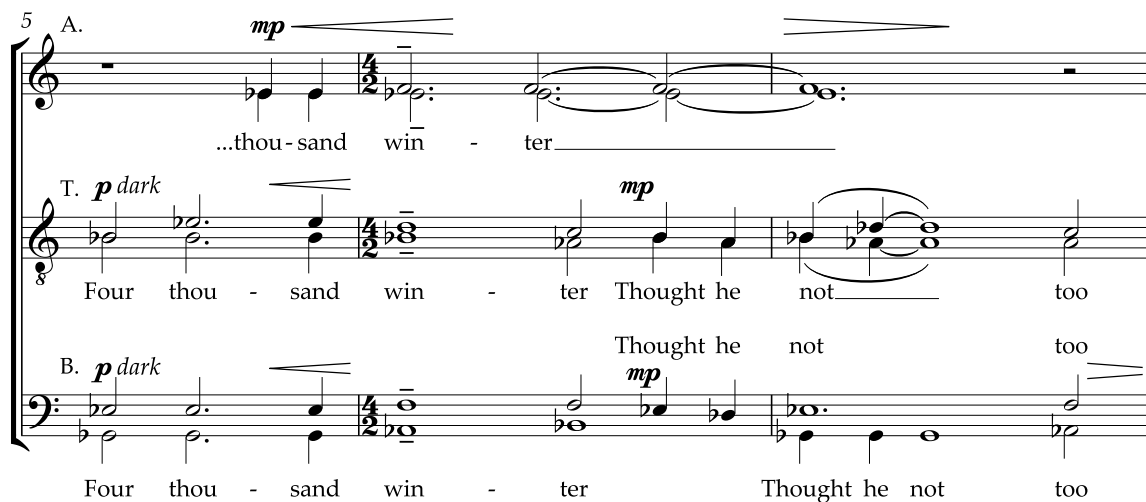
Calm and unhurried $\text{♩} = 60$

TENOR *pp*



A - dam lay y - bound - en, Bound - en in a bond;_____

5 A. *mp*



...thou - sand win - ter_____

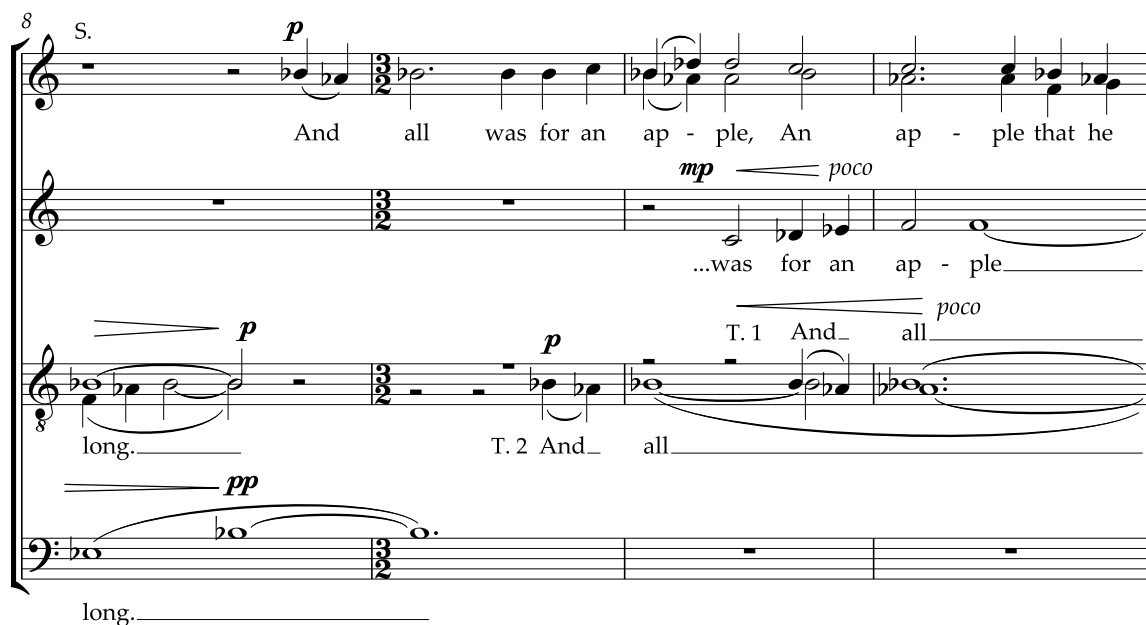
T. *p dark* *mp*

Four thou - sand win - ter Thought he not too

B. *p dark* *mp*

Four thou - sand win - ter Thought he not too

8 S. *p*



And all was for an ap - ple, An ap - ple that he

mp *poco*

...was for an ap - ple_____

p *p* T. 1 And_ all *poco*

long._____ T. 2 And_ all

pp

long._____

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poco cresc. *mf*

Ah _____ Ah _____

mf

Ah _____

non dim. *f* *marked/strict time*

_____ been, _____ Ne _____ had ne-ver Our La - dy _____

cresc. *f* *marked/strict time*

ap - ple tak-en been, _____ Ne _____ had ne-ver Our La - dy _____

poco *f* *non dim.*

_____ had the ap - ple *tak-en been, _____ The ap - ple tak - en been,

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dim. *p* *poco rit.*

Ah _____ Ah _____

dim. *p*

Ah _____ Ah _____

mp

A been hea - v'né _____ queen. _____ (nn) _____

mp *poco*

A been hea - v'né _____ queen. _____ (nn) _____

* crescendo only on the lower note

36 *mf cresc.* *mp*

De - o gra - ci - as, De - o gra - ci - as, De - o gra - ci -

mp

gra - - - ci - as, De - o gra - ci - as,

f *p*

- ci - as, gra - - - ci - as, De - o

f *p*

gra - - - ci - as, De - o

B.
(tutti)

sing - en, De - o gra - ci - as,

poco rit.

40 *poco* *p* *dim.* *pp*

- as, De - o gra - ci - as, De - o gra - ci - as!

dim. *p* *pp*

De - o gra - ci - as, De - o gra - ci - as!

gra - ci - as, gra - ci - as!

gra - ci - as!

pp dim.

De - o gra - ci - as!