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subtly malevolent
♩ = ca. 52

Soprano

Piano *p*

sempre con Ped.

4

rit. ♩ = subito
ca. 69
mp

6

A lech - er's grim come - up - pance. A

mp

8

mf

wo-man's right-eous rage. Tos-ca wields her dag-ger. Scar-pia's bleed-ing on the stage. "Be-

mf

11

fore him," sings the di - va, "Once trem - bled all of Rome," While

13

plac - ing vo - tive can - dles round the Bar - on, ly - ing prone.

15

In Vi - en - na Vish - nev - ska - ya - all

17

praise her sa - cred name - Stooped to sneer and did - n't know Her

19 *mp*

wig had met with flame. And not some crude syn - the - tic wig-

(b) *tr*

21 *f* slightly petulant

Staats - op - er stan - dard stock- Vish - nev - ska - ya would-n't stand for

f

23 ♩ = subito ca. 84

Less than hu - man locks. A sud - den con - fla - gra - tion, A

(b) *tr*

25

sud-den a - crid waft. Scar-pi - a caught a whiff, re - vived Was

(b) *tr* (b) *tr* (b) *tr*

27

(molto rubato - very operatic...)

musical score for measures 27-29. The vocal line (treble clef) features a triplet of eighth notes on 'sud-den - ly' and a half note on 'a - loft.' followed by a quarter rest, then a half note on 'And' and a quarter note on 'like'. The piano accompaniment (grand staff) includes trills in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

sud-den - ly a - loft. And like Ca - va - ra - dos - - si, came

30

musical score for measures 30-32. The vocal line continues with a triplet of eighth notes on 'dash-ing out' and a half note on 'pell - mell', followed by a quarter rest, then a half note on 'Quite' and a quarter note on 'for - get - ting that he lan-guished'. The piano accompaniment features trills in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

dash-ing out pell - mell Quite for - get - ting that he lan-guished

33

musical score for measures 33-34. The vocal line has a half note on 'Chained up in a cell.' followed by a quarter rest. The piano accompaniment consists of a continuous eighth-note arpeggiated pattern in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

Chained up in a cell.

35

musical score for measures 35-36. The vocal line is silent. The piano accompaniment continues with trills in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

37 *rit.* - - - - -

The

39 $\text{♩} = \text{subito ca. } 69$ *poco rit.* - - - - -

fire was soon ex - tin - guished. The cast re - sumed their parts.

41 $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 56$ *mp*

Ac - ci - dents will hap - pen. ³ As

43

Tos - ca Sings, That's Art. All great com - po - ser's best laid plans Are

46 $\text{♩} = \text{subito ca. } 84$

apt ³ to come un - hinged.

sub. f

48 *rit.* $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 56$ *mp*

The

pp

(floating, very operatic) *molto rit.*

50

op - era's nev - er o - ver, though,

p *pp*

$\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 36$ *p* *pp* $\text{♩} = \text{subito ca. } 56$

52 Till the fat la - dy's singed.

mp *pp* *poco p*

rit.

55

ppp