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CREATION OF THE WORLD: OVID'S FOUR WINDS

Publius Ovidius Nāsō (43 BCE – 17/18 CE)
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Legato ritmico
♩ = 75 *p*

Soprano
O - ver these hangs the air... Here he order - ed va - pors,

Alto
p
here

Tenor

Bass

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S.
the thun - der, too, to ter - ri - fy the minds of

A.
too, the clouds to take their sta - tion;

T.
p
Oo, _____

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S.
mor - tals. Mm. _____

A.
The Con - tri - ver of the World did not al - low these

T.

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S. ...in - dis - cri - mi - nate - ly to take pos - ses - sion of the sky.

A. *gliss.* Mm._____ *mp* E - ven now, they

T. Mm._____

B. *mp* Mm,_____ m, m, m,

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A. are with great dif - fi - cul - ty pre ven - ted from ren - ding the world a - sun - der, so

T. Oo._____

B. m, m, m...

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A. great is the dis - cord of bro - thers. *non rit.*

T.

B.

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S. and realms of

A. Eu - rus took his way to- wards the ris - ing of Au - ro - ra and realms of

T. Eu - rus took his way to- wards the ris - ing of Au - ro - ra and the realms of

B. Eu - rus took his way to- wards the ris - ing of Au - ro - ra

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S. Na - bath and Per - - sia and... Mm._____

A. Na - bath and Per - - sia and... Oo._____

T. Na - bath and Per - - sia, and the moun - tain rid - ges ex - posed to the

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S. Mm._____ Ah._____

A. Mm._____ Ah._____

T. rays of the mor - ning.

B. The Eve - ning star, and the shores which are

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S. *...are bor - der - ing u - pon*

A. *Oo..*

T. *Ah..*

B. *warm from the set - ting sun,*

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S. *Ze - phy - rus*

A. *p*

T. *are bor - der - ing u - pon Ze - phy - rus.*

43 *f*

S. *The ter - ri - ble Bo - re - as in - va - ded Scy - thi - a, and the re - gions of the North.*

A. *f*

T. *Ah.. Ah..*

B. *f*

The ter - ri - ble Bo - re - as in - va - ded Scy - thi - a, and the re - gions of the North.