

# SENECA'S ZODIAC

Risoluto, sonante  $\text{♩} = 60-66$

Soprano (S) and Alto (A) sing the same lyrics in 2/4 time. Tenor (T) and Bass (B) sing the same lyrics in 3/4 time. The piano (Pno.) accompaniment consists of eighth-note chords. The bassoon (Instr.) provides harmonic support with sustained notes. The vocal parts use slurs and grace notes. Dynamics include **f**, **mf**, and **mf**.

Whith-er, O fa-ther of the lands and skies,  
Whith-er, O fa-ther of the lands and skies,  
whith-er,  
whith-er,  
whith-er, O Phoe-bus, do-est turn thy  
whith-er, O Phoe-bus, do-est turn thy

Drum (deep, low, primeval sound) or Bass Drum

Measures 5-6: The vocal parts continue their respective melodic lines. The piano accompaniment features eighth-note chords. The bassoon provides harmonic support.

5  
Soprano (S): *legato, espressivo*  
and why dost blot out the day...  
Alto (A): *legato, espressivo*  
and why dost blot out the day...  
Tenor (T): *legato, espressivo*  
course and why dost blot out the day in mid - O-lym - pus?  
Bass (B): *legato, espressivo*  
course and why dost blot out the day in mid - O-lym - pus?

6  
Not yet do-eth Ves-per, twi-light's mes-sen-ger,  
Not yet do-eth Ves-per, twi-light's mes-sen-ger,  
*non dim.*  
*non dim.*

Instr. (Bassoon): **mf**

4

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S sum-mon the fires<sup>3</sup> of night; no more shall the lead-er of the stars... *mf*

A sum-mon the fires of night; no more shall the lead-er of the stars... *mf*

T No more shall the lead-er of the stars... *mf*

B No more shall the lead-er of the stars... *mf*

Instr. *p* *mp*

Pno. (prep.)

12

*p*

S no more shall he mark off the sum-mer and win - ter times; no more shall *legato, espressivo*

A no more shall he mark off the sum-mer and win - ter times; no more shall *legato, espressivo*

T no more shall he mark off the sum-mer and win - ter times; no more shall *legato, espressivo*

B no more shall he mark off the sum-mer and win - ter times; no more shall *legato, espressivo*

Instr. *mf* *p*

Pno. (prep.)

## Misterioso ♩ = 56

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60 **p** Whistle (1 singer)

S (altri) audible inhale exhale

A audible inhale exhale

T 8 **p** audible inhale exhale **p** whistle (1 singer)

B (altri) audible inhale exhale Oh

Instr.

Pno. (prep.) **p** Rain Tree (soft sound) **p** *Gtr.s* **mf** with plectrum on the strings **p**

66 ~~*mf*~~