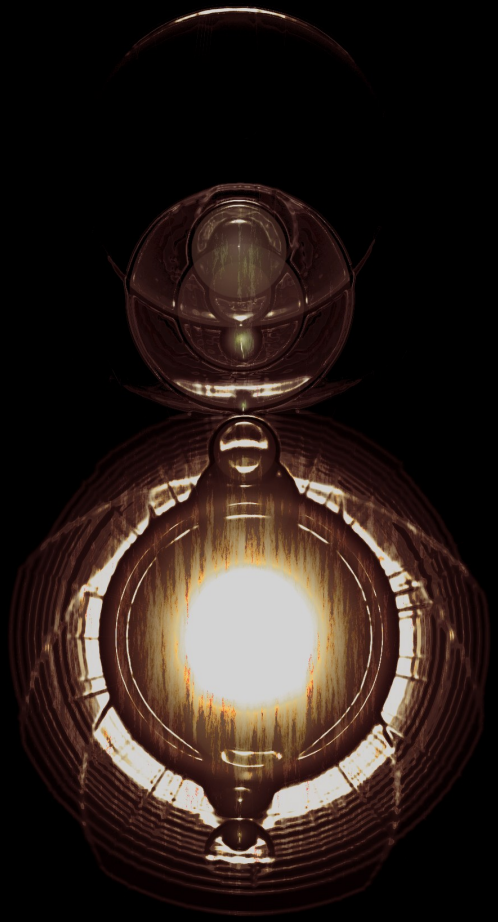
BALLADS

2007 - 2014



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1. Tonight
2. Estranged [remix]
3. Eighteen Days [remix]
4. The Phoenix
5. Azure Eyes [remix]
6. Quest [extended piano]
7. The Void [remix]
8. I Still Care
9. Losing Again [remix]
10. Wail Of The Banshee [remix]
11. Fading Away [new recording]
12. The Anguish [remix]
13. No Remorse [extended]
14. Astray



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TONIGHT

Feels like heaven
When I listen to your voice
And realize just how much I love you
I am touched every time you whisper of
Our endless love, my love
You whisper of our love

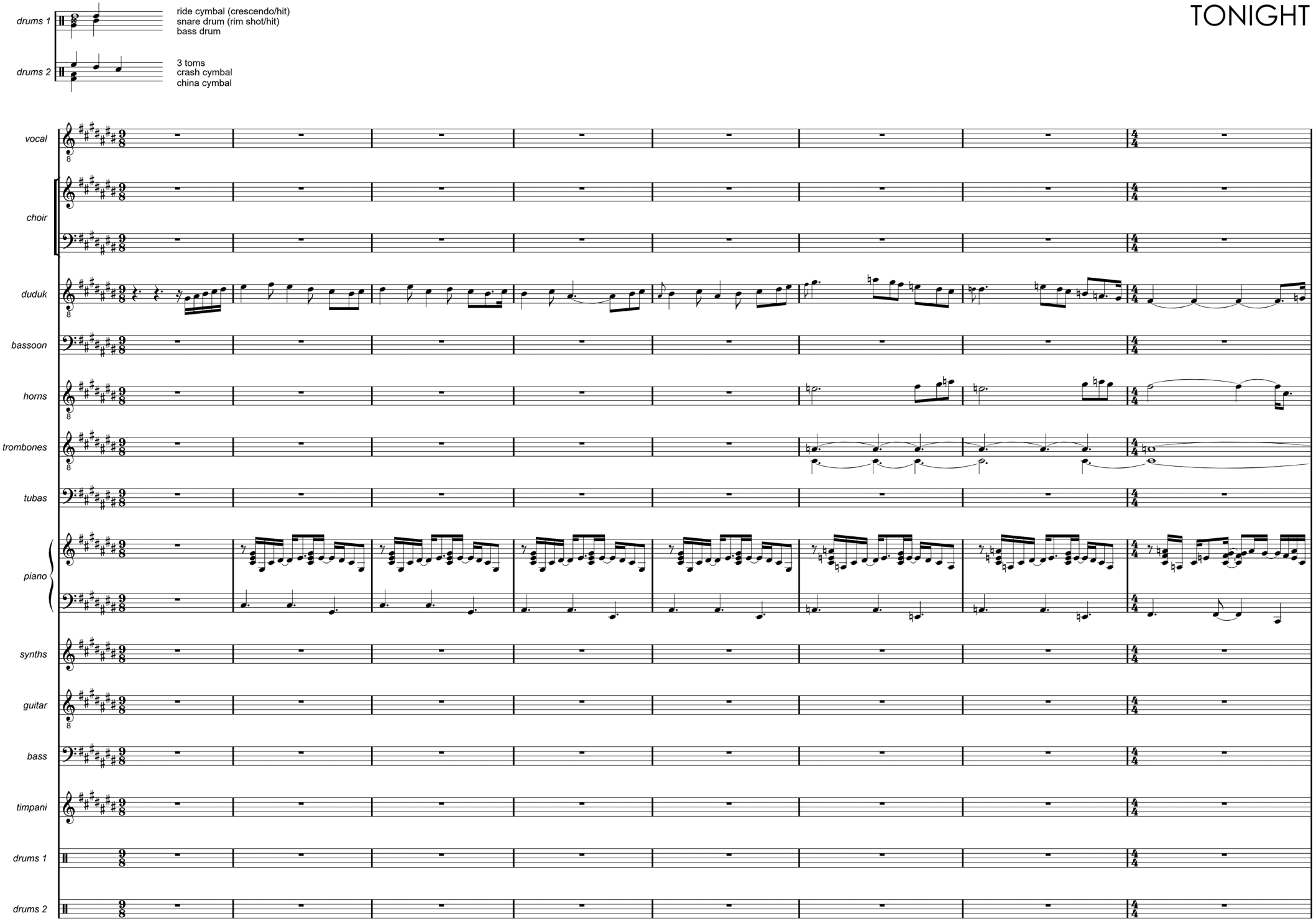
Feels like heaven
Just to look into your eyes
And realize I will never lose you
Now I know we will touch eternity
And finally you're here with me
You are here with me tonight

Tonight, my love, tonight
I'll hold you in my arms tonight
Beside you 'till the morning light
Tonight

Feels like heaven
For I'll dedicate my life to you, my love
You're the only person
You will bring happiness into my heart
Let's make a start tonight
You are here with me tonight

Tonight, my love, tonight
I'll hold you in my arms tonight
Beside you 'till the morning light
Tonight you're mine completely
'Till the morning light, tonight

TONIGHT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snare drum (rim shot/hit)
bass drum
drums 2
3 toms
crash cymbal
china cymbal
vocal
choir
duduk
bassoon
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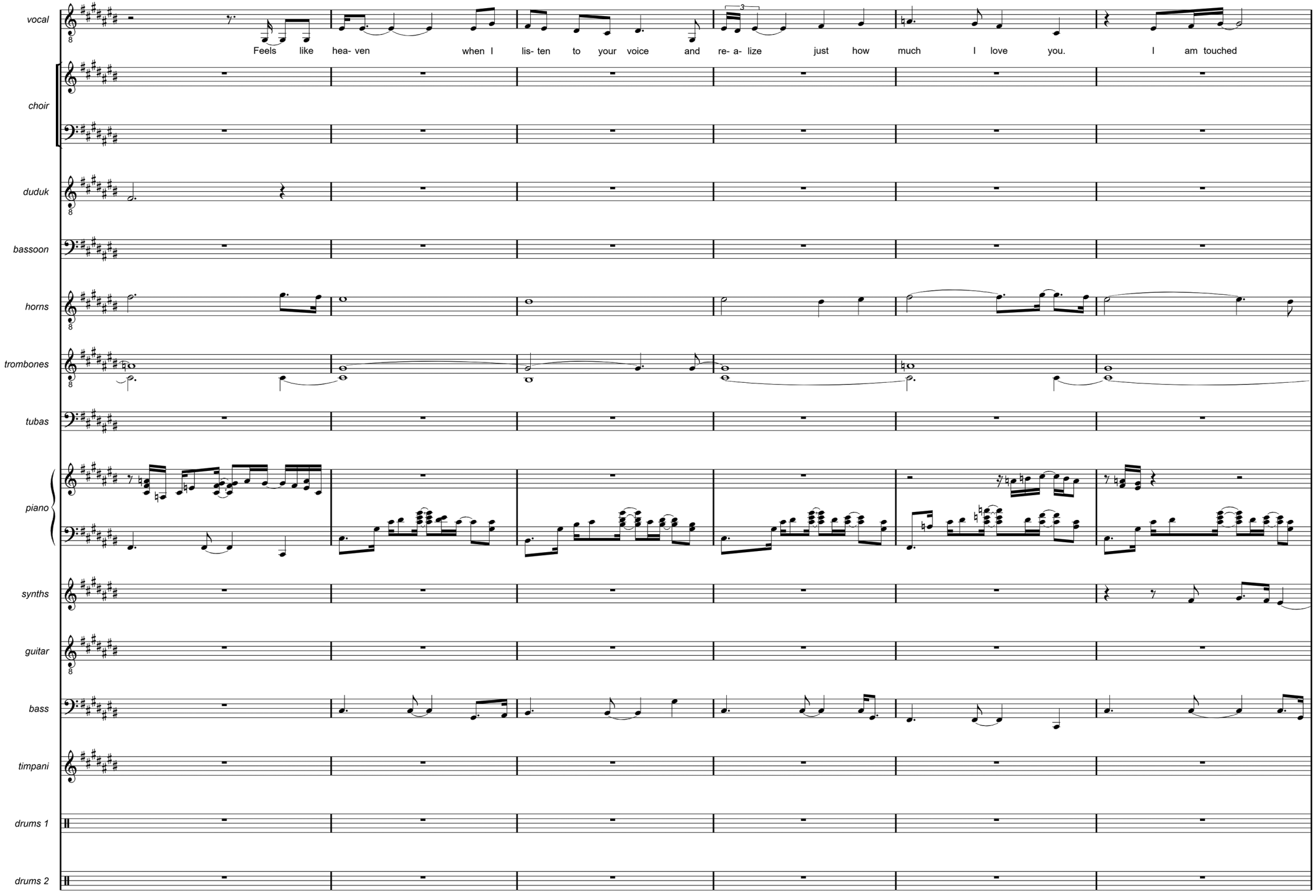
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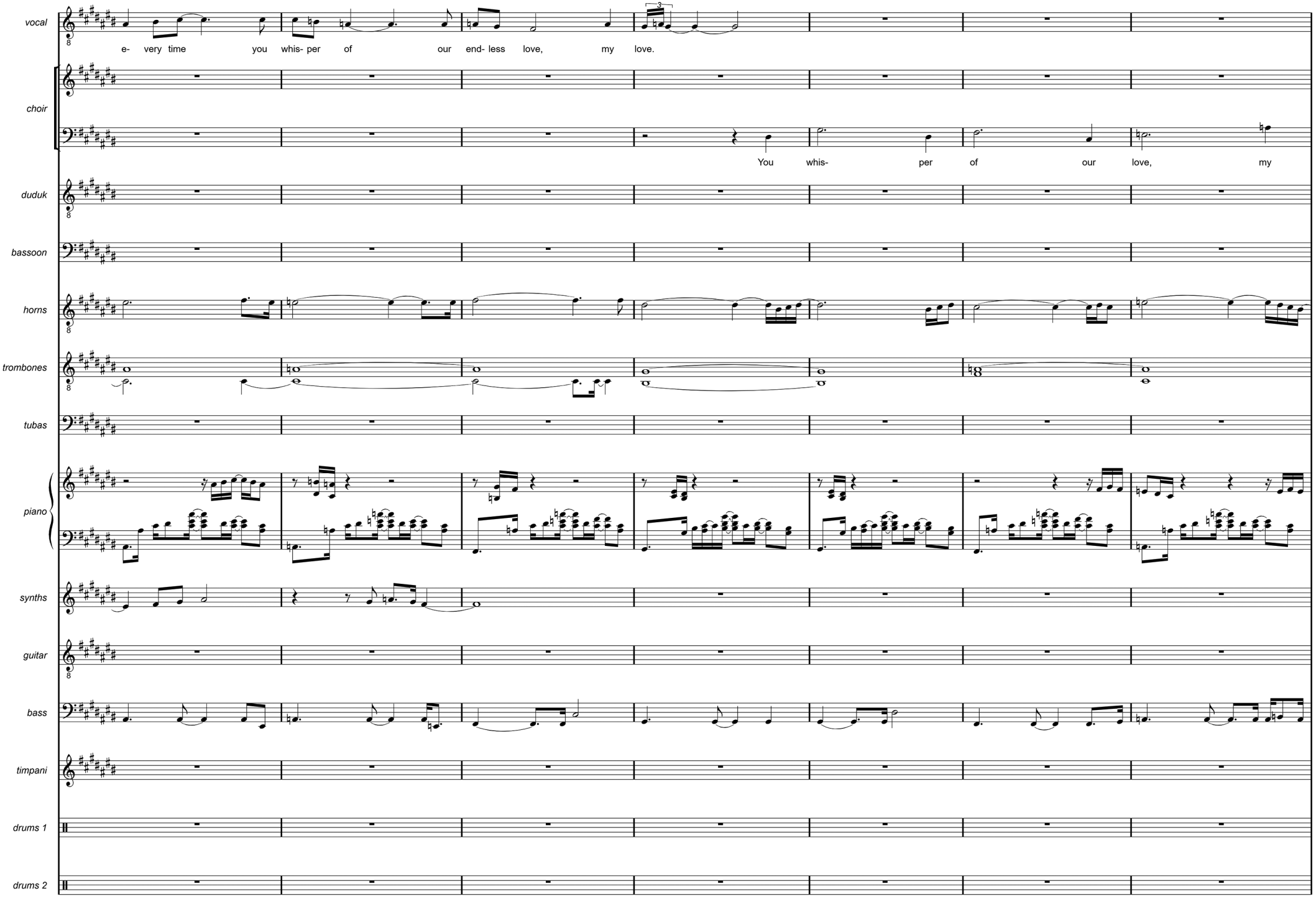
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e- very time you whis- per of our end- less love, my love.
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You whis- per of our love, my
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bassoon
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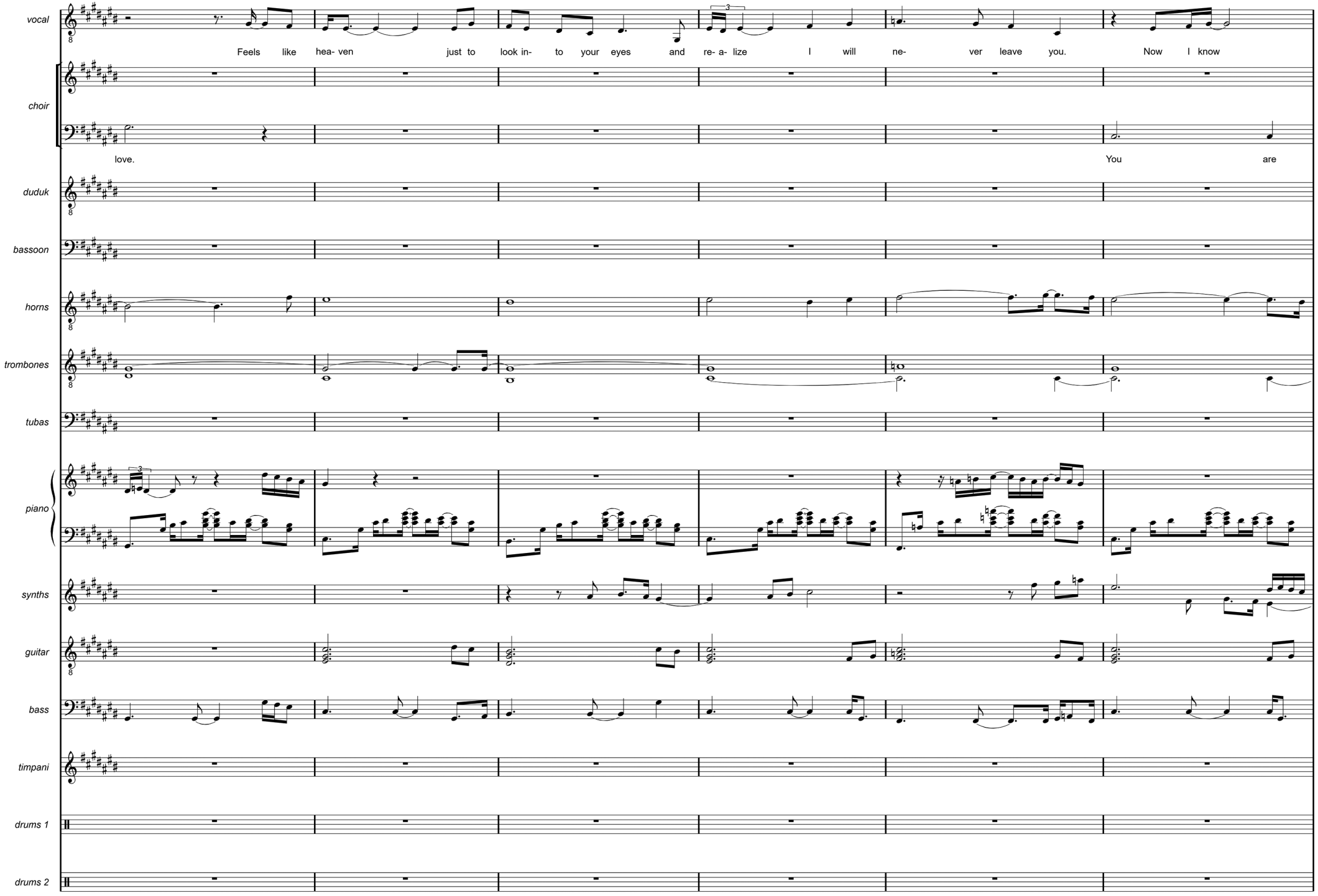
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Feels like hea- ven just to look in- to your eyes and re- a- lize I will ne- ver leave you. Now I know
choir
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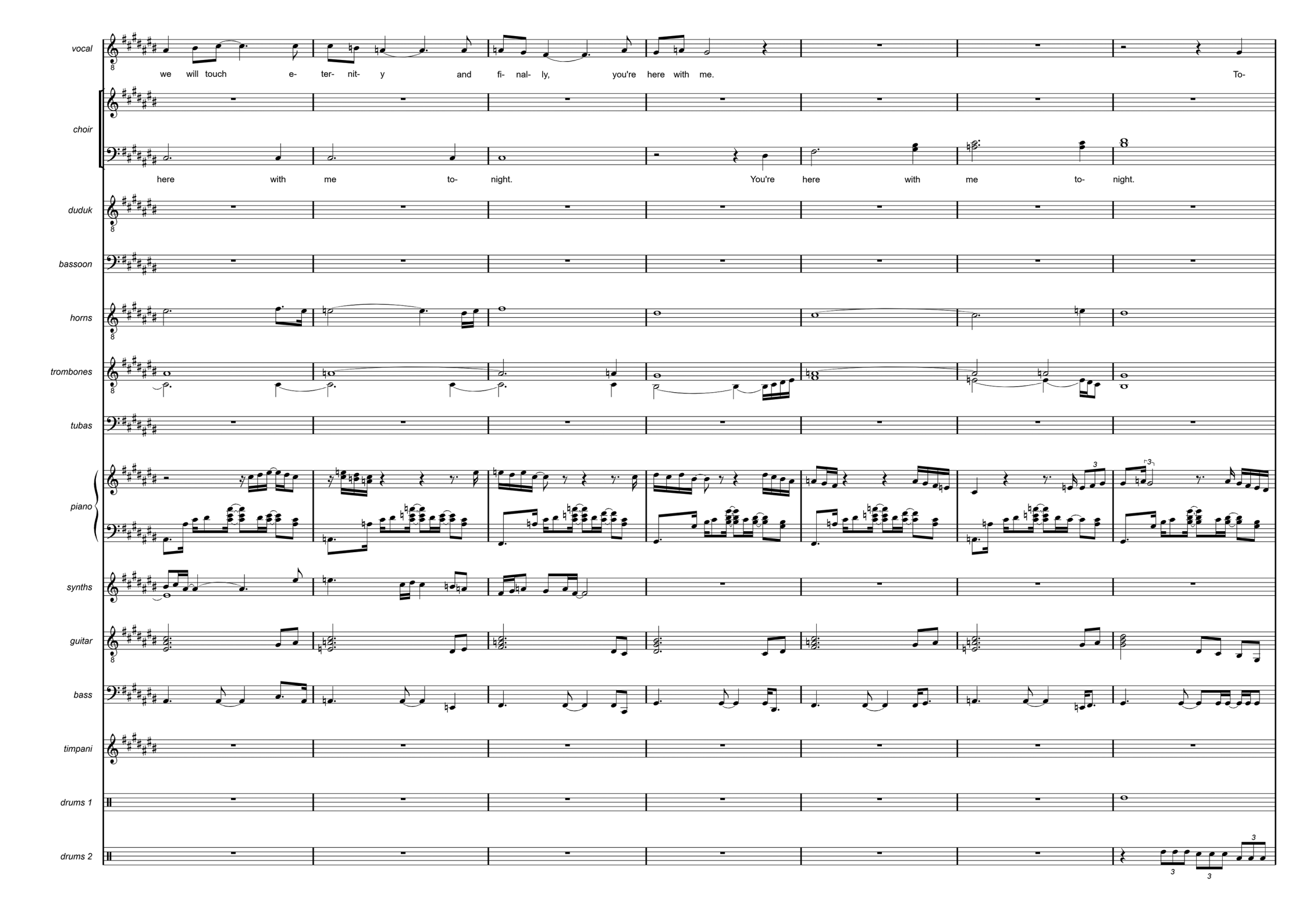
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we will touch e- ter- nit- y and fi- nal- ly, you're here with me. To-
choir
here with me to- night. You're here with me to- night.
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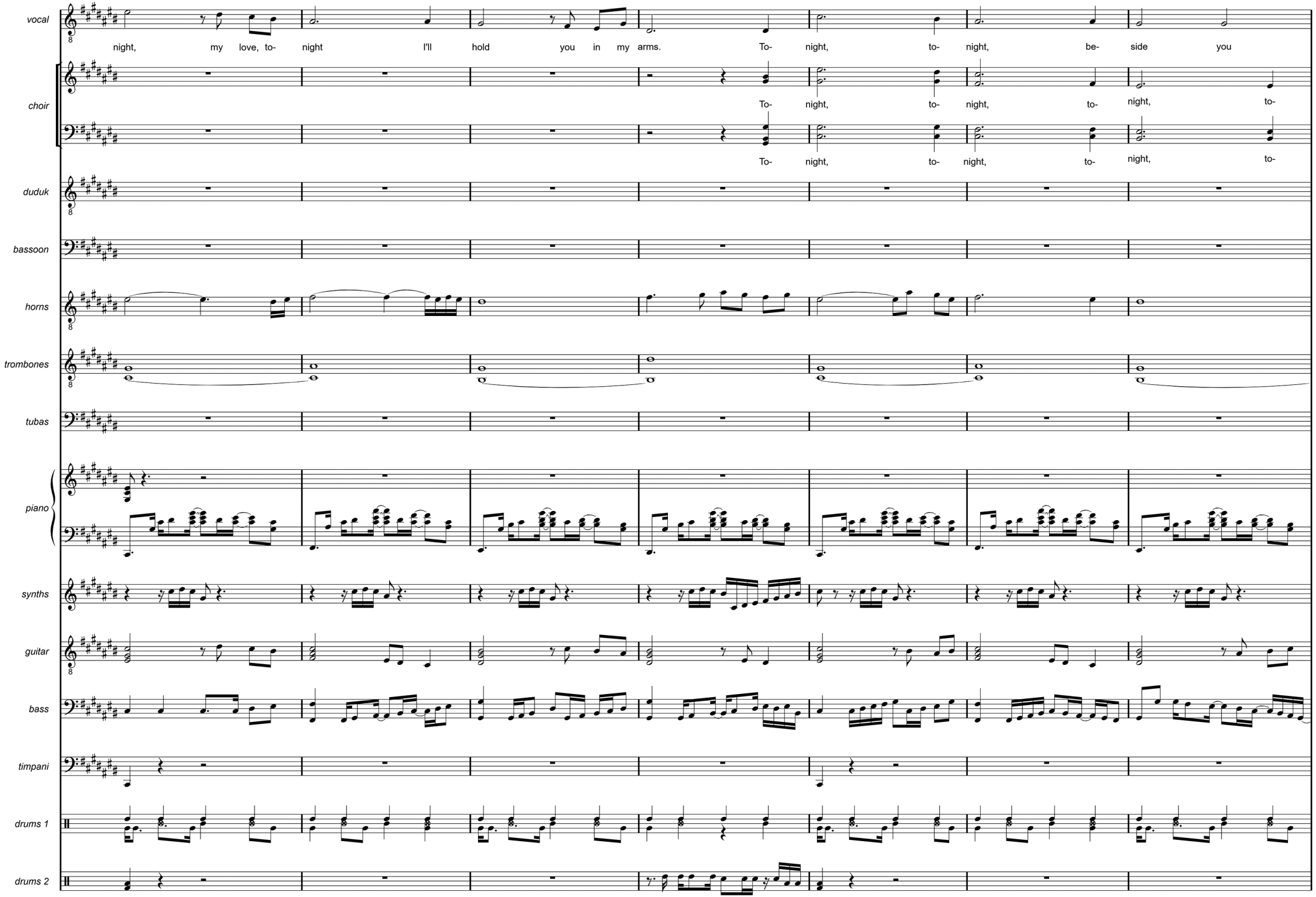
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night, my love, to- night I'll hold you in my arms. To- night, to- night, be- side you
choir
To- night, to- night, to- night, to-
To- night, to- night, to- night, to-
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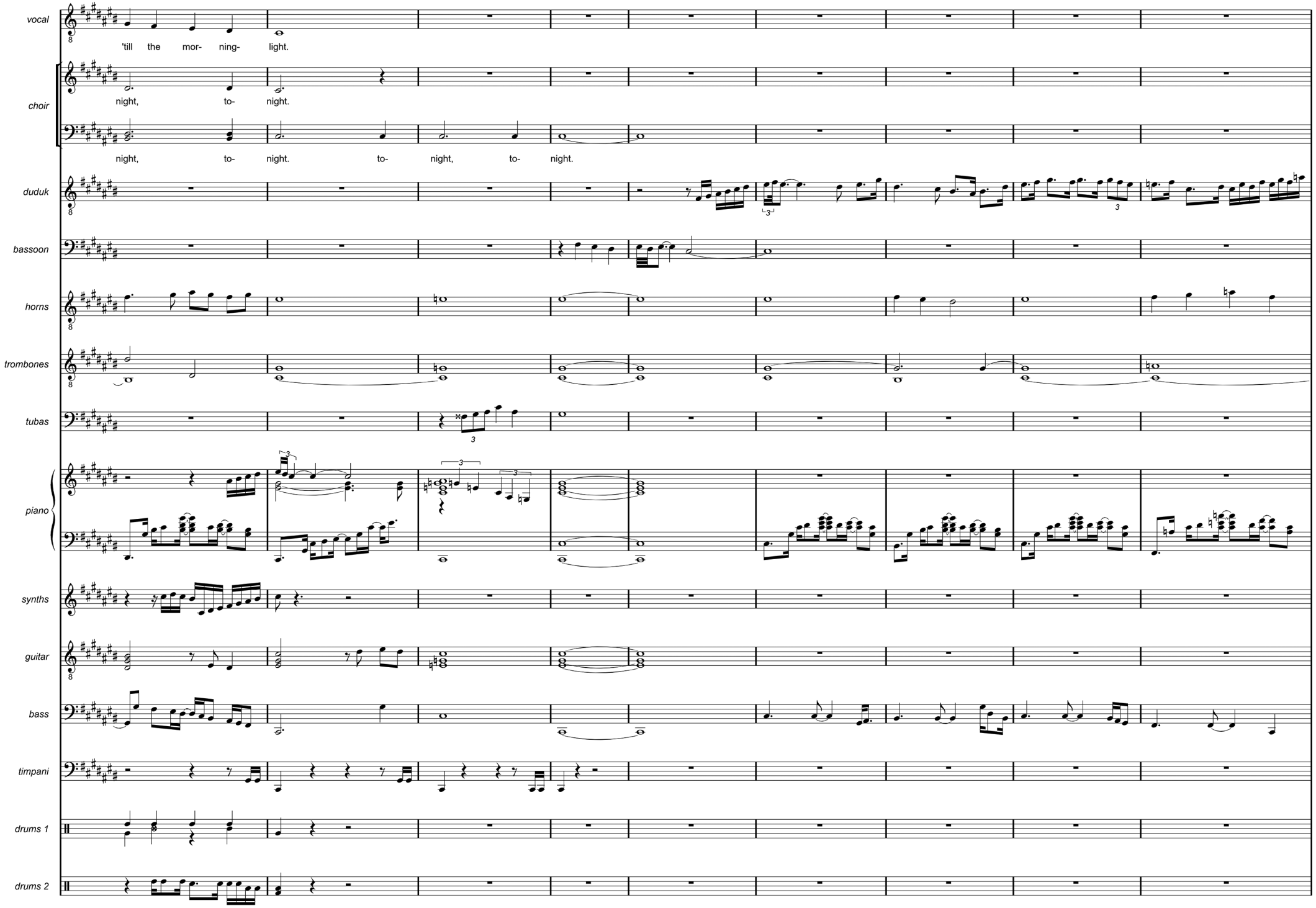
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'till the mor- ning- light.
choir
night, to- night.
night, to- night. to- night, to- night.
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bassoon
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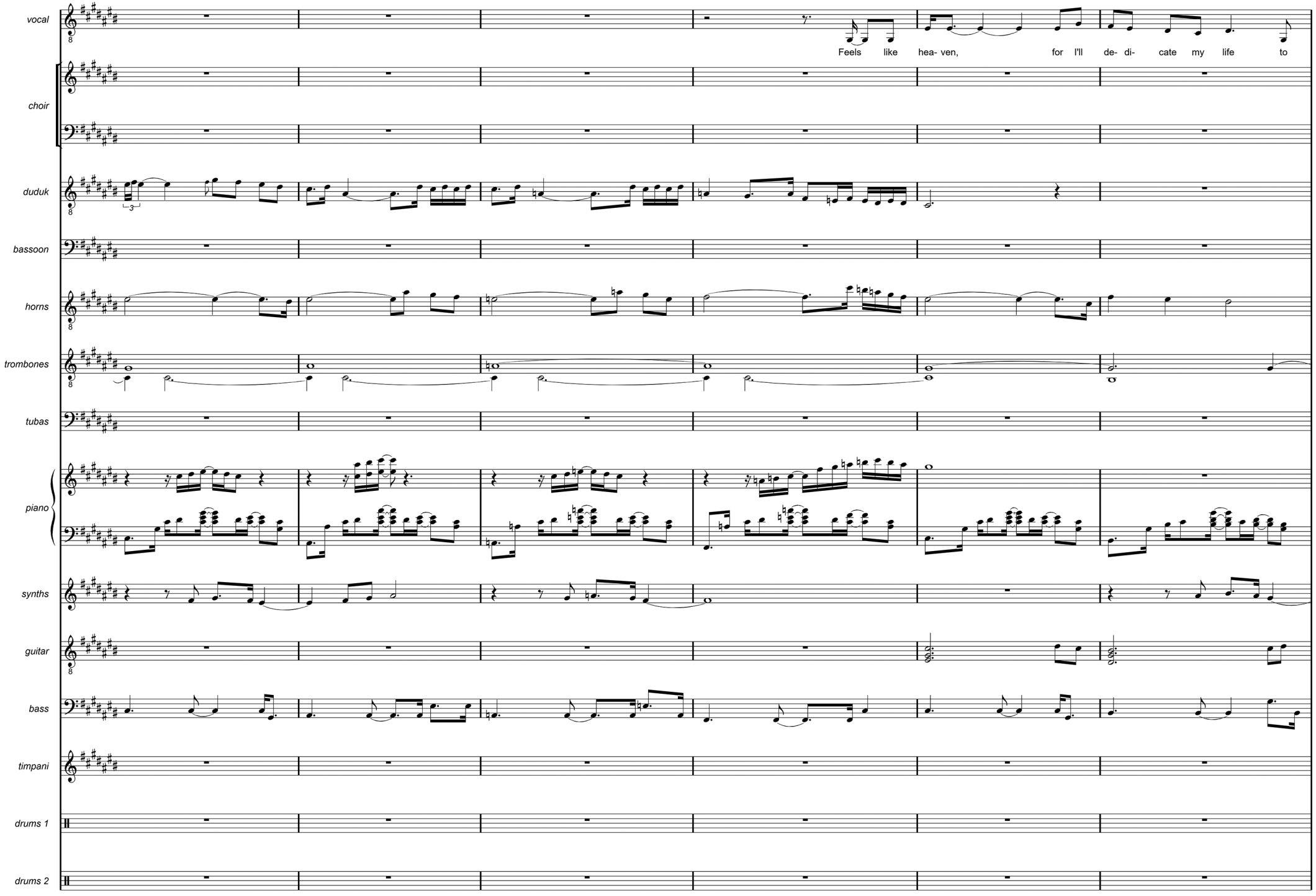
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Feels like hea- ven, for I'll de- di- cate my life to
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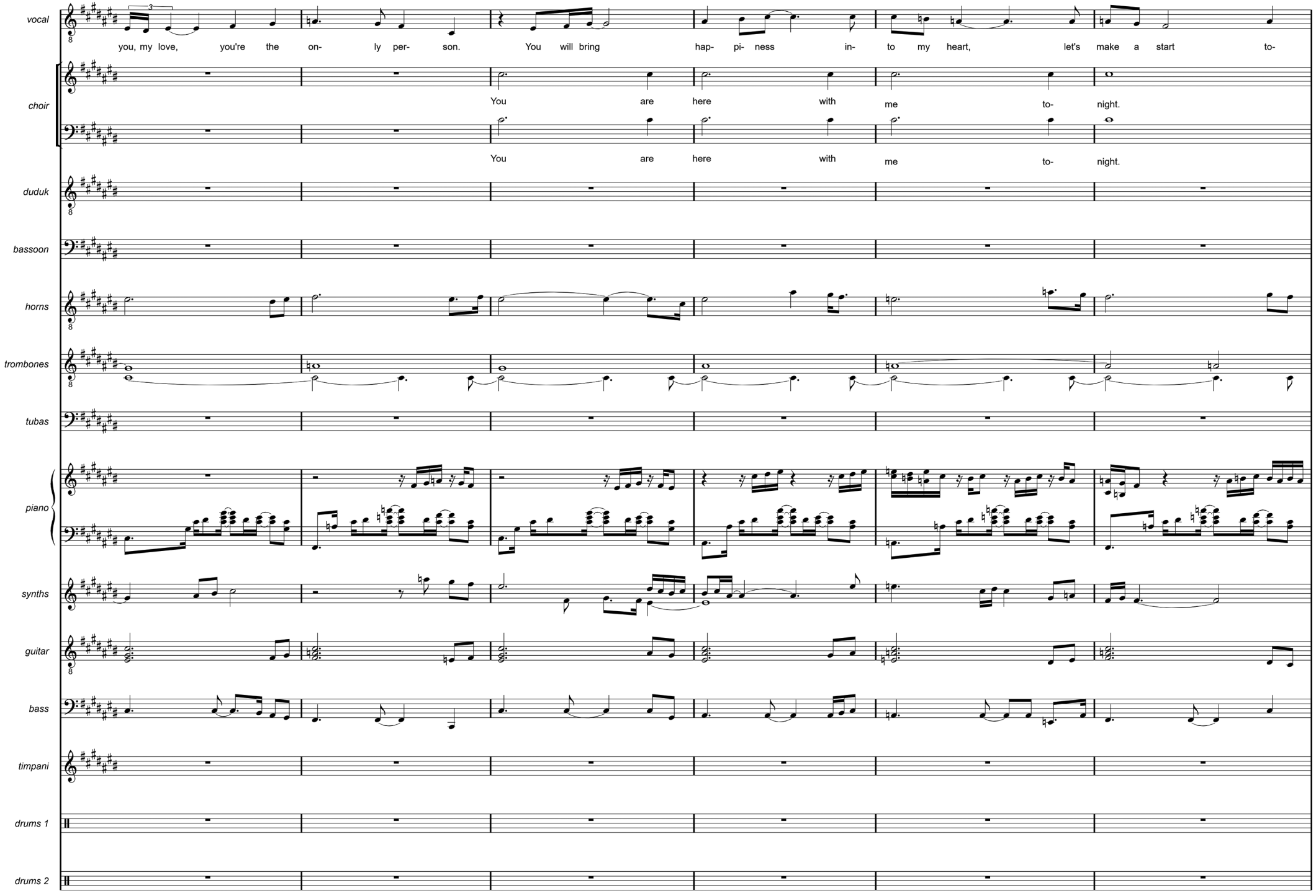
vocal
you, my love, you're the on- ly per- son. You will bring hap- pi- ness in- to my heart, let's make a start to-
choir
You are here with me to- night.
You are here with me to- night.
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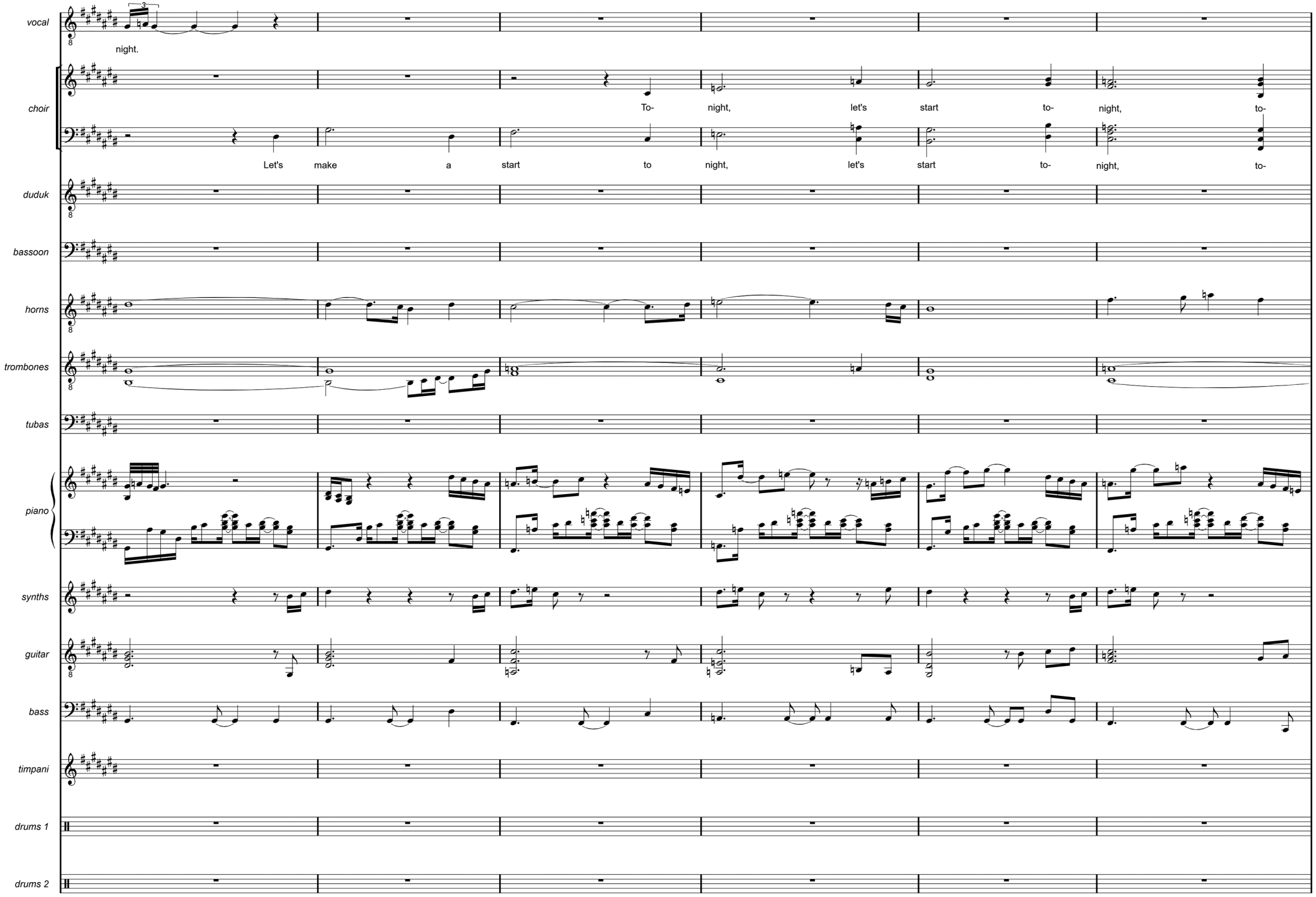
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To-
night,
let's
start
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Let's
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start
to-
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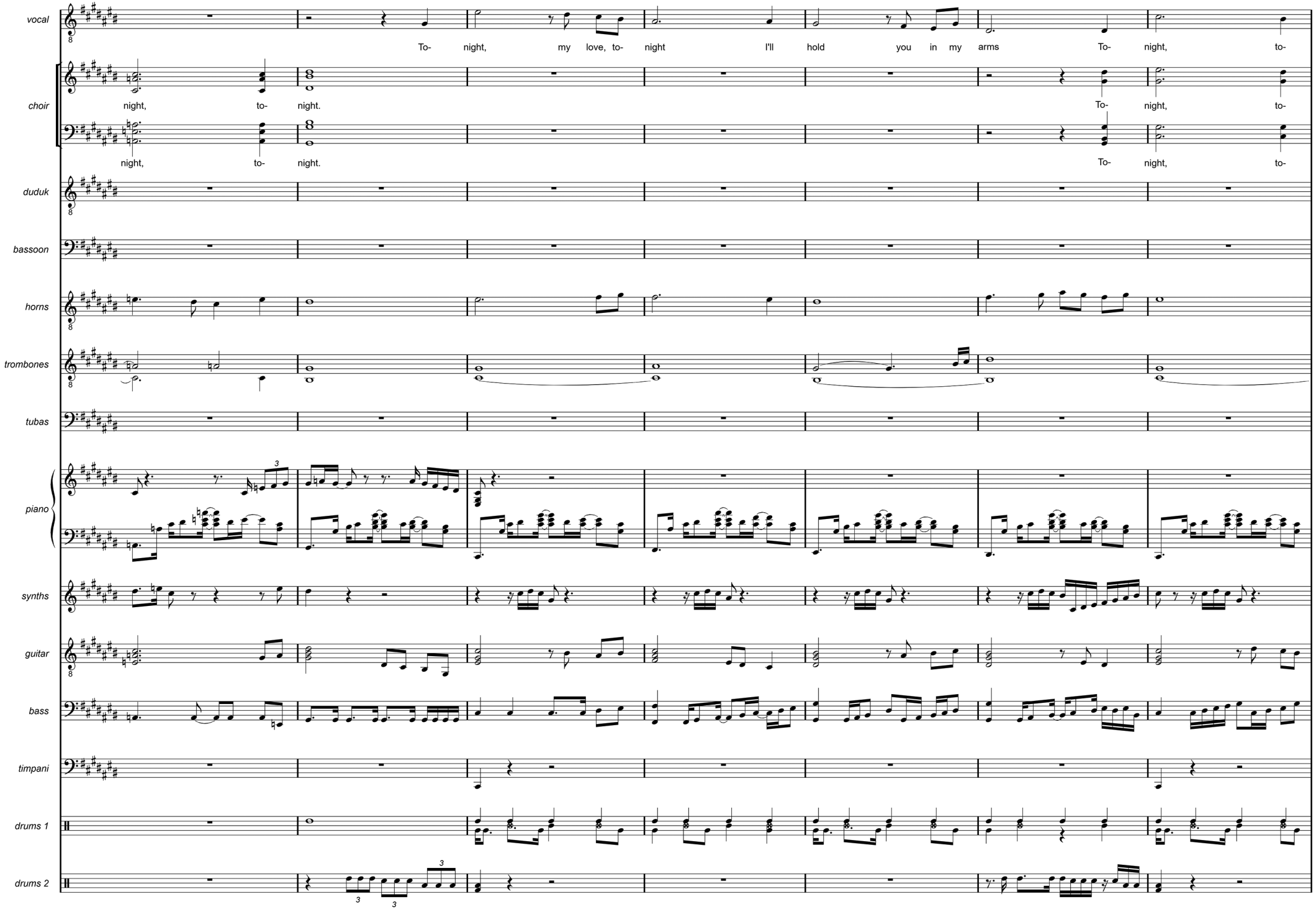
vocal
To- night, my love, to- night I'll hold you in my arms To- night, to-
choir
night, to- night. To- night, to-
night, to- night. To- night, to-
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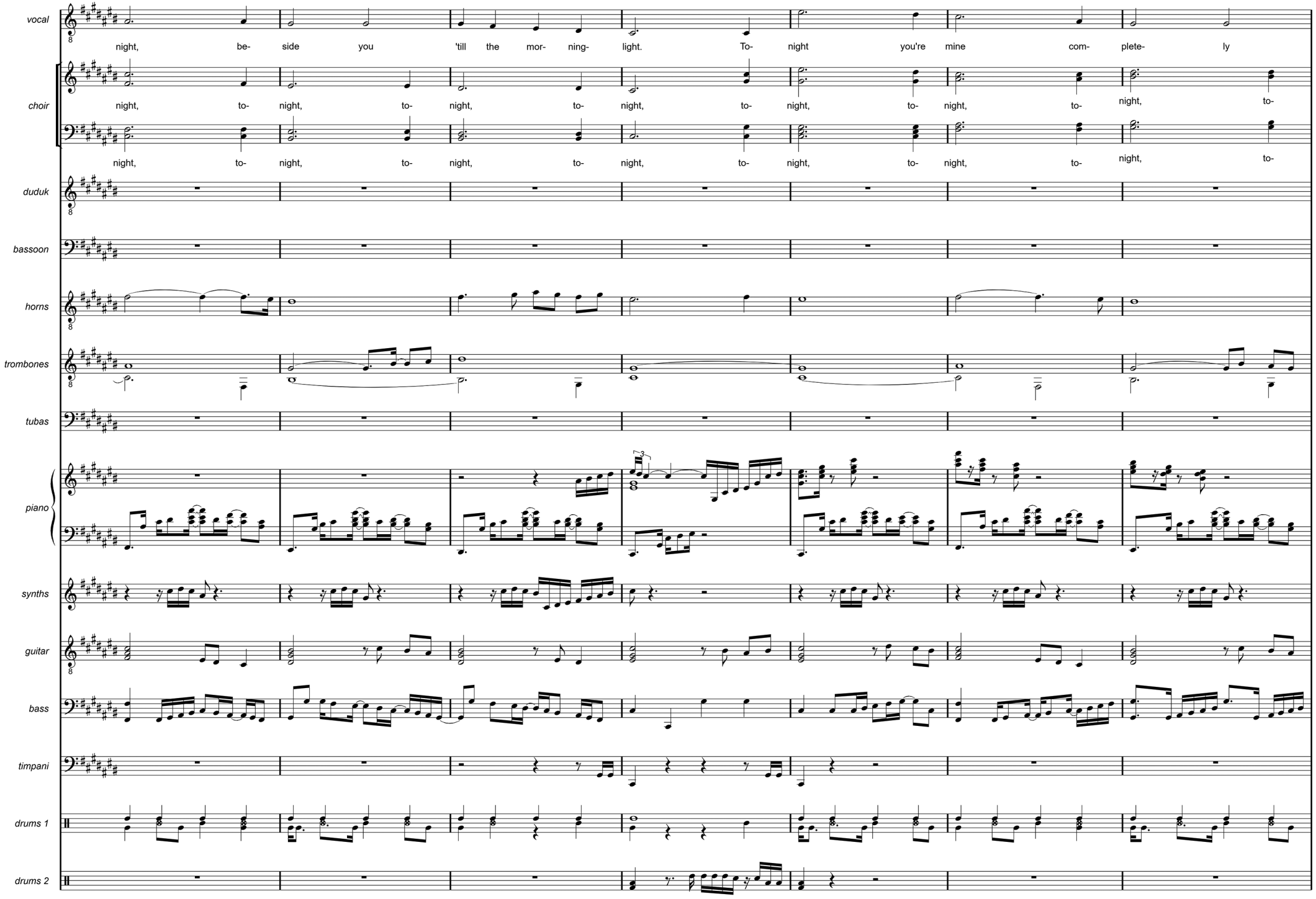
vocal
night, be- side you 'till the mor- ning- light. To- night you're mine com- plete- ly
choir
night, to- night, to- night, to- night, to- night, to- night, to- night, to-
night, to- night, to- night, to- night, to- night, to- night, to- night, to-
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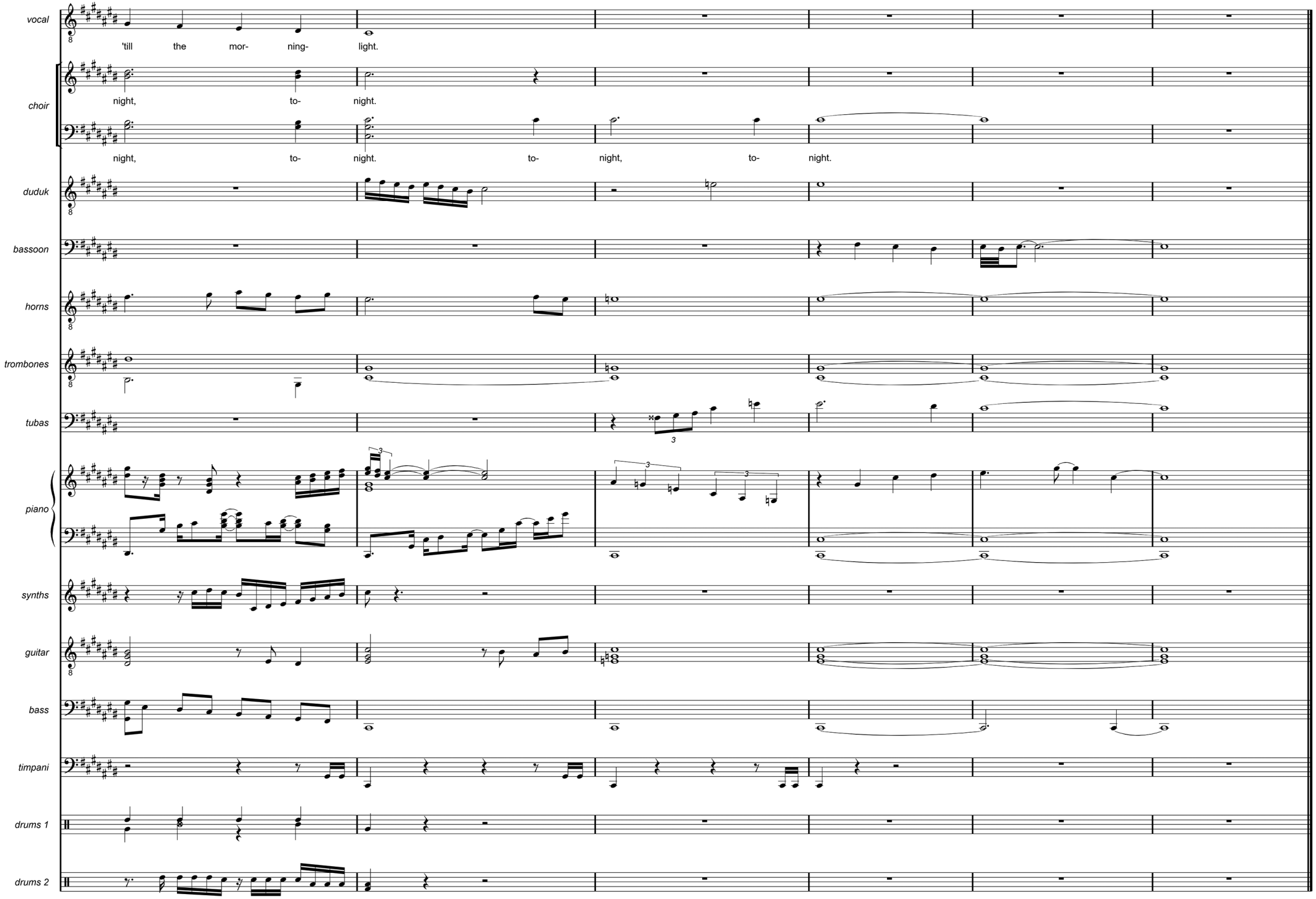
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'till the mor- ning- light.
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night, to- night.
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drums 1
drums 2

ESTRANGED

Are we estranged
Amazing how things have changed
Since I told you how I feel

Did I go too far, did I break your heart
Are we apart, do you feel used
Are you confused

Sometimes you say you still love me
but then you change once again
Dearest friend

Are we estranged
My life has been rearranged
When I walked away from you

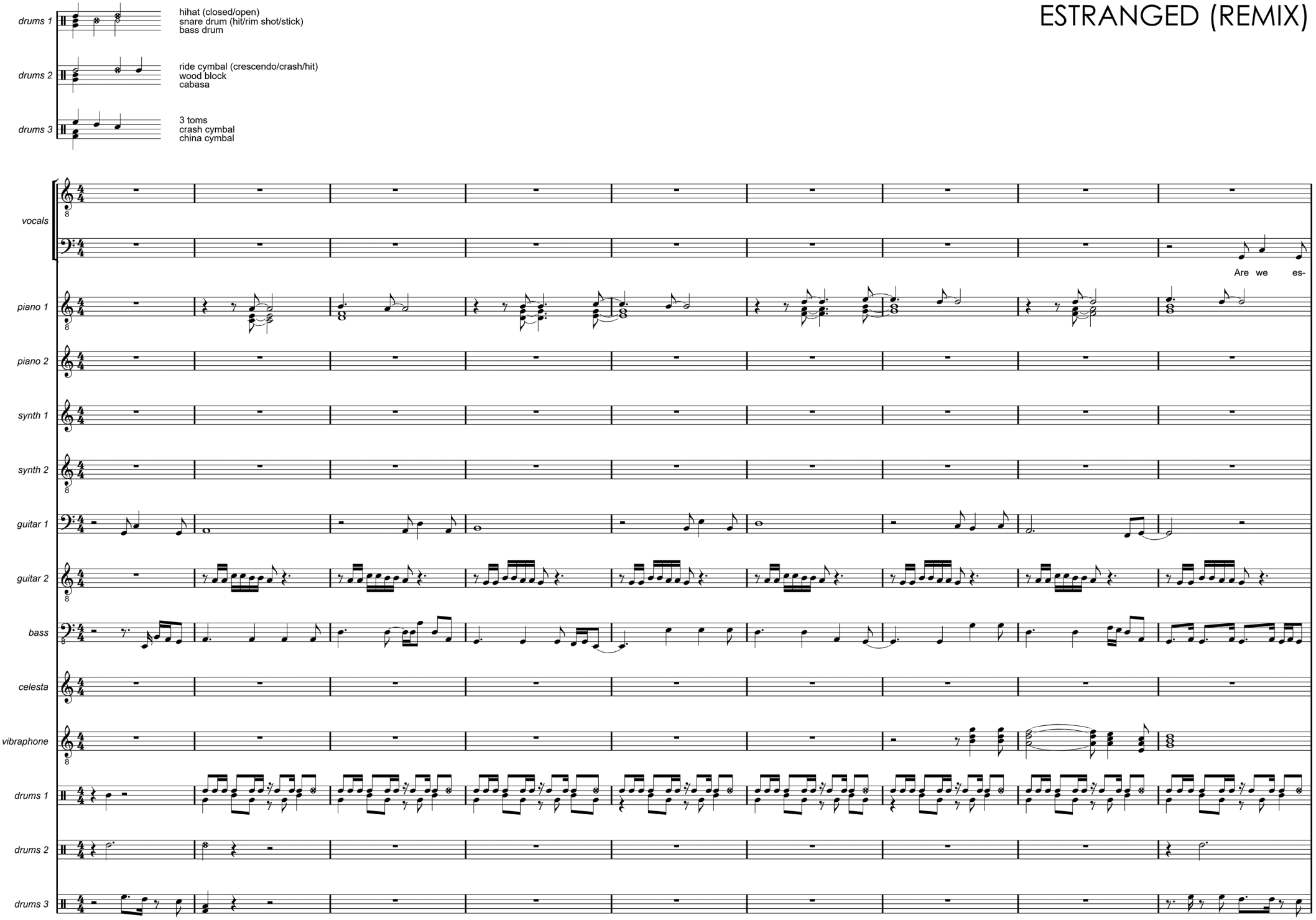
I'm crying each night
It doesn't feel right, hurting inside
I'm losing you, what can I do

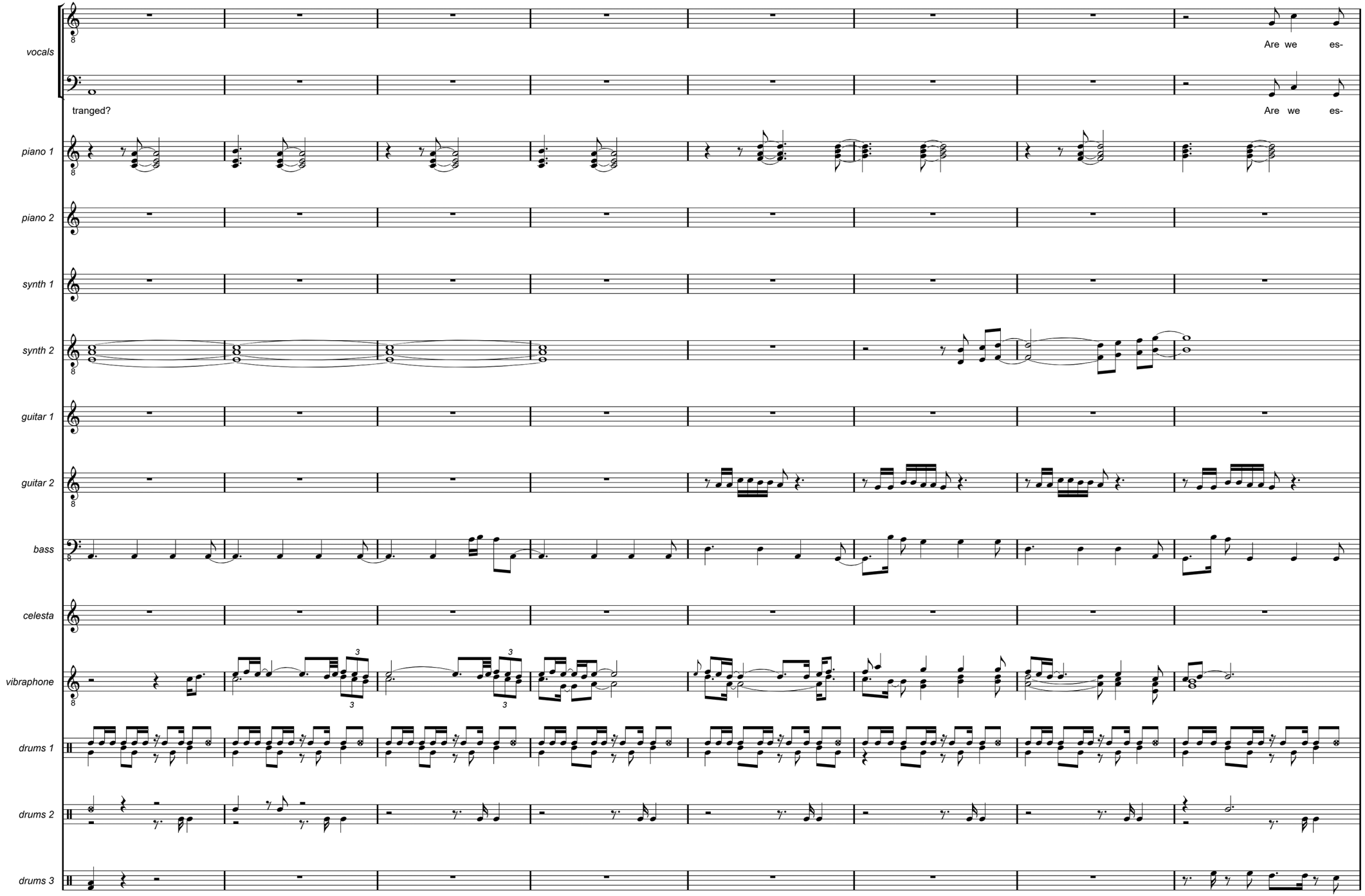
There's never enough time
To find a solution for our problems
Does it matter to you how much I care

This is the moment we've dreaded for years
Releasing our fears, moving on

Are we estranged

ESTRANGED (REMIX)




vocals
Are we es-
tranged?
Are we es-
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vibraphone
drums 1
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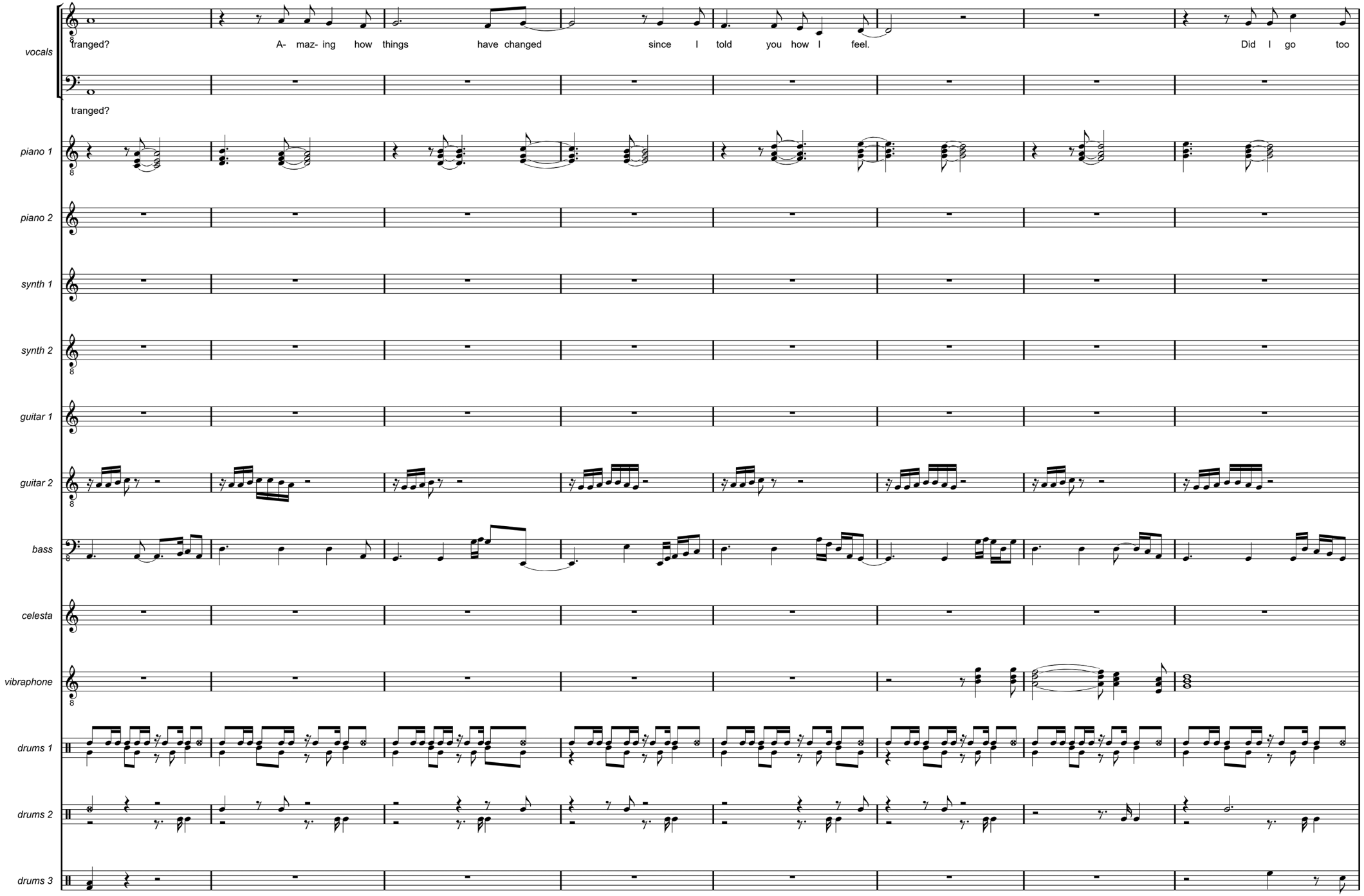
vocals
tranged? A- maz- ing how things have changed since I told you how I feel. Did I go too
tranged?
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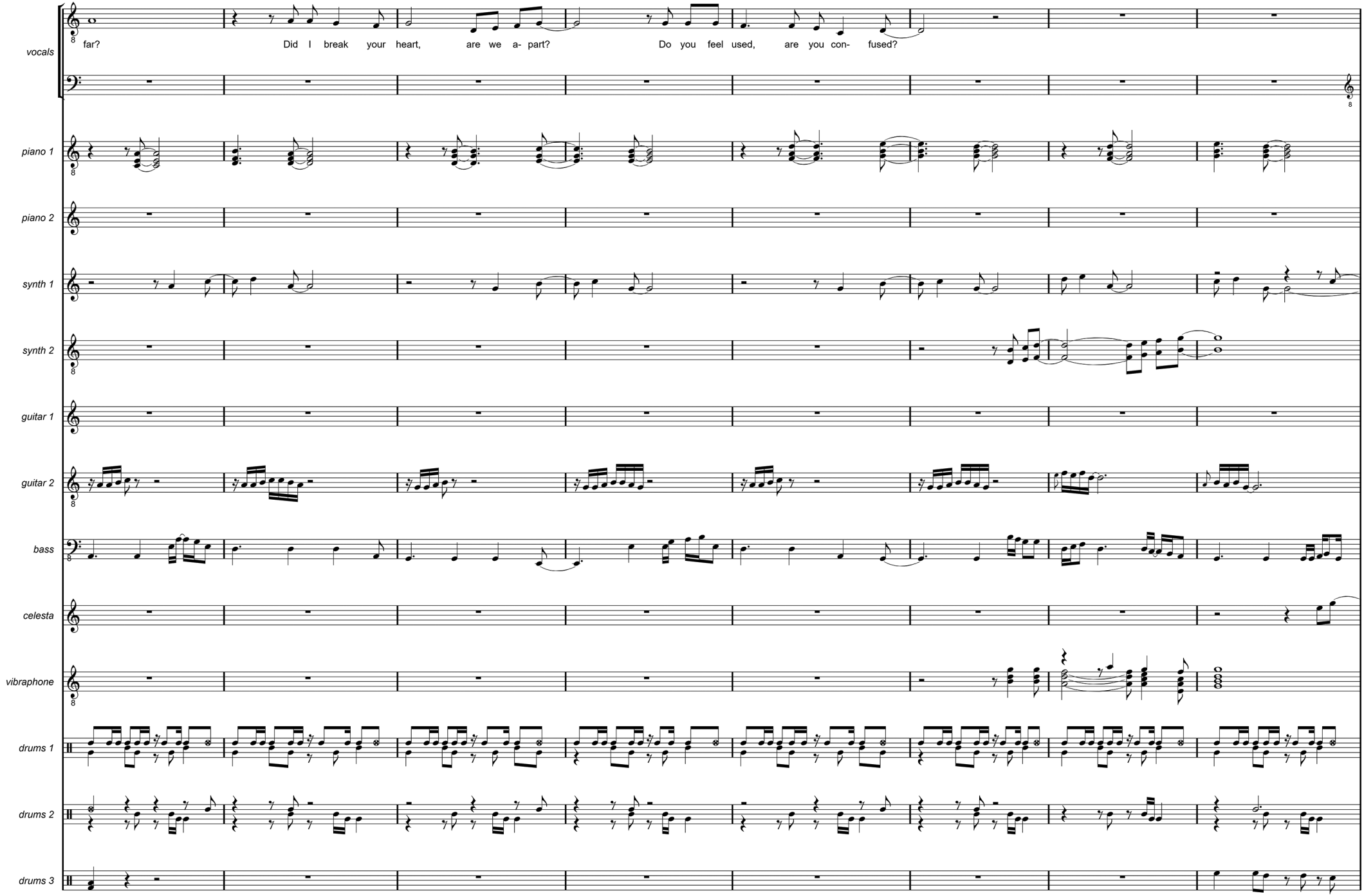
vocals
far?
Did I break your heart, are we a- part?
Do you feel used, are you con- fused?
piano 1
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synth 1
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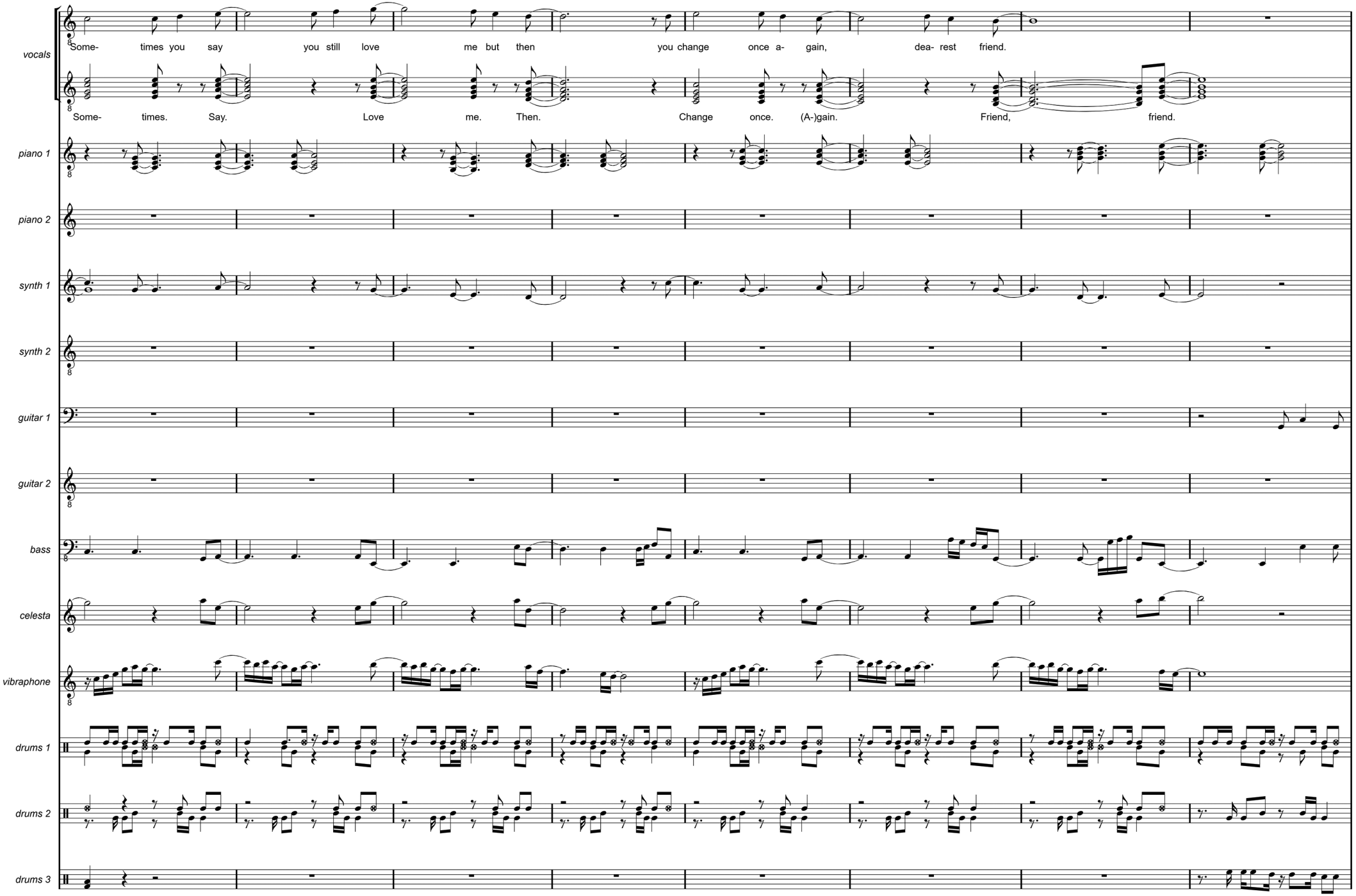
vocals
Some- times you say you still love me but then you change once a- gain, dea- rest friend.
Some- times. Say. Love me. Then. Change once. (A-)gain. Friend, friend.
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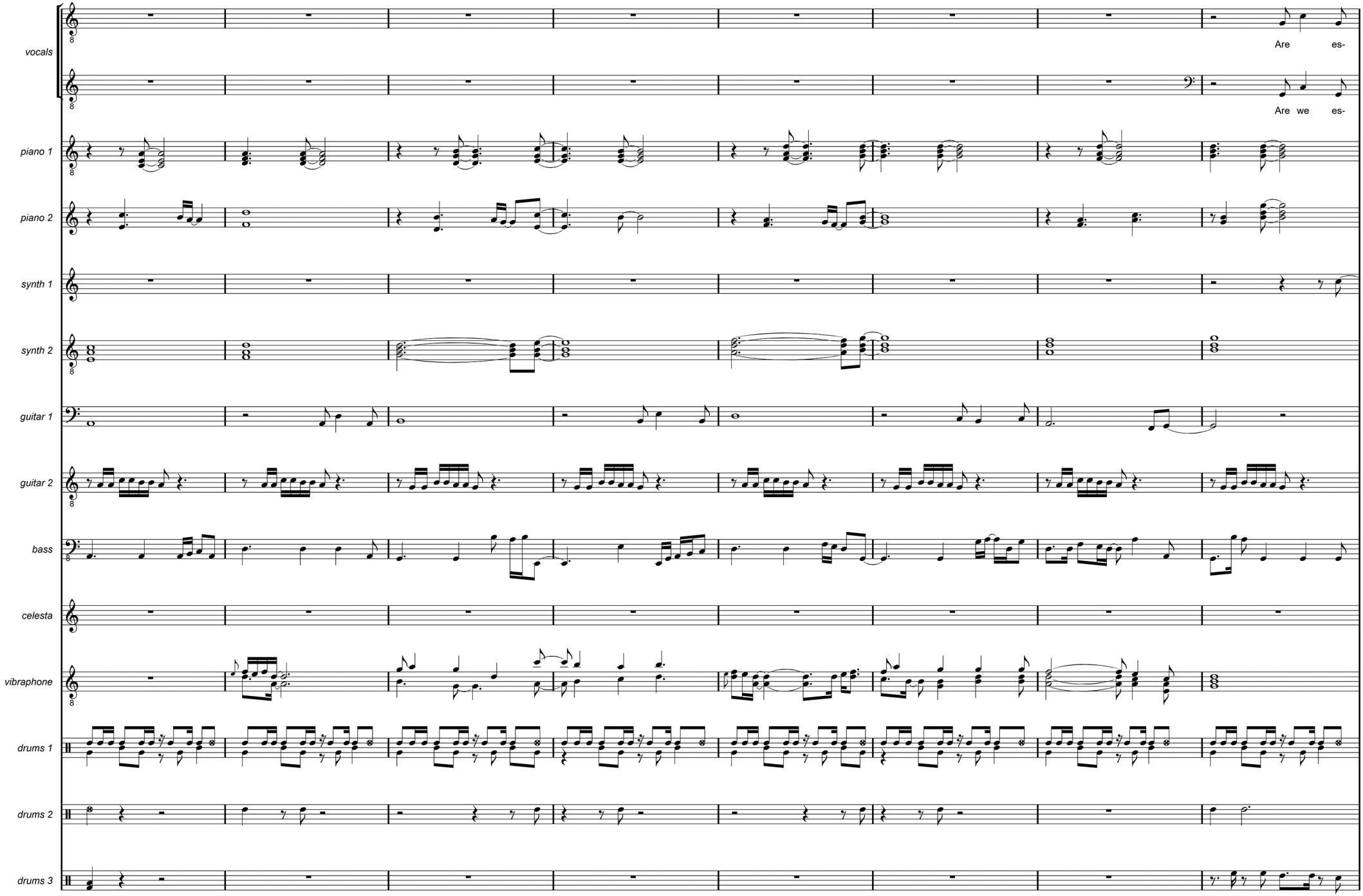
vocals
Are es-
Are we es-
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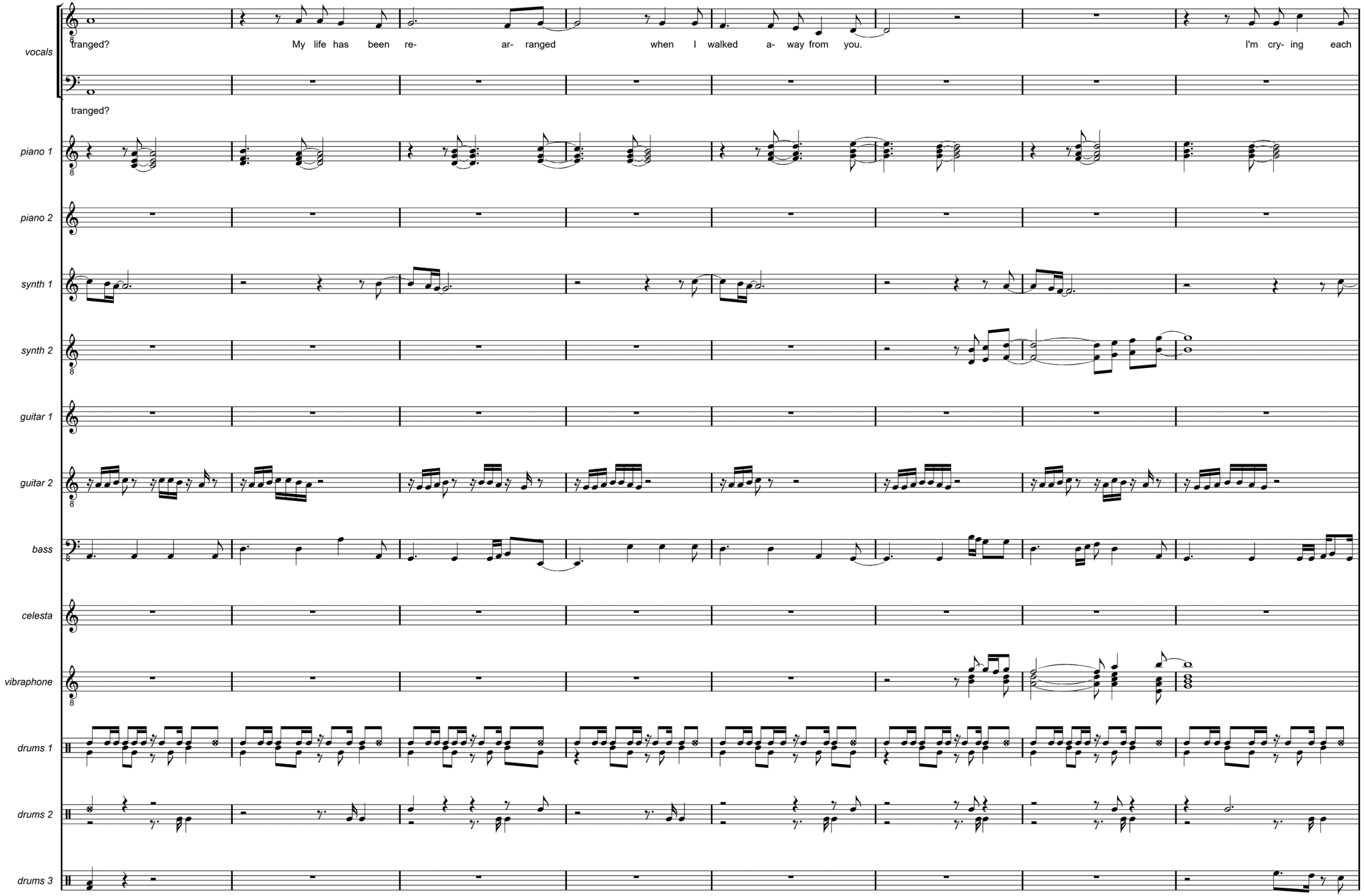
vocals
tranged? My life has been re- ar- ranged when I walked a- way from you. I'm cry- ing each
tranged?
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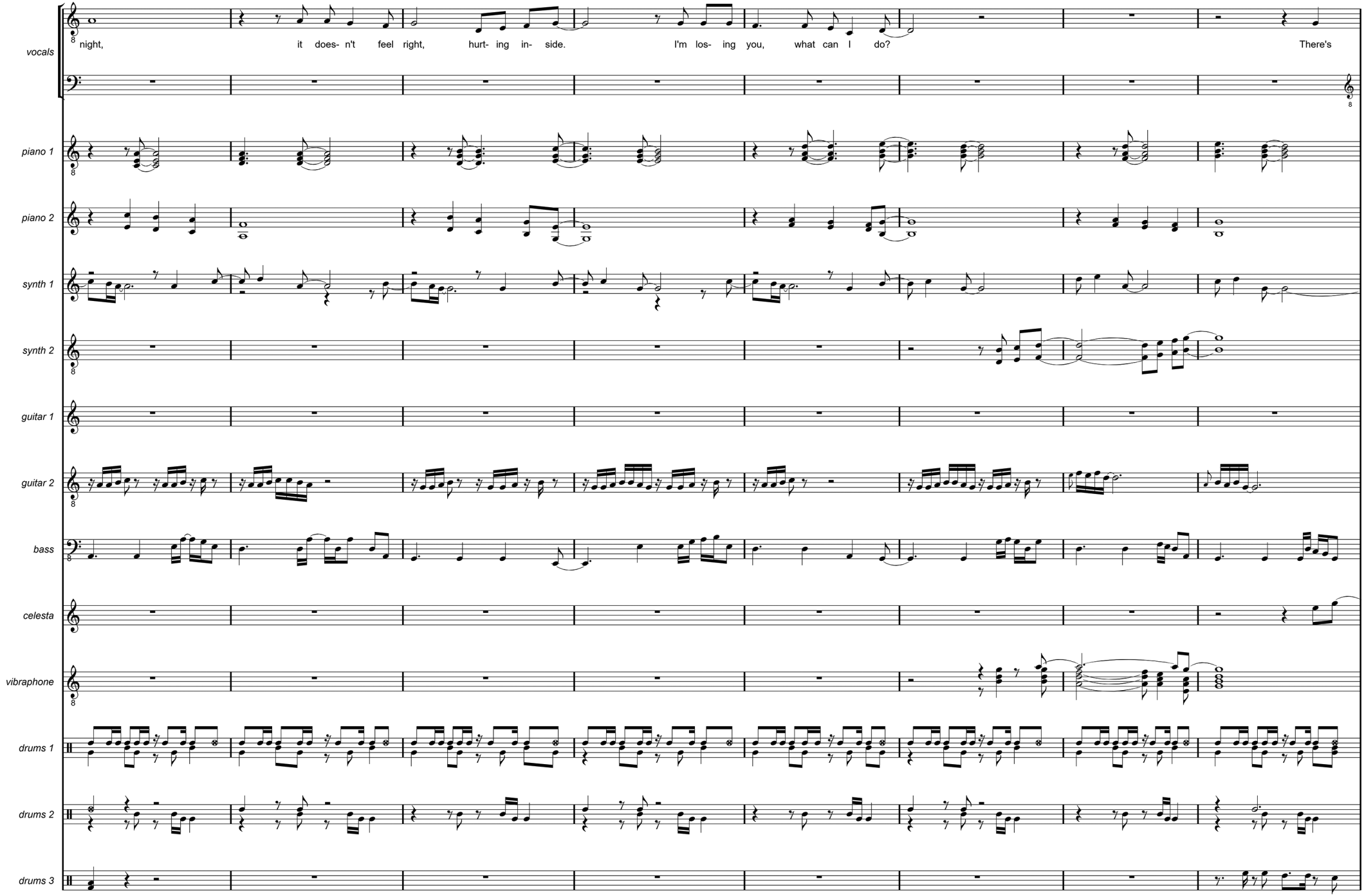
vocals
night, it does- n't feel right, hurt- ing in- side. I'm los- ing you, what can I do? There's
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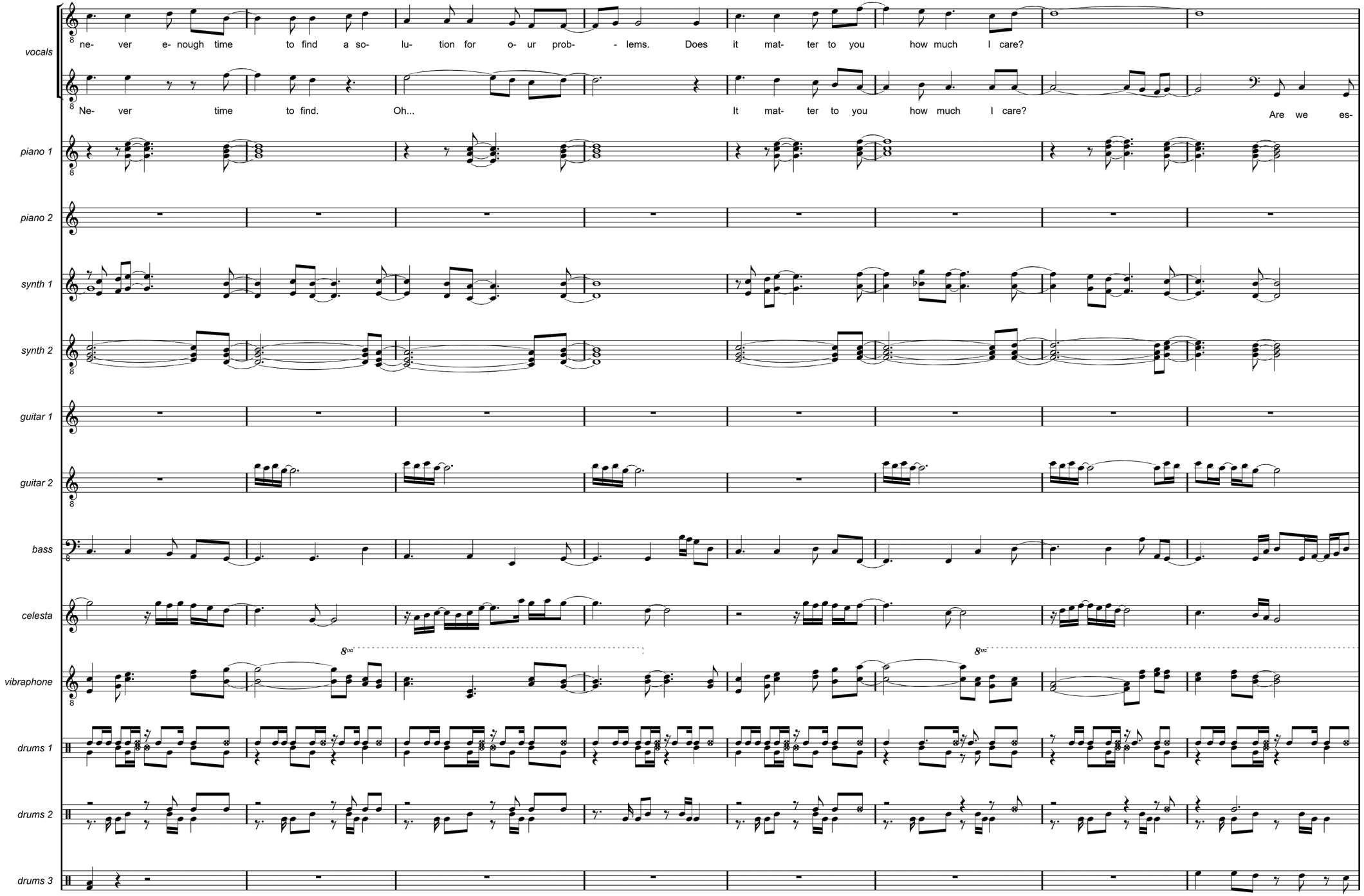
vocals
ne- ver e- nough time to find a so- lu- tion for o- ur prob- - lems. Does it mat- ter to you how much I care?
Ne- ver time to find. Oh... It mat- ter to you how much I care? Are we es-
piano 1
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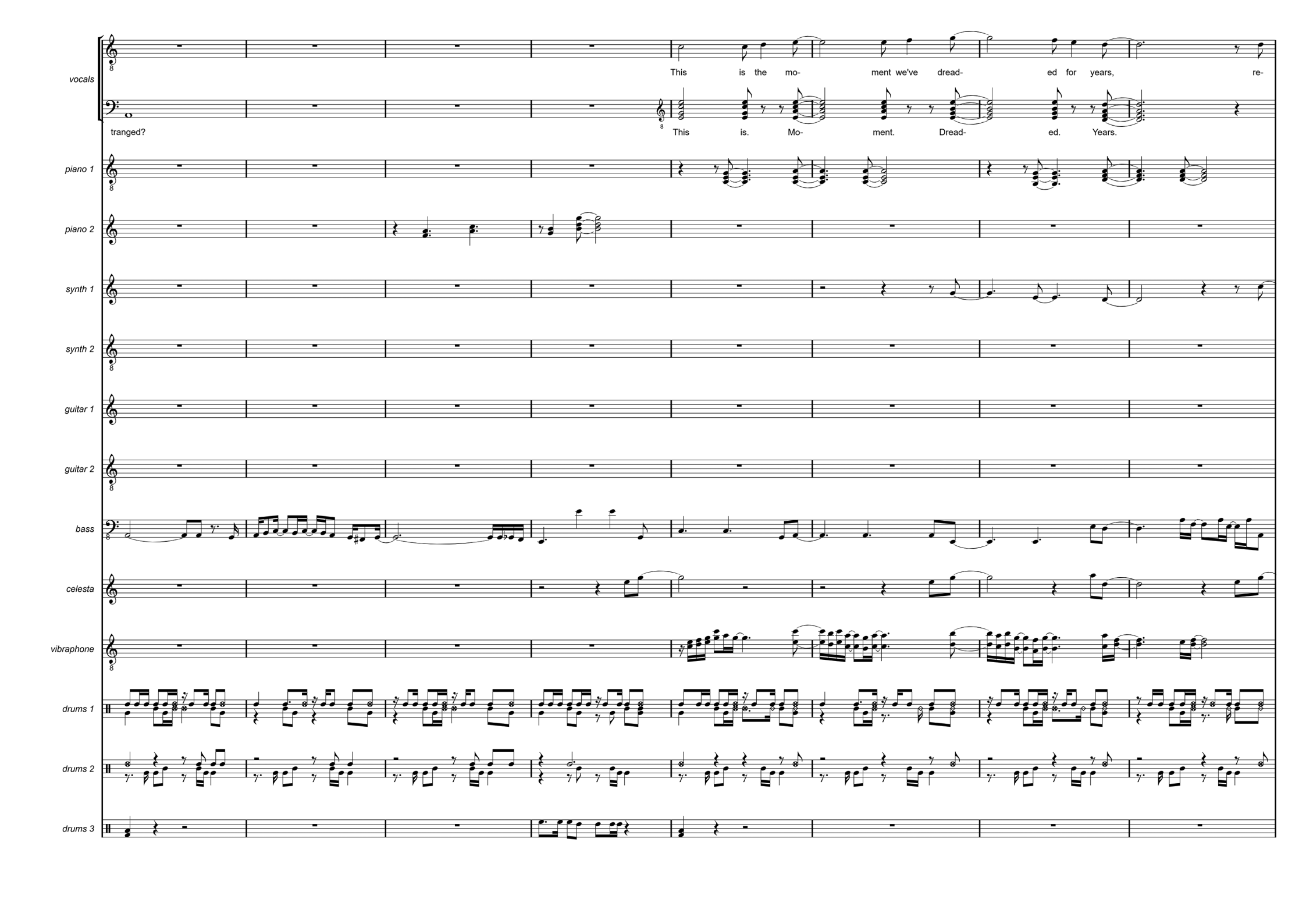
vocals
This is the mo- ment we've dread- ed for years, re-
tranged?
This is. Mo- ment. Dread- ed. Years.
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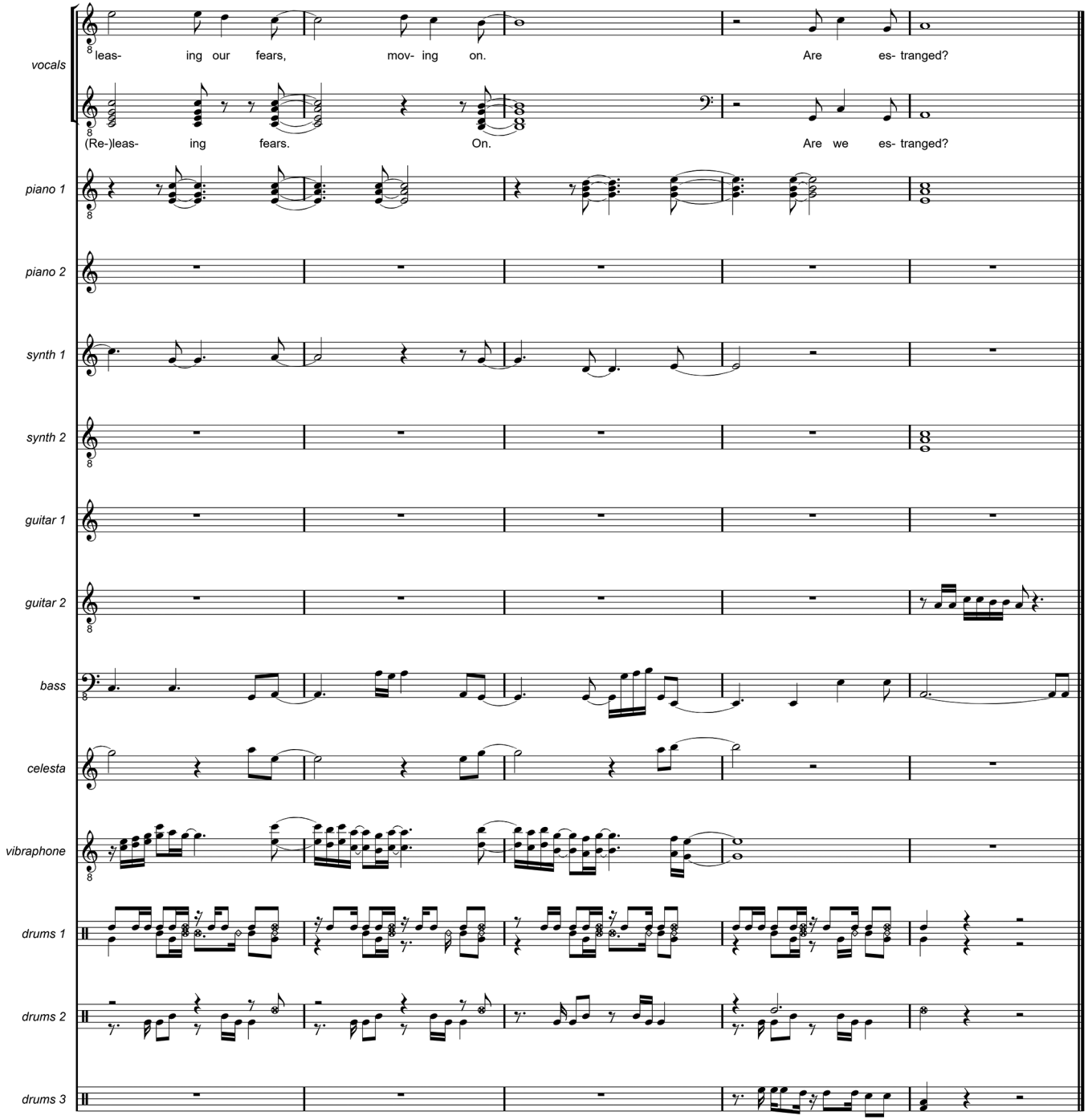

vocals
leas- ing our fears, mov- ing on. Are es- tranged?
(Re-)leas- ing fears. On. Are we es- tranged?
piano 1
piano 2
synth 1
synth 2
guitar 1
guitar 2
bass
celesta
vibraphone
drums 1
drums 2
drums 3

EIGHTEEN DAYS

Being with you
It feels so good, talking to you
Being your friend
It feels so right, it's all I need
I've never ever met a man like you before
I've never ever been so open-hearted

When you're around
I feel so safe and so secure
When you're not here
I think of you every hour
I'll never ever let someone tear this apart
I'll never ever try to hurt your feelings

Just eighteen days I was by your side
Just eighteen days, I never knew how much I cared
Until somebody told you
You shouldn't see me anymore, It broke my heart

Just eighteen days I was by your side
Just eighteen days, you'll never know
How much I cried because somebody told you
You shouldn't see me anymore, It broke my heart

Because all I really wanted was to be your friend
But your lover didn't see it, couldn't understand
And I never got to show you
Just how right it felt to be with you

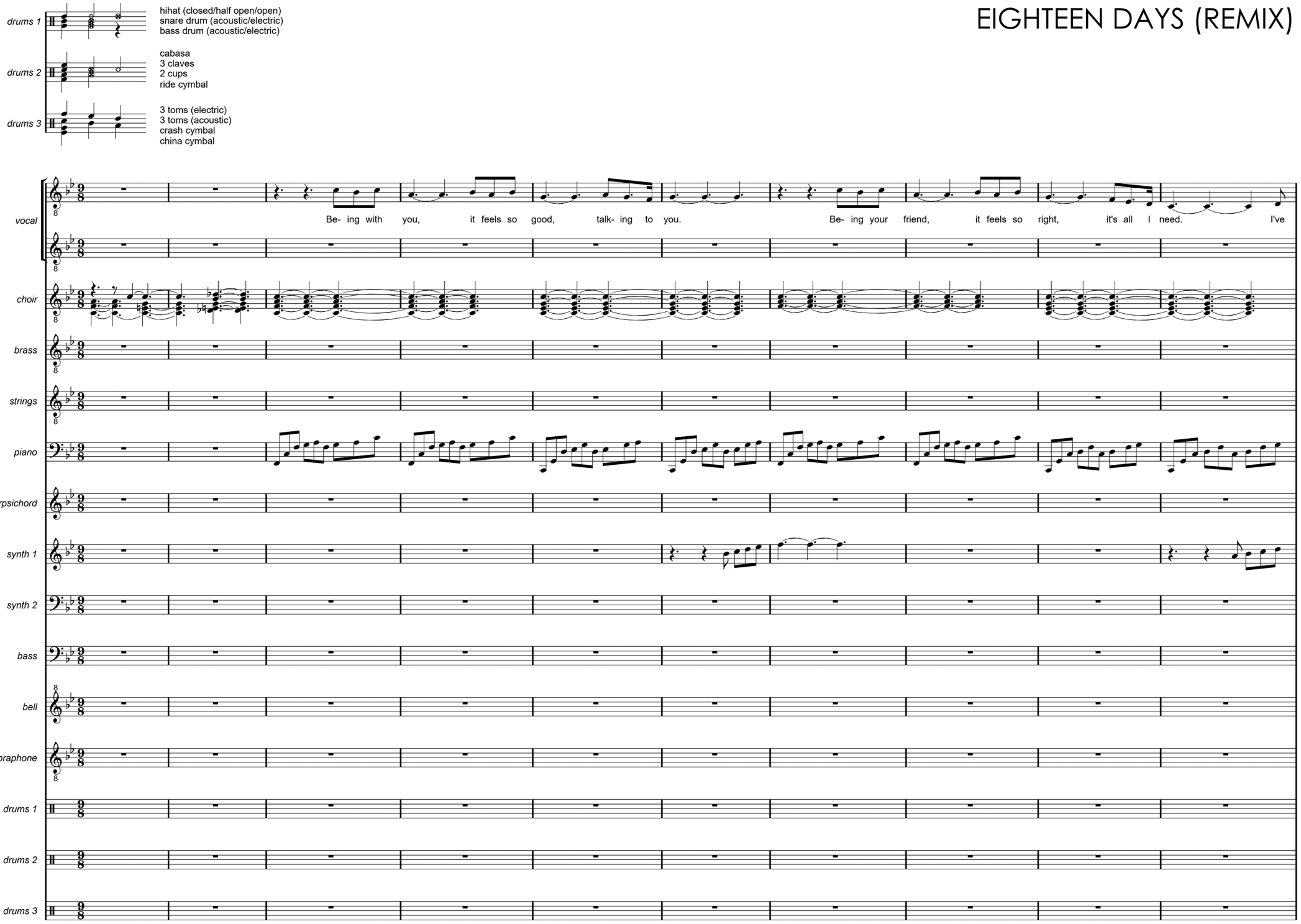
Each time we meet
Each time we talk I learn a lot
Everything seems to make sense
When you are near
I'd never ever make you choose against yourself
I'd never ever force my will upon you

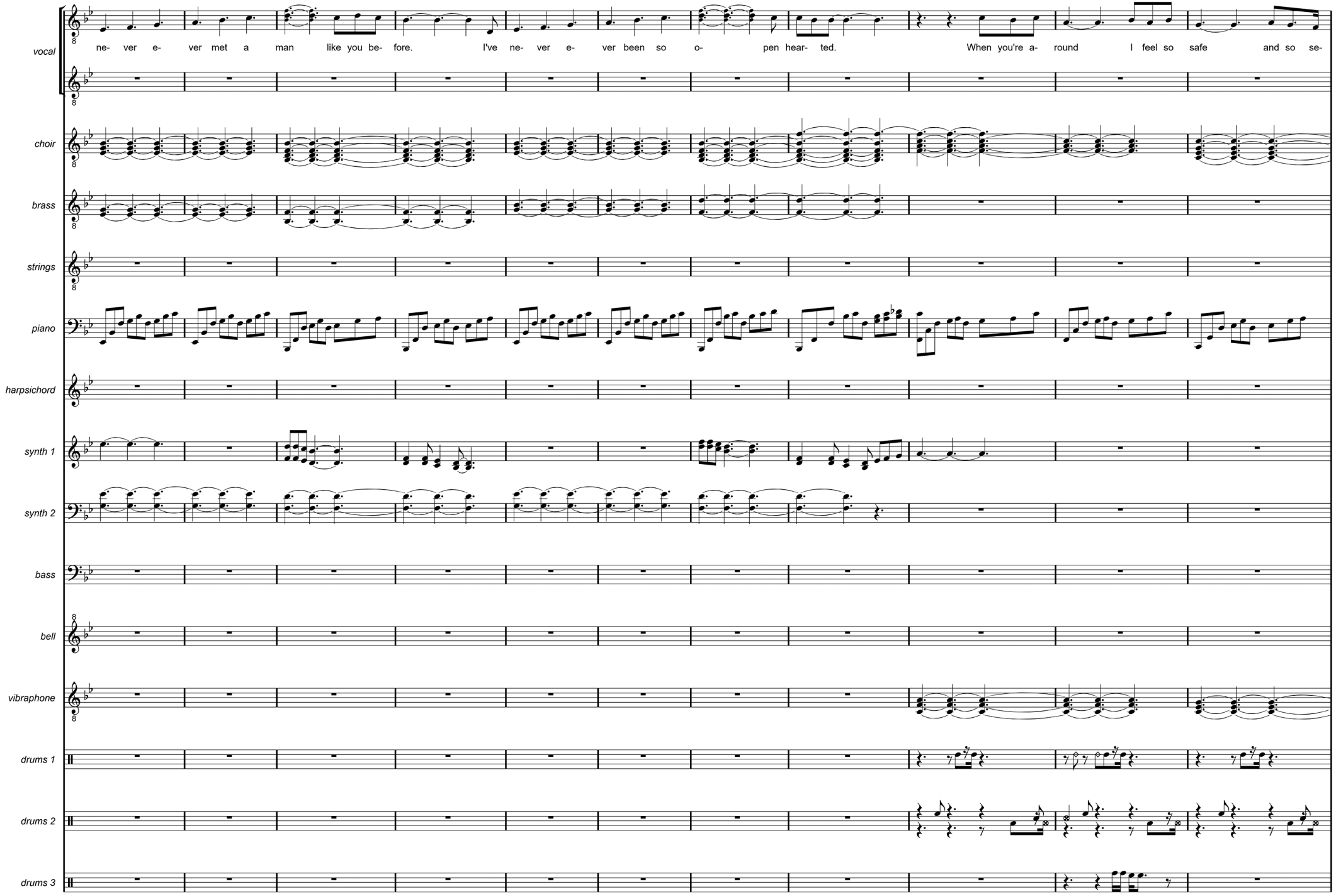
Just eighteen days I was by your side
Just eighteen days, I never knew how much I cared
Until somebody told you
You shouldn't see me anymore, It broke my heart

Just eighteen days I was by your side
Just eighteen days, you'll never know
How much I cried because somebody told you
You shouldn't see me anymore, It broke my heart

And I don't think I can take it
If you can't make up your mind

EIGHTEEN DAYS (REMIX)

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ne- ver e- ver met a man like you be- fore. I've ne- ver e- ver been so o- pen hear- ted. When you're a- round I feel so safe and so se-
choir
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harpsichord
synth 1
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bell
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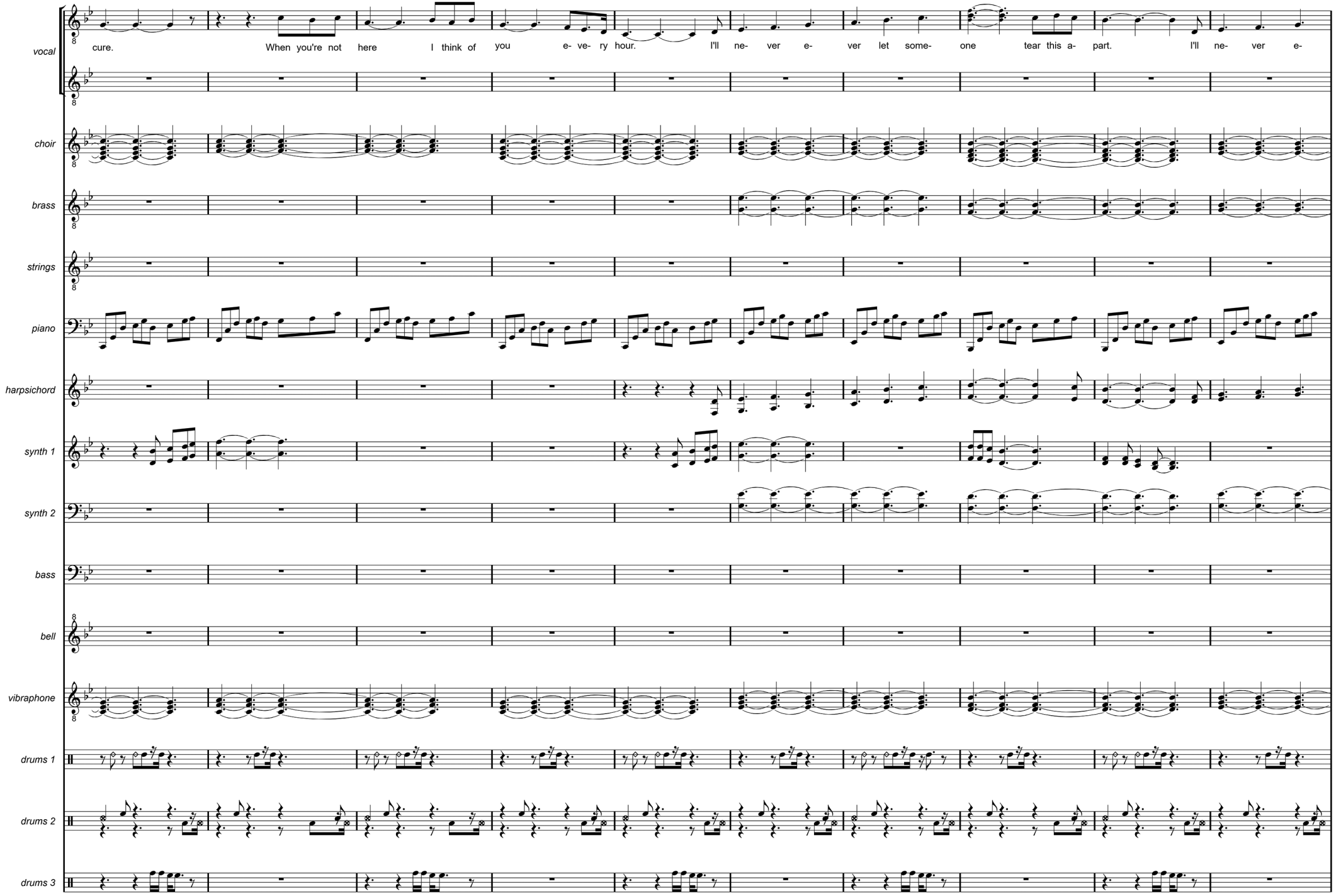
vocal
cure. When you're not here I think of you e- ve- ry hour. I'll ne- ver e- ver let some- one tear this a- part. I'll ne- ver e-
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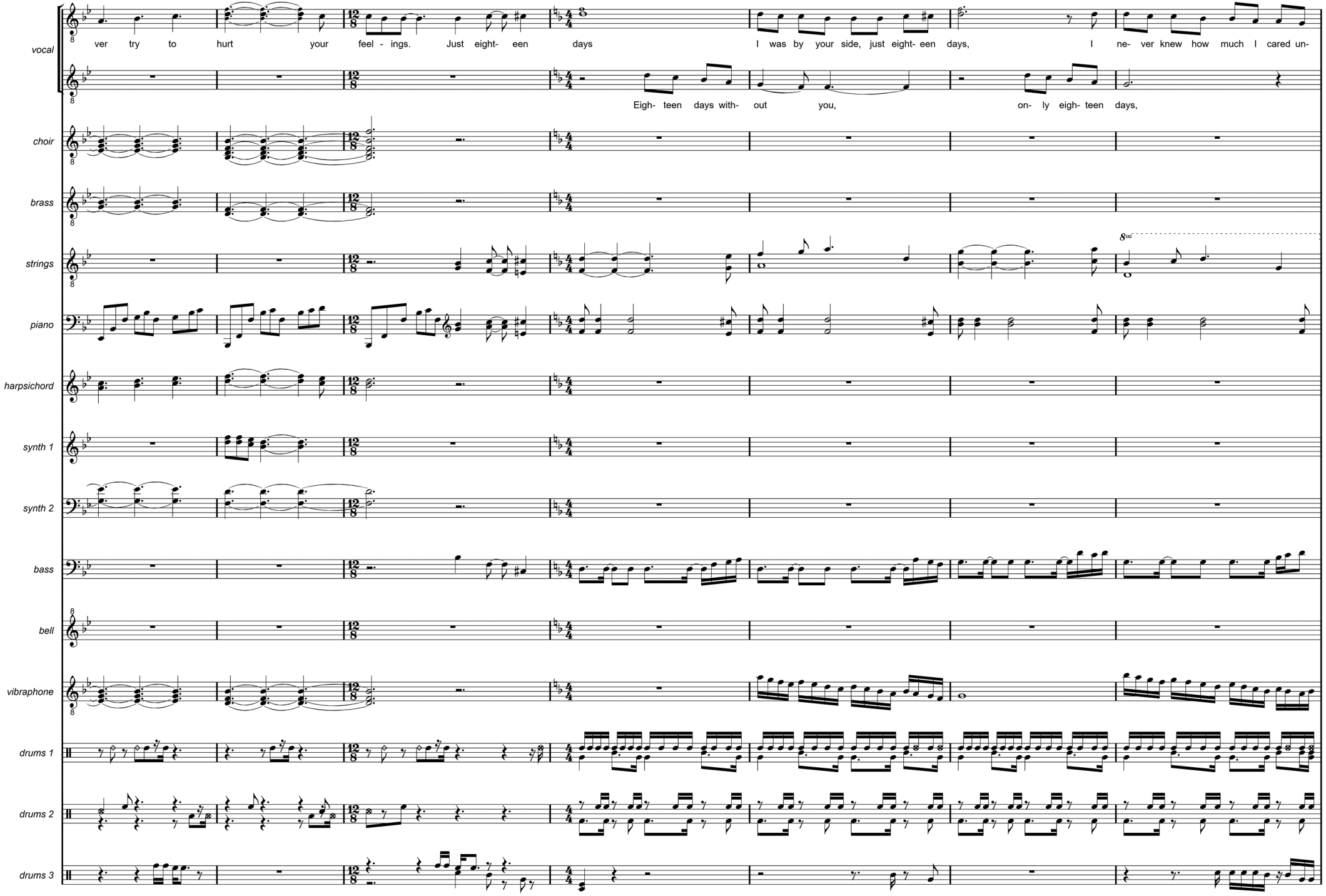
vocal
ver try to hurt your feel - ings. Just eight- een days I was by your side, just eight- een days, I ne- ver knew how much I cared un-
Eigh- teen days with- out you, on- ly eigh- teen days,
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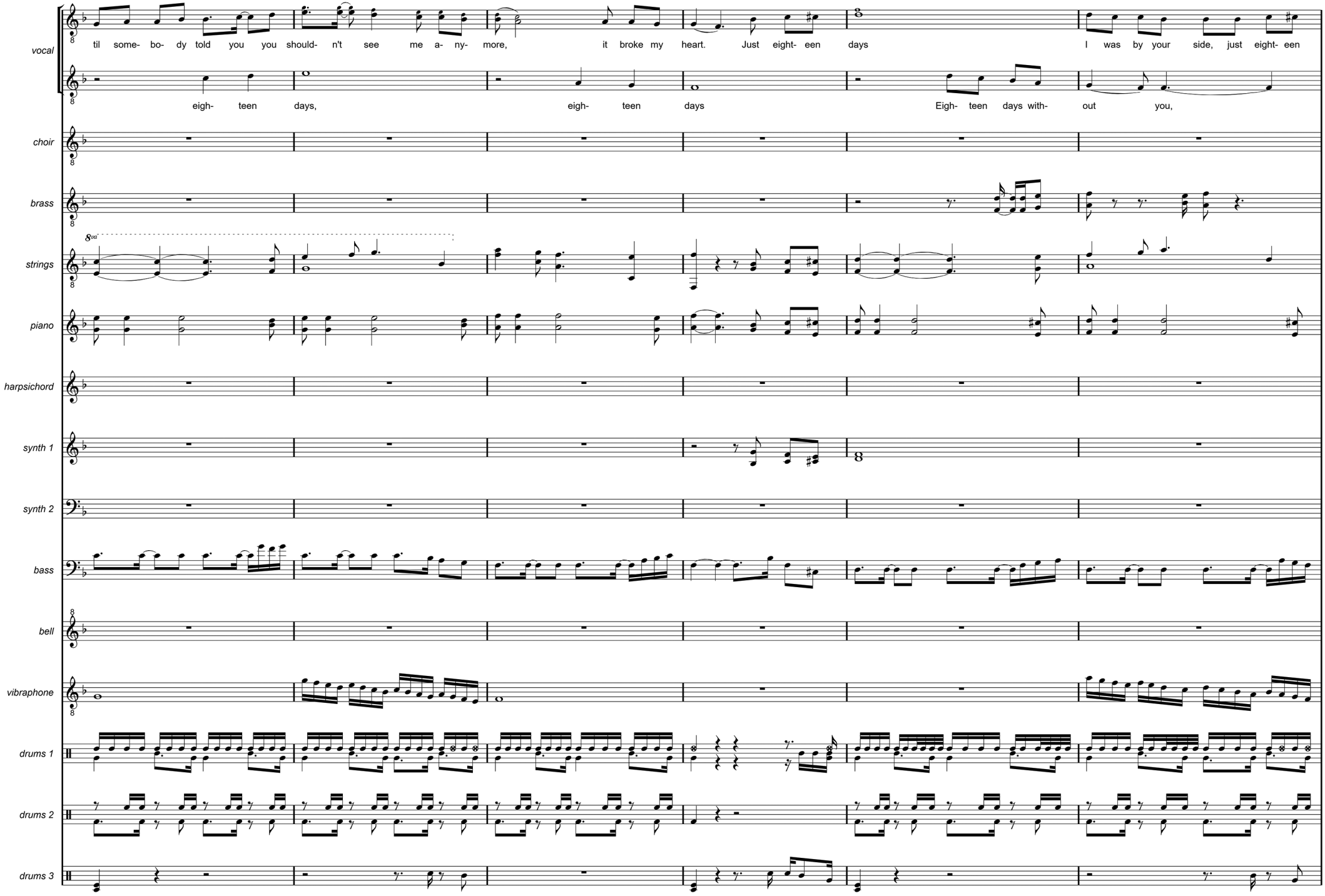
vocal
til some- bo- dy told you you should- n't see me a- ny- more, it broke my heart. Just eight- een days I was by your side, just eight- een
eigh- teen days, eigh- teen days Eigh- teen days with- out you,
choir
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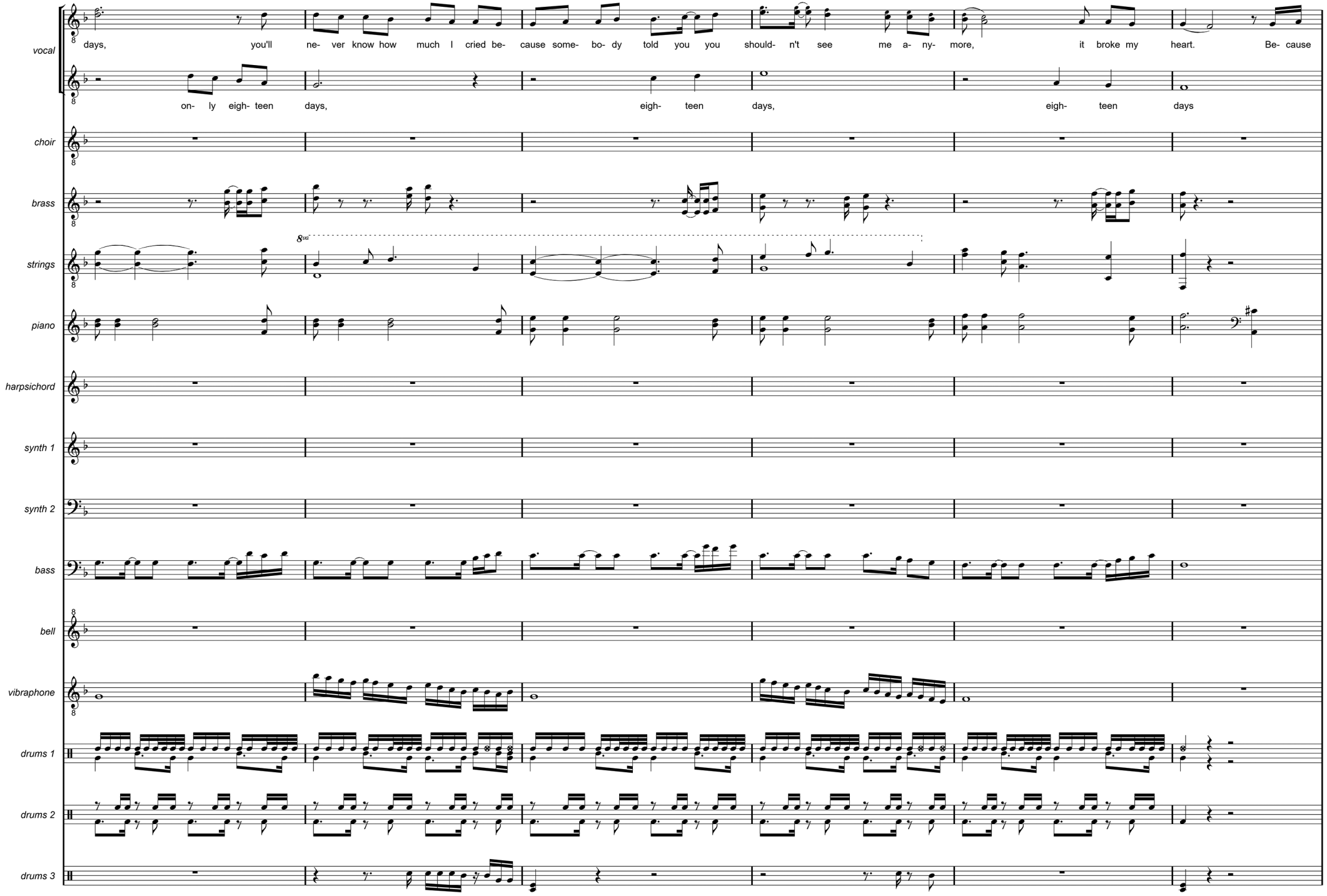
vocal
days, you'll ne- ver know how much I cried be- cause some- bo- dy told you you should- n't see me a- ny- more, it broke my heart. Be- cause
on- ly eigh- teen days, eigh- teen days, eigh- teen days
choir
brass
strings
8va
piano
harpsichord
synth 1
synth 2
bass
bell
vibraphone
drums 1
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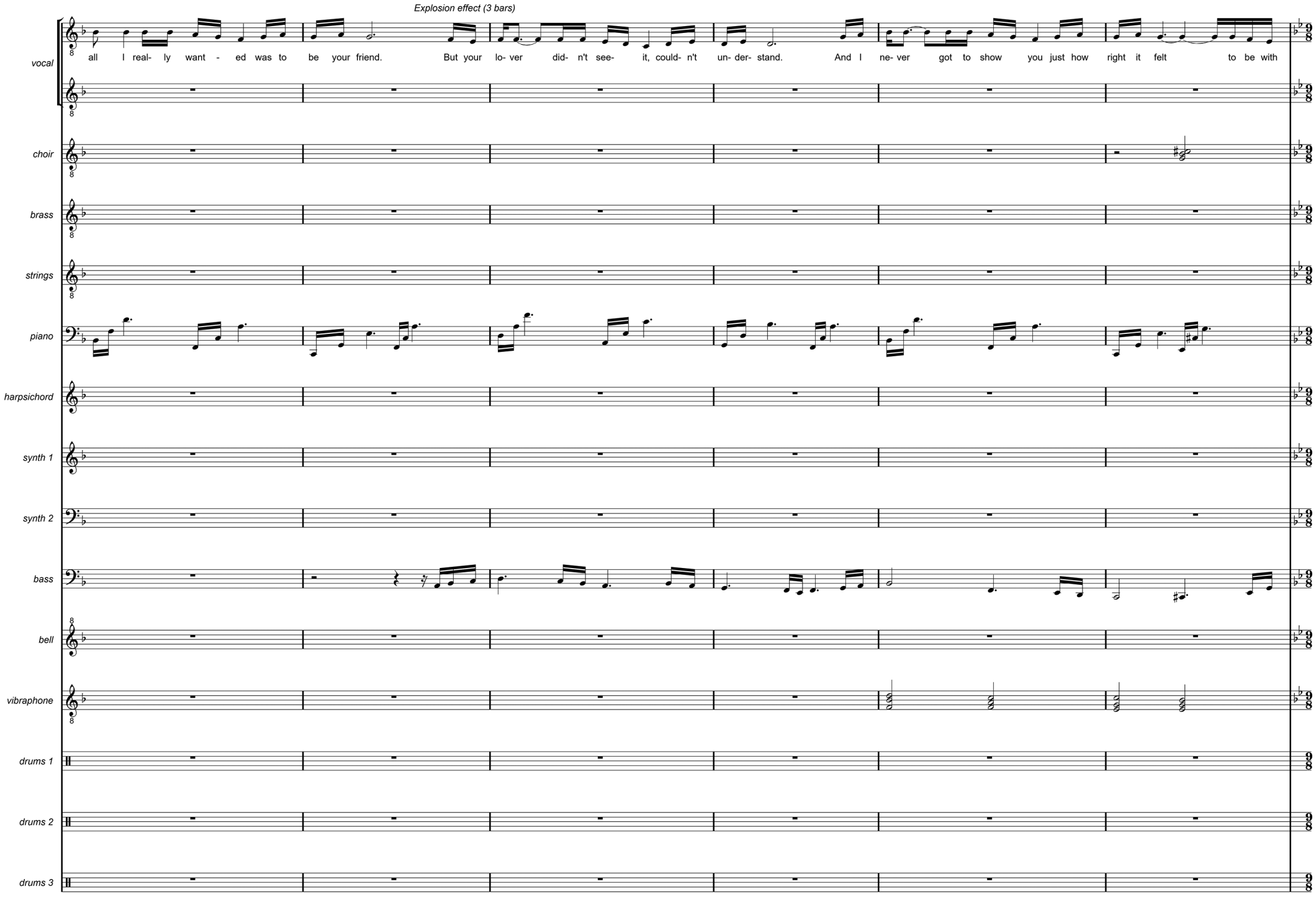
Explosion effect (3 bars)
vocal
all I real- ly want - ed was to be your friend. But your lo- ver did- n't see- it, could- n't un- der- stand. And I ne- ver got to show you just how right it felt to be with
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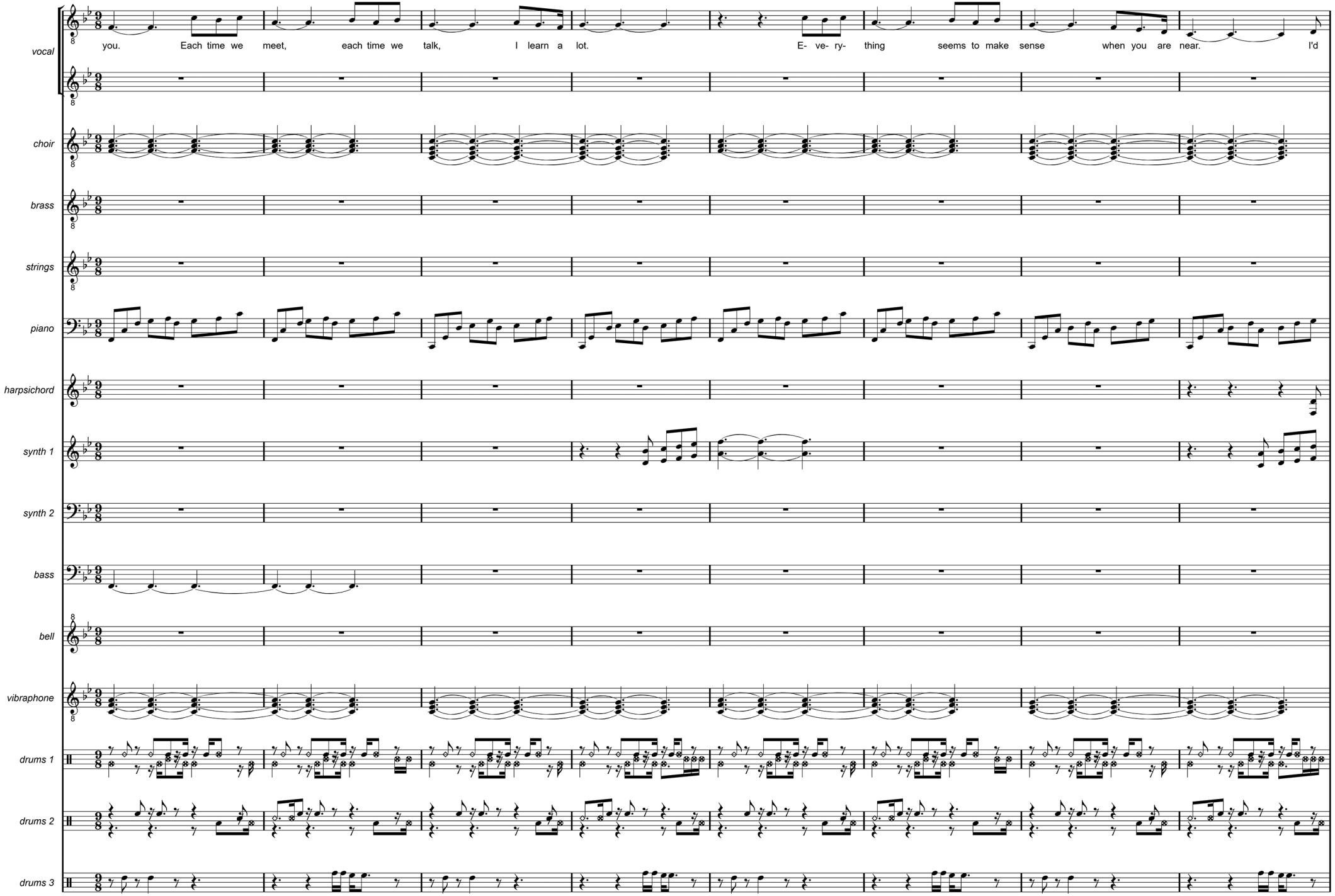
vocal
you. Each time we meet, each time we talk, I learn a lot. E- ve- ry- thing seems to make sense when you are near. I'd
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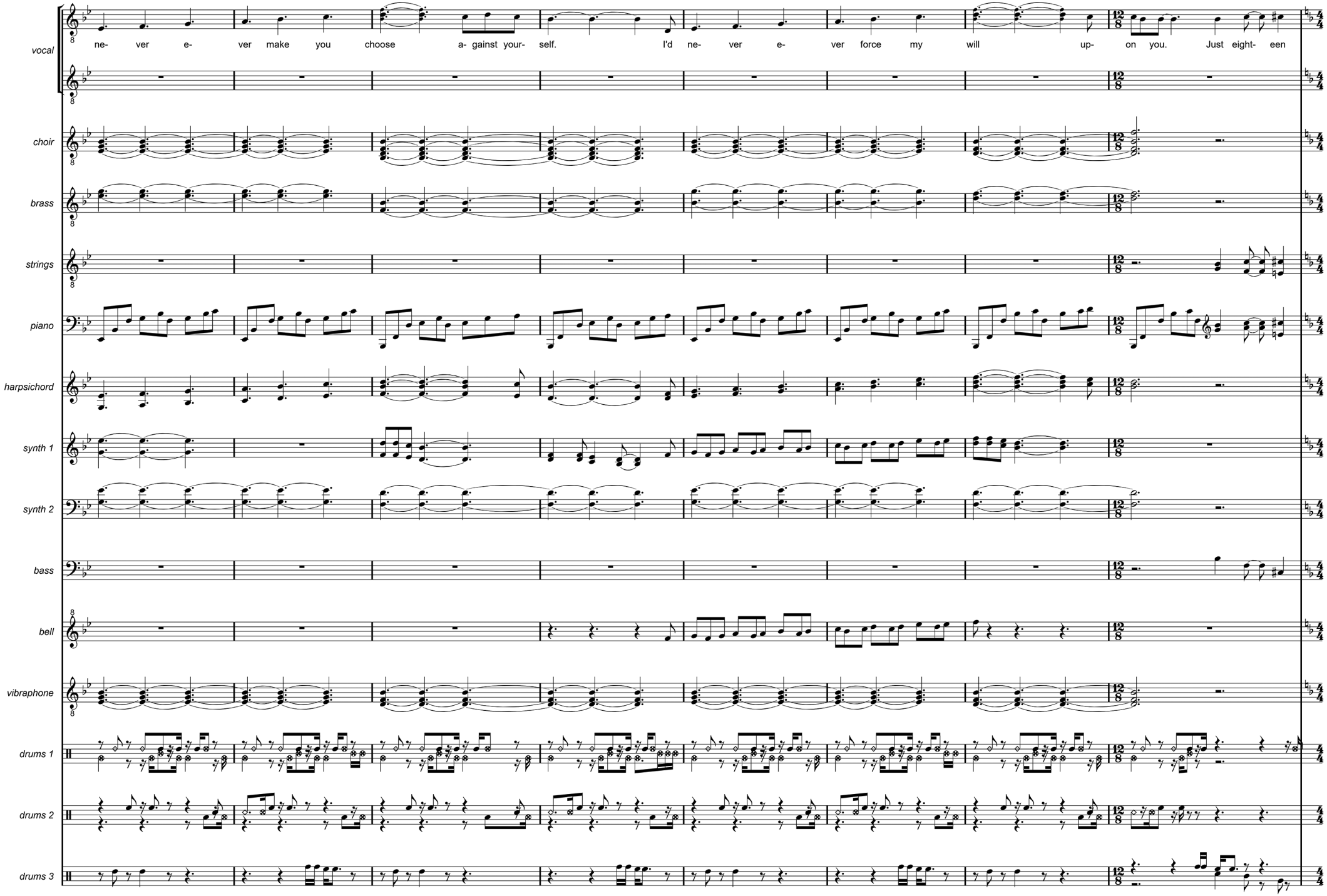
vocal
ne- ver e- ver make you choose a- gainst your- self. I'd ne- ver e- ver force my will up- on you. Just eight- een
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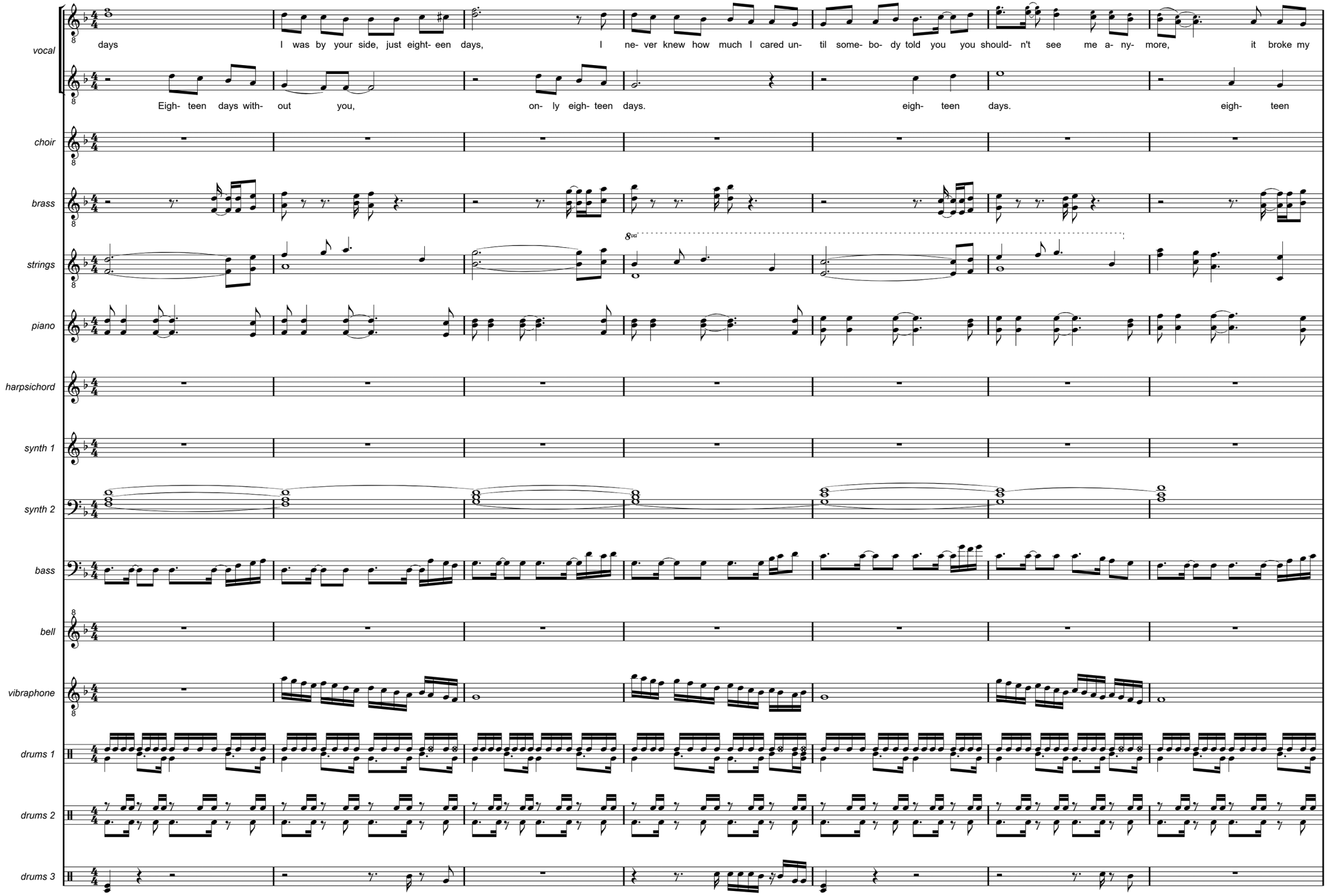
vocal
days I was by your side, just eight- een days, I ne- ver knew how much I cared un- til some- bo- dy told you you should- n't see me a- ny- more, it broke my
Eigh- teen days with- out you, on- ly eigh- teen days. eigh- teen days. eigh- teen
choir
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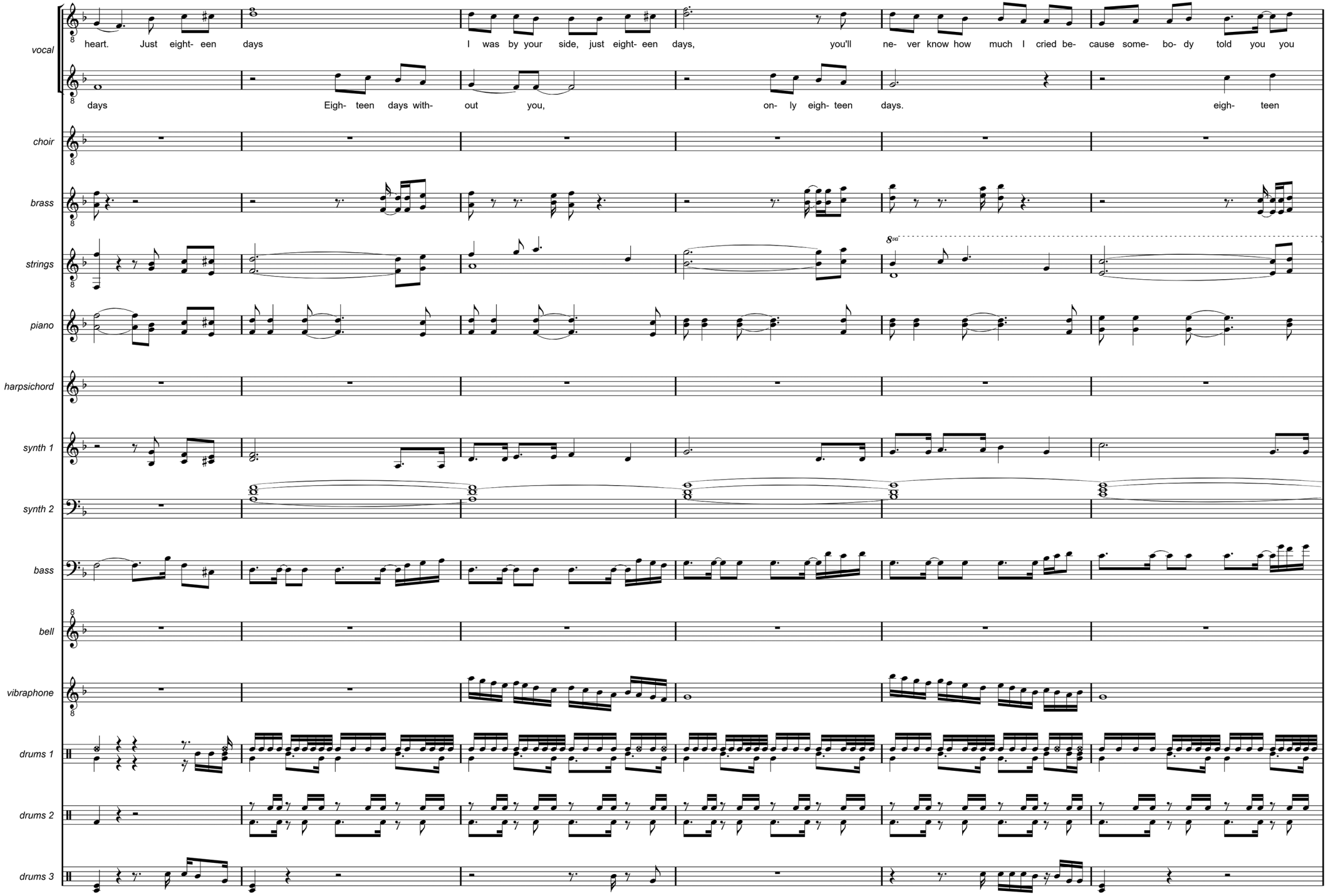
vocal
heart. Just eight- een days I was by your side, just eight- een days, you'll ne- ver know how much I cried be- cause some- bo- dy told you you
days Eigh- teen days with- out you, on- ly eigh- teen days. eigh- teen
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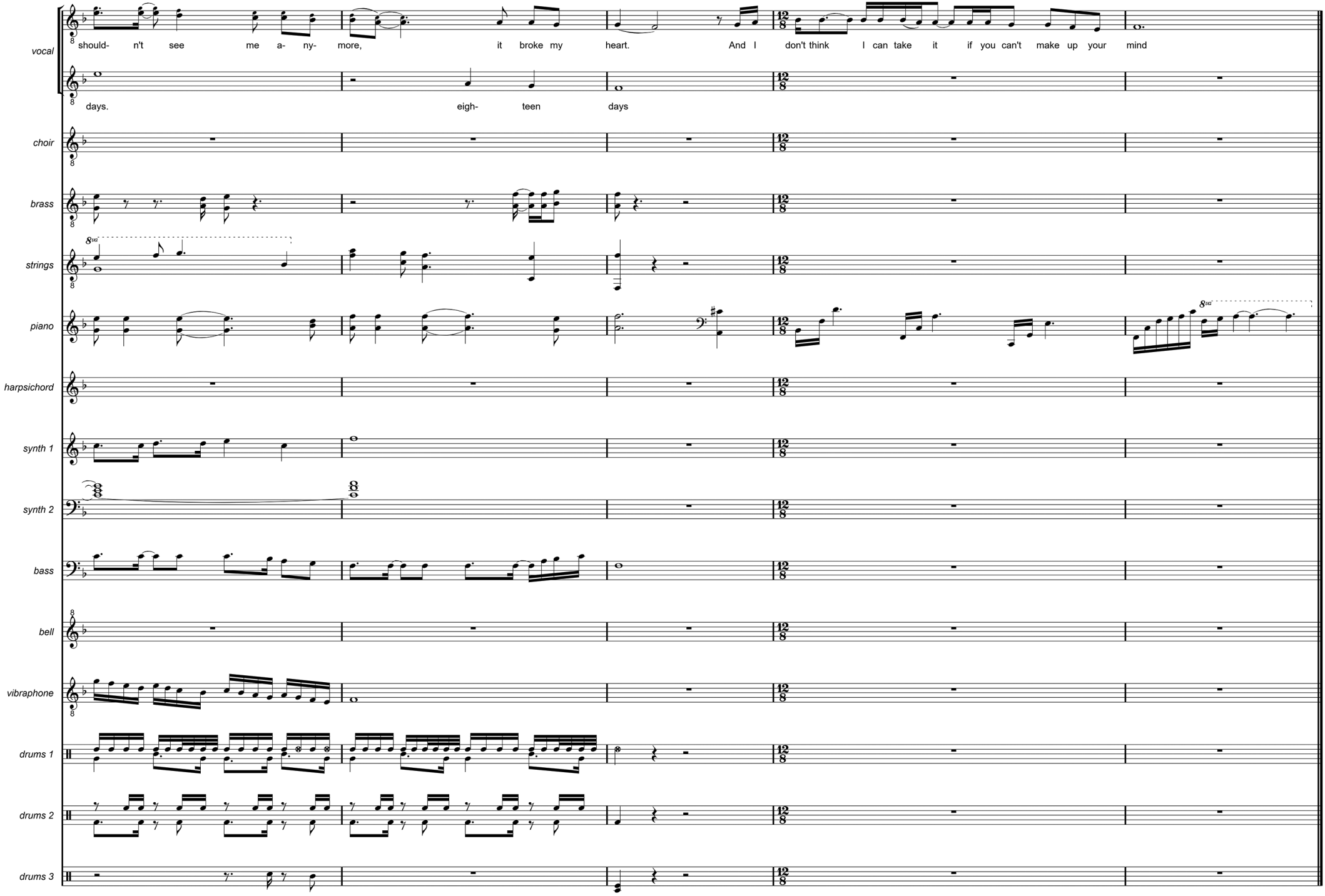
vocal
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THE PHOENIX

Hiding in shadows, darkness approaching
I'm longing for the night to comfort me
I am the phoenix, burning my bridges
I'm forged in fire, cleansed by flames

A voice from within keeps telling me I should run
Where do I begin, I hide myself from the sun
From the sun – I have to run

Is there someone who will guide me
Who will help me find the answers
I need someone to appease my aching heart

Ancient and ageless, I am relentless
The scourge of time cannot take hold of me
My desolation, fear and frustration
I must take shelter in the dark

The voices inside keep telling me I must leave
My fate is to hide, to sneak away and retreat
I'll retreat – hiding indeed

Is there someone who will guide me
Who will help me find the answers
I need someone to appease my aching heart

Disillusion, sadness and fear
I am lost in the dark – I'm forever burning
Like a phoenix, burning again
But will I rise from the ash
Will I survive the flames
And live again, I'm born again

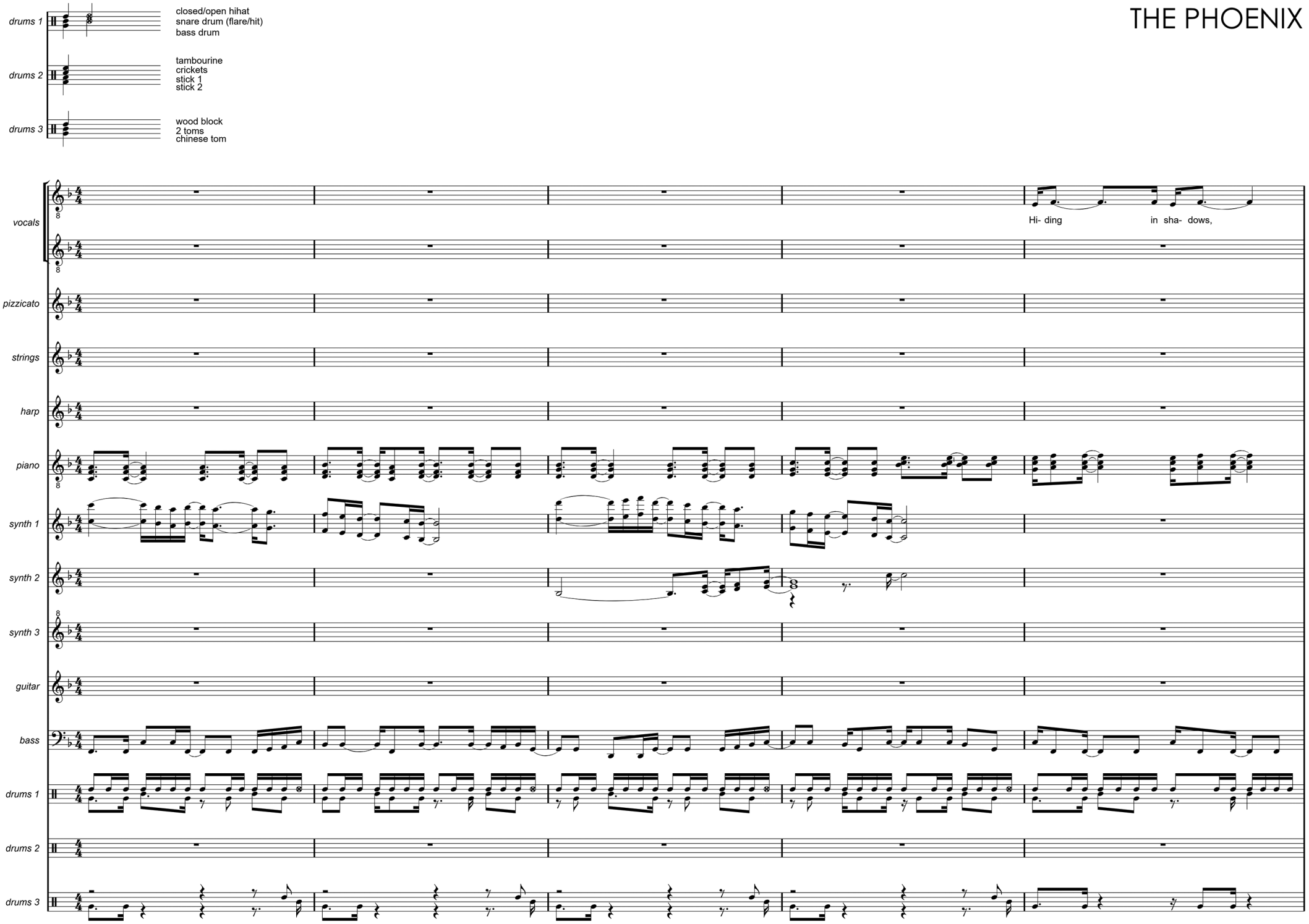
Flames all around me, magic has bound me
There's no escape and yet I still have hope
Slowly I'm burning, forever yearning
But soon I will be born again

The voice of my heart is crying out in despair
I'm falling apart and no one seems to take care
No one cares – it isn't fair

Is there someone who will guide me
Who will help me find the answers
I need someone to appease my aching heart

Disillusion, sadness and fear
I am lost in the dark – I'm forever burning
Like a phoenix, burning again
But I will rise from the ash
I will survive the flames
Alive again, I'm born again

THE PHOENIX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closed/open hihat
snare drum (flare/hit)
bass drum
drums 2
tambourine
crickets
stick 1
stick 2
drums 3
wood block
2 toms
chinese tom
vocals
Hi- ding
in sha- dows,
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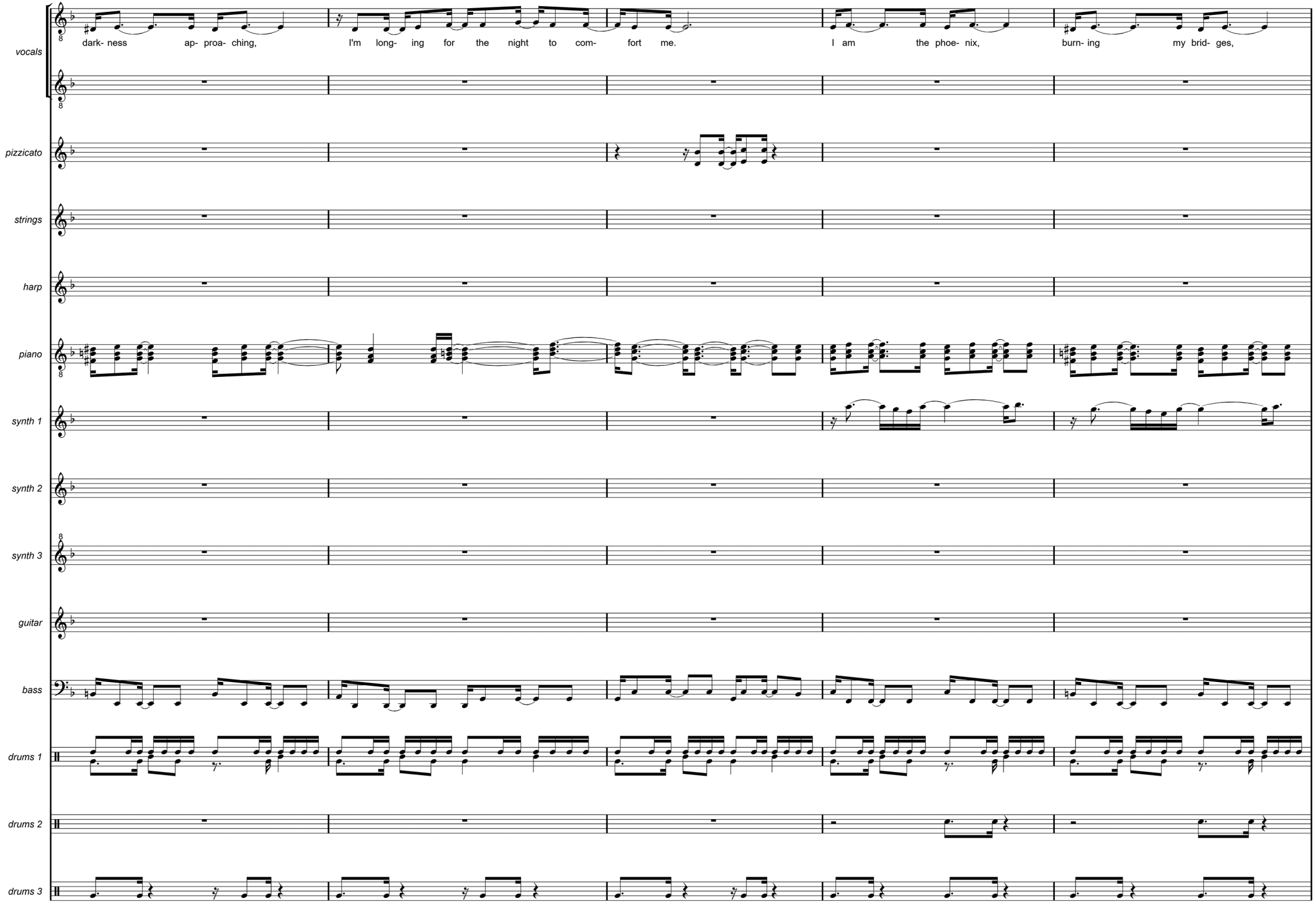
vocals
dark- ness ap- proa- ching,
I'm long- ing for the night to com- fort me.
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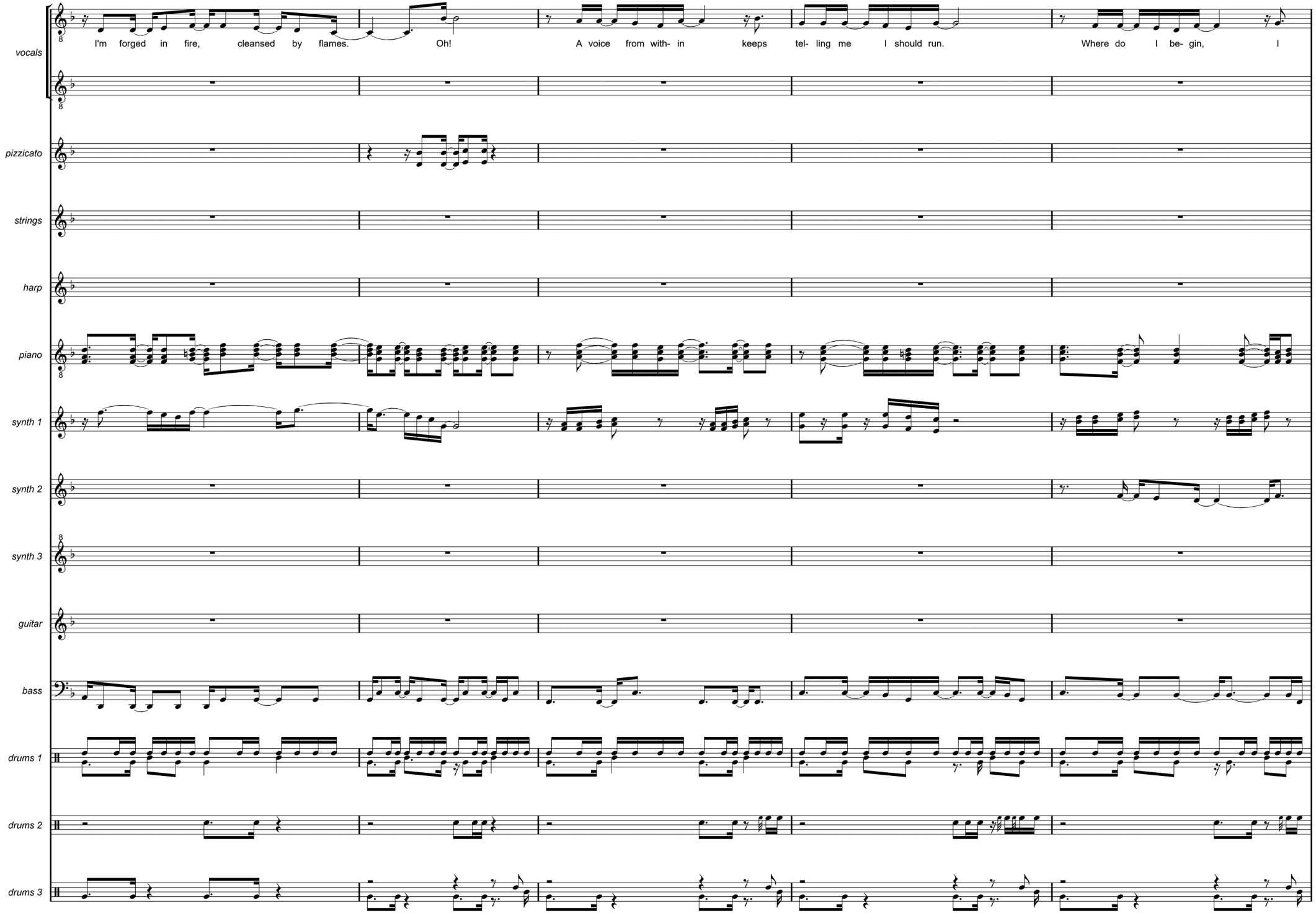
vocals
I'm forged in fire, cleansed by flames. Oh! A voice from with- in keeps tel- ling me I should run. Where do I be- gin, I
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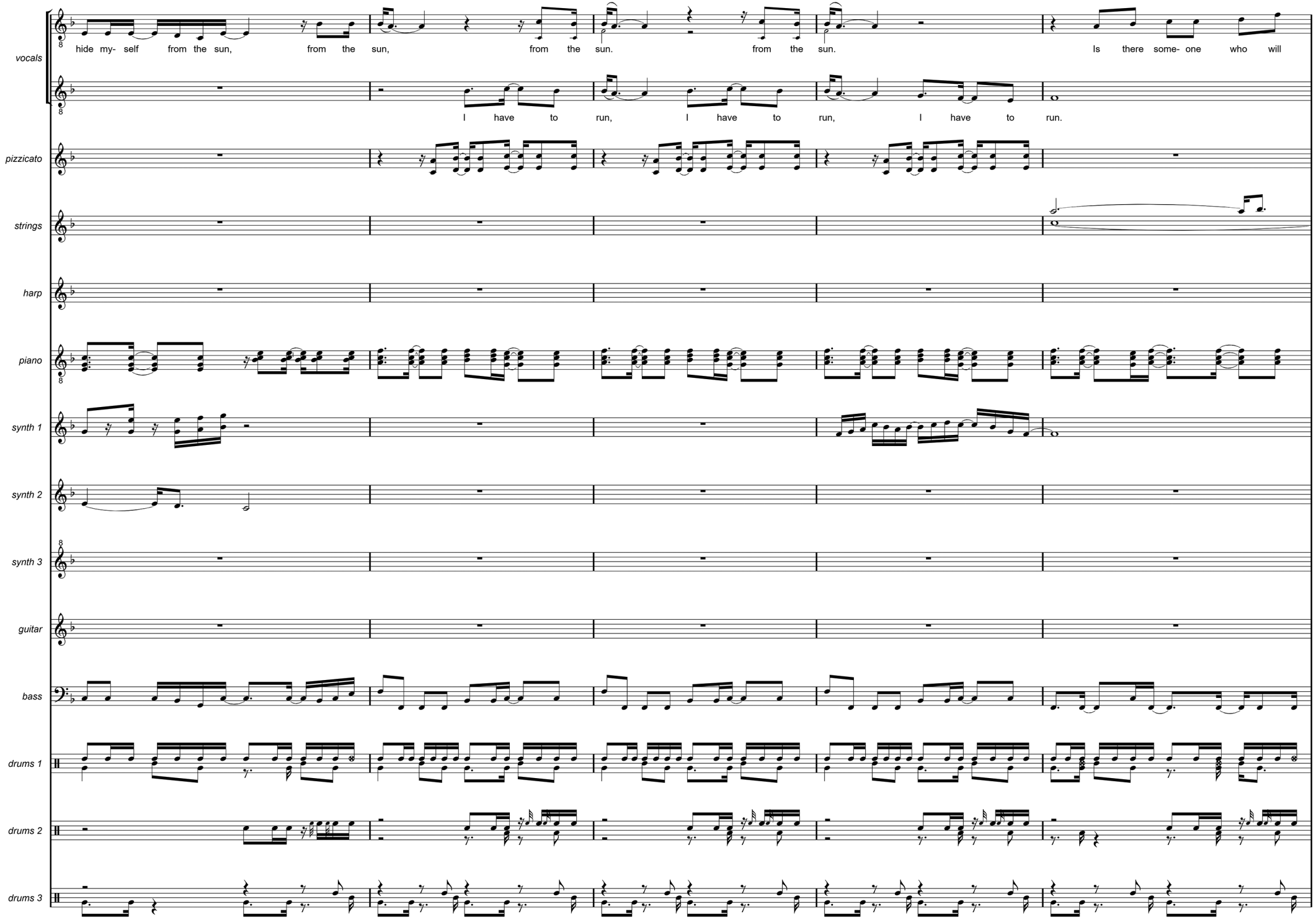
vocals
hide my- self from the sun, from the sun, from the sun. from the sun. Is there some- one who will
I have to run, I have to run, I have to run.
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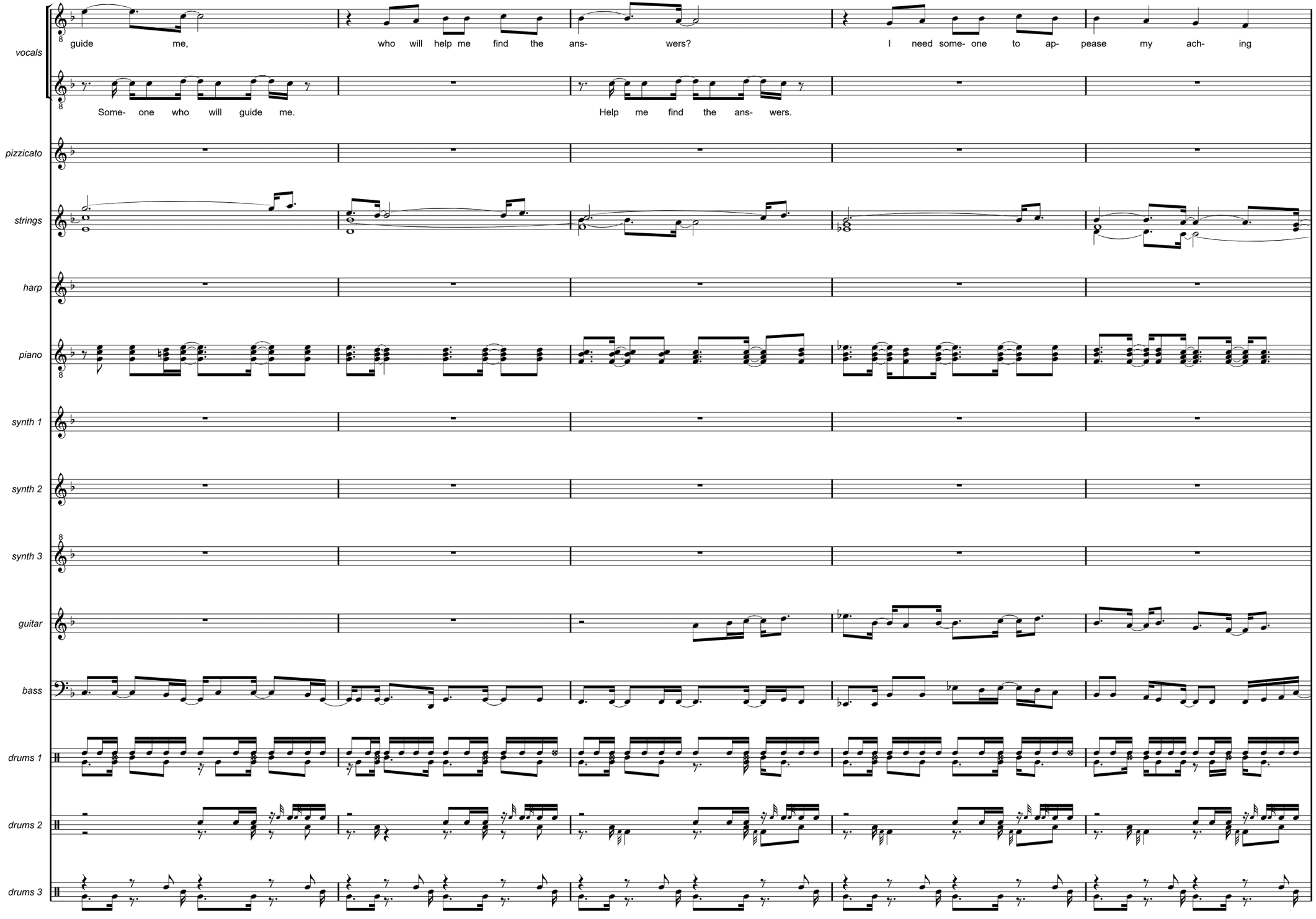
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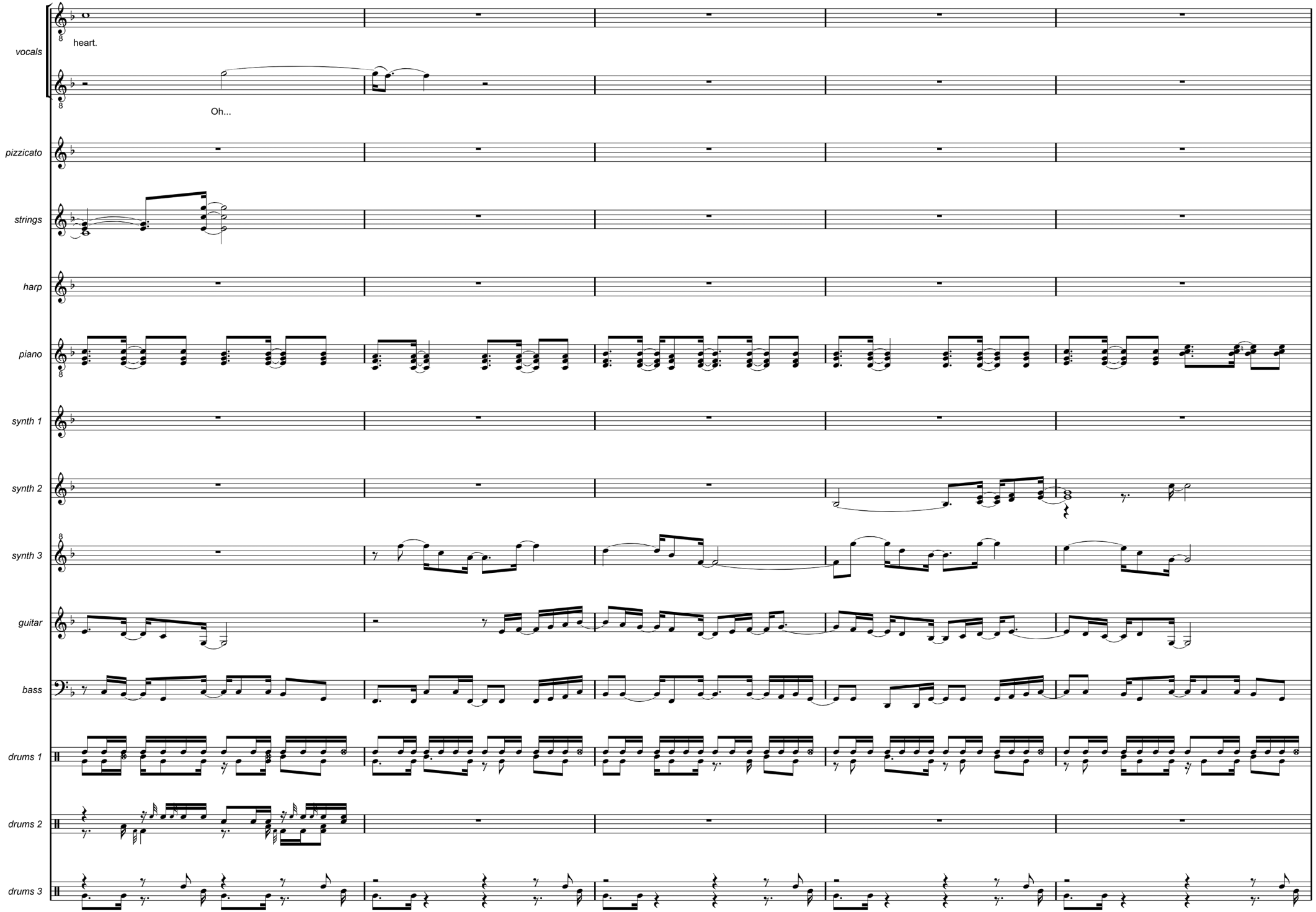
vocals
heart.
Oh...
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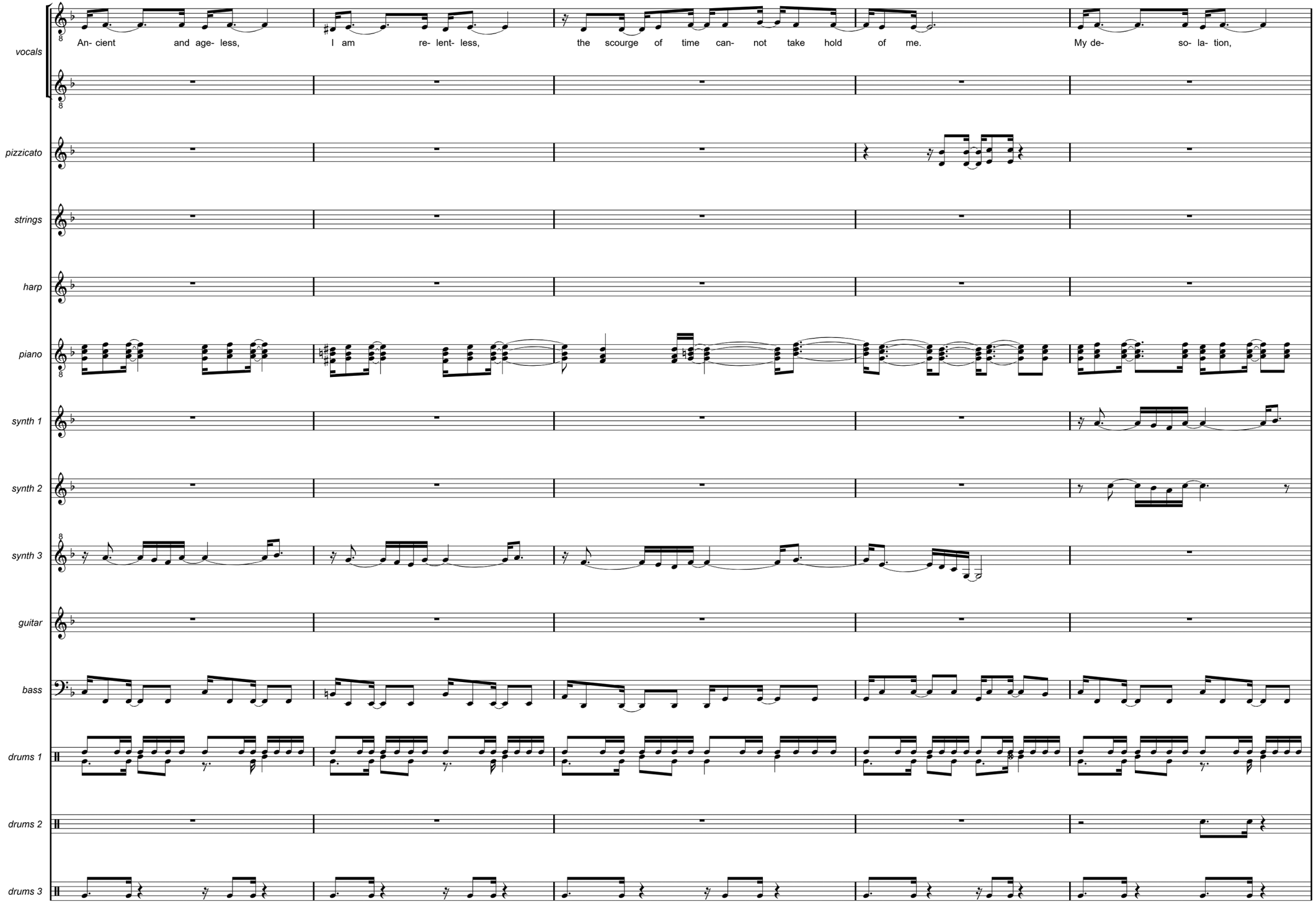
vocals
An- cient and age- less,
I am re- lent- less,
the scourge of time can- not take hold of me.
My de- so- la- tion,
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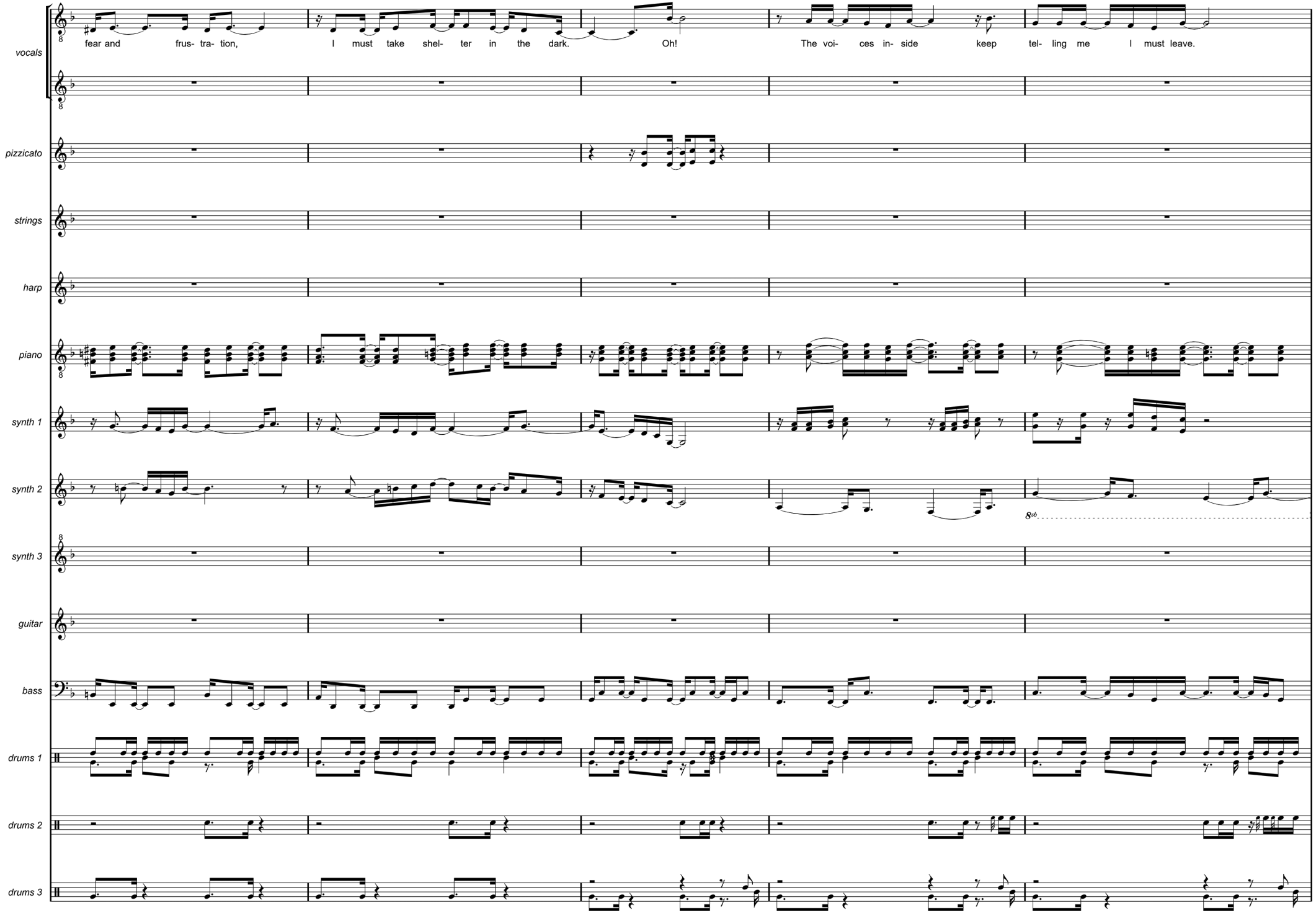
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strings
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synth 1
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guitar
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drums 1
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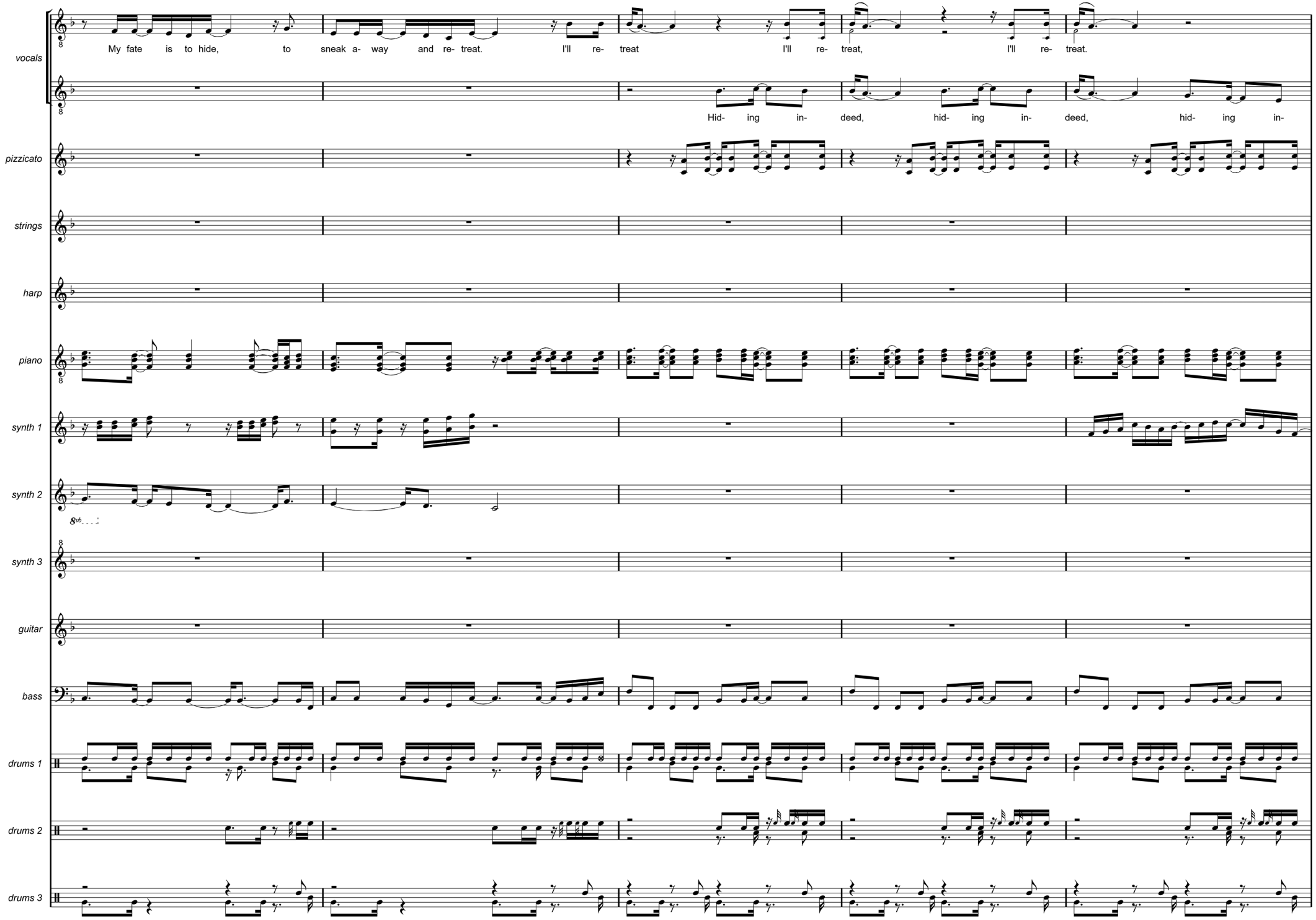
fear and frus- tra- tion,
I must take shel- ter in the dark.
Oh!
The voi- ces in- side
keep tel- ling me
I must leave.
8vb


vocals
My fate is to hide, to sneak a- way and re- treat. I'll re- treat I'll re- treat, I'll re- treat.
Hid- ing in- deed, hid- ing in- deed, hid- ing in-
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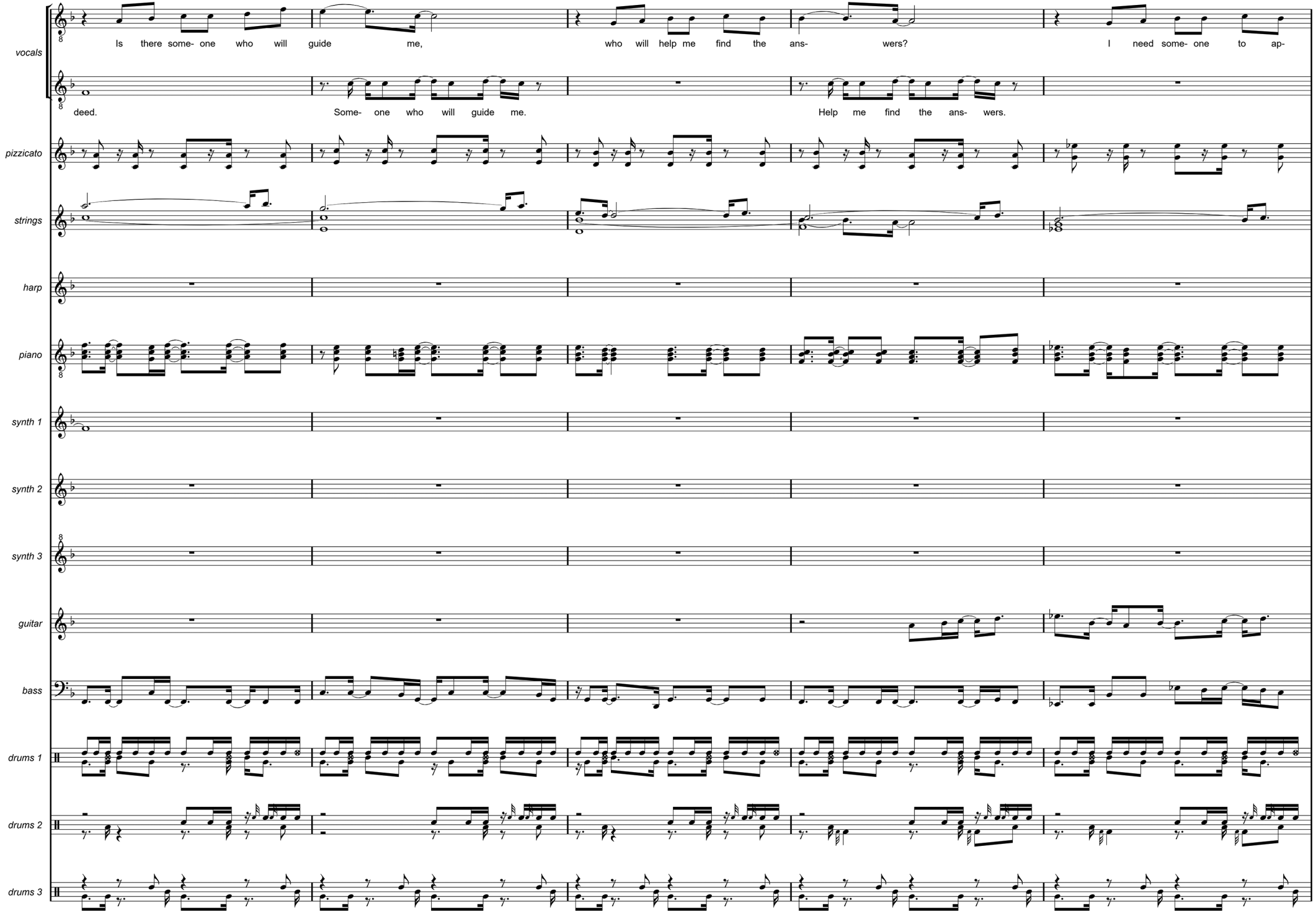
vocals
Is there some- one who will guide me, who will help me find the ans- wers? I need some- one to ap-
deed. Some- one who will guide me. Help me find the ans- wers.
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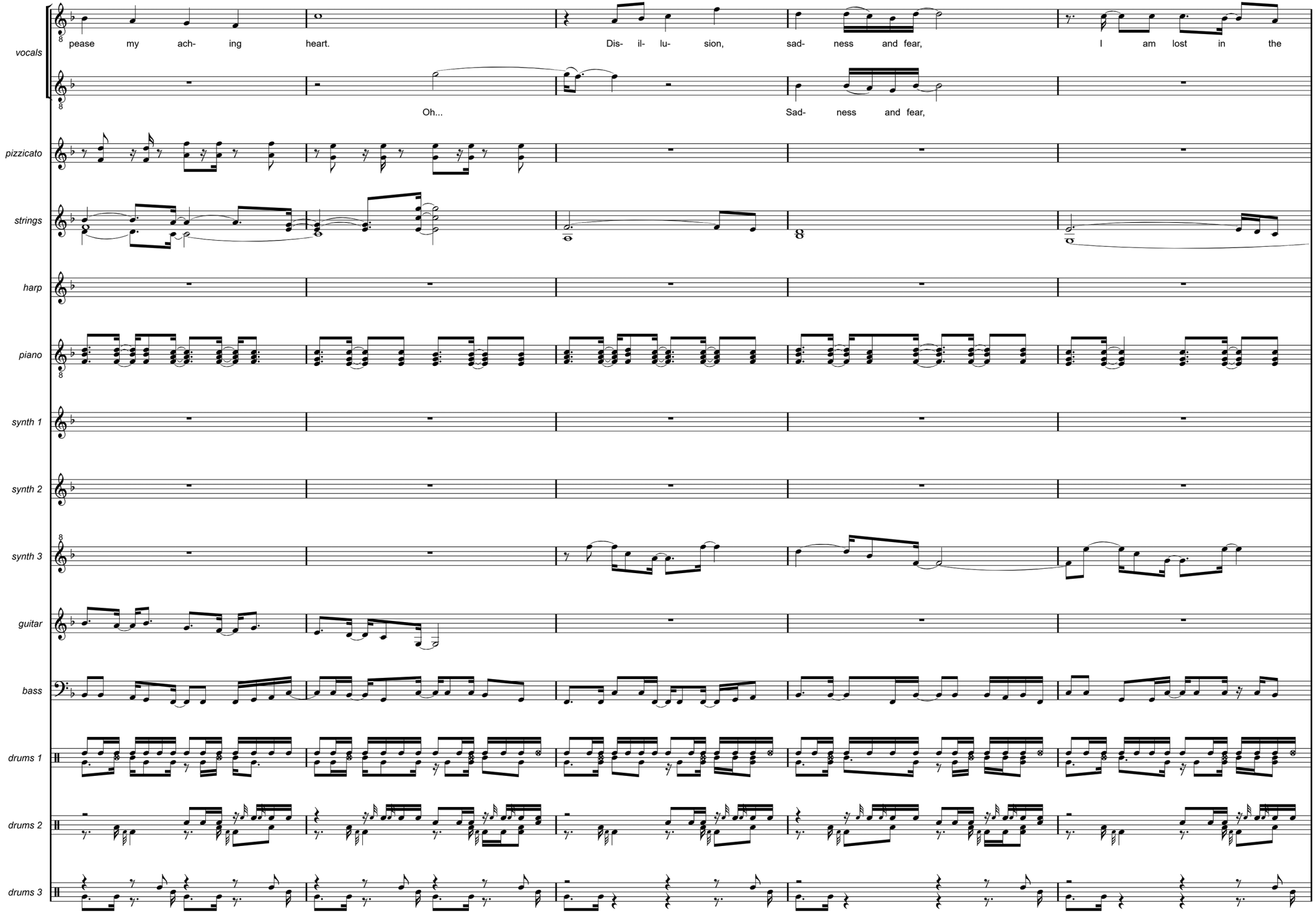
vocals
pease my ach- ing heart.
Dis- il- lu- sion, sad- ness and fear,
I am lost in the
Oh...
Sad- ness and fear,
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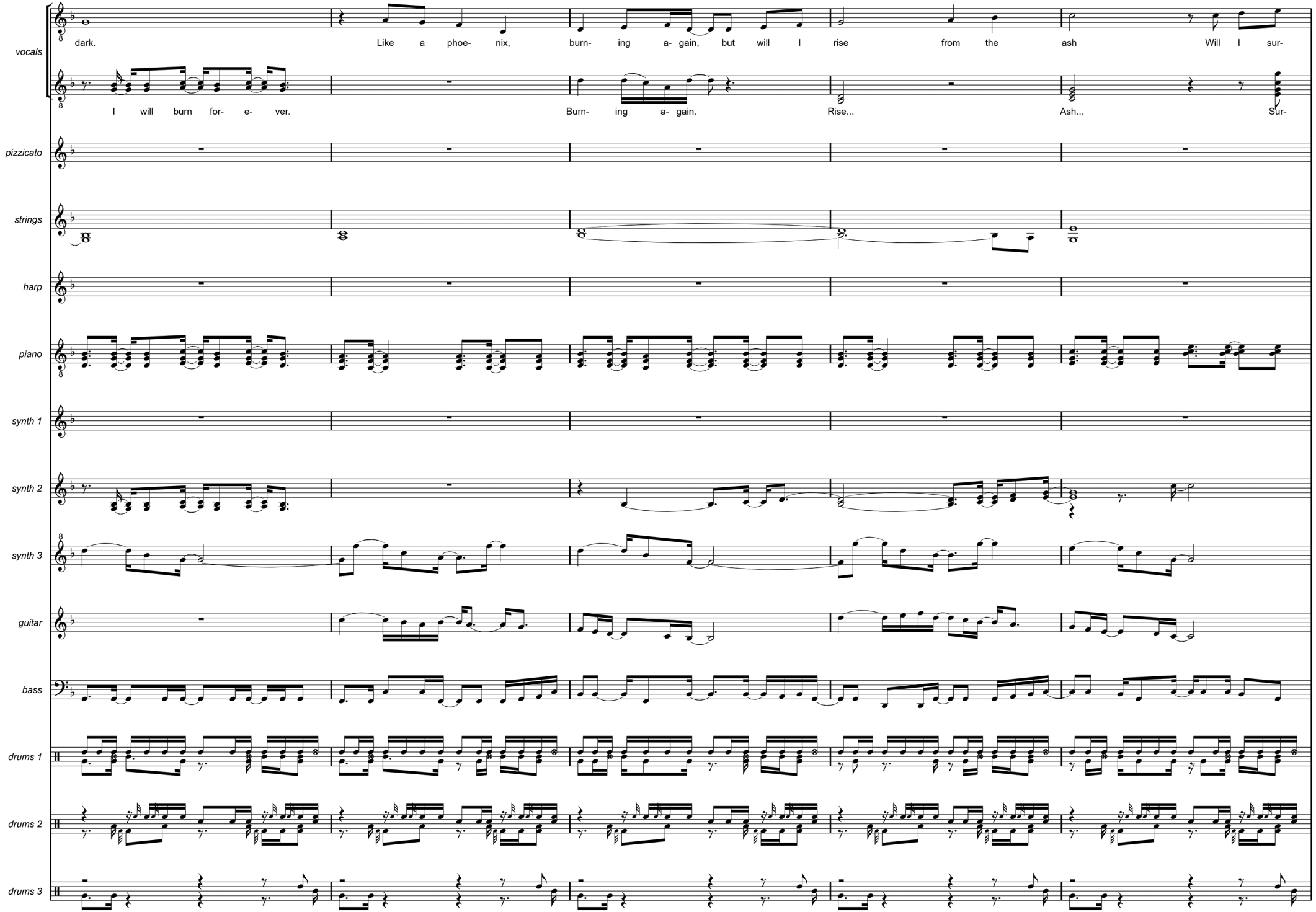
vocals
dark.
Like a phoe- nix,
burn- ing a- gain, but will I rise
from the ash
Will I sur-
I will burn for- e- ver.
Burn- ing a- gain.
Rise...
Ash...
Sur-
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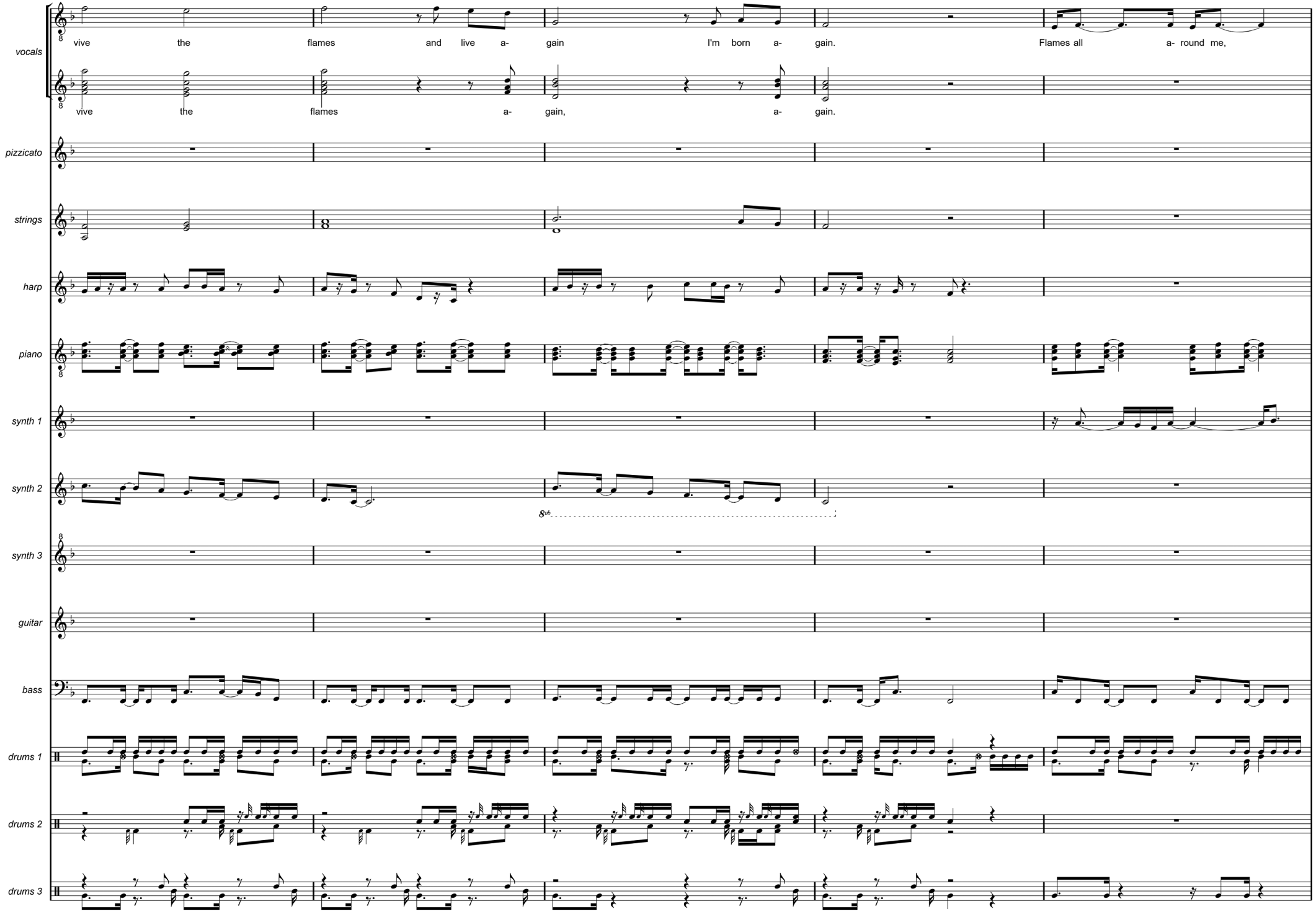
vocals
vive the flames and live a- gain I'm born a- gain. Flames all a- round me,
vive the flames a- gain, a- gain.
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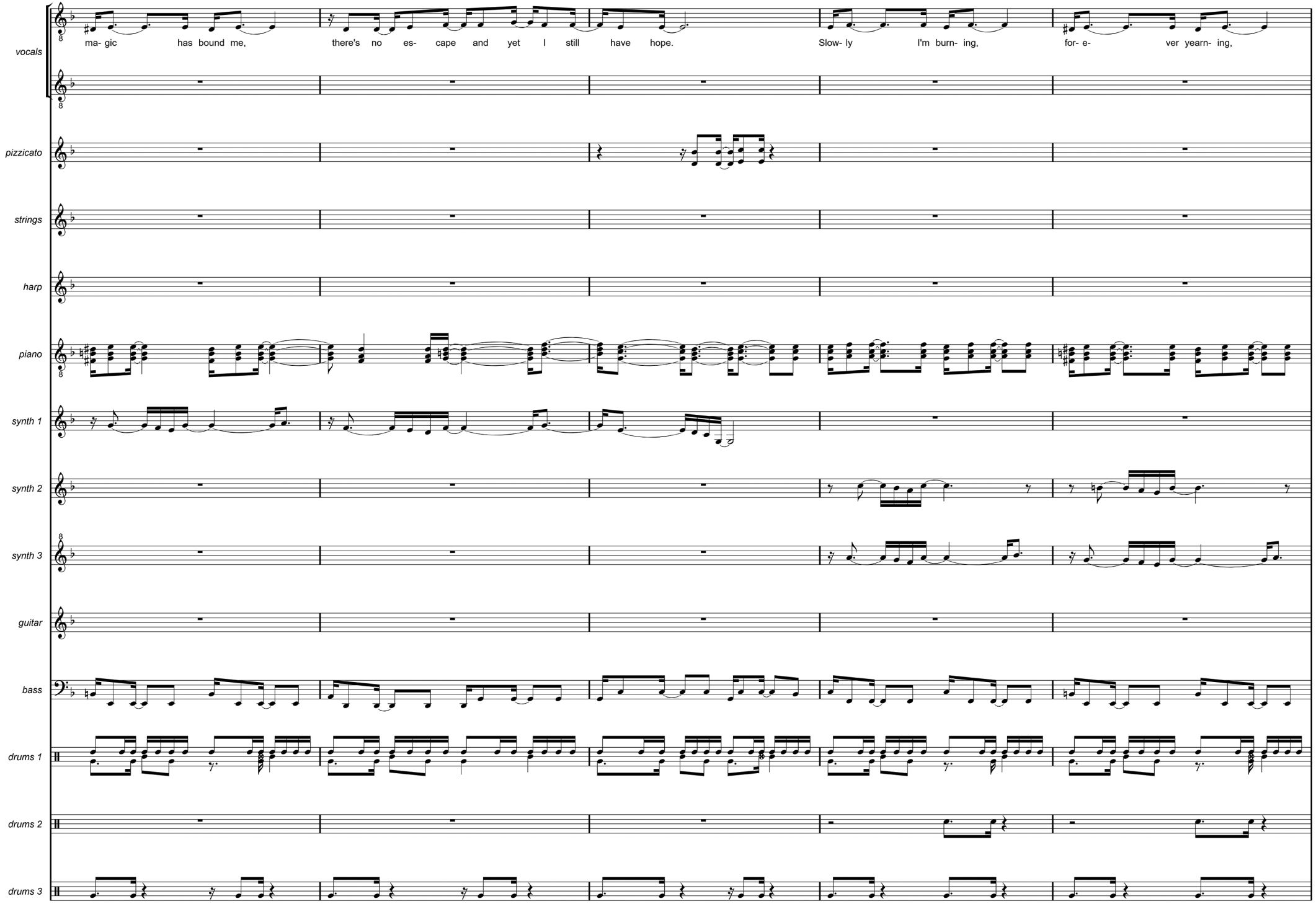
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ma- gic has bound me, there's no es- cape and yet I still have hope. Slow- ly I'm burn- ing, for- e- ver yearn- ing,
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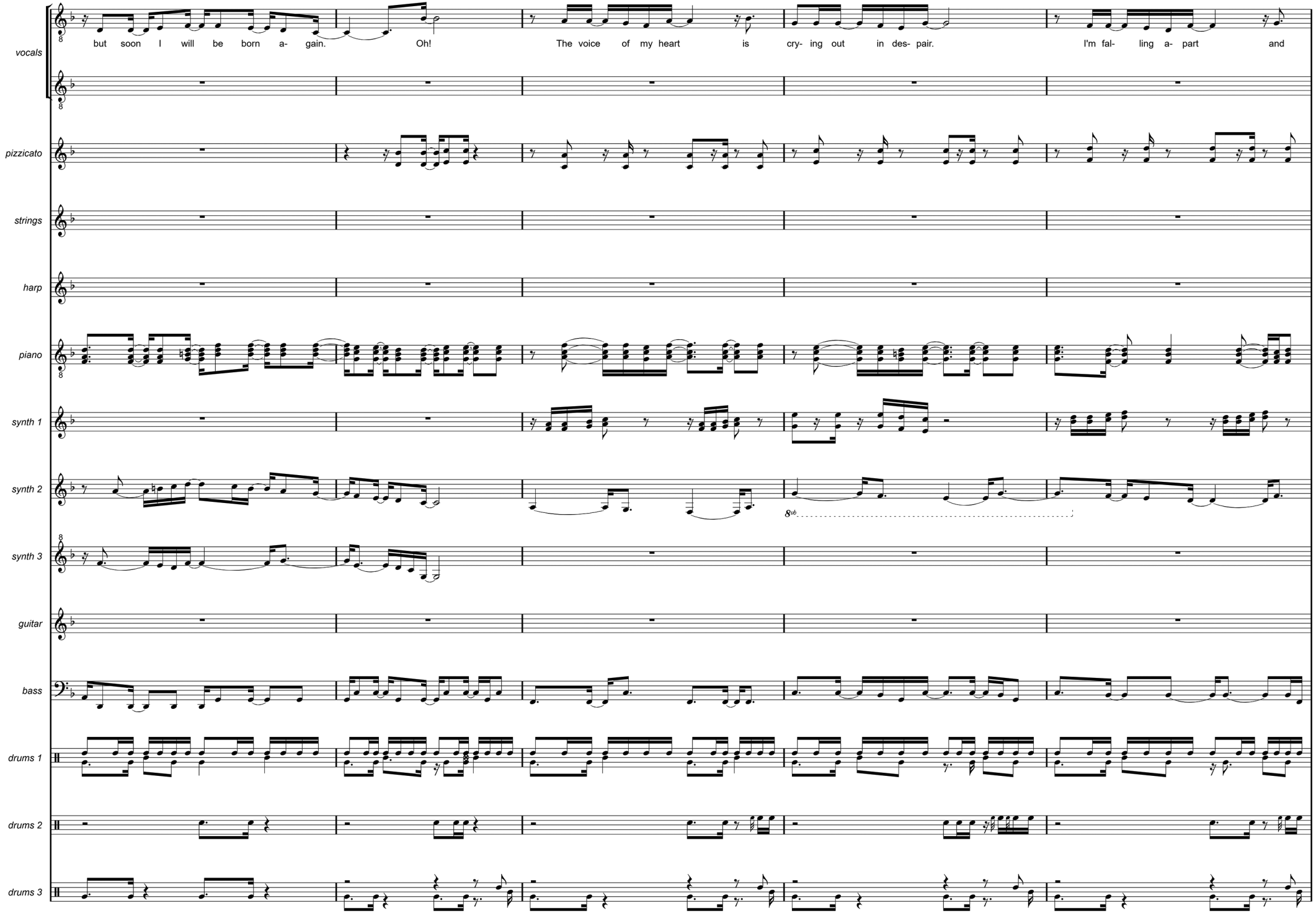
vocals
but soon I will be born a- gain.
Oh!
The voice of my heart is cry- ing out in des- pair.
I'm fal- ling a- part and
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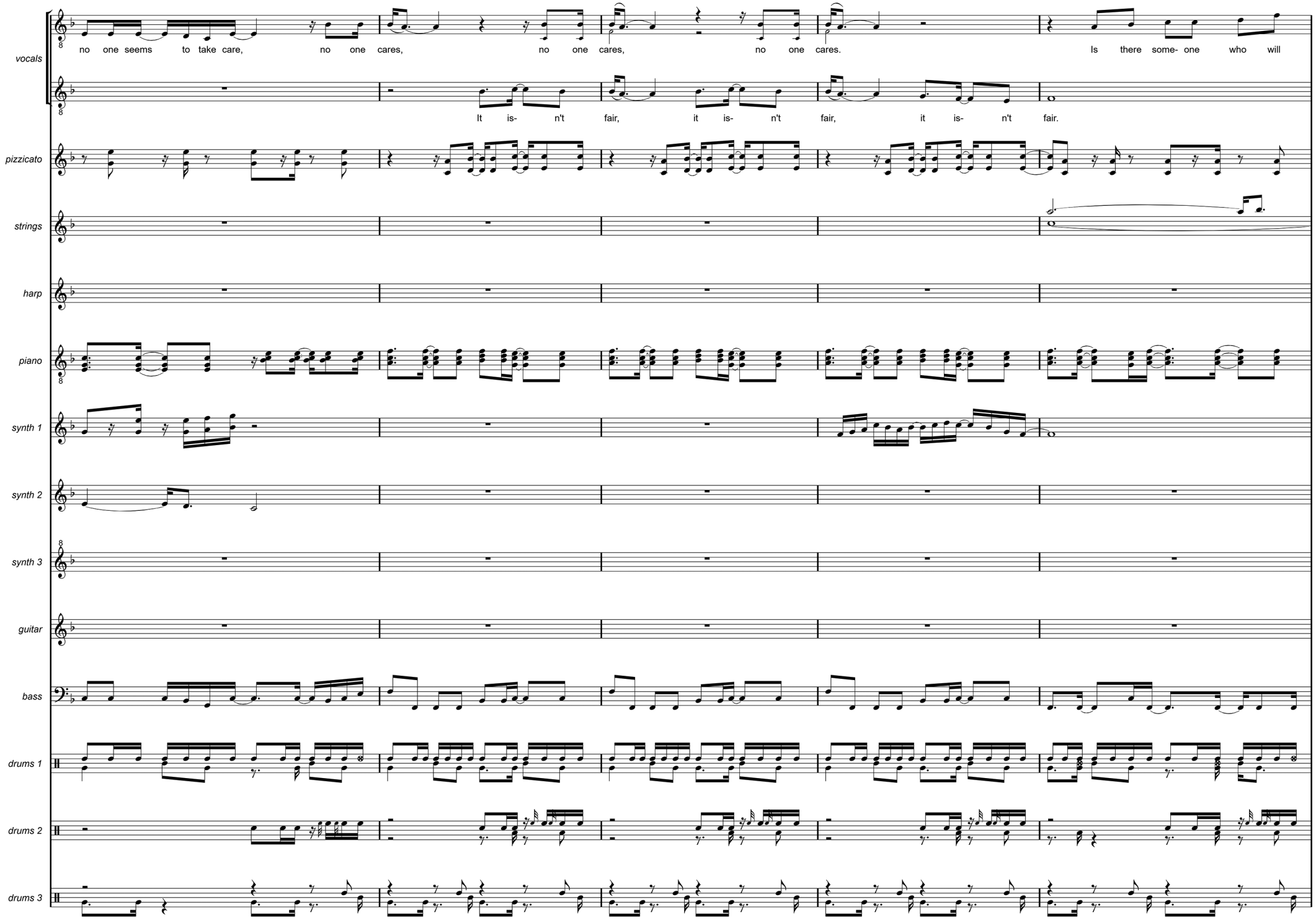
vocals
no one seems to take care, no one cares, no one cares, no one cares. Is there some- one who will
It is- n't fair, it is- n't fair, it is- n't fair.
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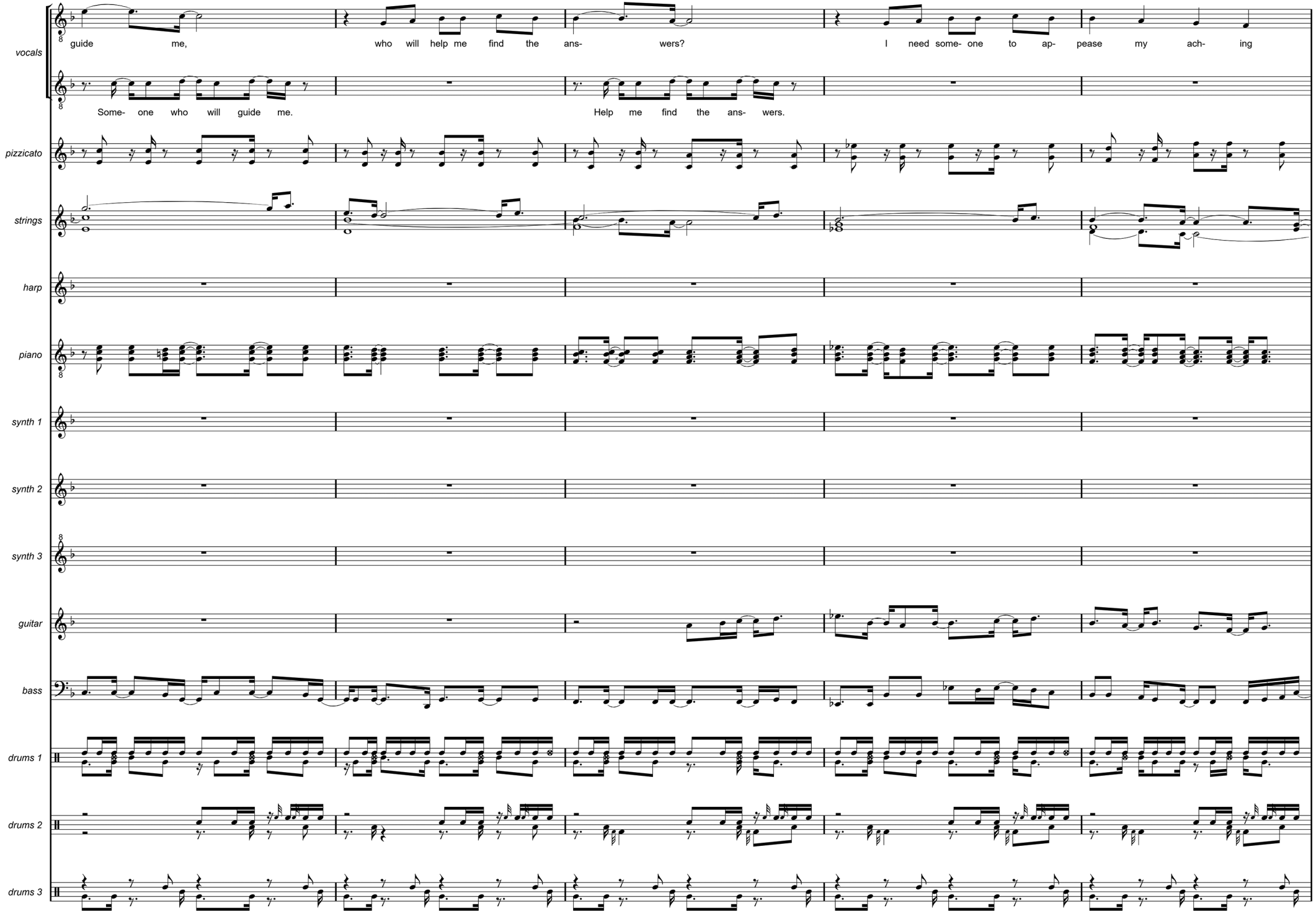
vocals
guide me, who will help me find the ans- wers? I need some- one to ap- pease my ach- ing
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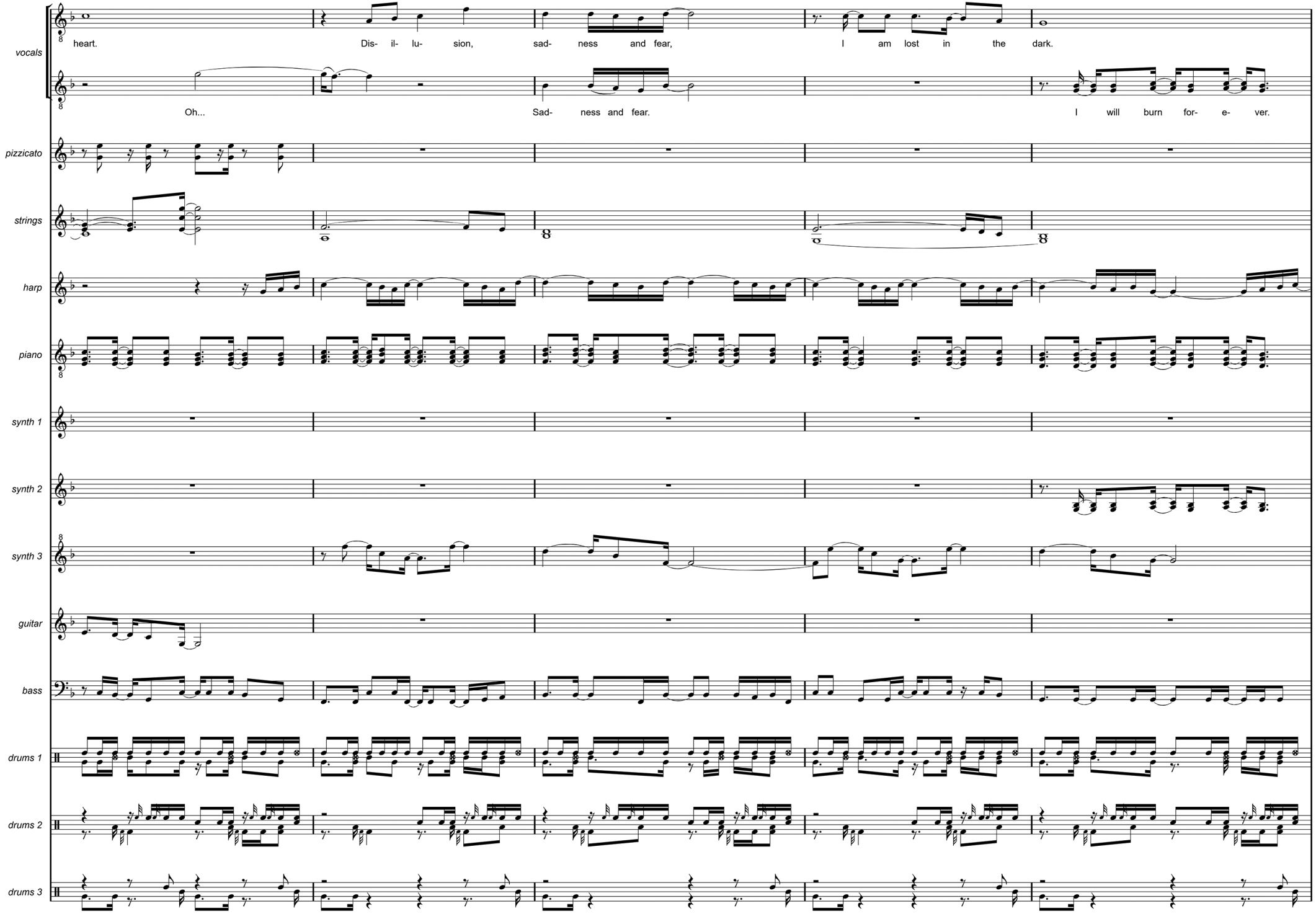
vocals
heart.
Dis- il- lu- sion,
sad- ness and fear,
I am lost in the dark.
Oh...
Sad- ness and fear.
I will burn for- e- ver.
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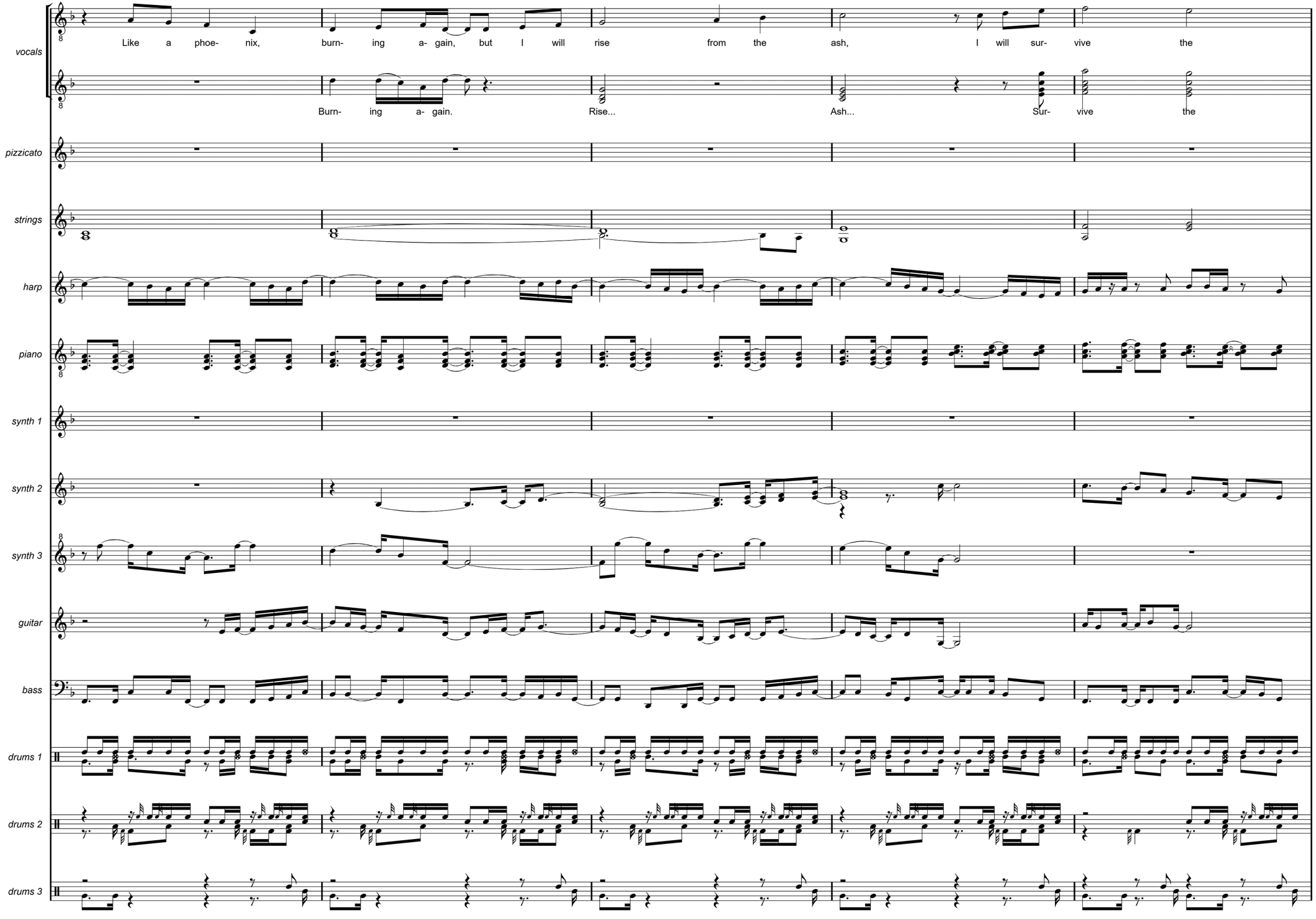
vocals
Like a phoe- nix, burn- ing a- gain, but I will rise from the ash, I will sur- vive the
Burn- ing a- gain. Rise... Ash... Sur- vive the
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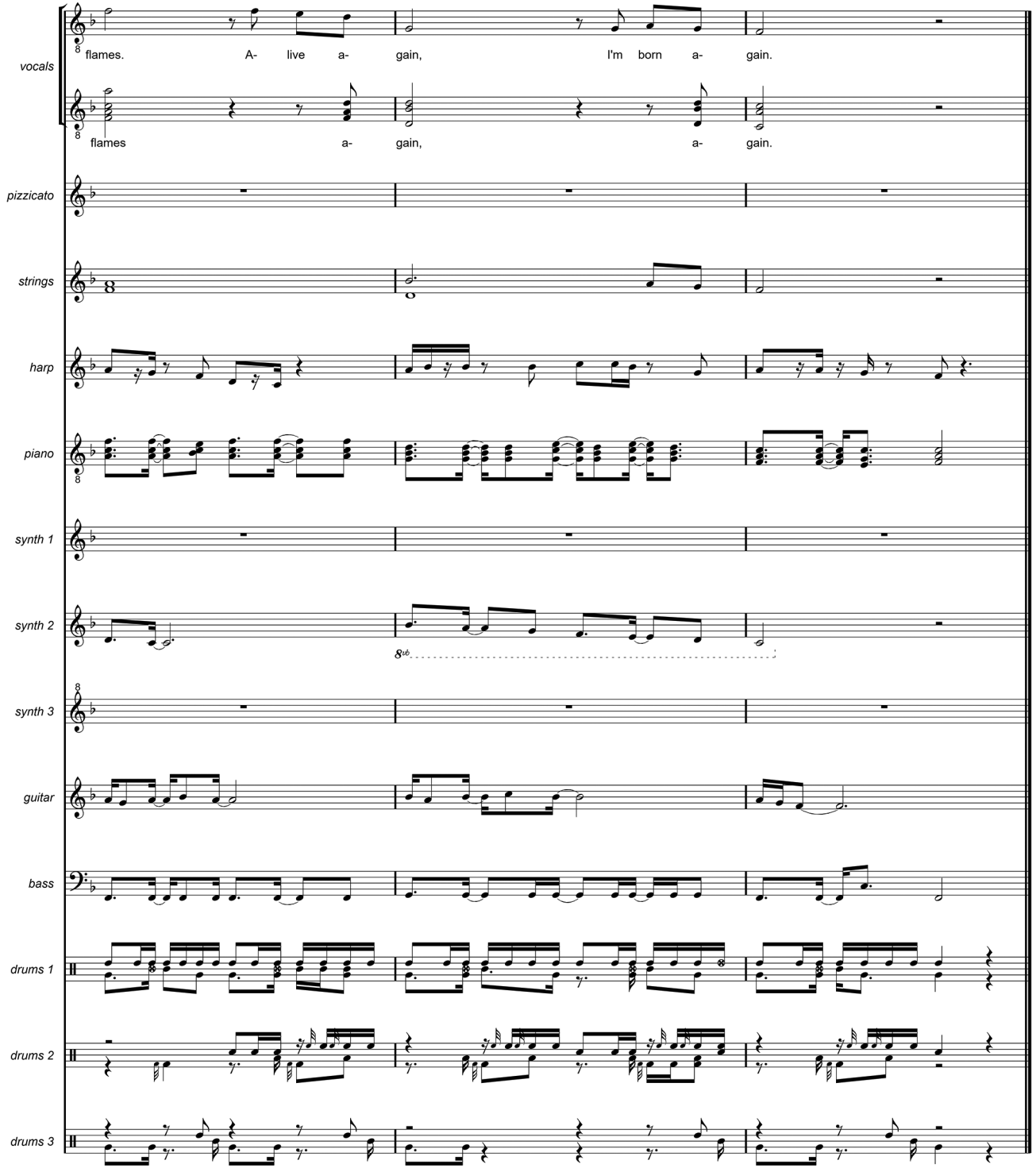
vocals
flames. A- live a- gain, I'm born a- gain.
flames a- gain, a- gain.
pizzicato
strings
harp
piano
synth 1
synth 2
8vb
synth 3
guitar
bass
drums 1
drums 2
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AZURE EYES

Summer night, glass of wine
Then I saw you arrive
Looking good, feeling fine
Now I'm glad I'm alive

Azure eyes look at me and drive me wild
I admire everything that you say or do
My desire's breaking free just like a fire
Every night you are mine
And my love for you is true

Walking through the park
Birds lead us into the dawn with a song
Magic all around
This mystic sunrise, so pure, now I'm sure

We are as one, beautiful friend
This will not end, this lasts forever

Azure eyes look at me and drive me wild
I admire everything that you say or do
My desire's breaking free just like a fire
Every night you are mine…

Summer night, perfect sky
You and me in the moonshine
Each time you take me high
I am yours and you're all mine

Azure eyes look at me and drive me wild
I admire everything that you say or do
My desire's breaking free just like a fire
Every night you are mine
And my love for you is true

Night out on the town
I go wherever you go, need you so
Feelings never known
Come to the surface when I hold you tight

Your beauty took me by surprise
Your sparkling eyes made me surrender

Azure eyes look at me and drive me wild
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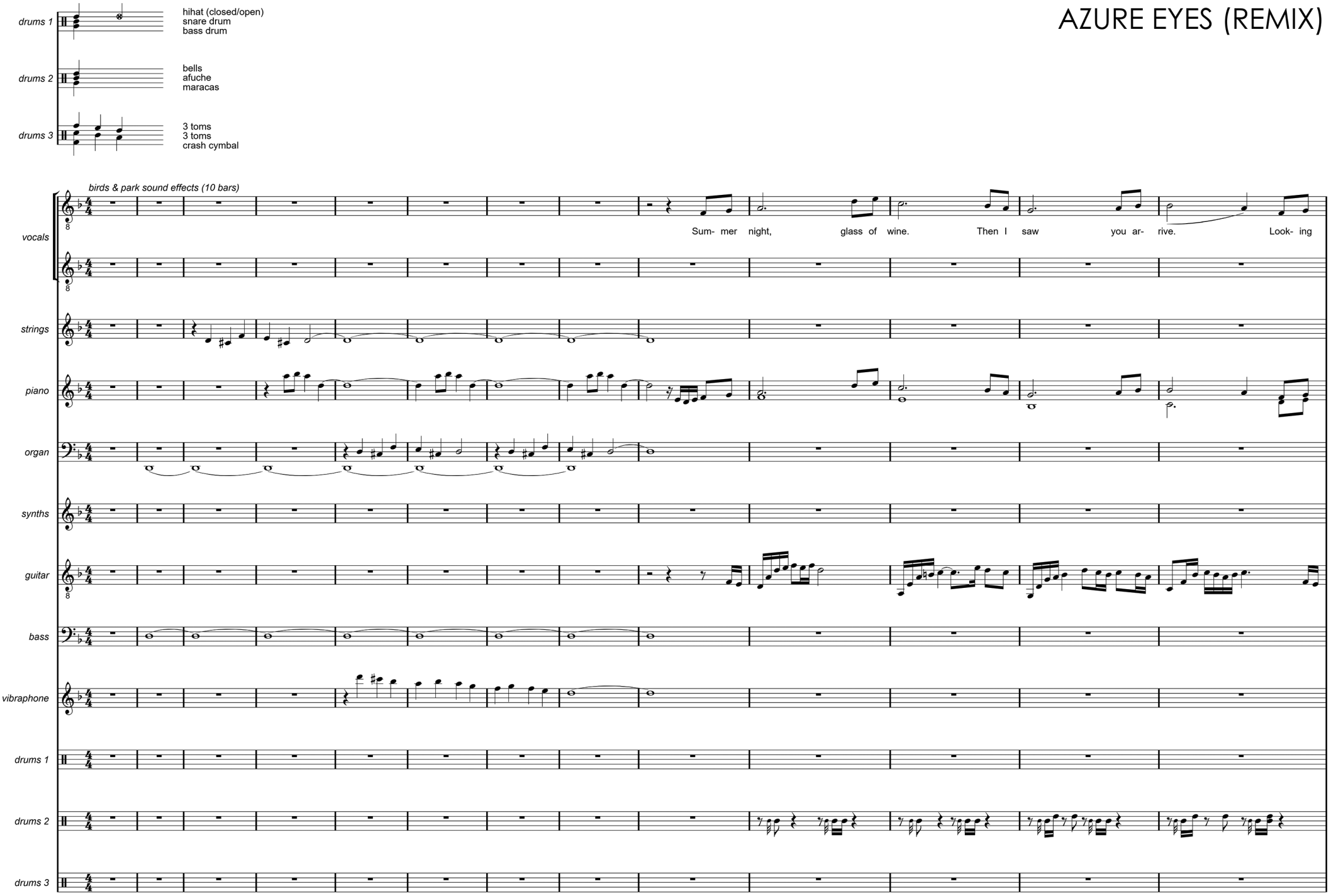
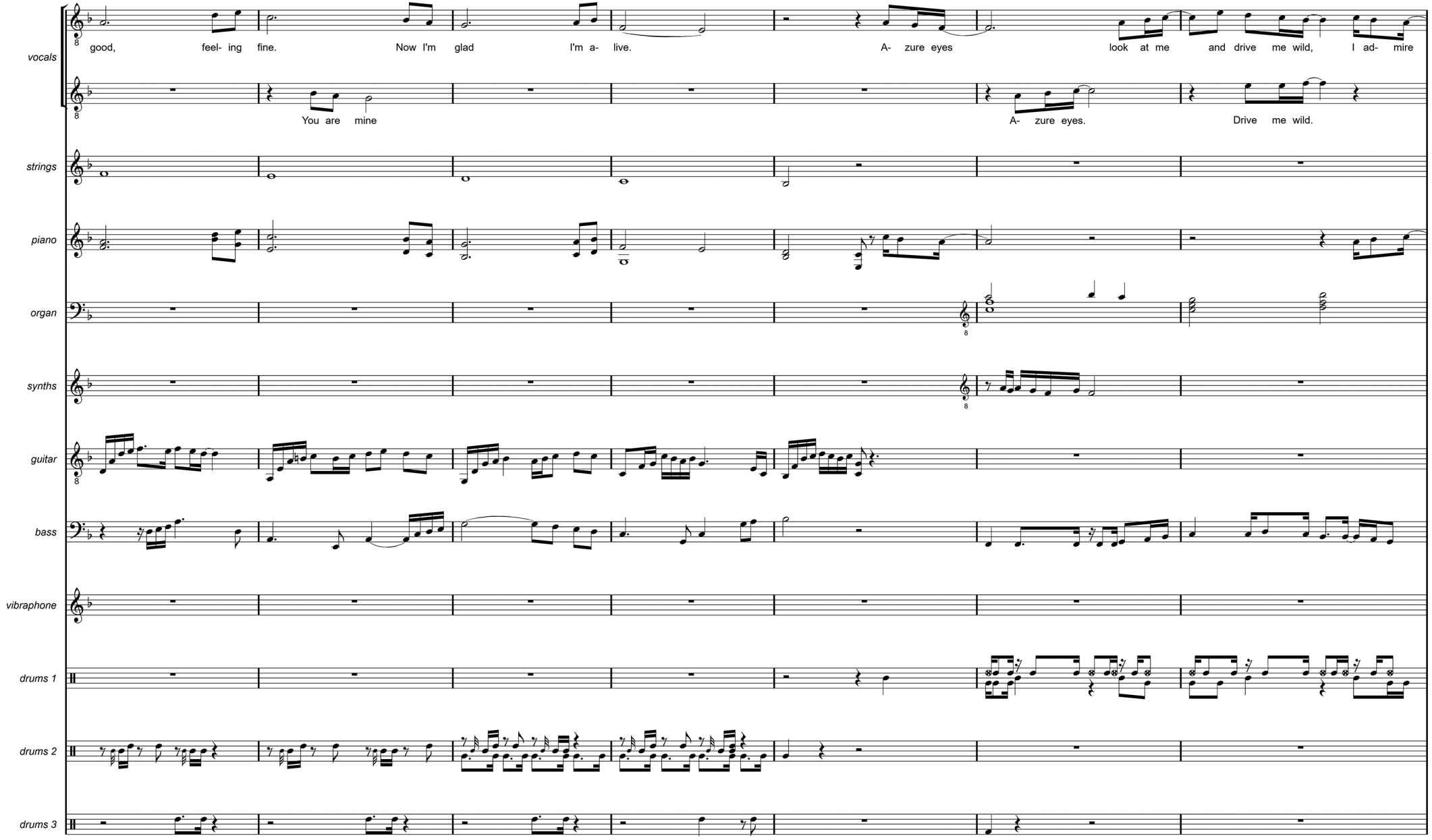
My desire's breaking free just like a fire
Every night you are mine
And my love for you is true

AZURE EYES (REMIX)




vocals
good, feel- ing fine. Now I'm glad I'm a- live. A- zure eyes look at me and drive me wild, I ad- mire
You are mine
A- zure eyes.
Drive me wild.
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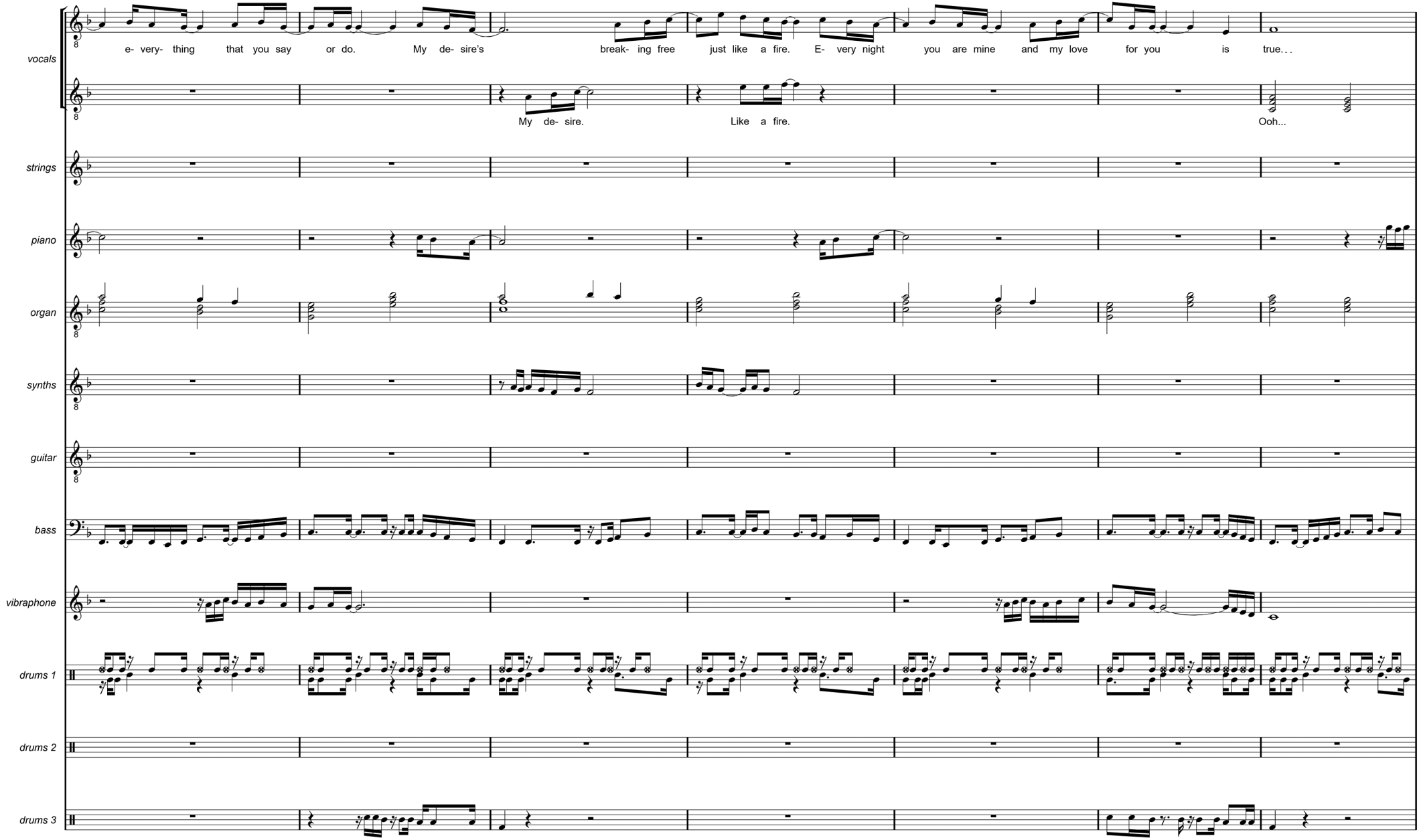
vocals
e- very- thing that you say or do. My de- sire's break- ing free just like a fire. E- very night you are mine and my love for you is true...
My de- sire.
Like a fire.
Ooh...
strings
piano
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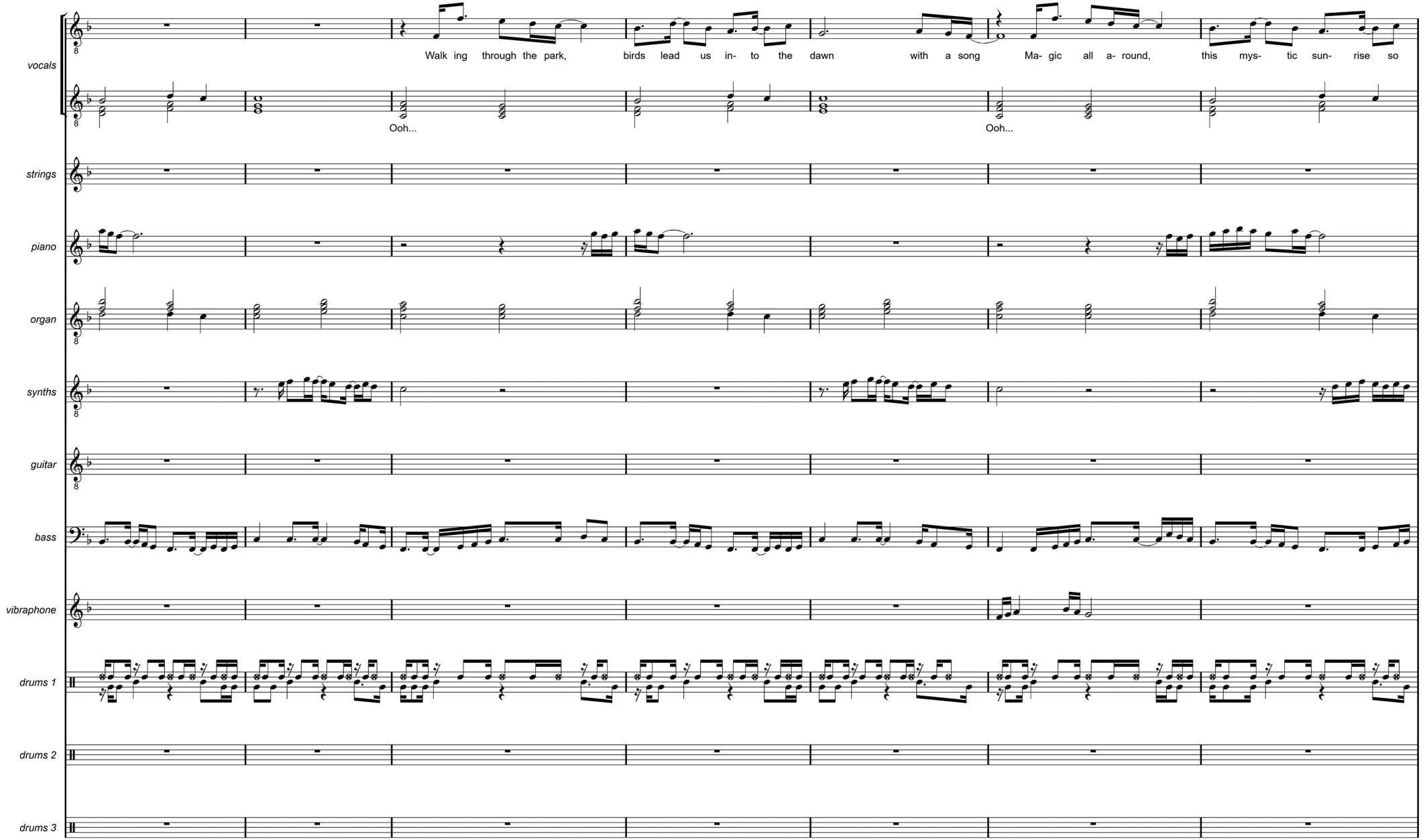
vocals
Walk ing through the park, birds lead us in- to the dawn with a song Ma- gic all a- round, this mys- tic sun- rise so
Ooh...
Ooh...
strings
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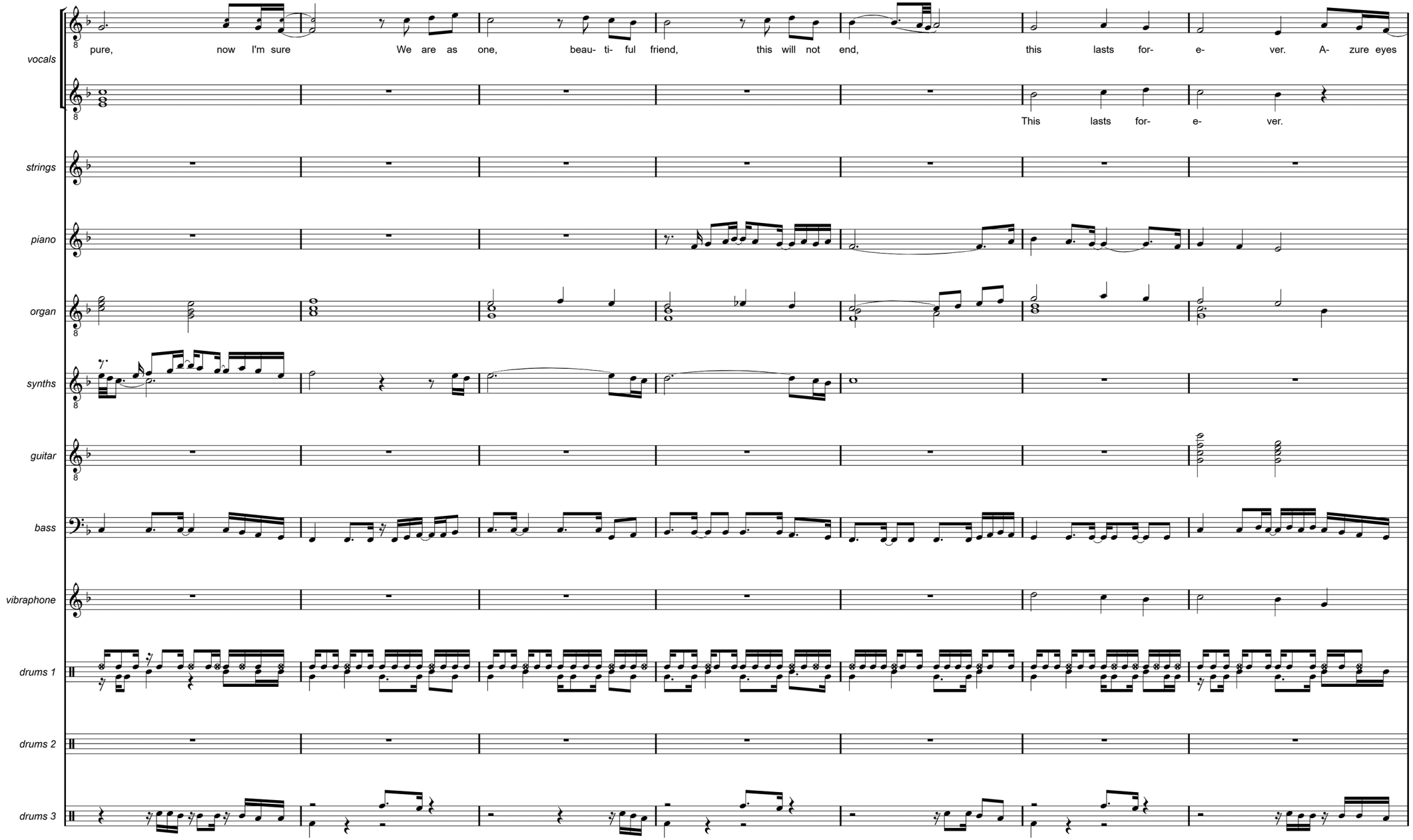
vocals
pure, now I'm sure We are as one, beau- ti- ful friend, this will not end, this lasts for- e- ver. A- zure eyes
This lasts for- e- ver.
strings
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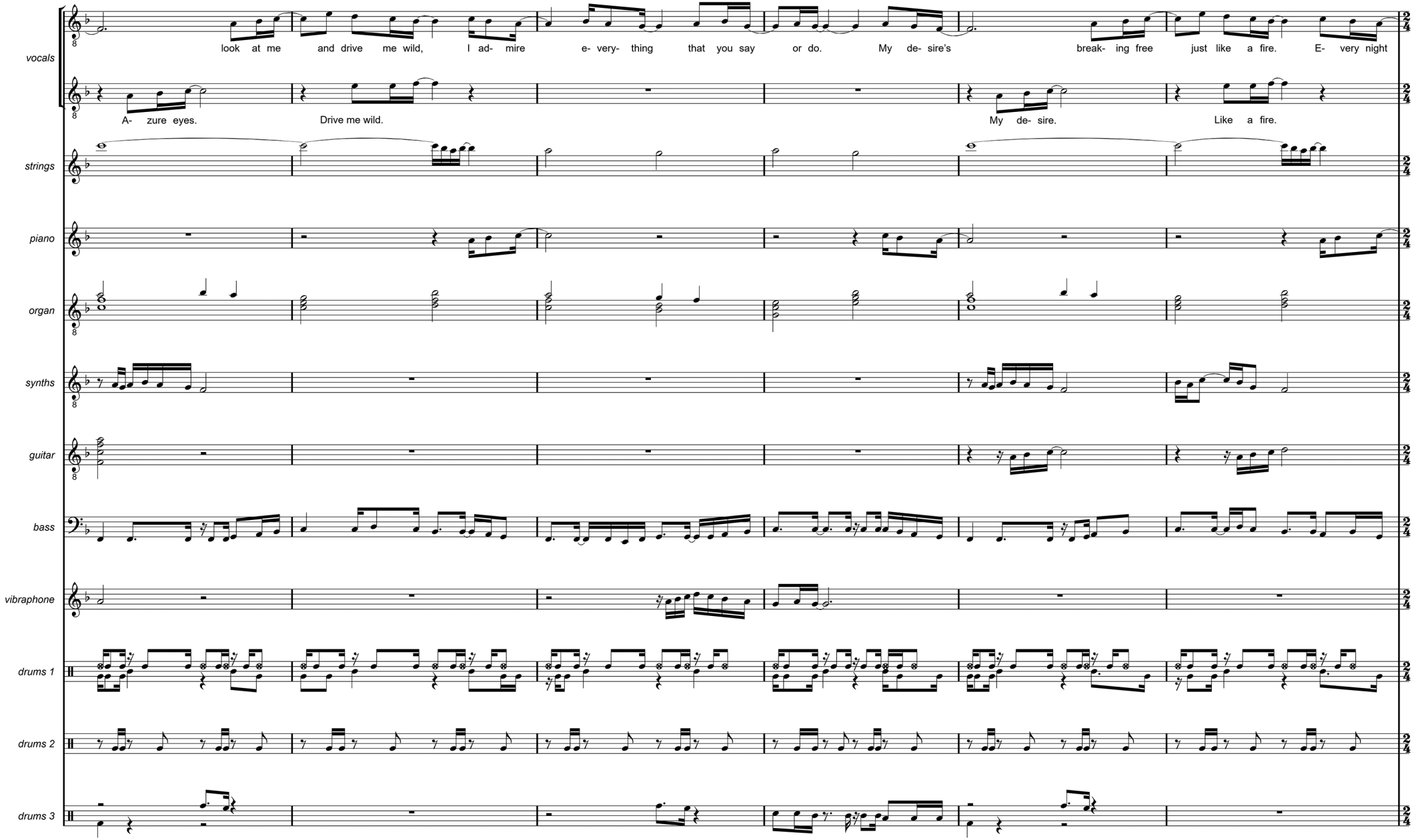
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look at me and drive me wild, I ad- mire e- very- thing that you say or do. My de- sire's break- ing free just like a fire. E- very night
A- zure eyes.
Drive me wild.
My de- sire.
Like a fire.
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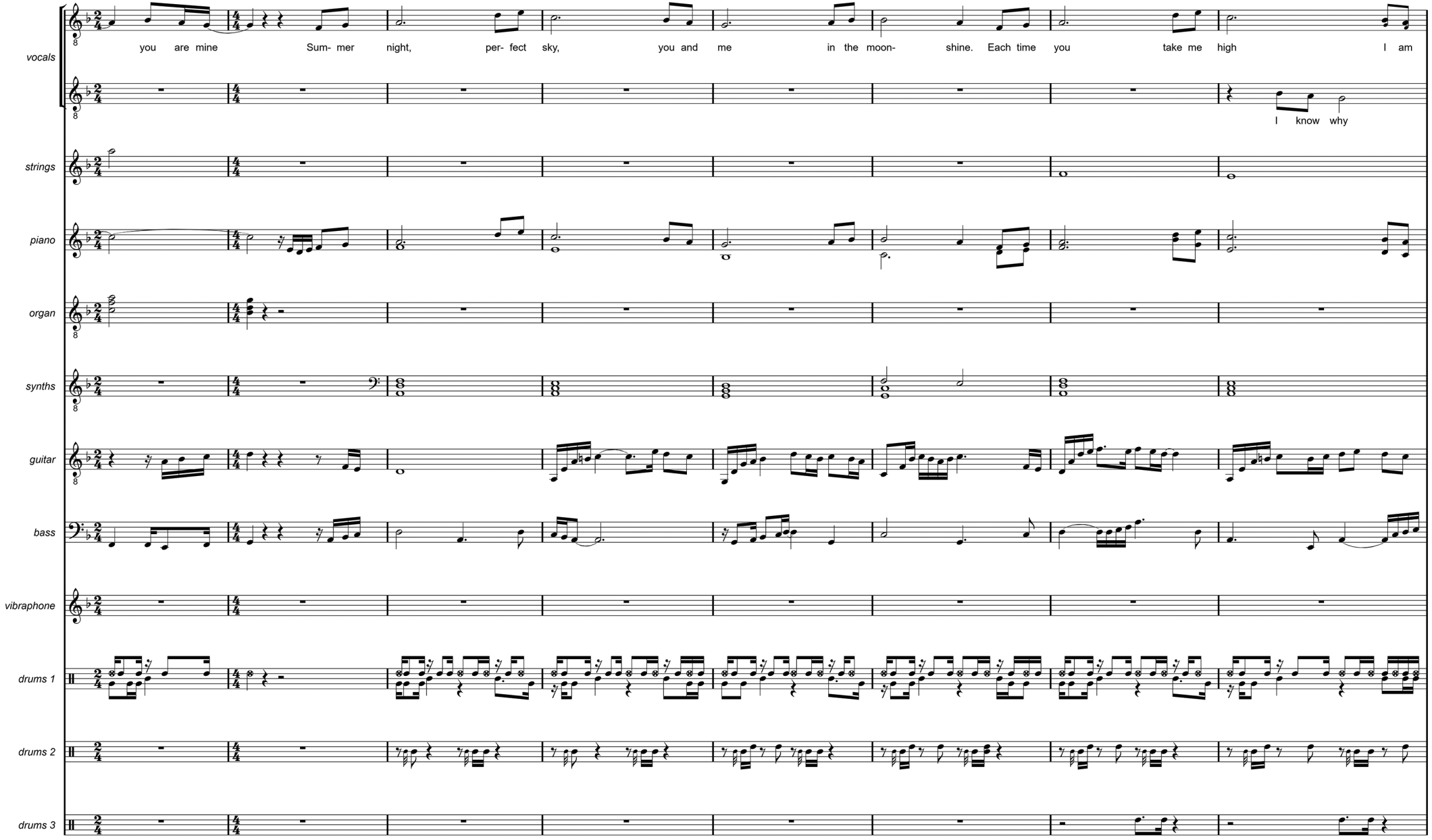
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you are mine Sum- mer night, per- fect sky, you and me in the moon- shine. Each time you take me high I am
I know why
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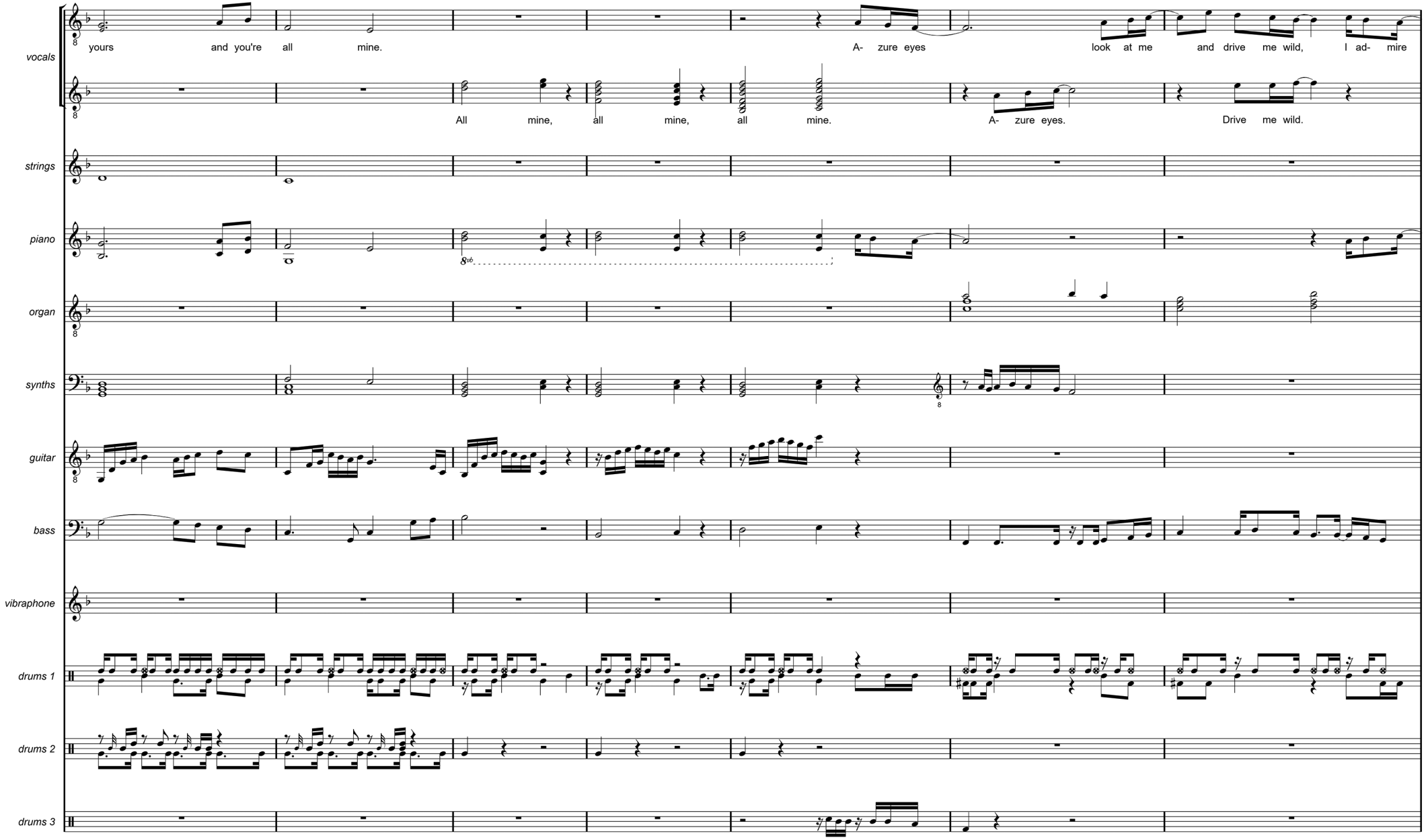
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yours and you're all mine.
A- zure eyes look at me and drive me wild, I ad- mire
All mine, all mine, all mine.
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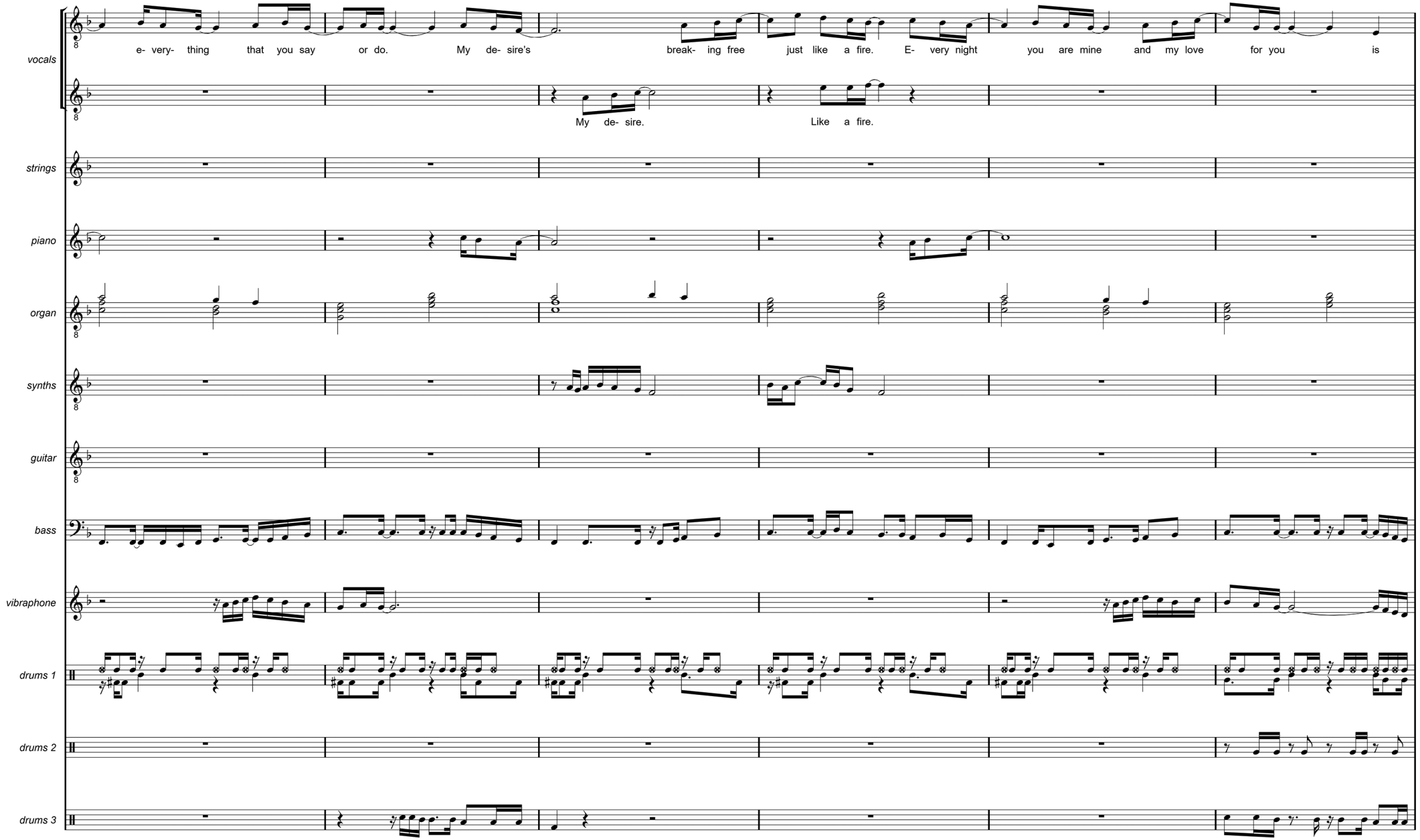
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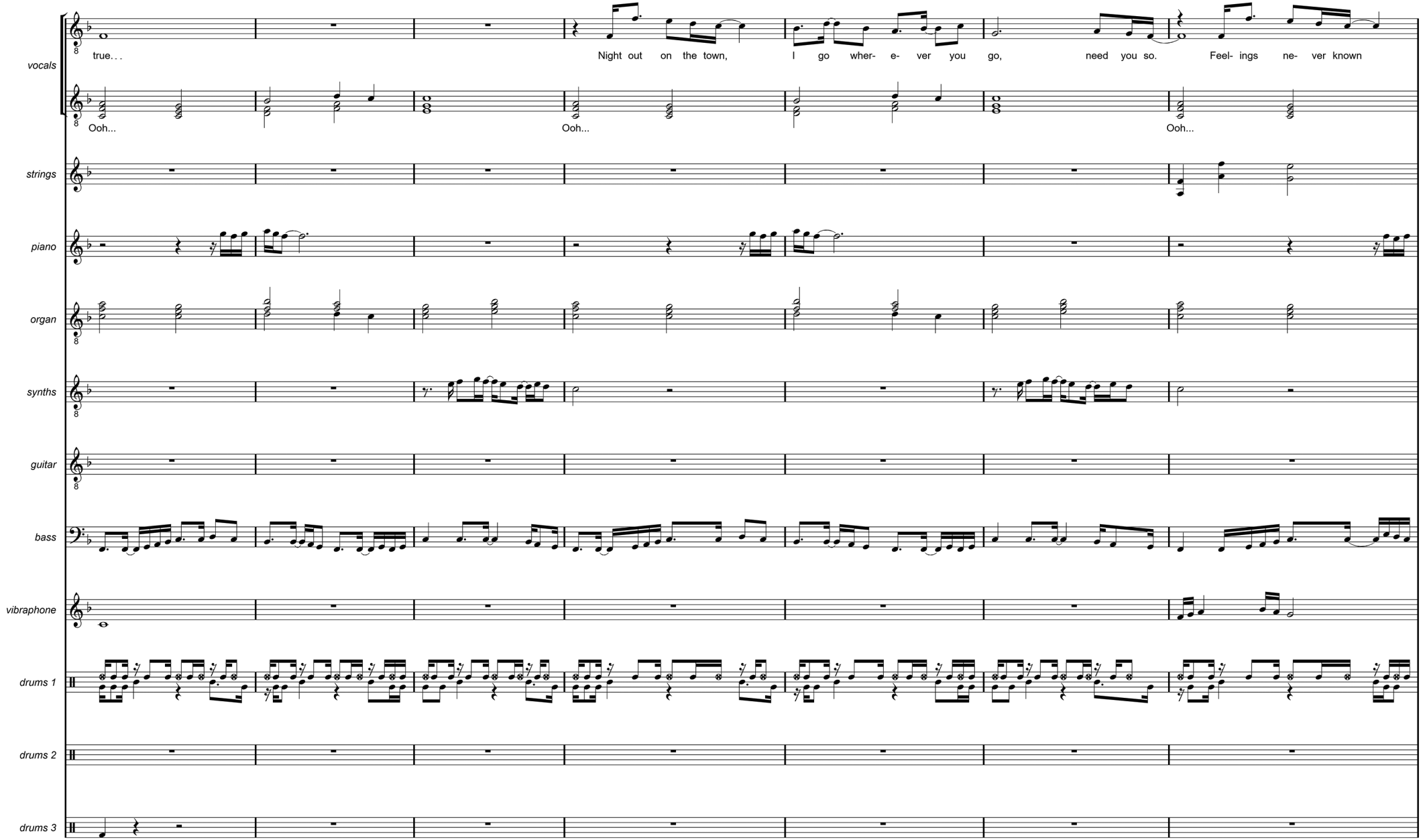
vocals
true...
Night out on the town,
I go wher- e- ver you go,
need you so.
Feel- ings ne- ver known
Ooh...
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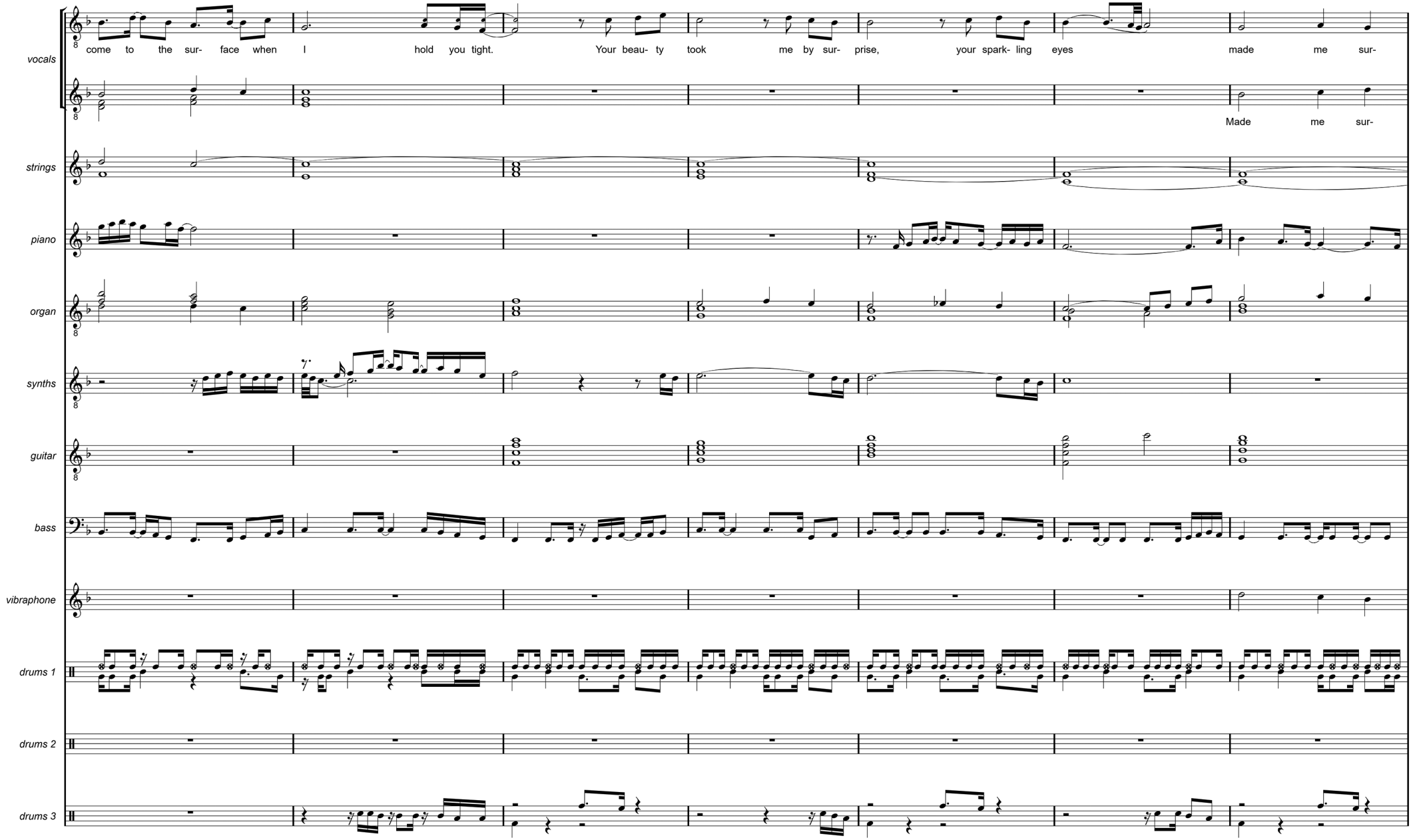
vocals
come to the sur- face when I hold you tight. Your beau- ty took me by sur- prise, your spark- ling eyes made me sur-
Made me sur-
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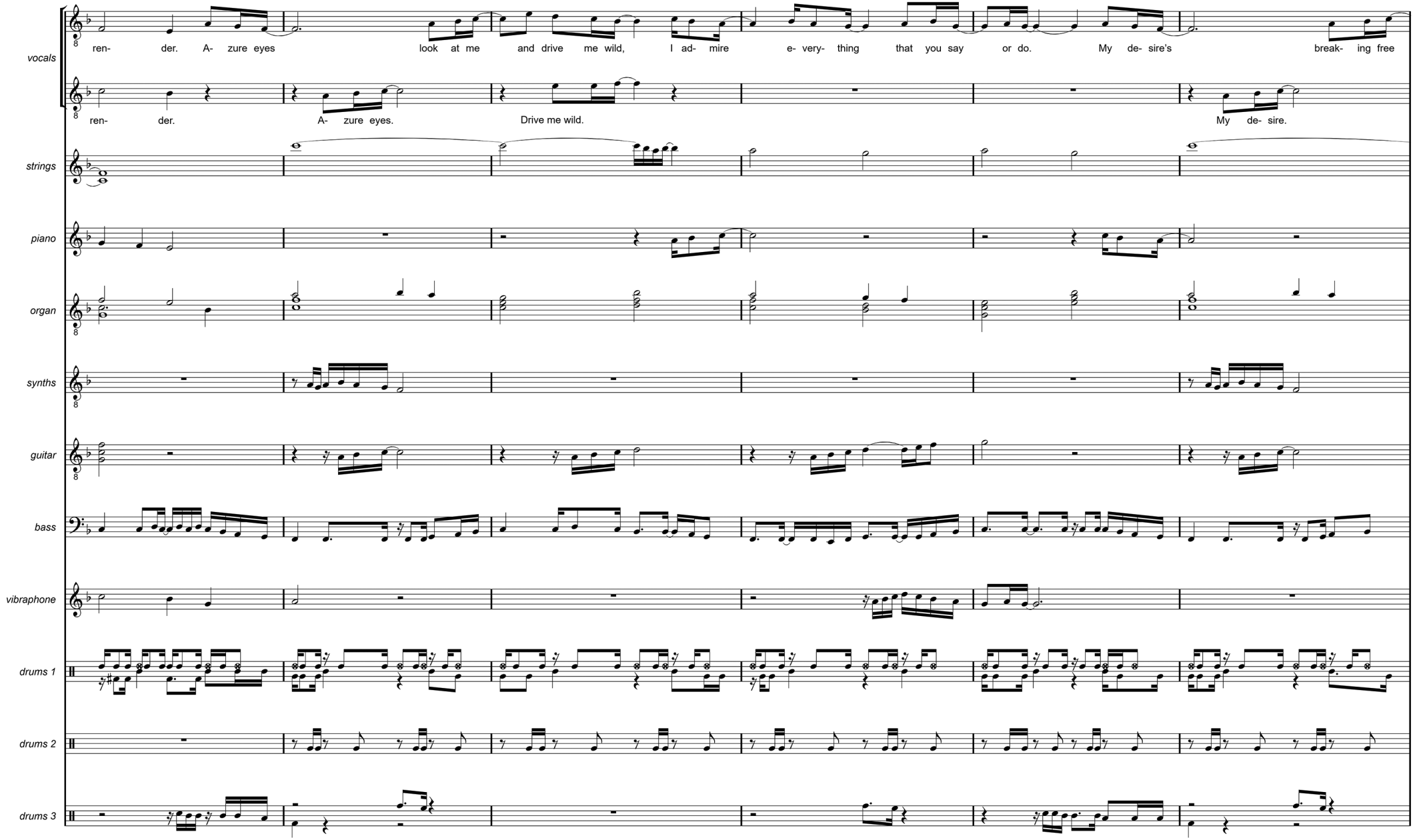
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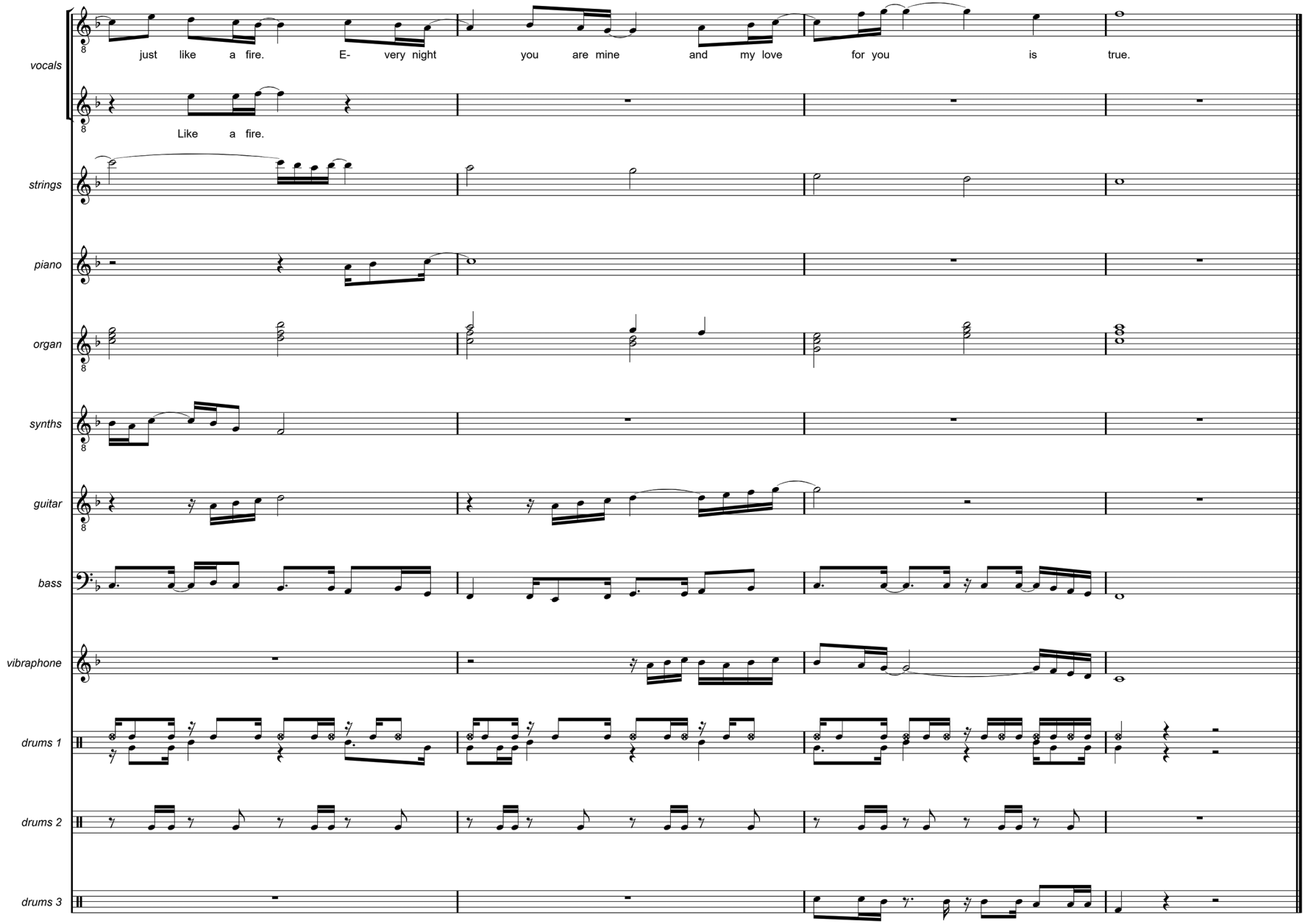
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Like a fire.
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QUEST

An ancient tale, a mystery
A quest to find the truth - lost in time

Now I am searching - a journey begins
Searching within for the truth
And I am drifting - conclusion forgone
Still I go on, I believe we will be free

Now I am searching - how could I foresee
You couldn't flee from your fate
And I am drifting - now I'm left behind
Losing my mind to the past

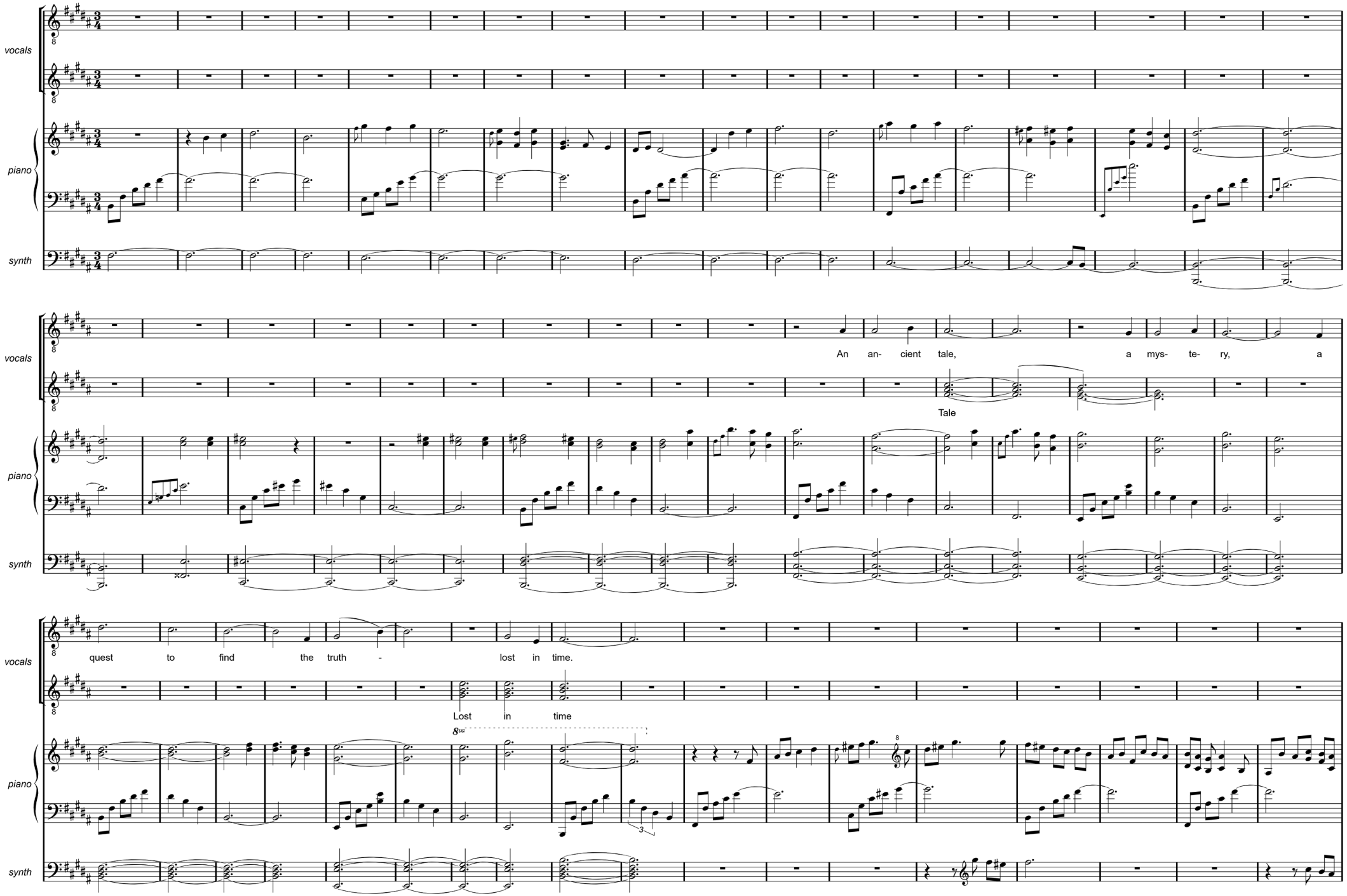
While you're gone, is there a reason to go on
Nowhere to run, no place to go, still I love you so

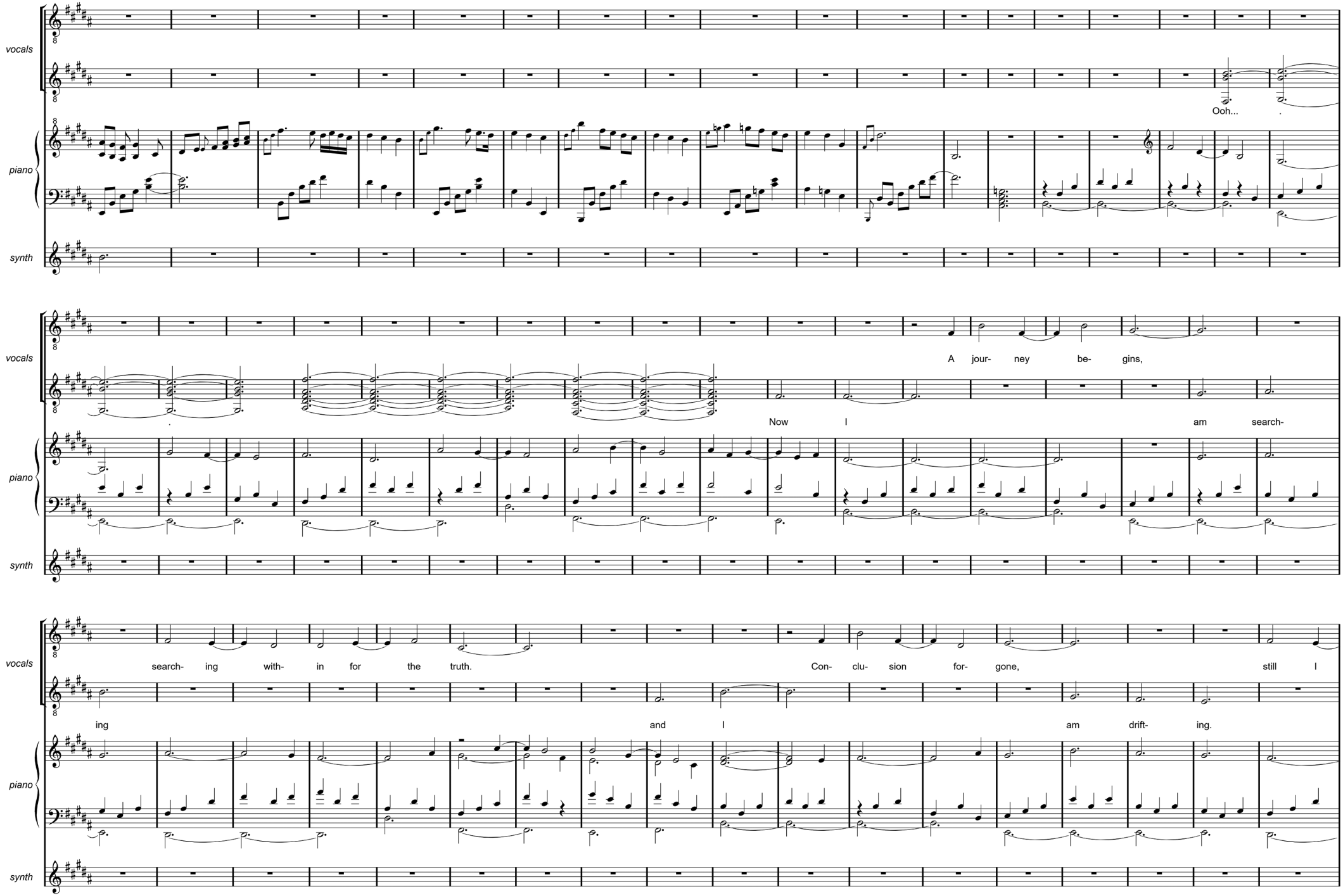
Now I am searching - I gave you my soul
Total control over me
And I am drifting - forever your friend
I won't pretend, I believe we will be free

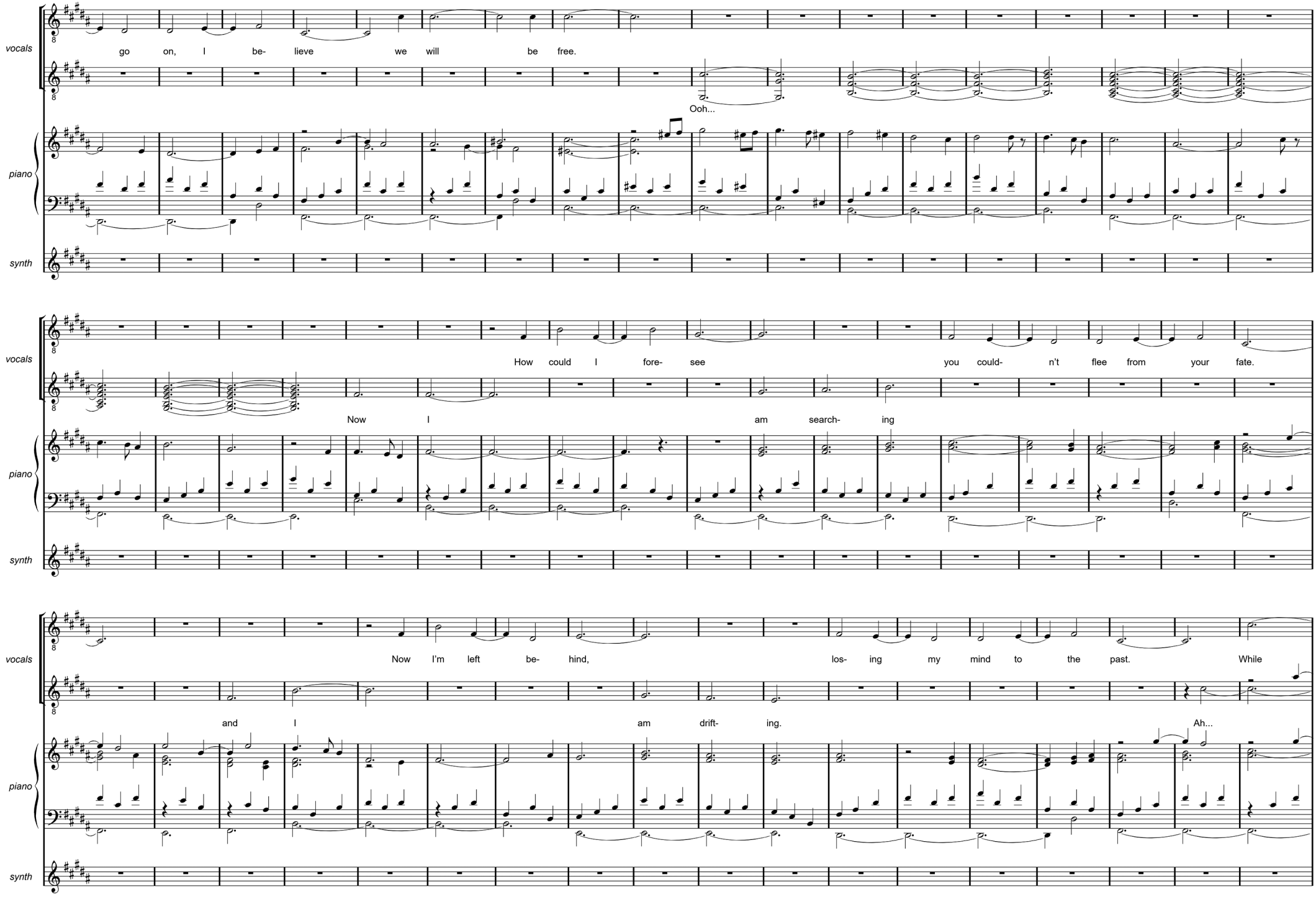
Now I am searching - someday you'll return
All my concerns disappear
And I am drifting - we gather at last
Fighting the past once again

While you're gone, is there a reason to go on
Nowhere to run, no place to go, still I love you so

QUEST (EXTENDED PIANO)




vocals
piano
synth
Ooh...
A jour- ney be- gins,
Now I am search-
search- ing with- in for the truth.
Con- clu- sion for- gone, still I
ing and I am drift- ing.


vocals
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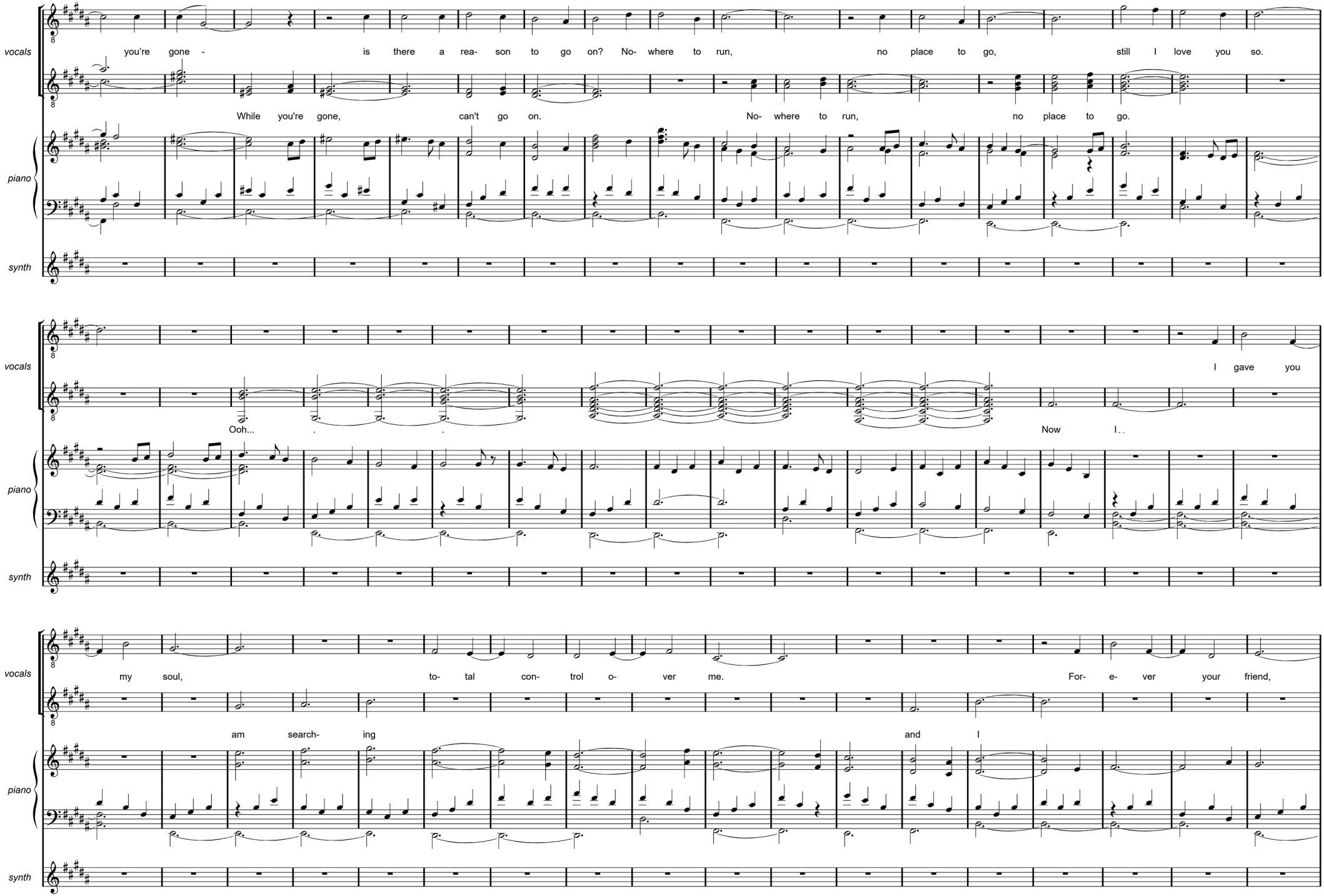
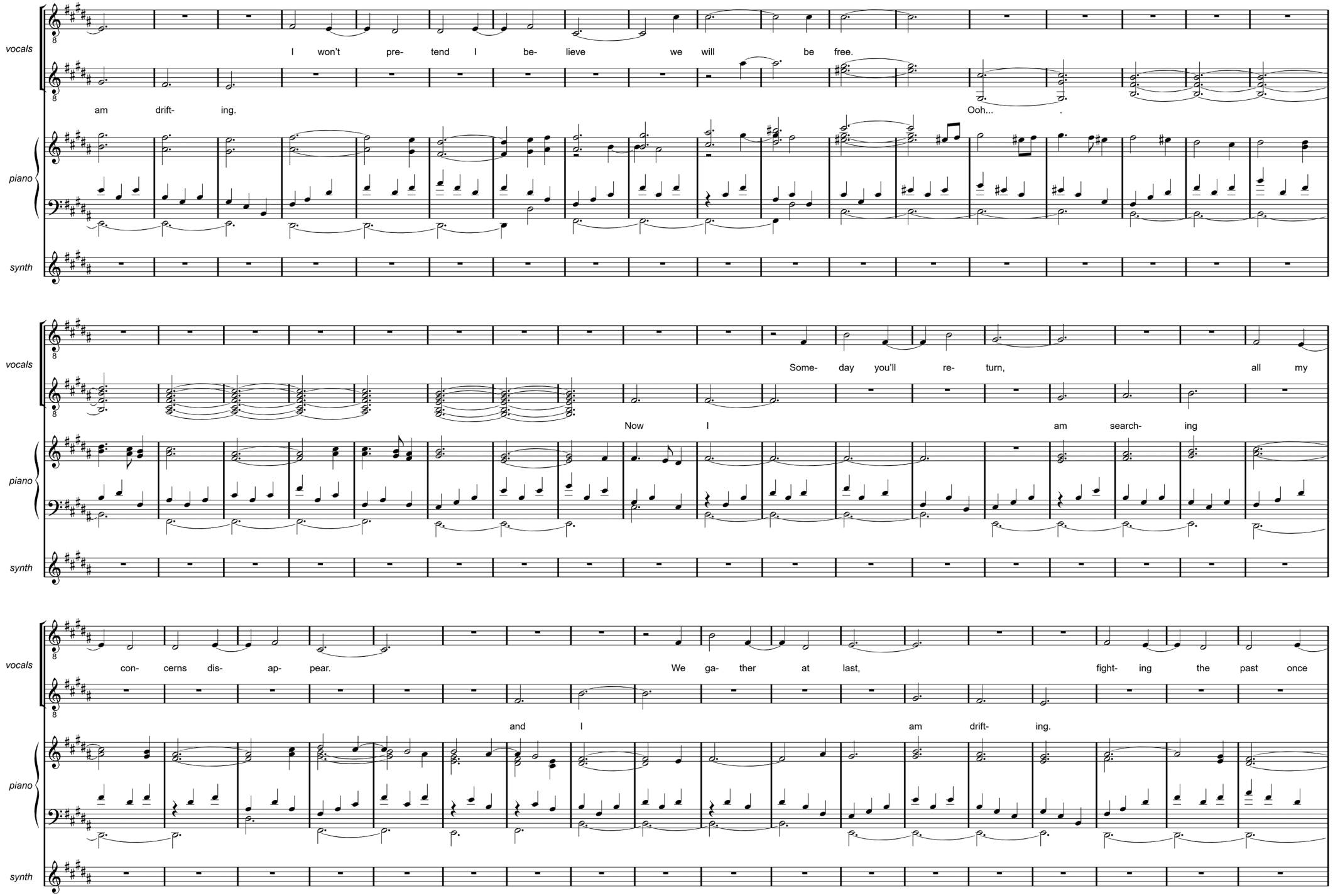
go on, I be- lieve we will be free.
Ooh...
How could I fore- see you could- n't flee from your fate.
Now I am search- ing
Now I'm left be- hind, los- ing my mind to the past. While
and I am drift- ing.
Ah...


vocals
you're gone - is there a rea- son to go on? No- where to run, no place to go, still I love you so.
While you're gone, can't go on. No- where to run, no place to go.
piano
synth
I gave you
Ooh... Now I
my soul, to- tal con- trol o- ver me. For- e- ver your friend,
am search- ing and I


vocals
I won't pre- tend I be- lieve we will be free.
am drift- ing.
Ooh... .
piano
synth
vocals
Some- day you'll re- turn, all my
Now I am search- ing
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con- cerns dis- ap- pear.
We ga- ther at last, fight- ing the past once
and I am drift- ing.
piano
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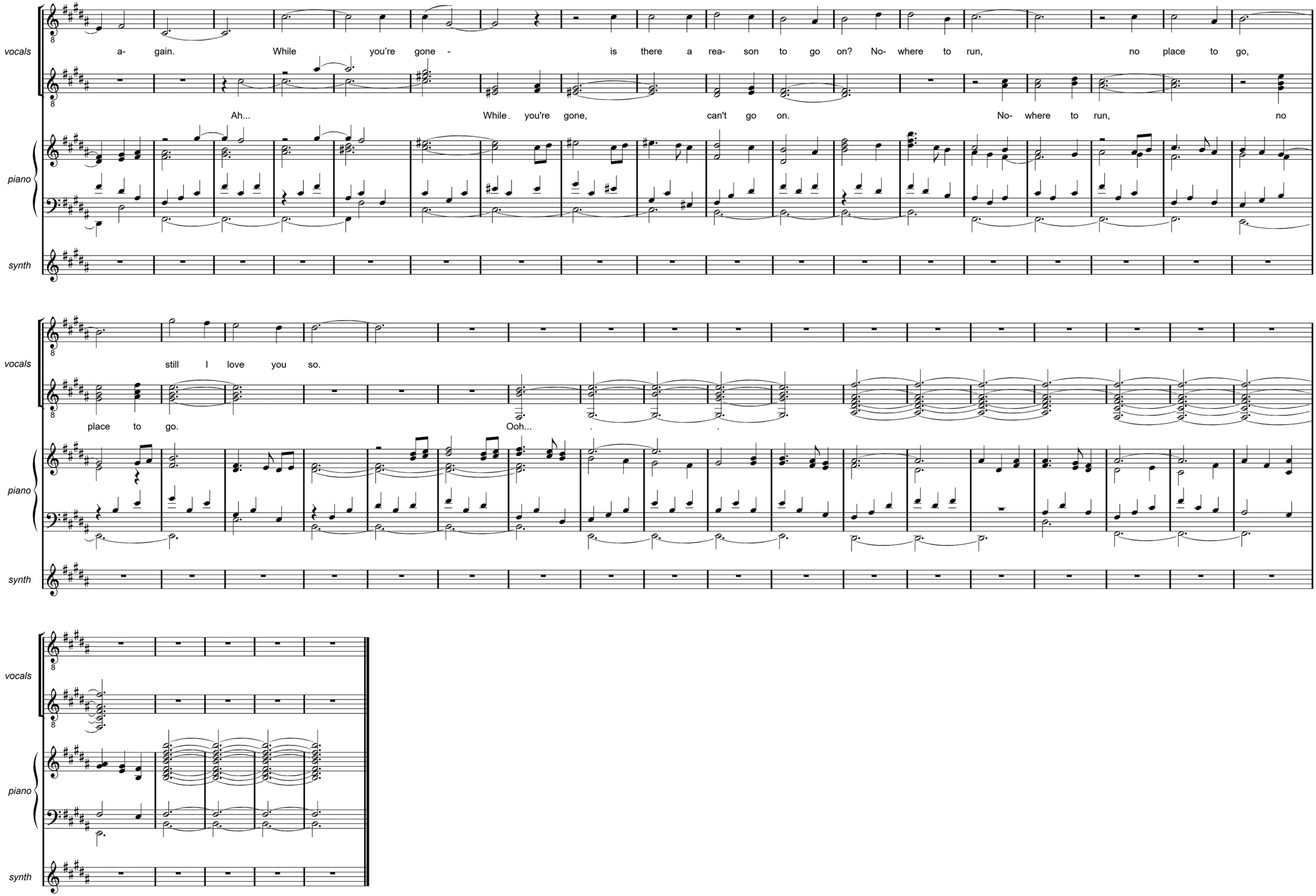

vocals
piano
synth
a- gain. While you're gone - is there a rea- son to go on? No- where to run, no place to go,
Ah... While you're gone, can't go on. No- where to run, no
still I love you so.
place to go. Ooh...

THE VOID

So tell me, what were your intentions
Some time ago when you spent the night with me
And tell me, did it make you feel good
I need to know if it felt alright with me

I shied away again and again
When I couldn't cope with pain
I thought we'd be forever friends
Have my efforts been in vain

Desperately trying not to fall into the void
It seems our love has been destroyed
And, yes, I am definitely crying
Now the nightmare has come true
But, baby, I want to be with you

So listen, I don't want to force you
But tell me if we can be together some day
I guess it's all a bit confusing
But if you do try and help me find a way

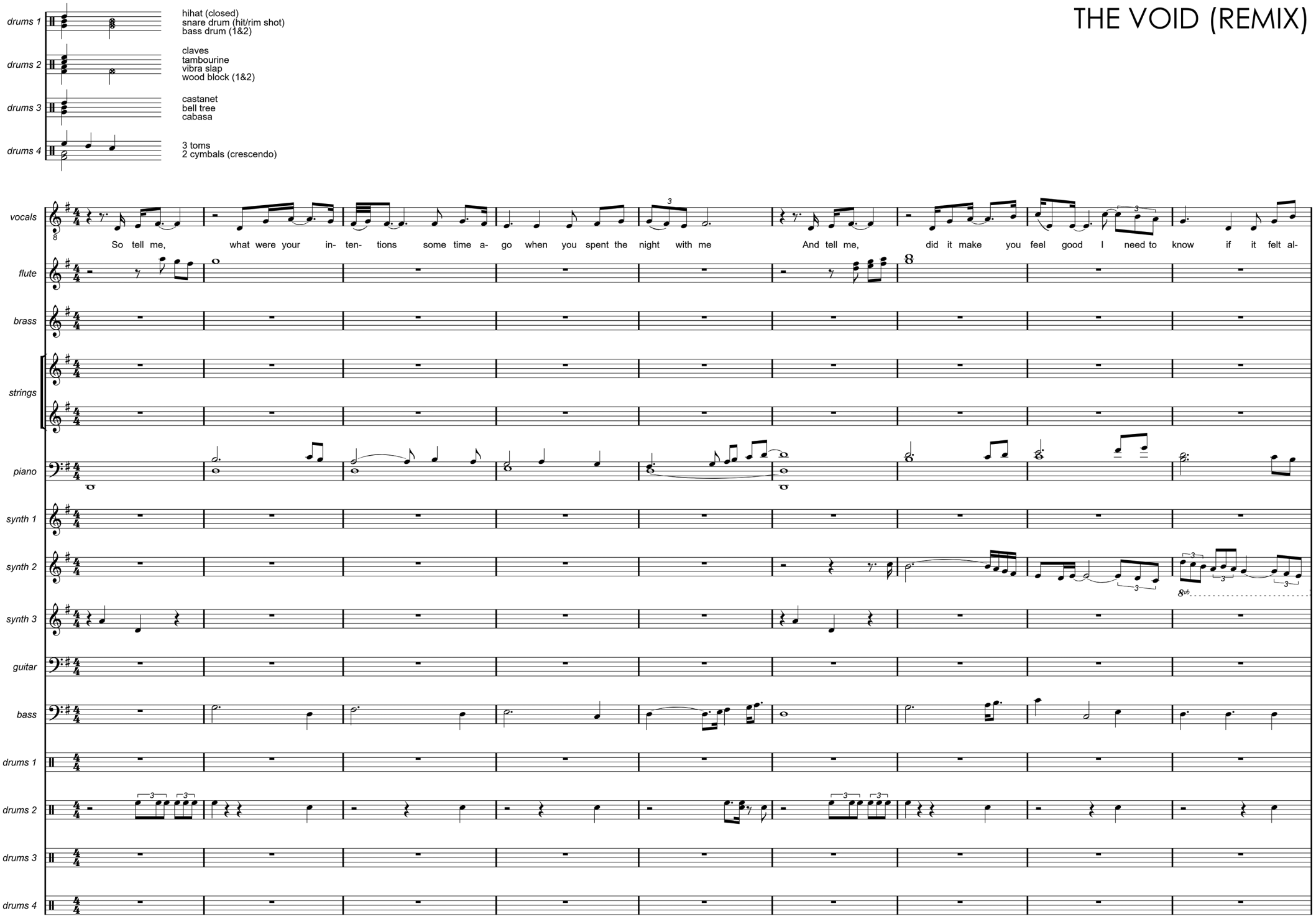
But even though I really care
I'm not sure if it's enough
Yet I know there is something there
Is it everlasting love

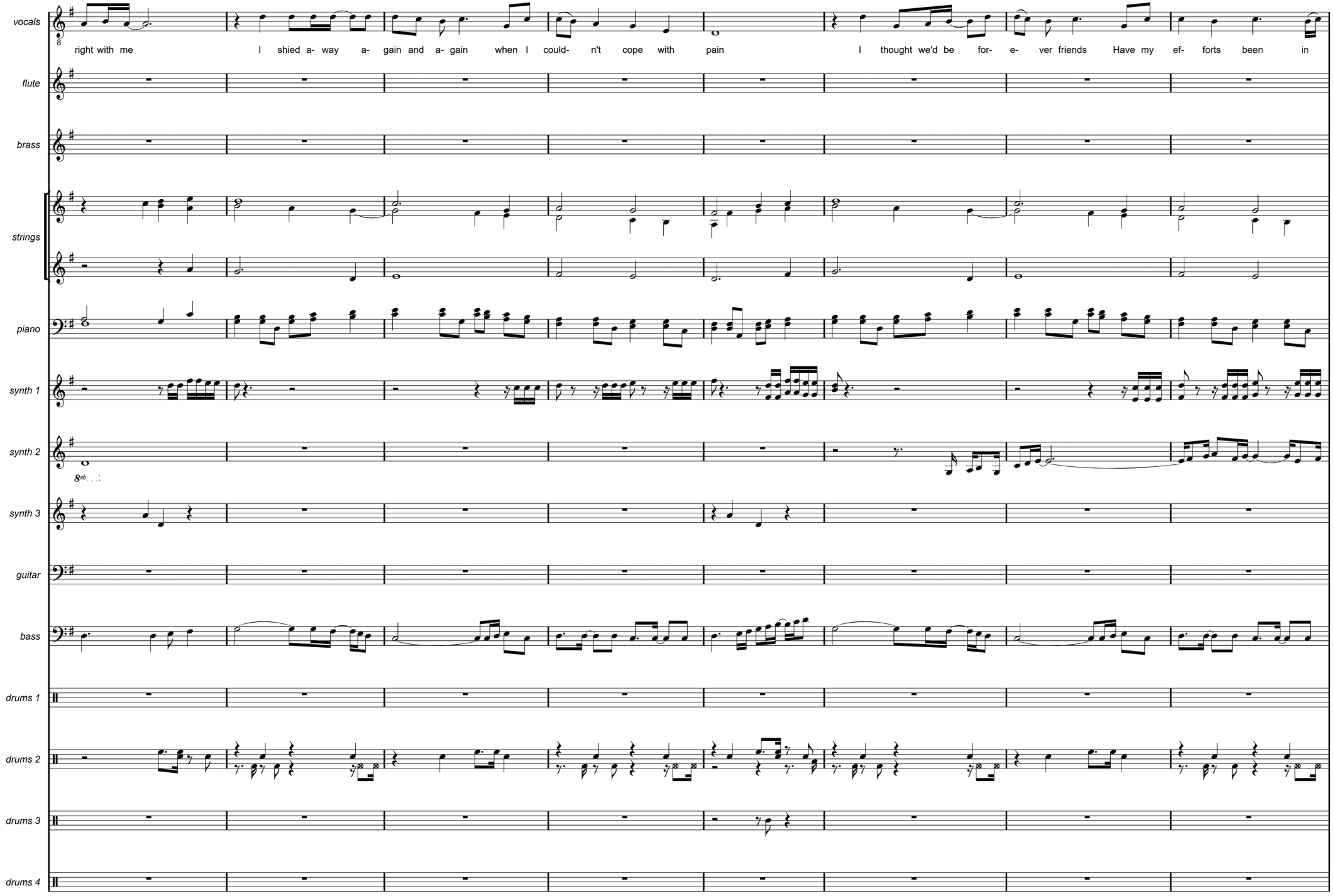
Because there's something burning
Deep inside my heart, I can't deny
The insecurity is tearing me apart
Each night I cry

Desperately trying not to fall into the void
It seems our love has been destroyed
And, yes, I am definitely crying
Now the nightmare has come true
But, baby, I want to be with you

It's so hard to live without you
I can't bear a life without you
See me fall into the void - I've been destroyed
So hard to live without you, my love

THE VOID (REMIX)

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right with me I shied a- way a- gain and a- gain when I could- n't cope with pain I thought we'd be for- e- ver friends Have my ef- forts been in
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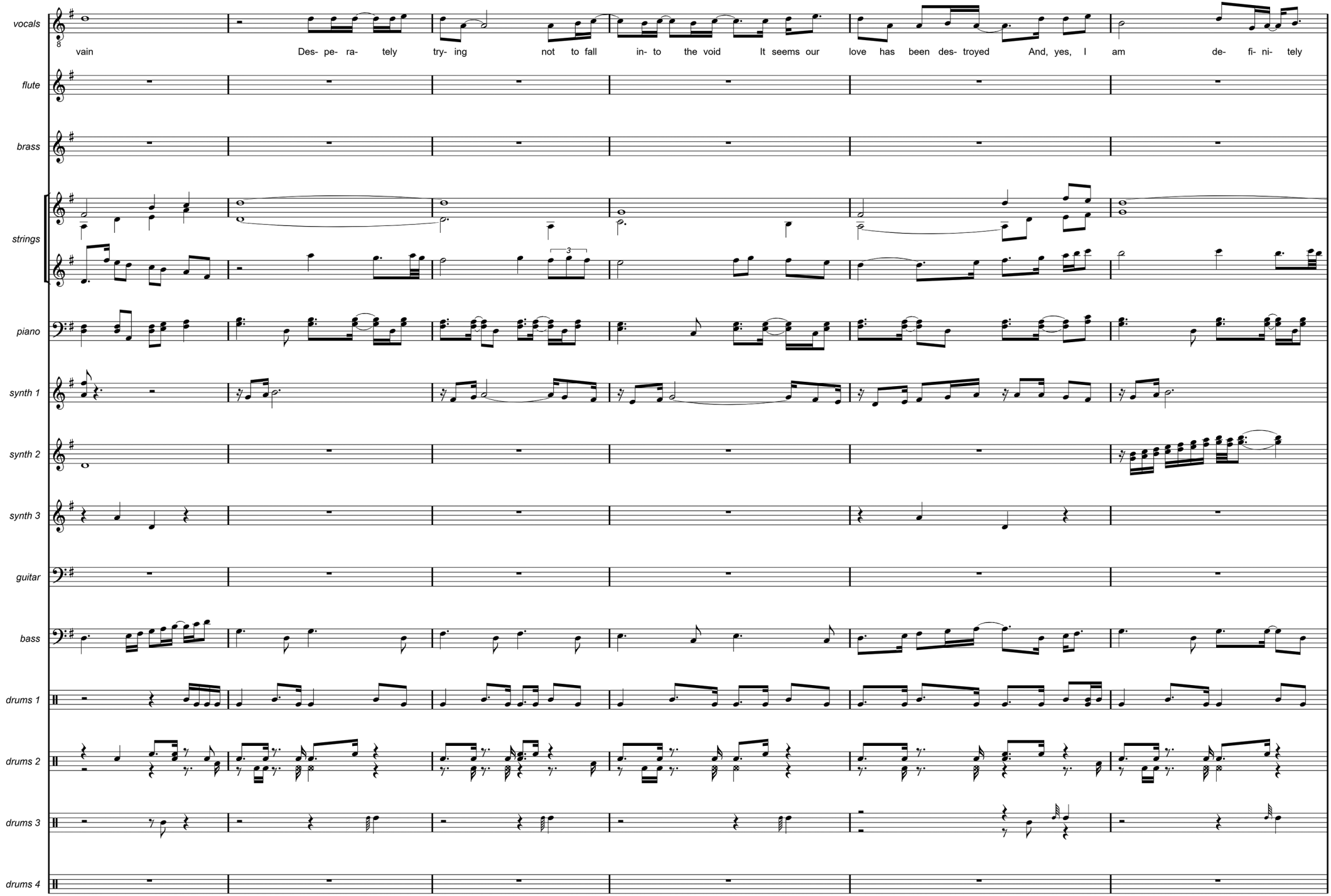
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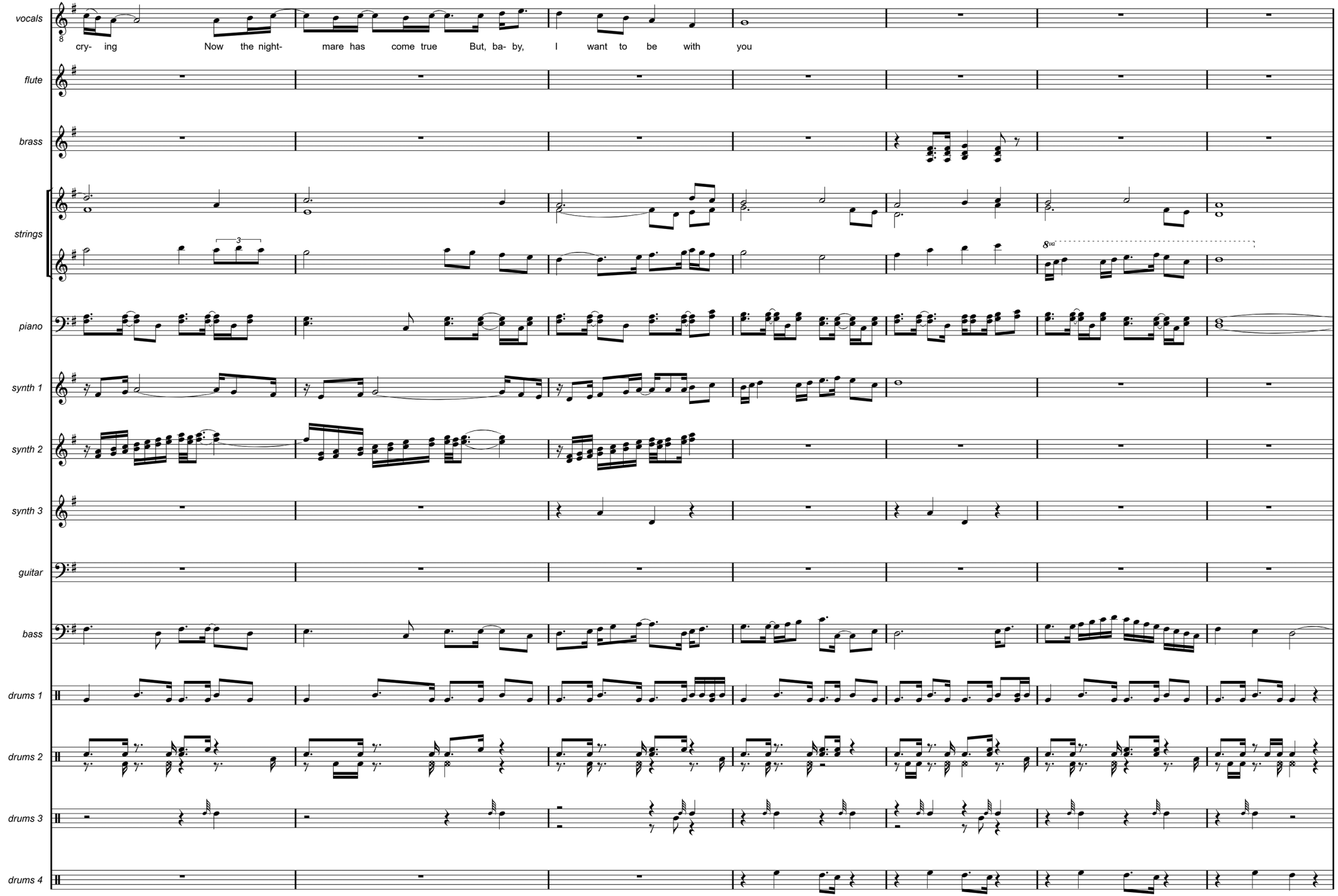
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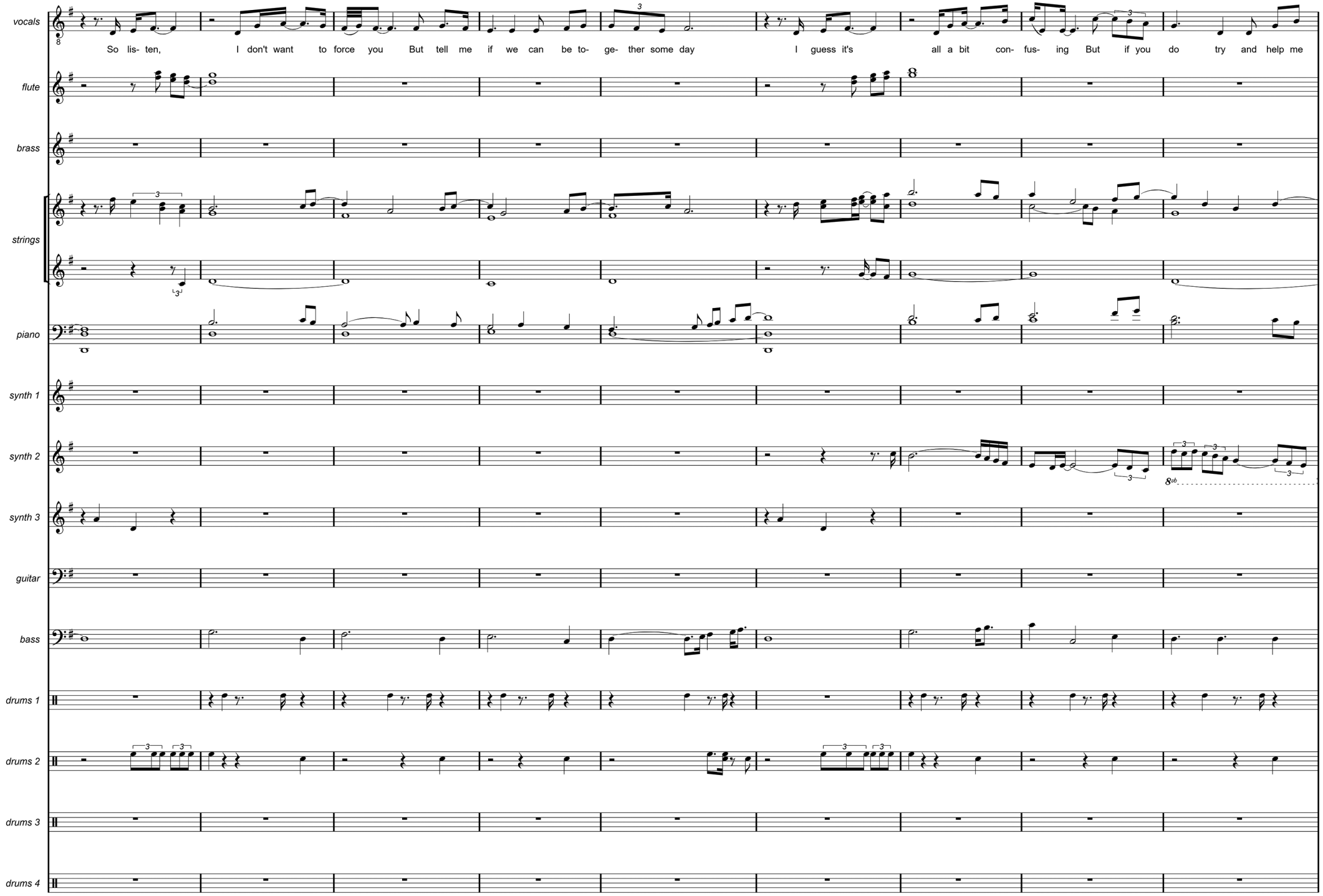
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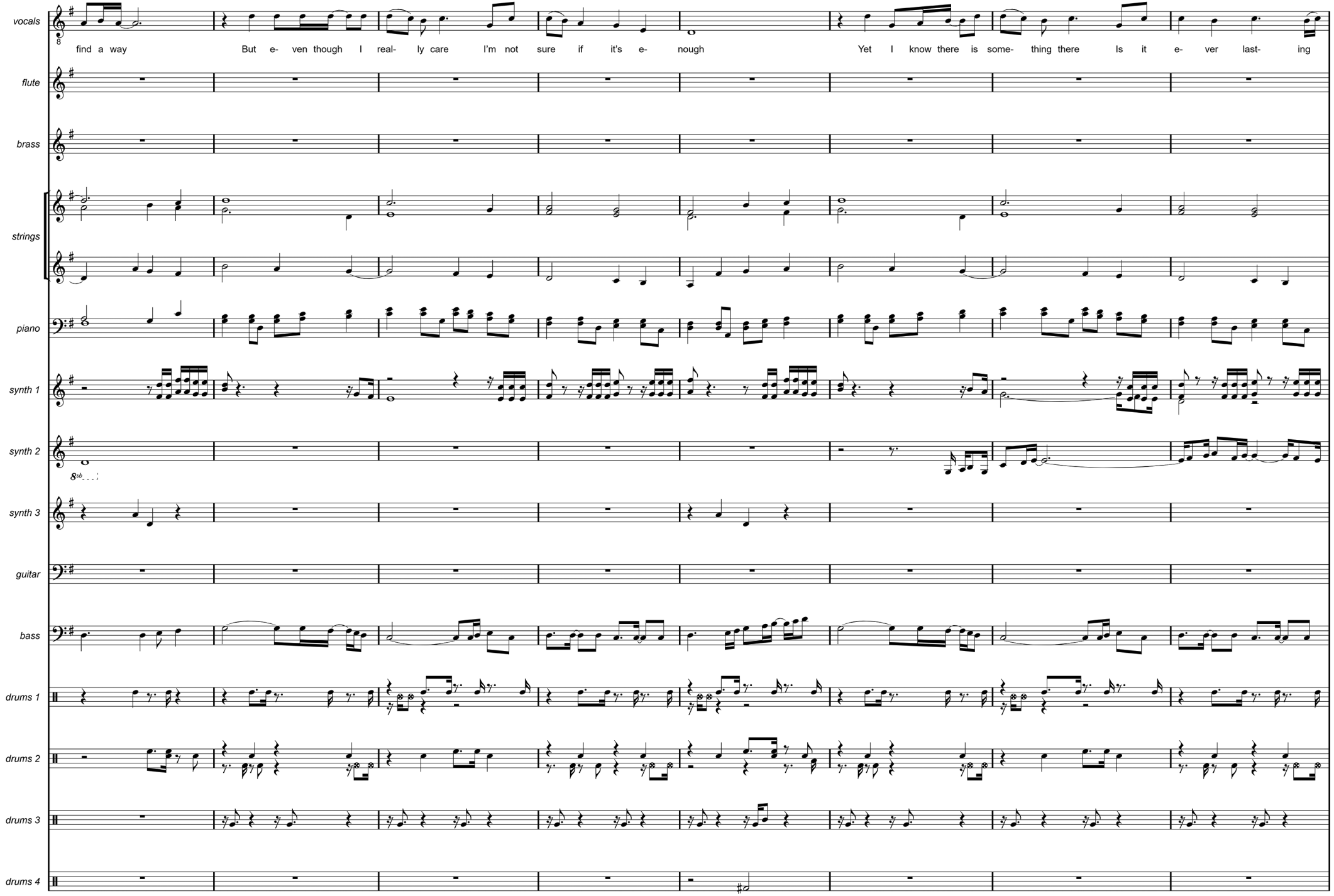
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Yet I know there is some- thing there Is it e- ver last- ing
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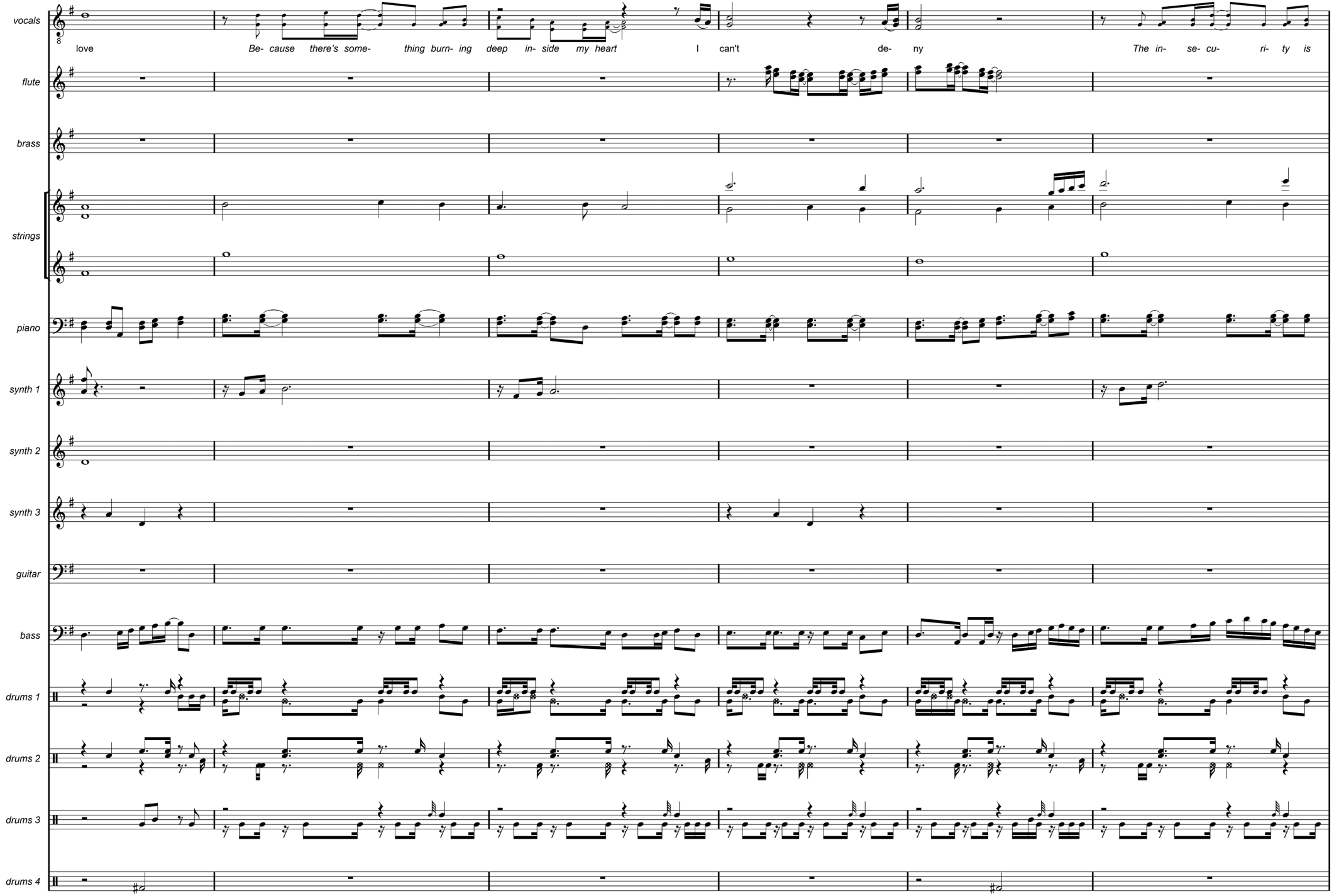
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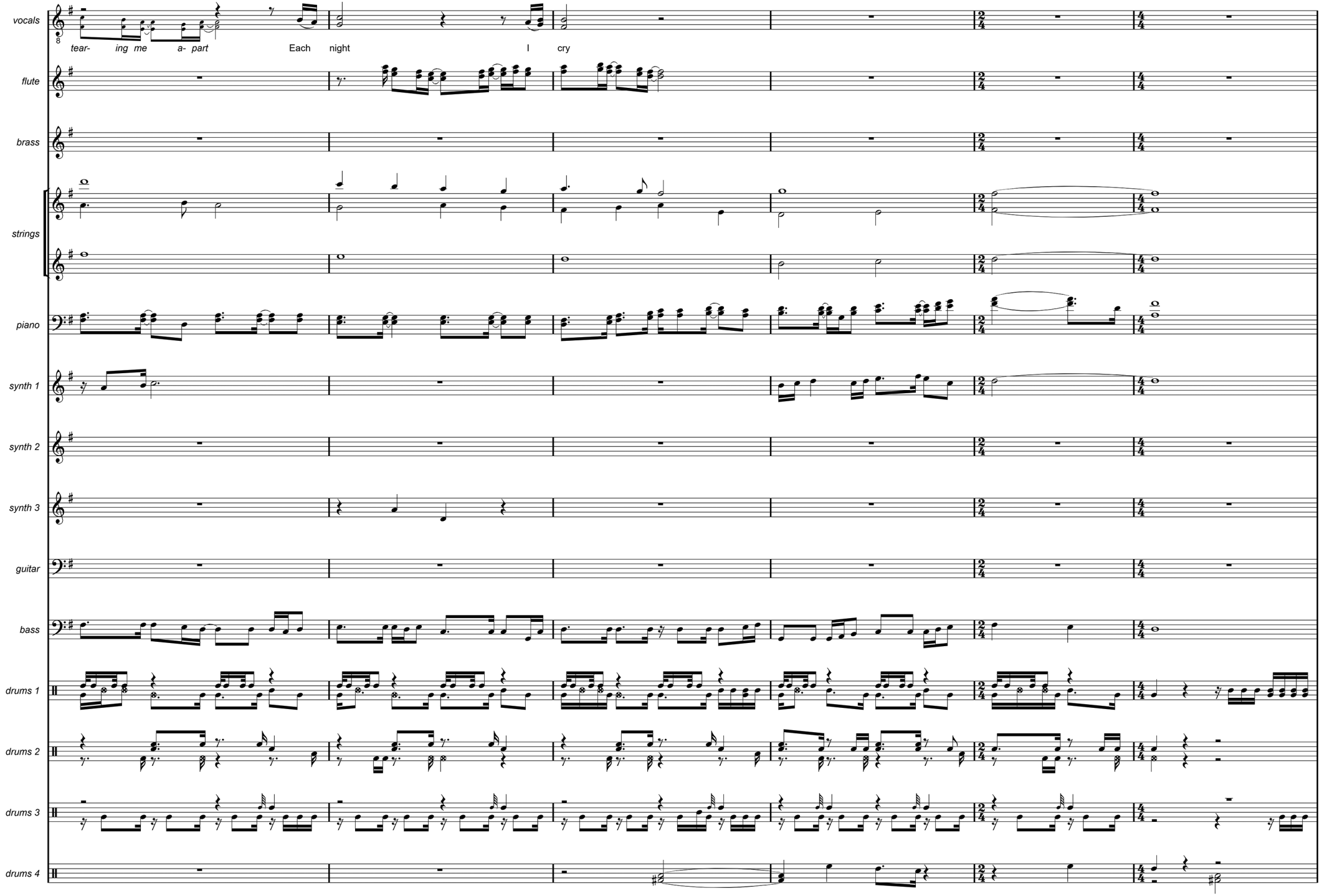
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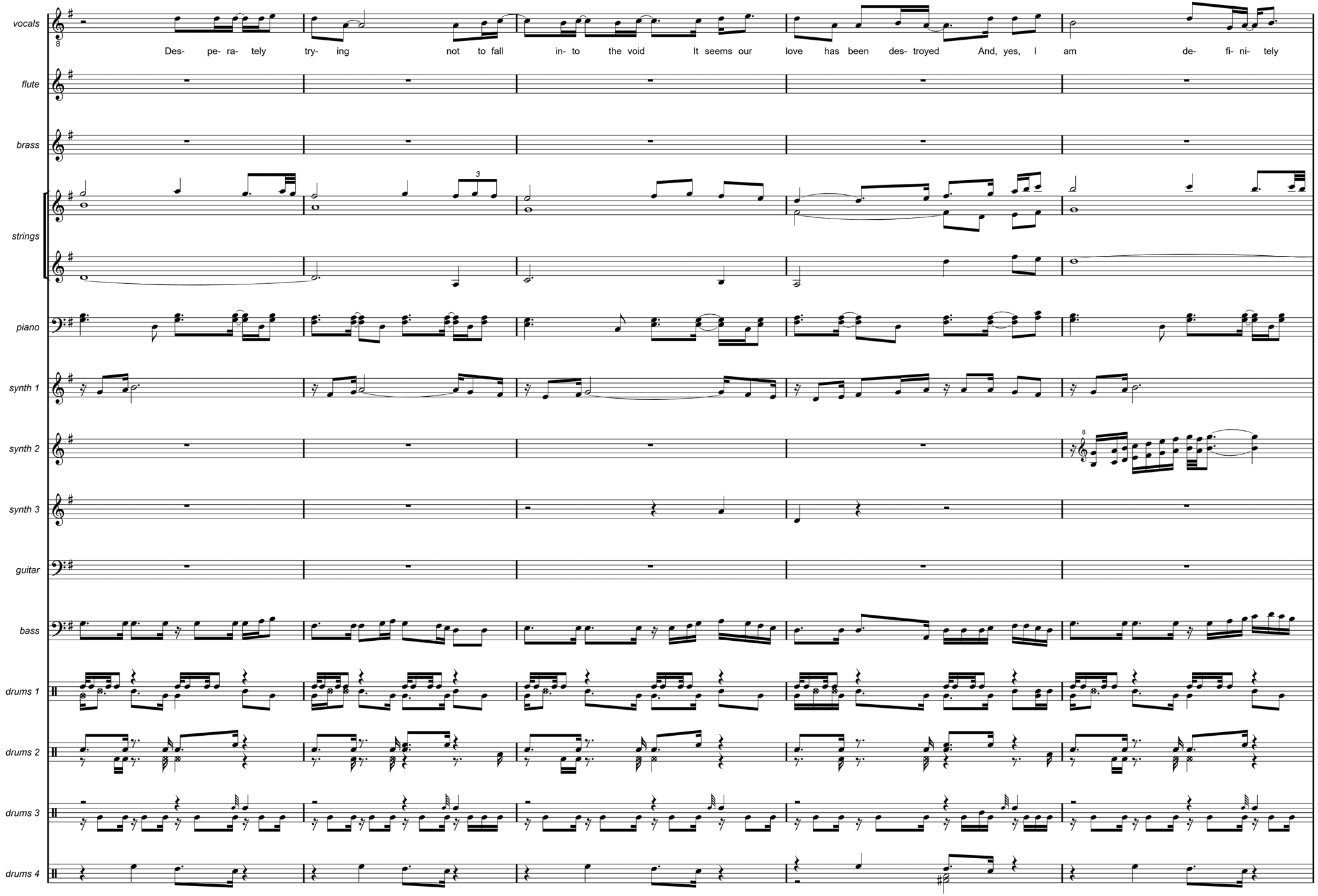
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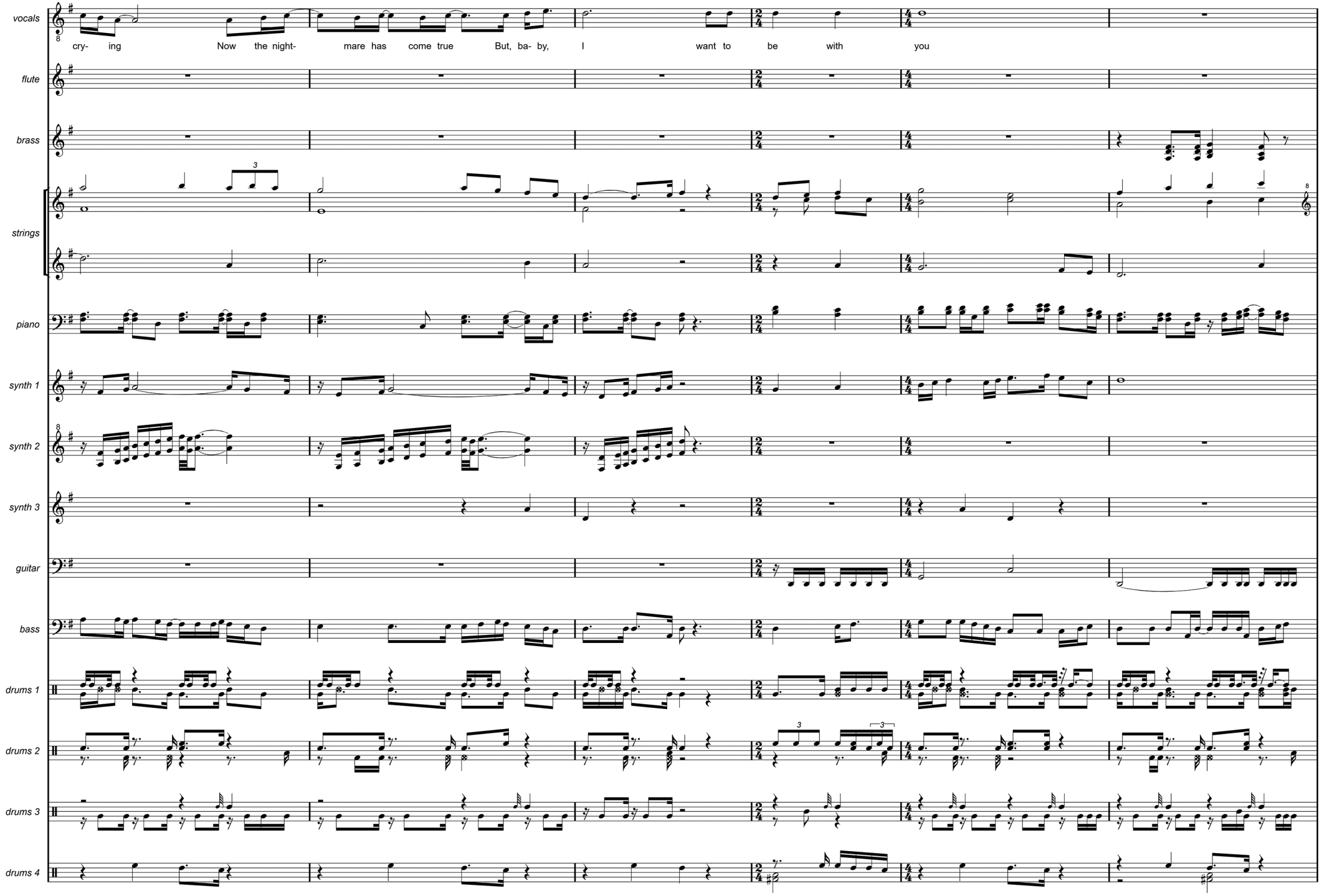
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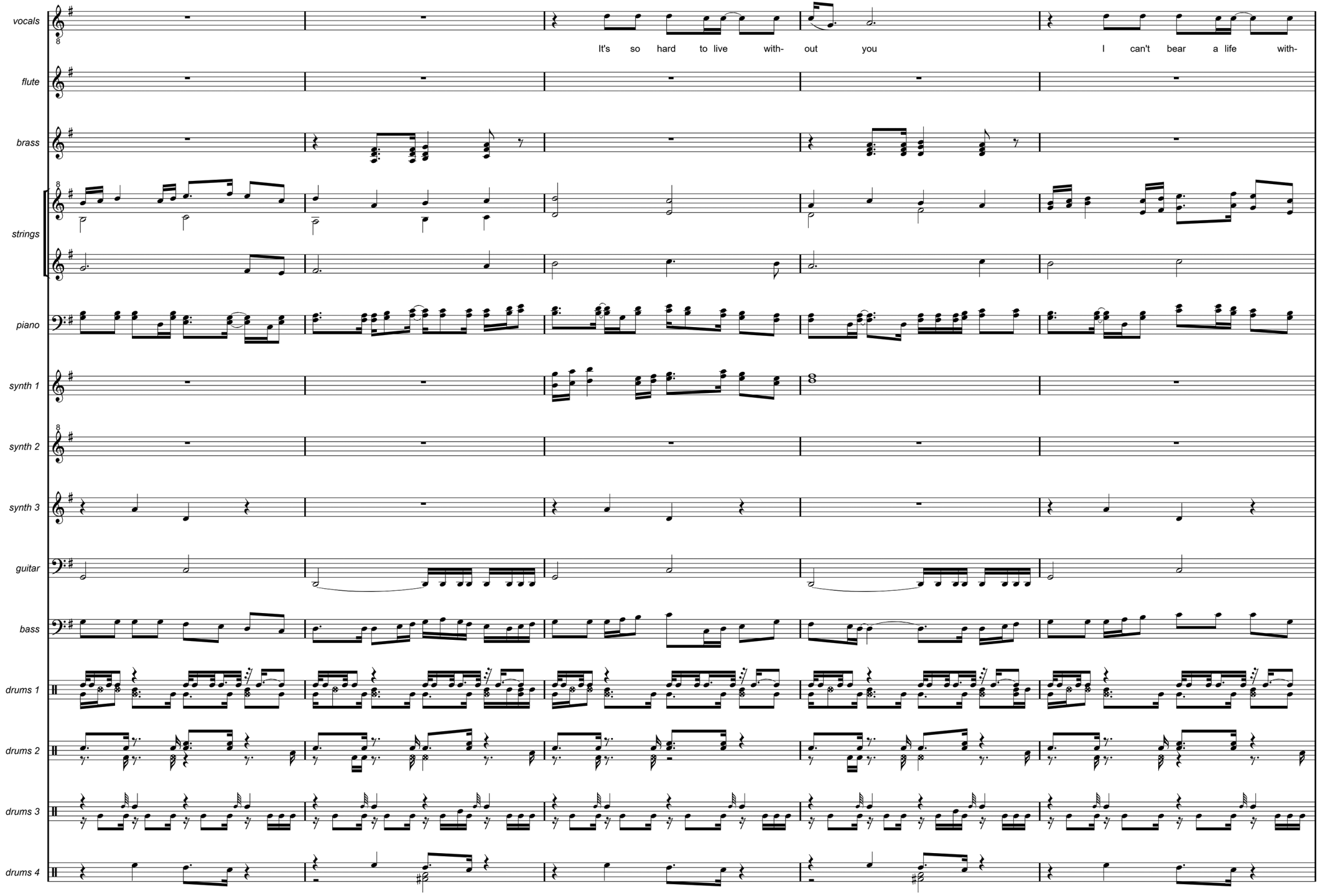
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I can't bear a life with-
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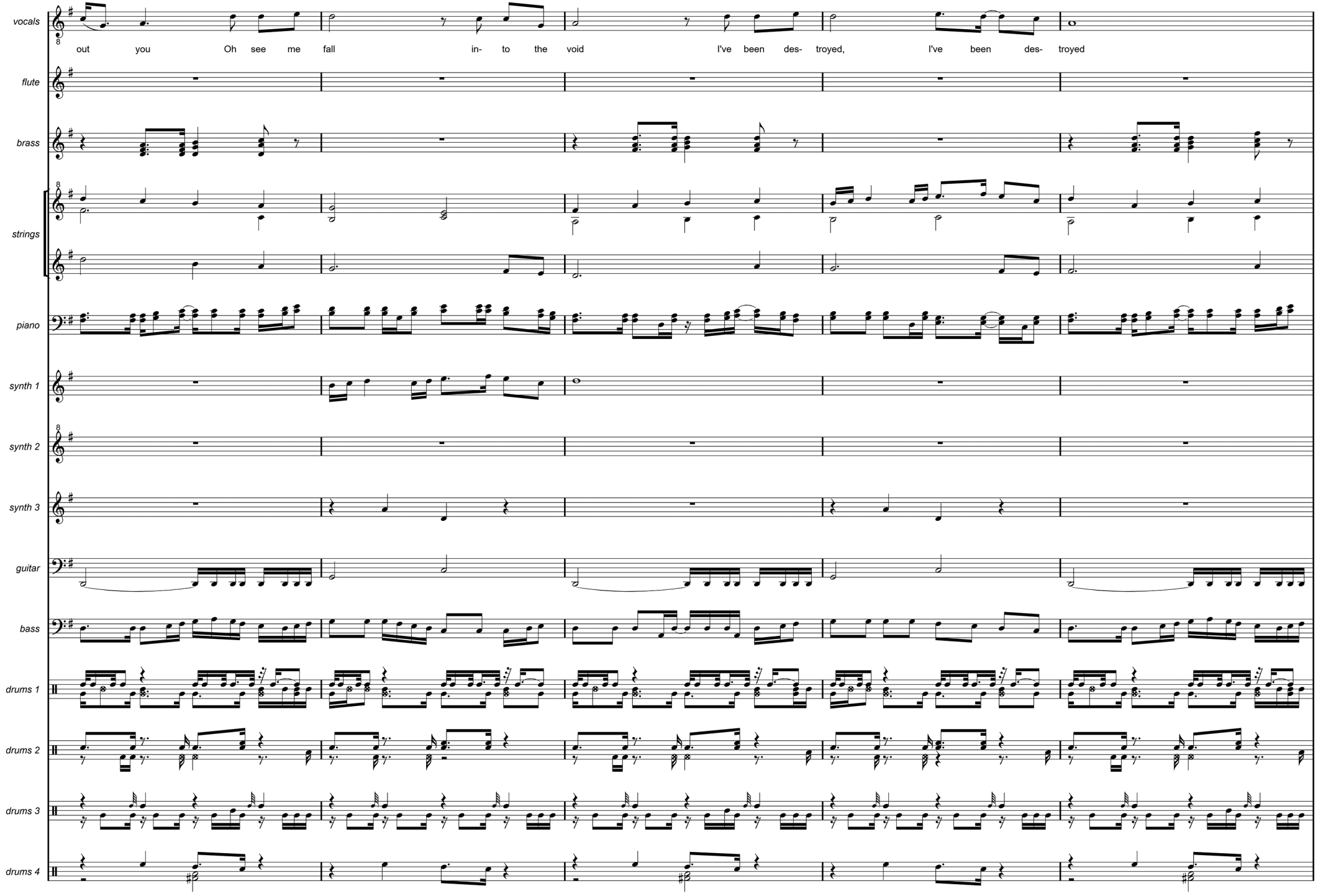
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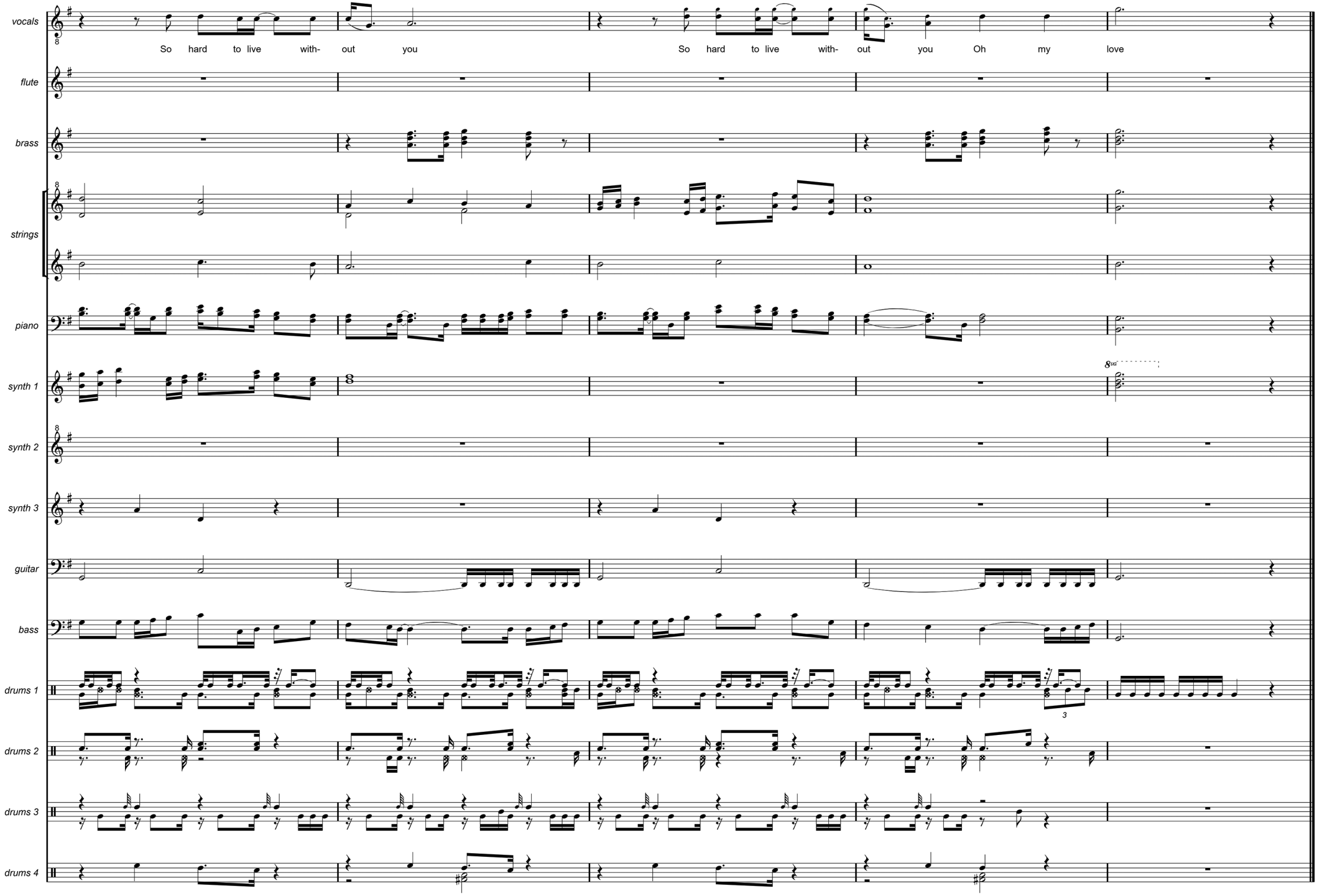
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I STILL CARE

I know my love for you is true, so true
So where do we go from here
After meeting you again
Everything we shared came back to me
I realized I really miss you so much
But I don't know
If we can make it work this time
Although I learned from my mistakes
You, I need you, all I need is you here with me

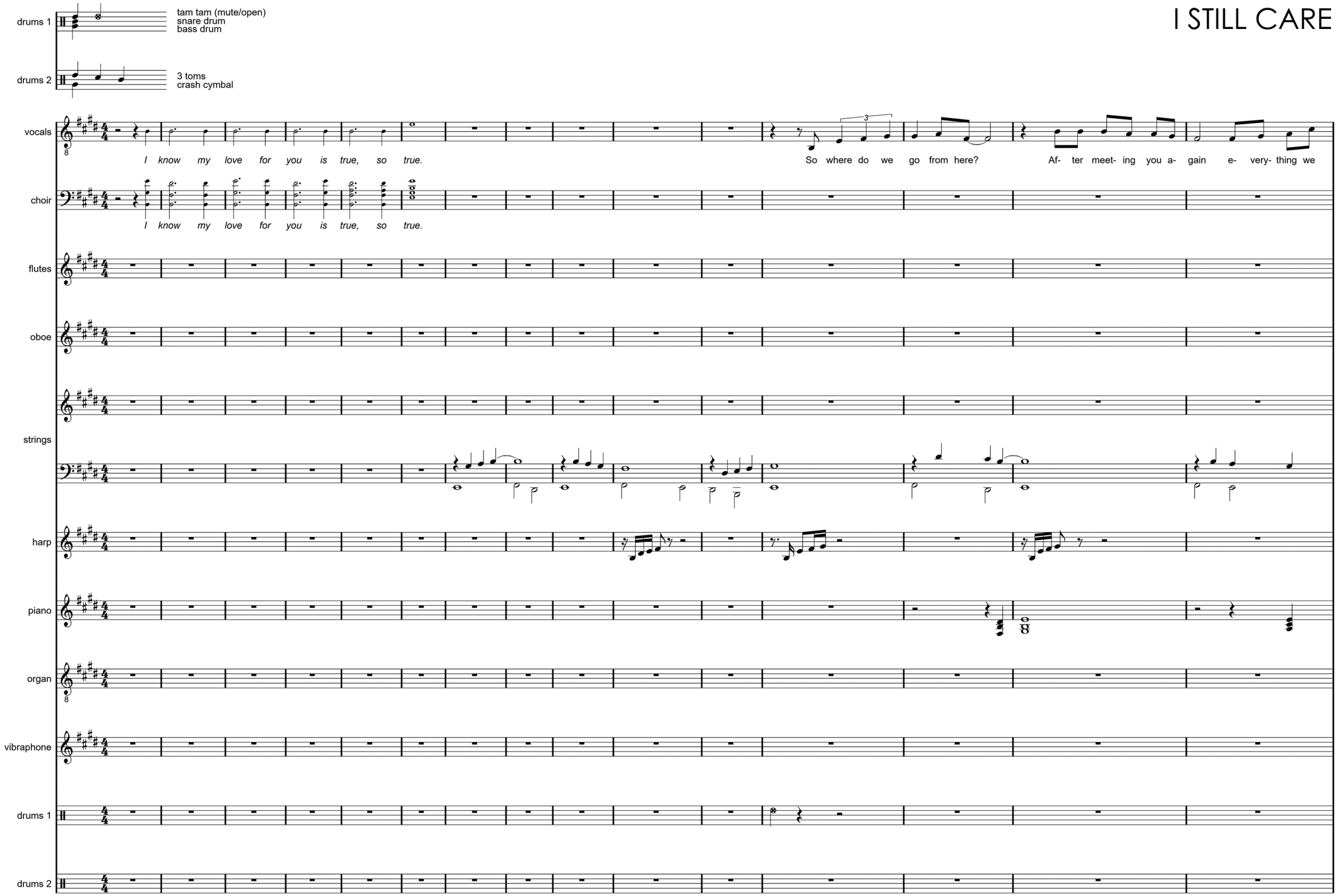
I still care for you, baby
I don't know why but I do
I want you back in my life again
I'm still in love with you
I know my love for you is true

Mark my words, simple but true, I love you

So do you still care for me
Does it matter what I feel
Maybe you don't want me anymore
I need you so
I think we should give it a chance
I know that I can make it work for us this time
Because I learned from our mistakes
You, I need you, all I need is you here with me

I still care for you, baby
I don't know why but I do
I want you back in my life again
I'm still in love with you
Come back in my life again
I'm still in love with you
I know my love for you is true, so true

I STILL CARE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tam tam (mute/open)
snare drum
bass drum
drums 2
3 toms
crash cymbal
vocals
I know my love for you is true, so true.
So where do we go from here?
Af- ter meet- ing you a- gain e- very- thing we
choir
I know my love for you is true, so true.
flutes
oboe
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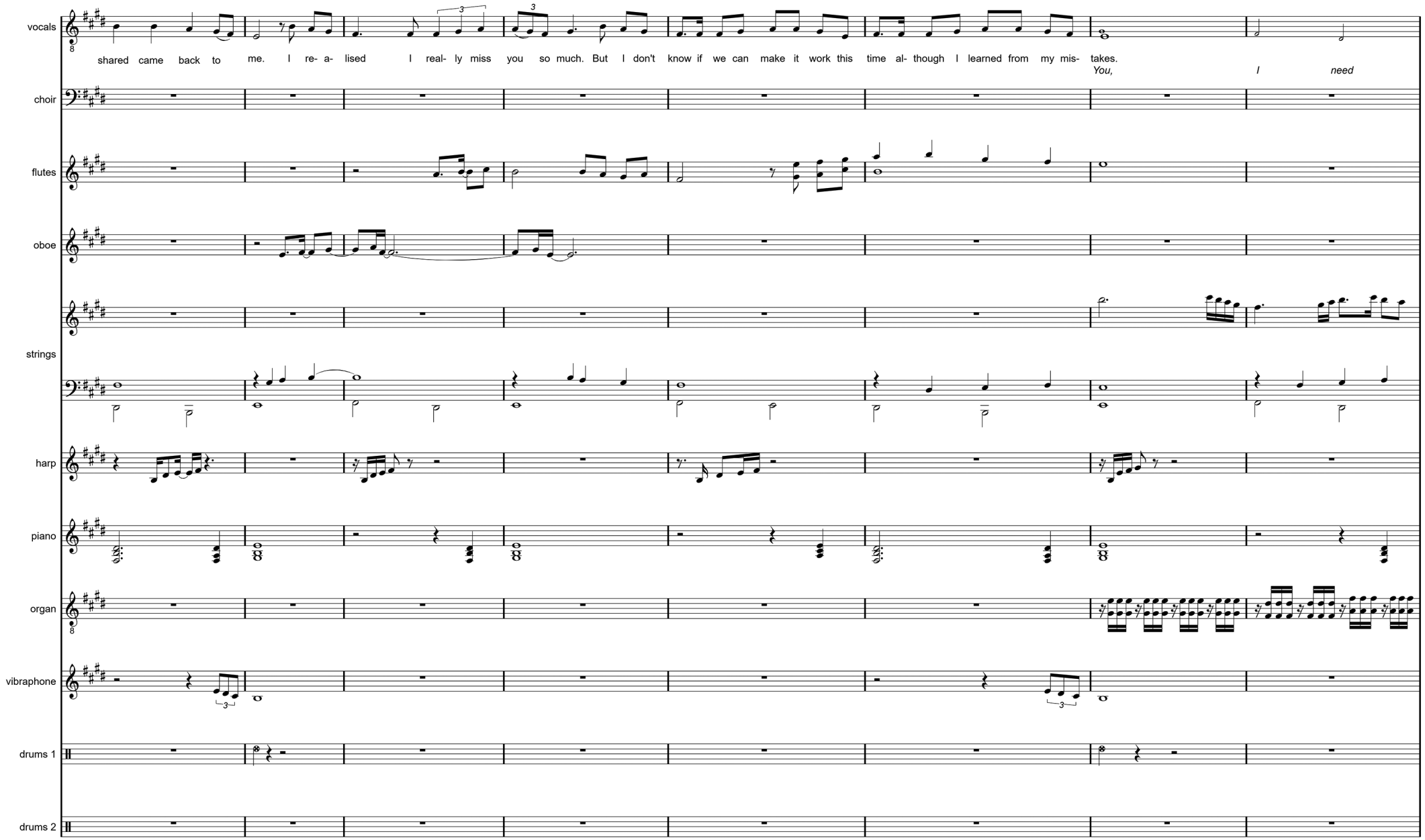
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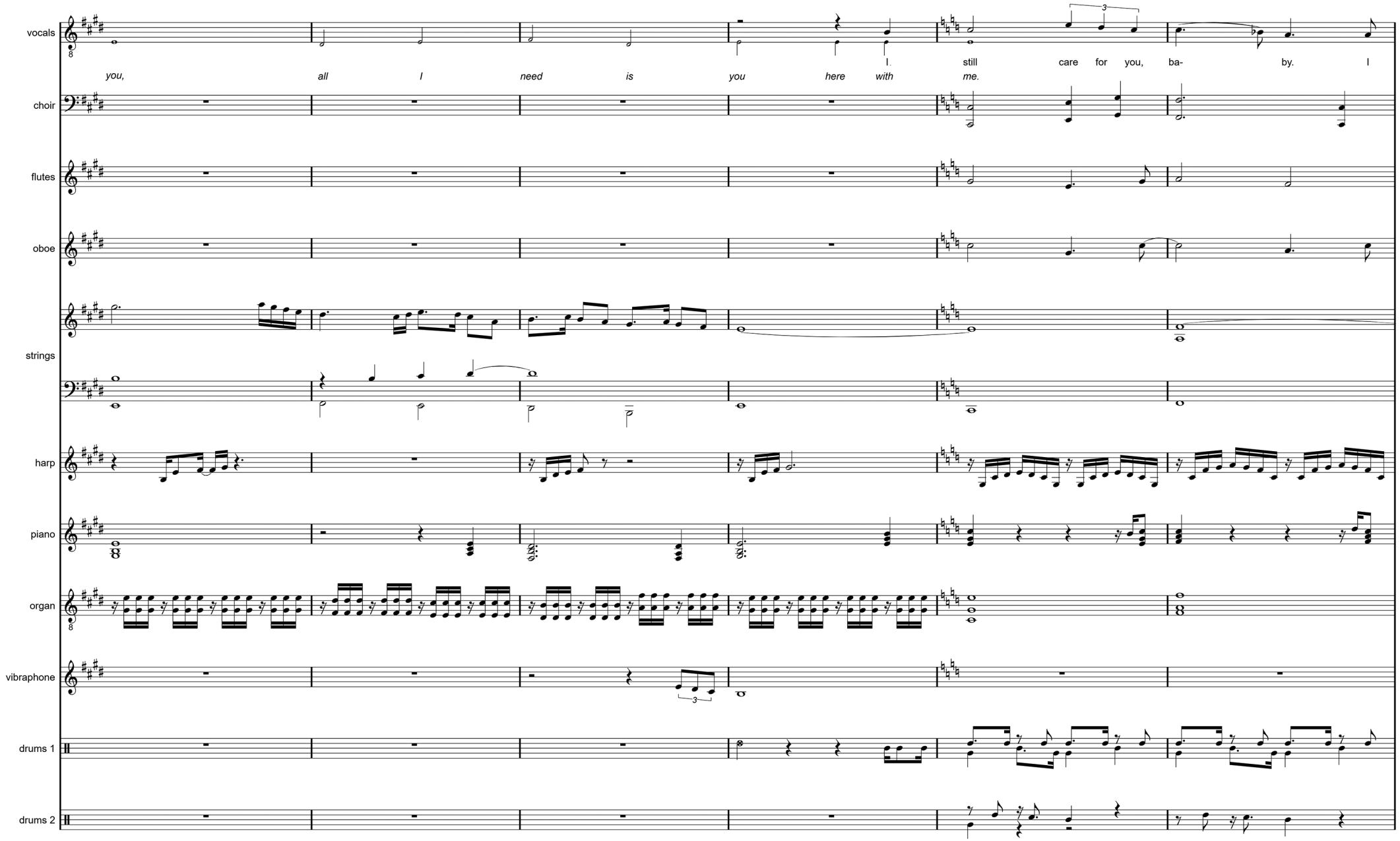
vocals
you, all I need is you here with I. still care for you, ba- by. I
me.
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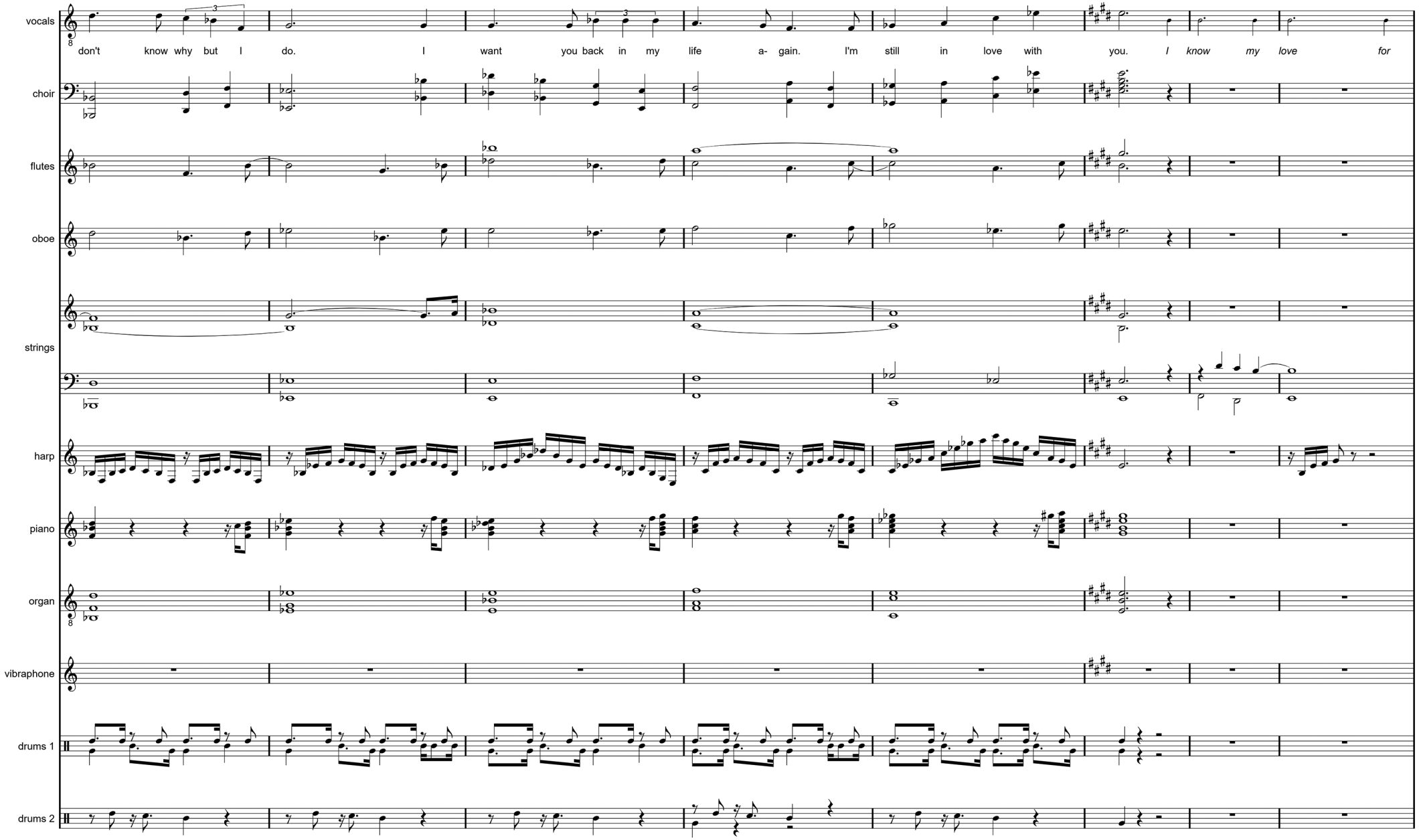
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don't know why but I do. I want you back in my life a- gain. I'm still in love with you. I know my love for
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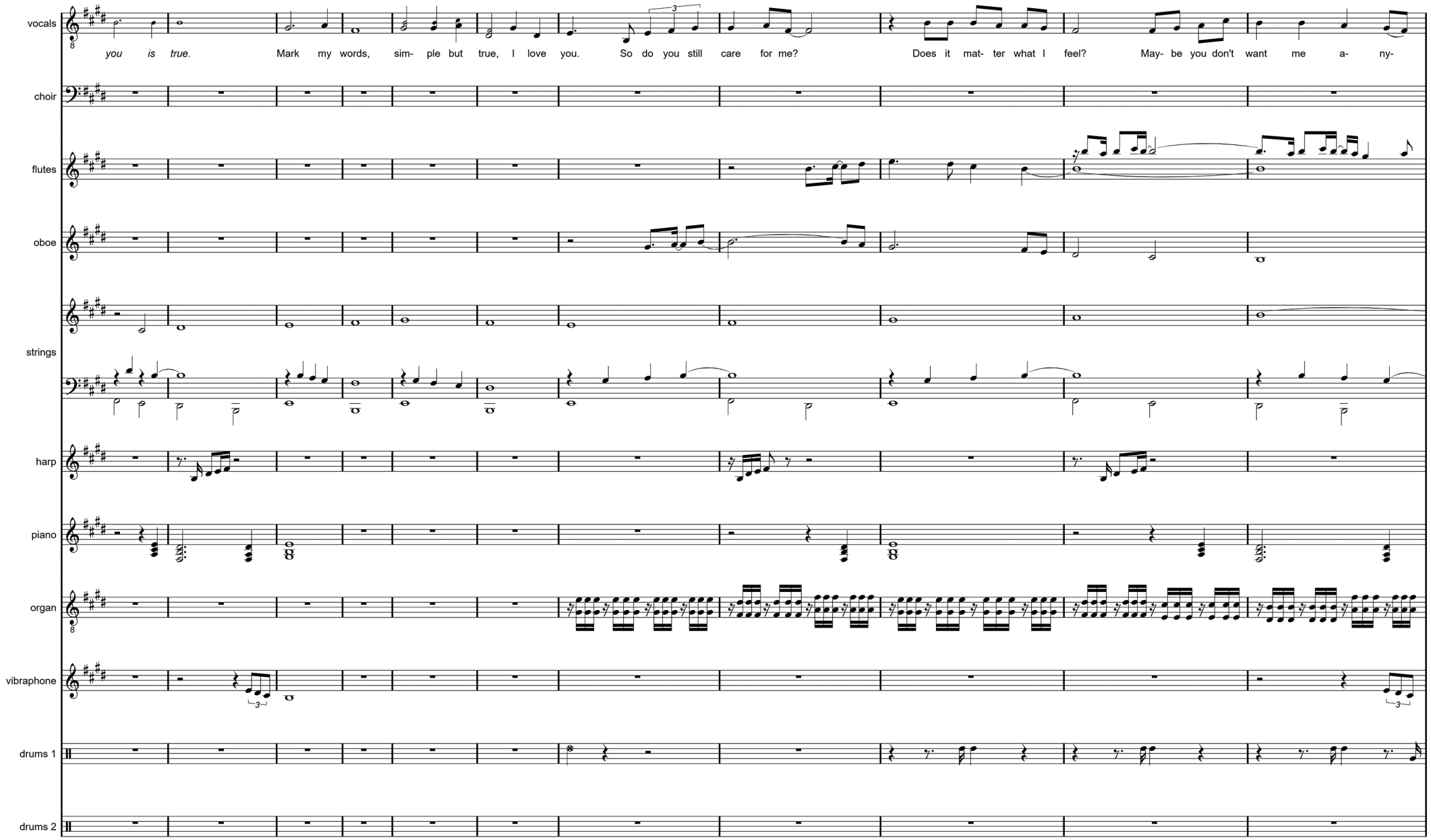
vocals
choir
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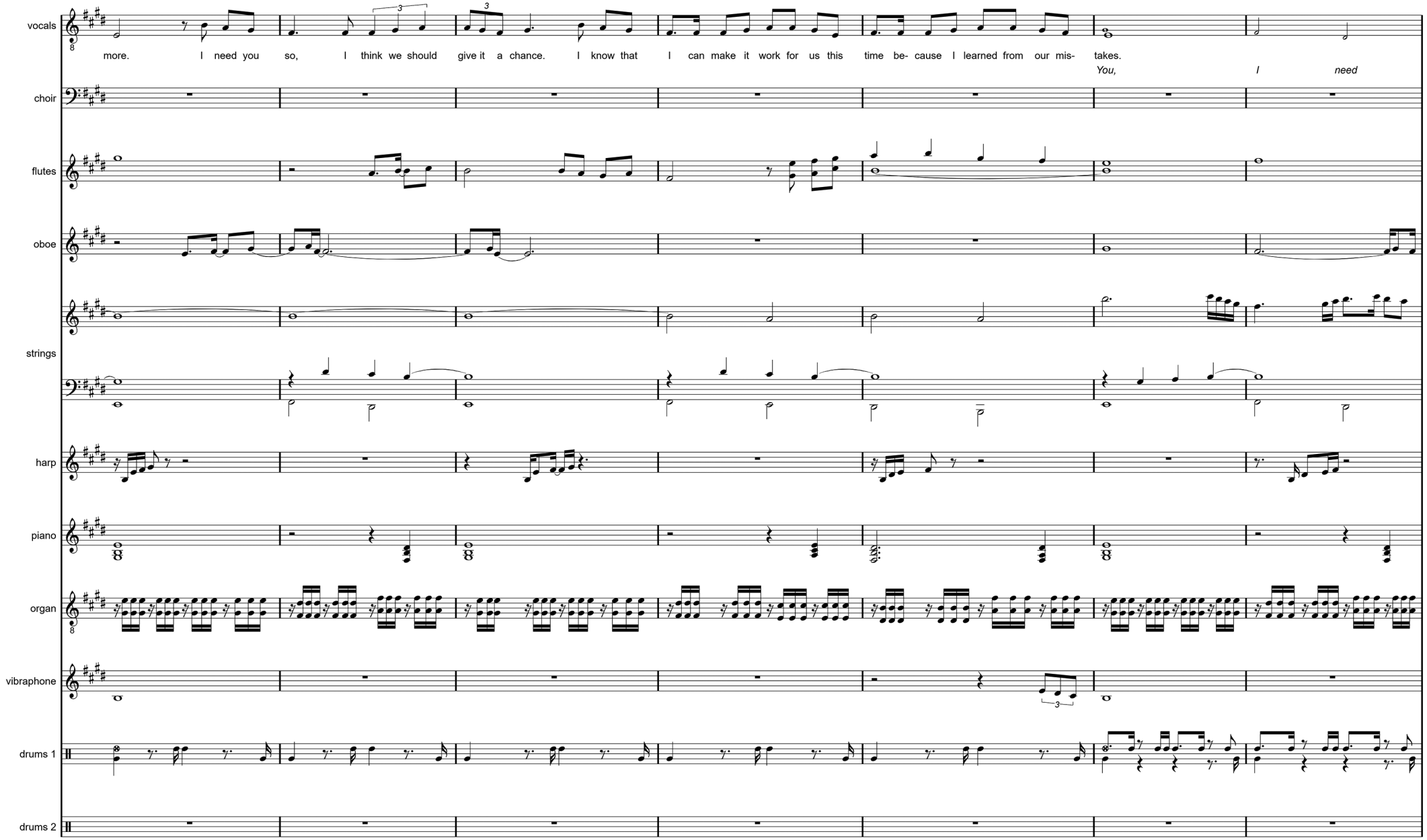
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more. I need you so, I think we should give it a chance. I know that I can make it work for us this time be- cause I learned from our mis- takes.
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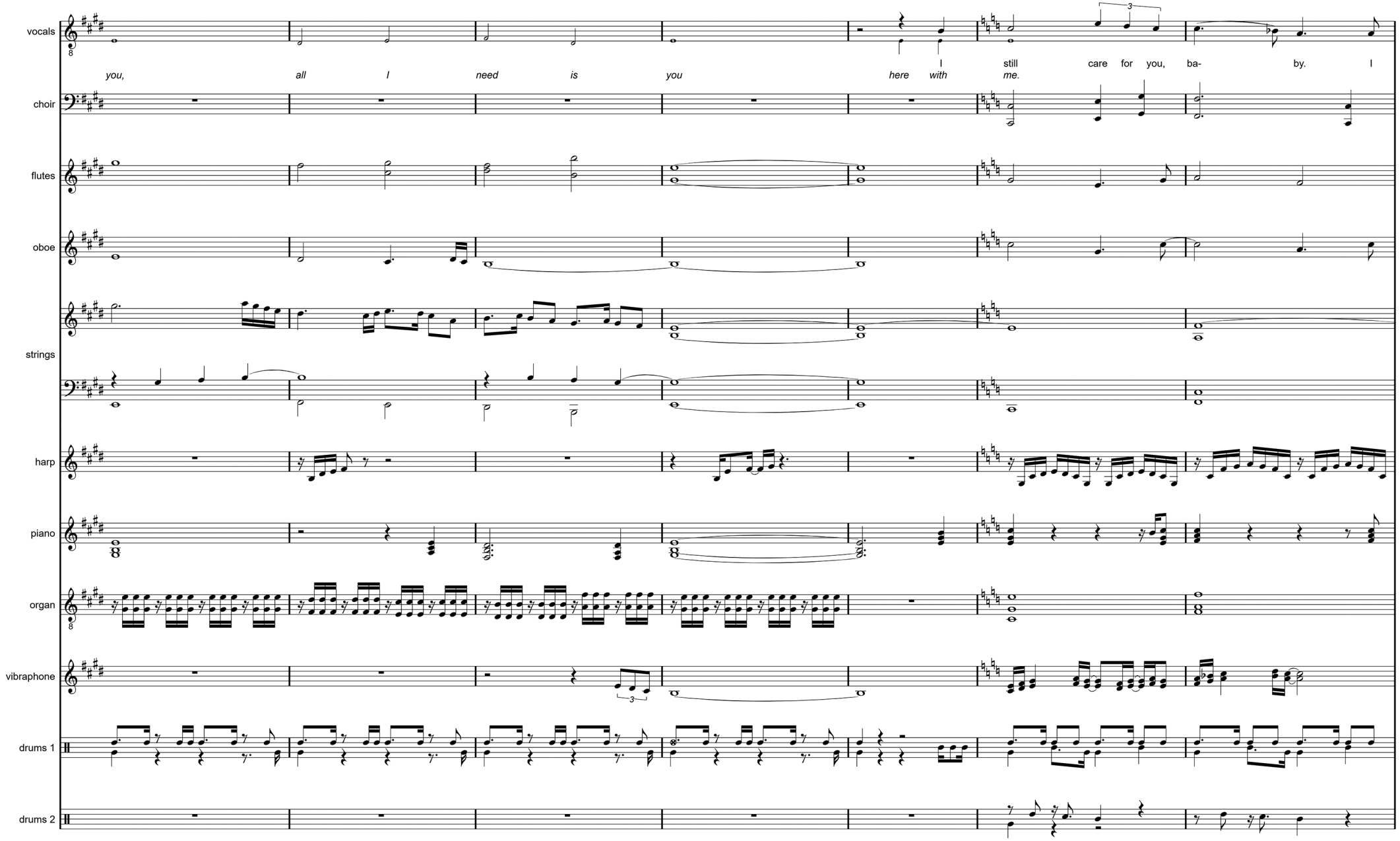
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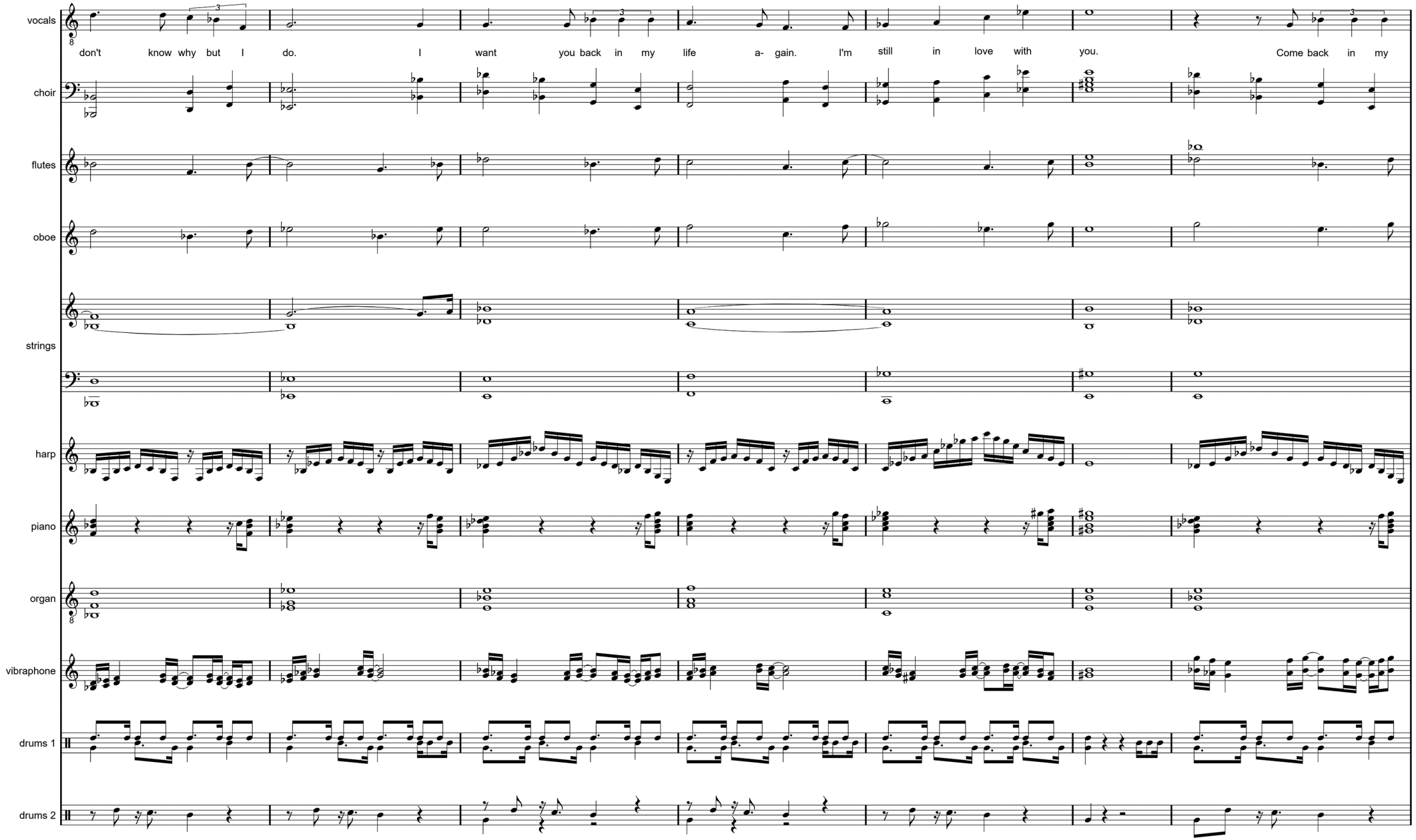
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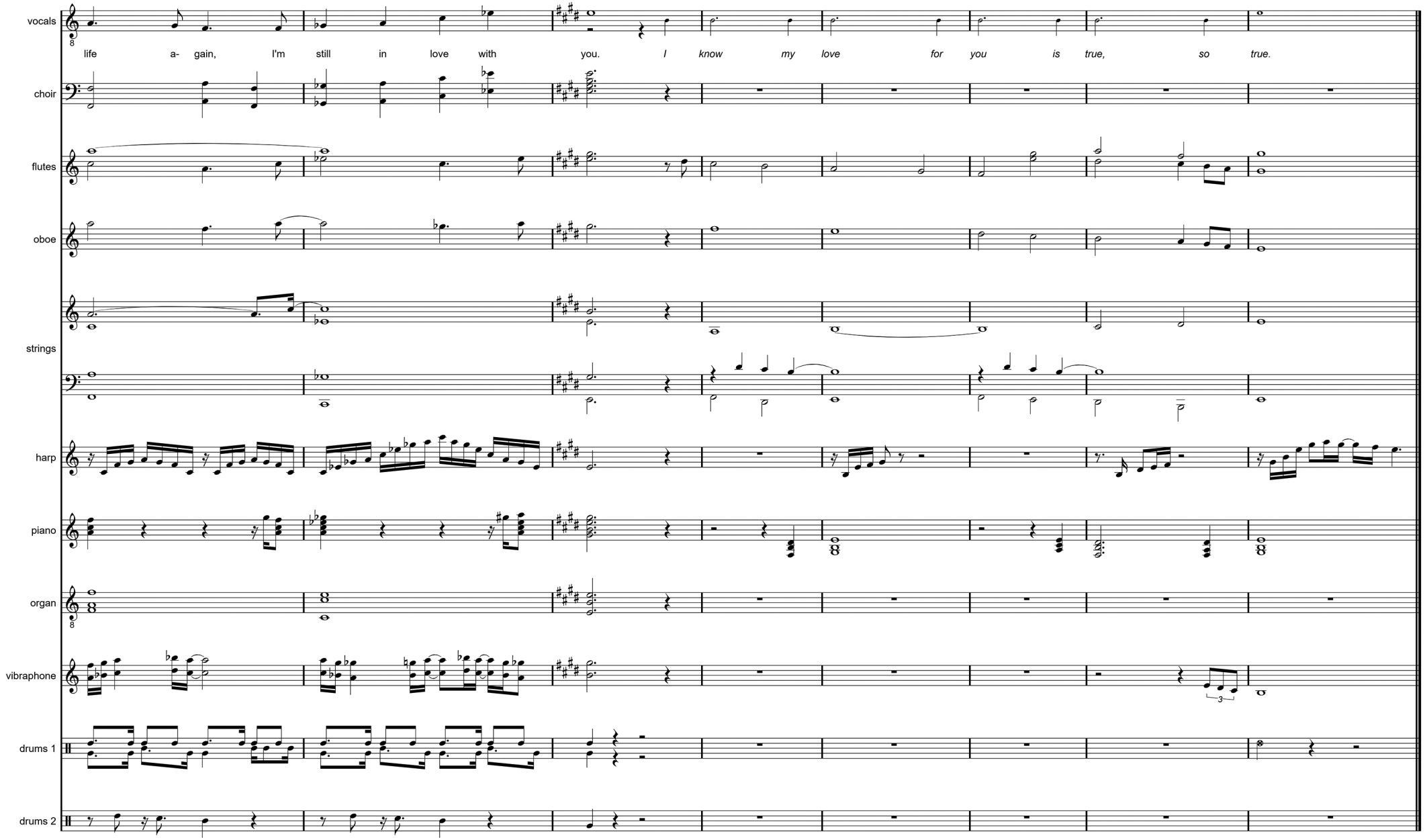
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life a- gain, I'm still in love with you. I know my love for you is true, so true.
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LOSING AGAIN

Life without you is cold and hard
Feels so useless now we're apart
So confusing, I am losing
Silent are my tears

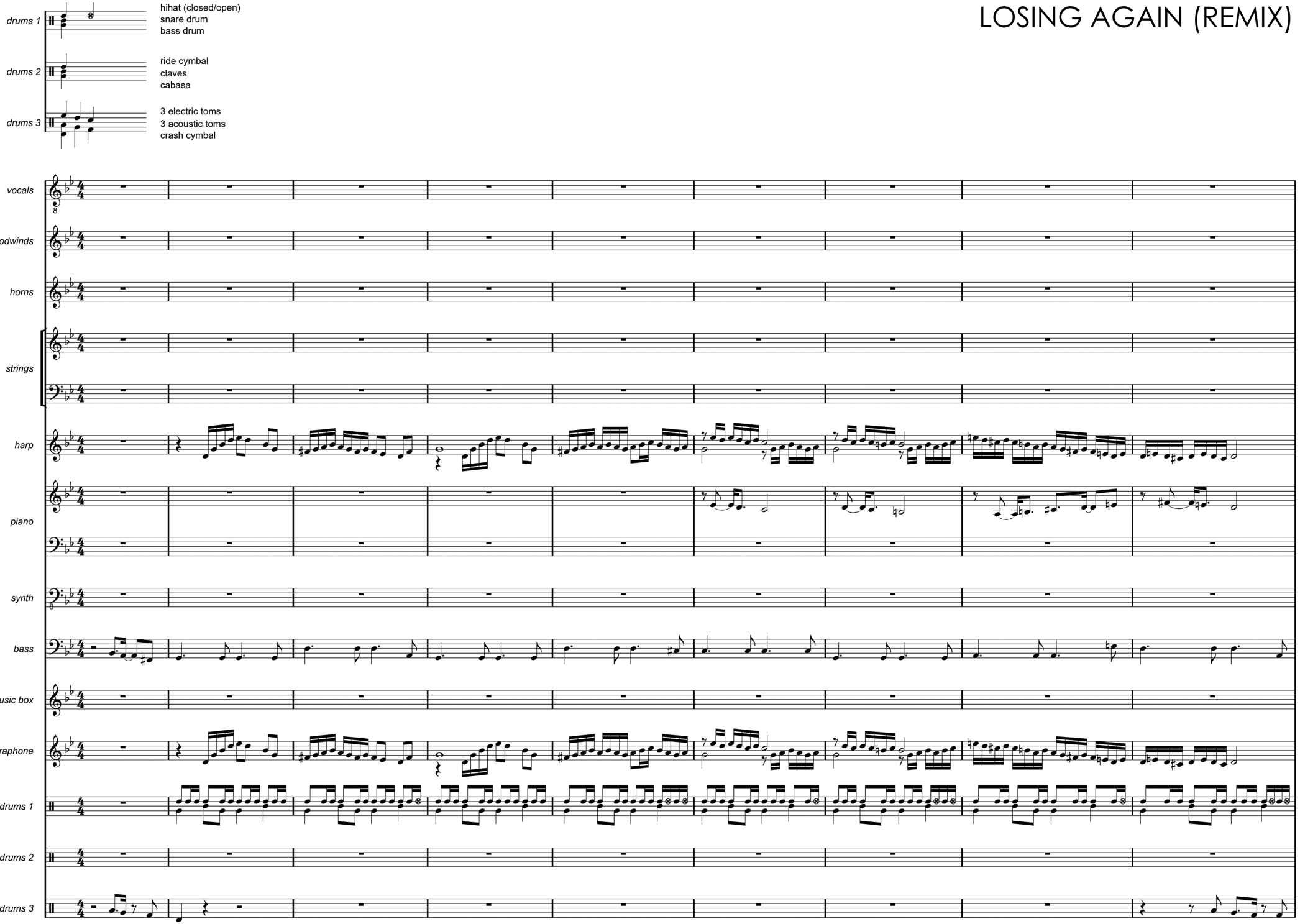
Feels like something deep down inside
Was assaulted, then slowly died
All the suffering and the anguish
I can't take no more - so insecure

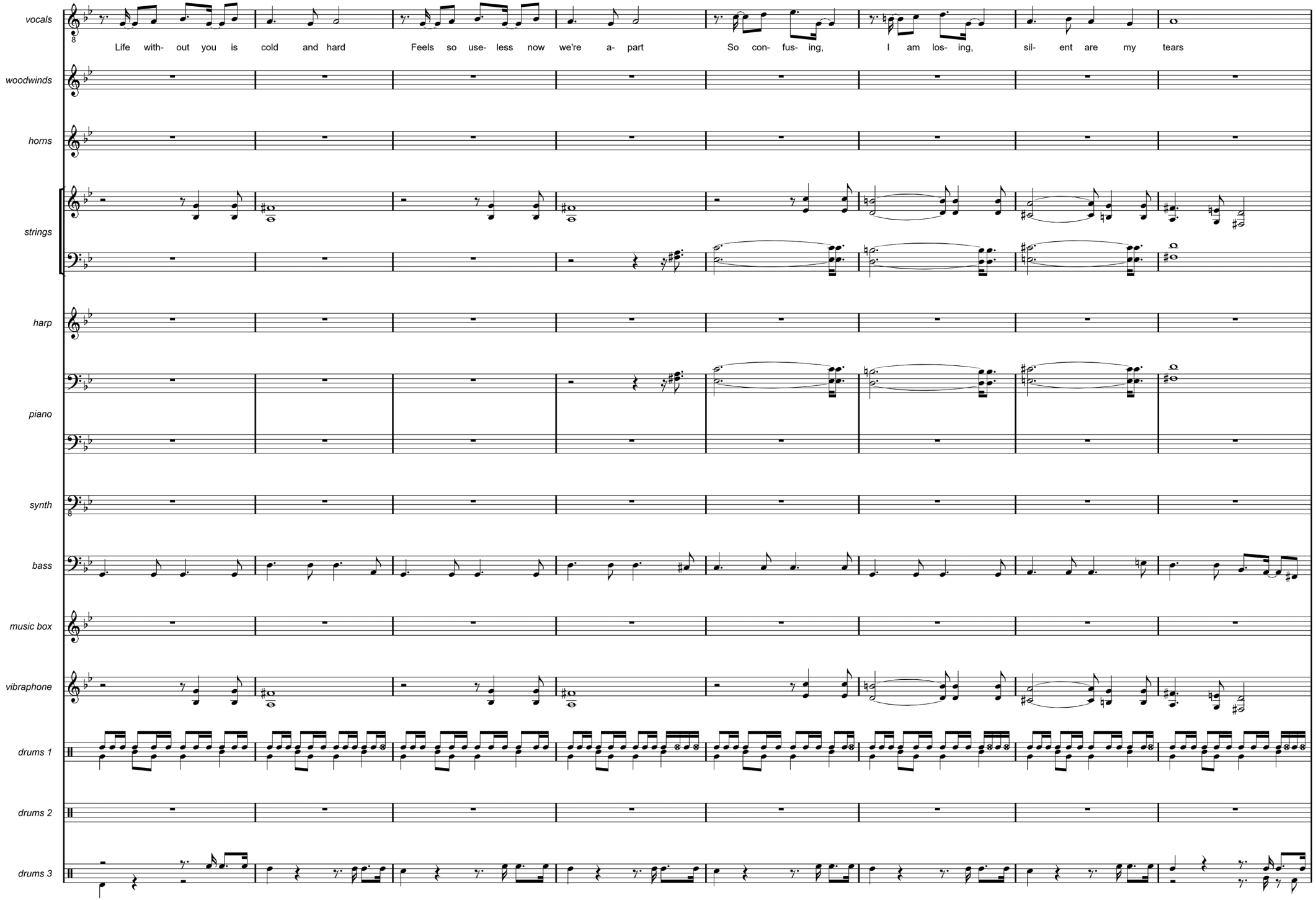
Don't pretend we're still friends
You should know by now it's not enough
Losing once again, I am the loser in the end

Never wanted to cause you pain
Seems my efforts have been in vain
I'm pretending, still defending
Distant you remain - I lose again

Don't pretend we're still friends
You should know by now it's not enough
It's not enough, never enough, no, no, no

LOSING AGAIN (REMIX)

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So con- fus- ing,
I am los- ing,
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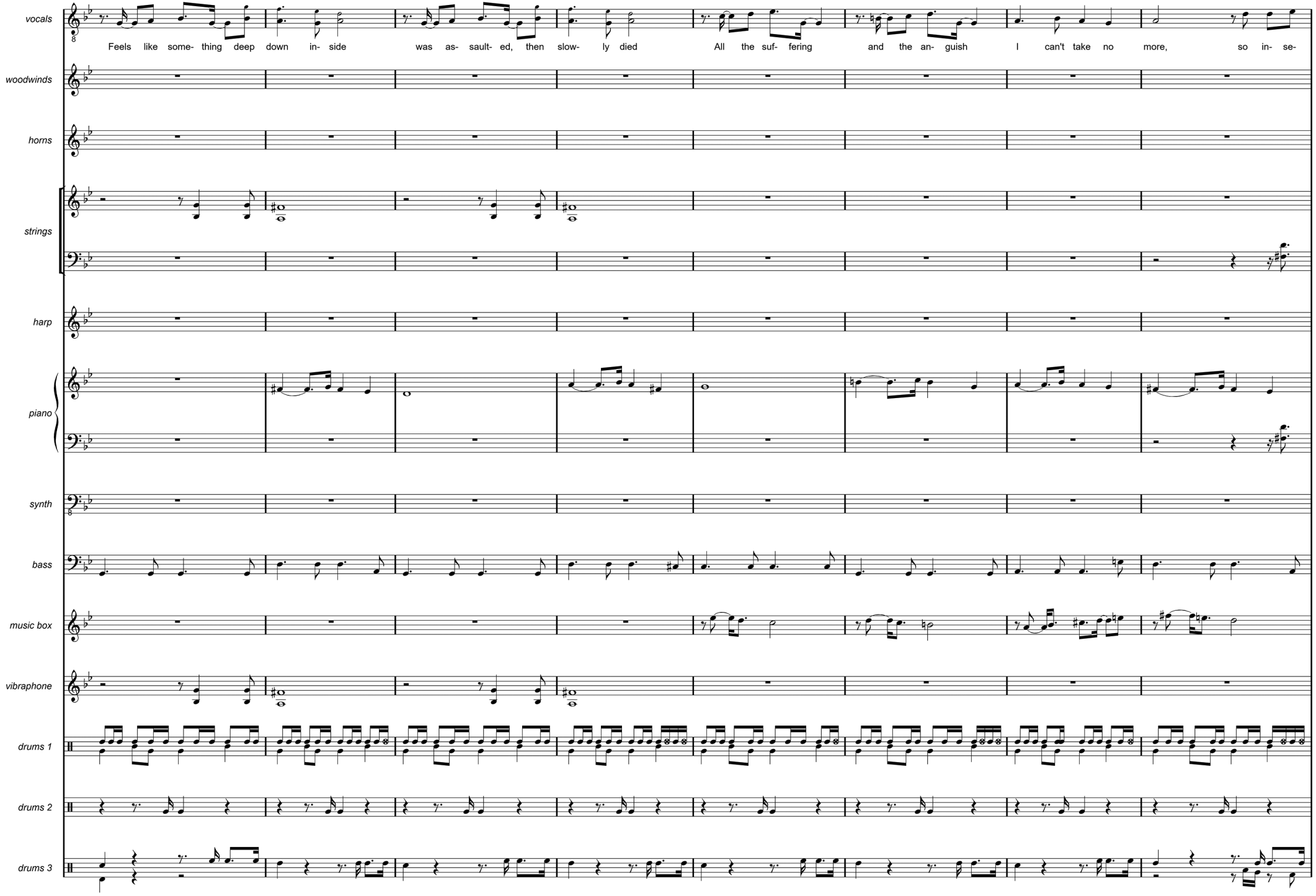
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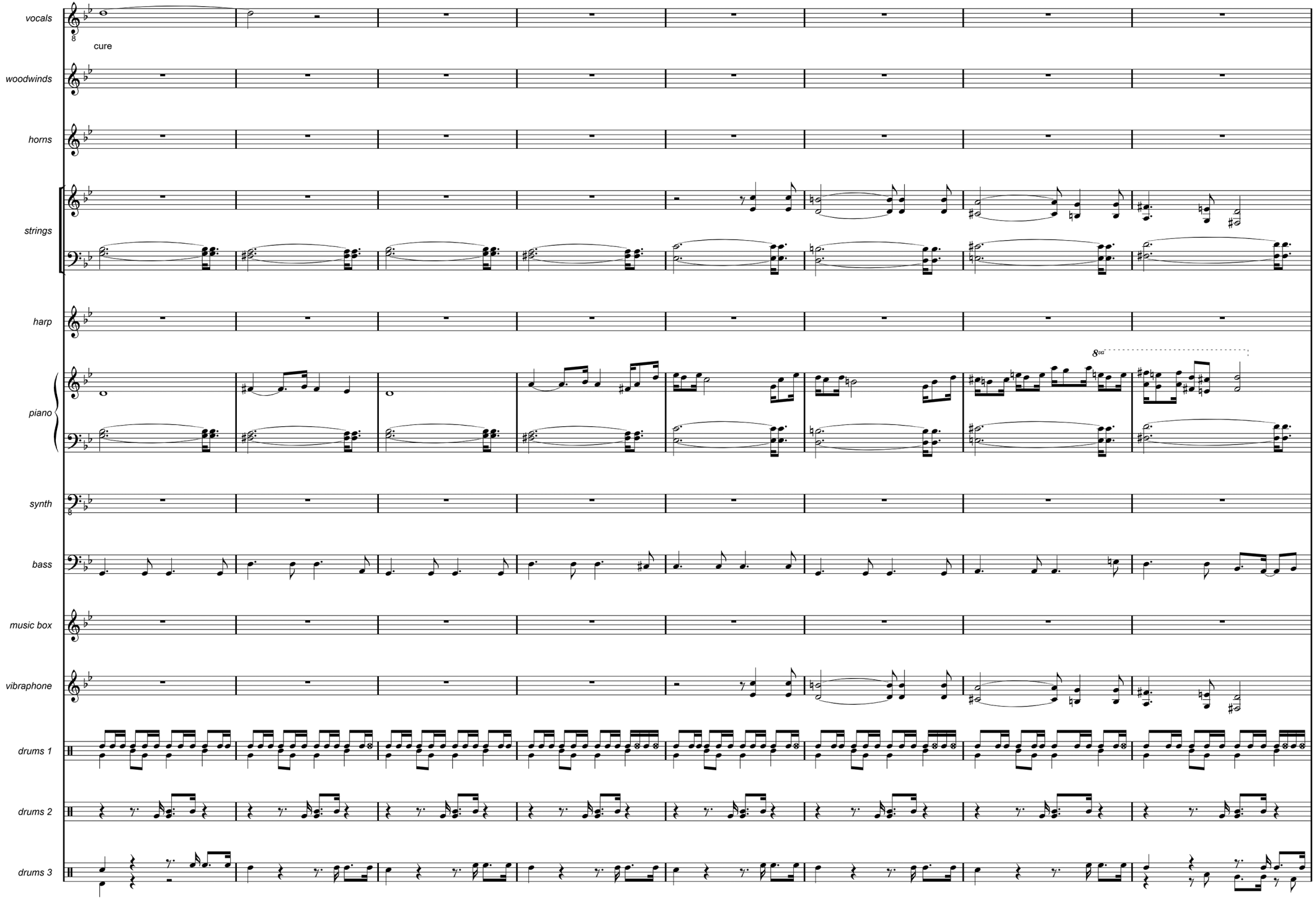
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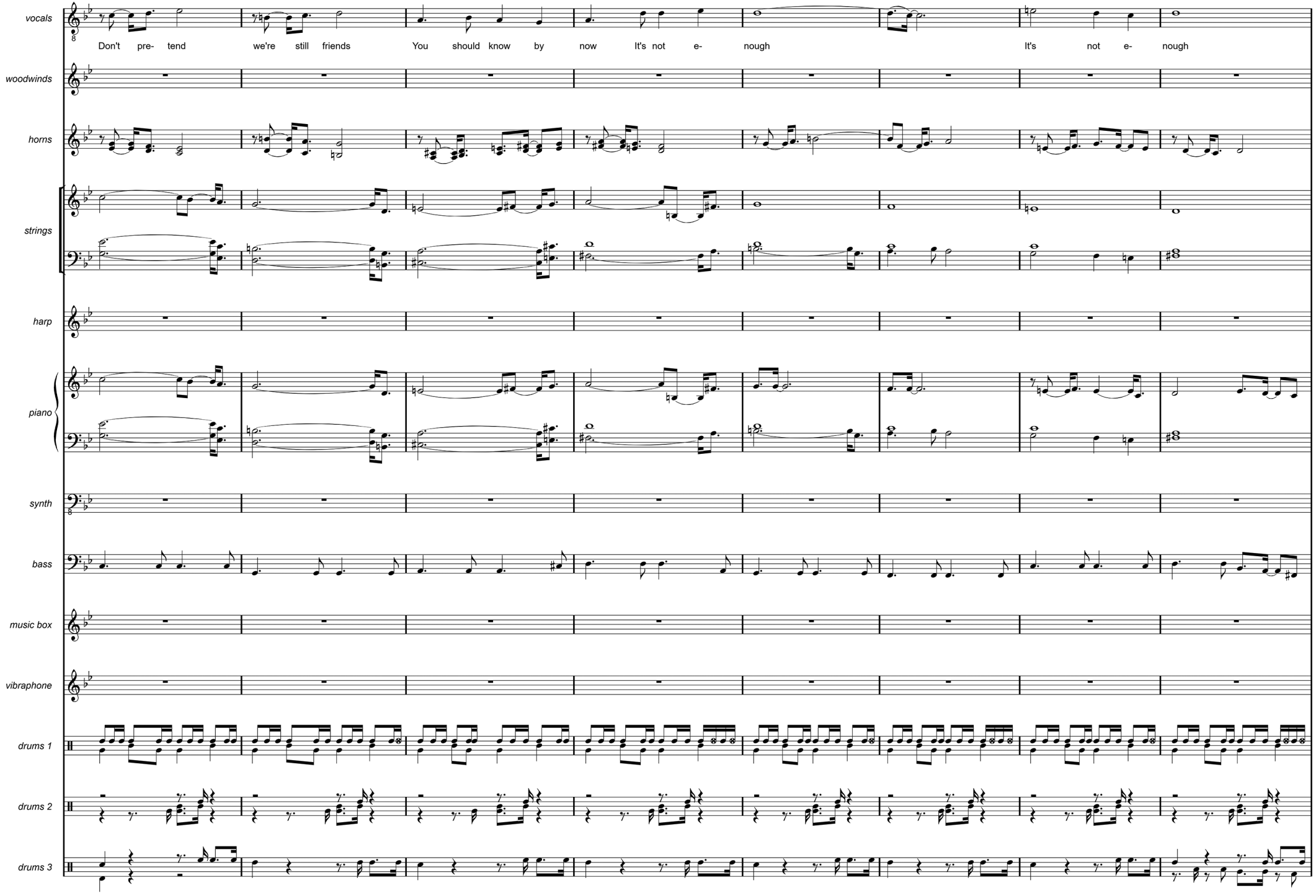
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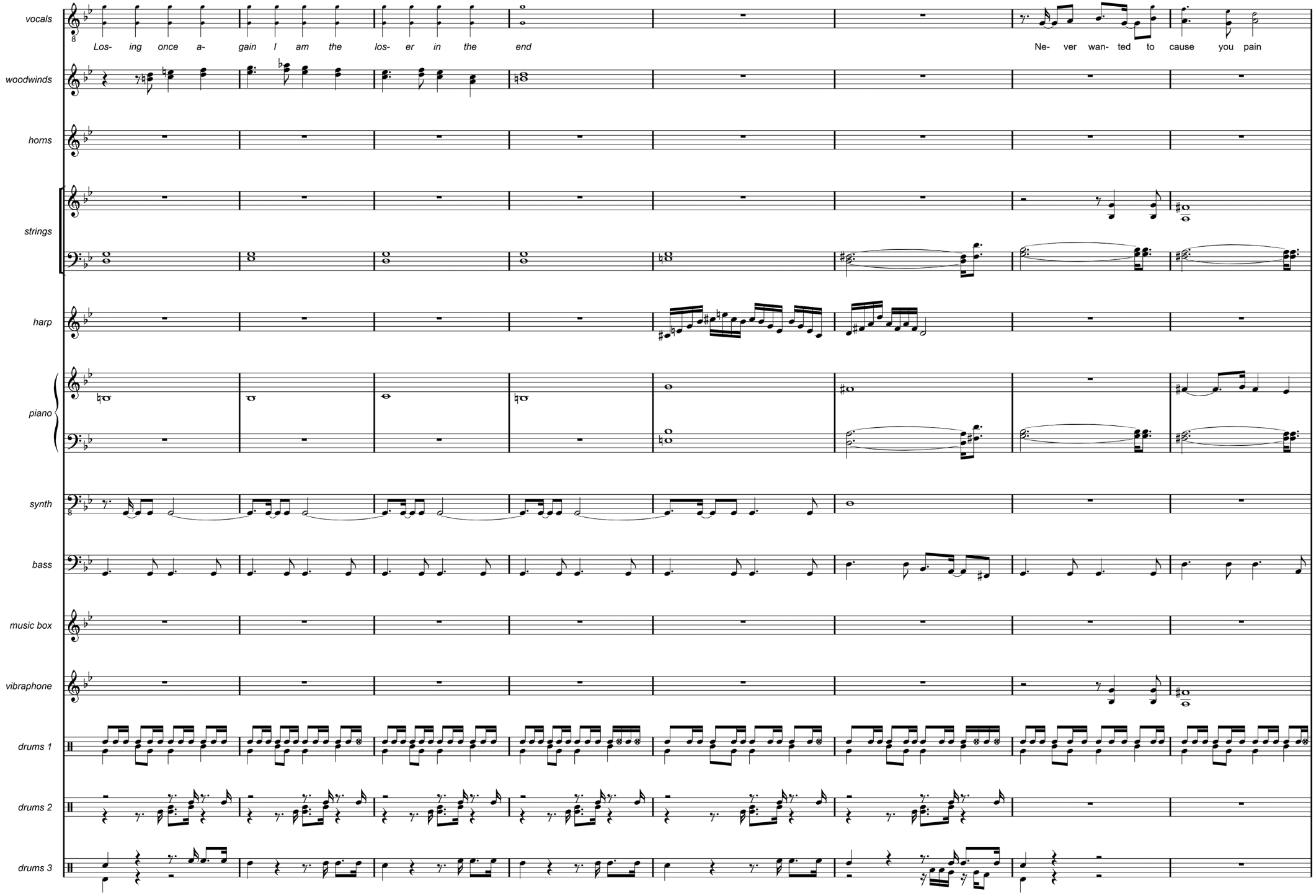
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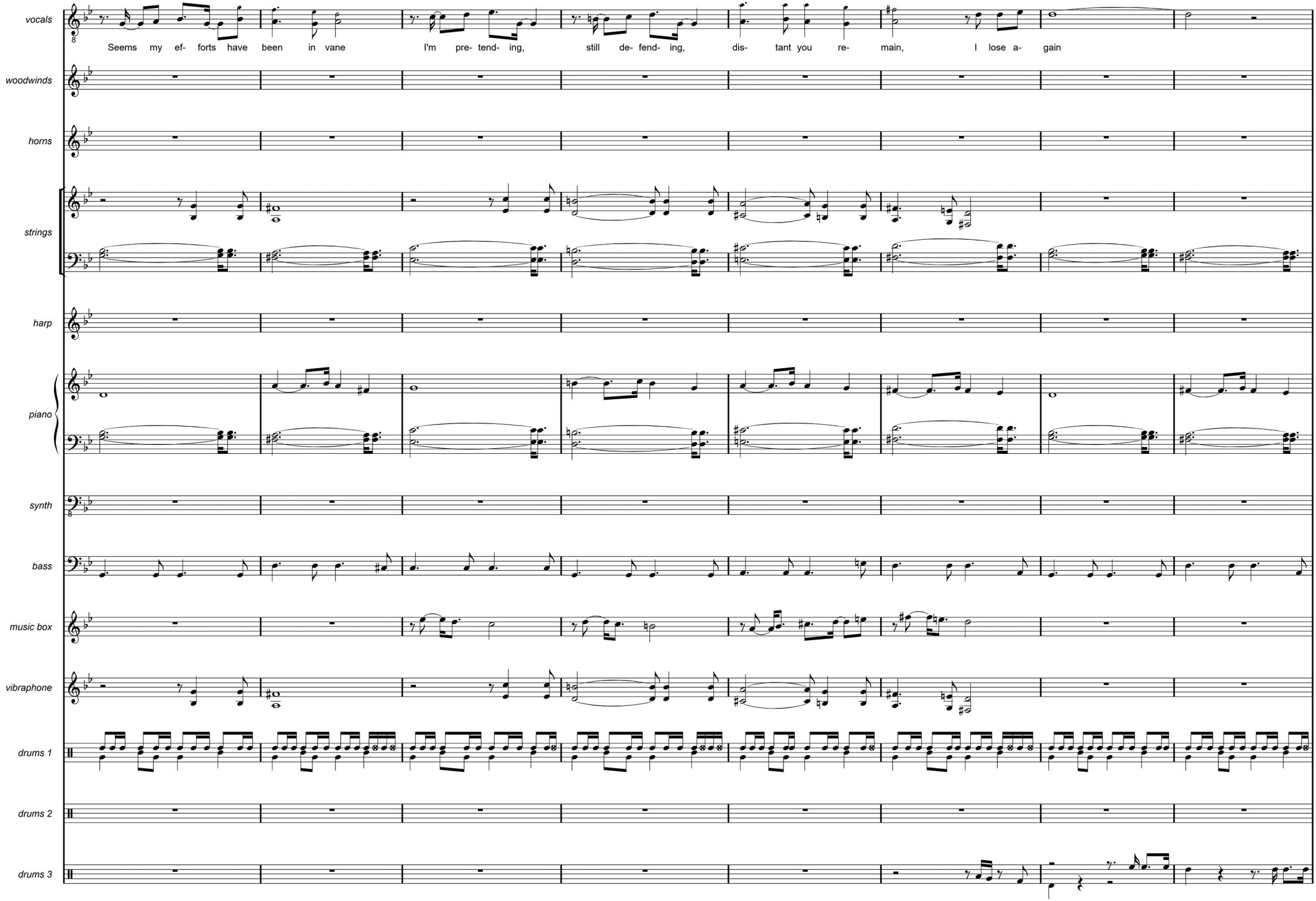
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Seems my ef- forts have been in vane
I'm pre- tend- ing,
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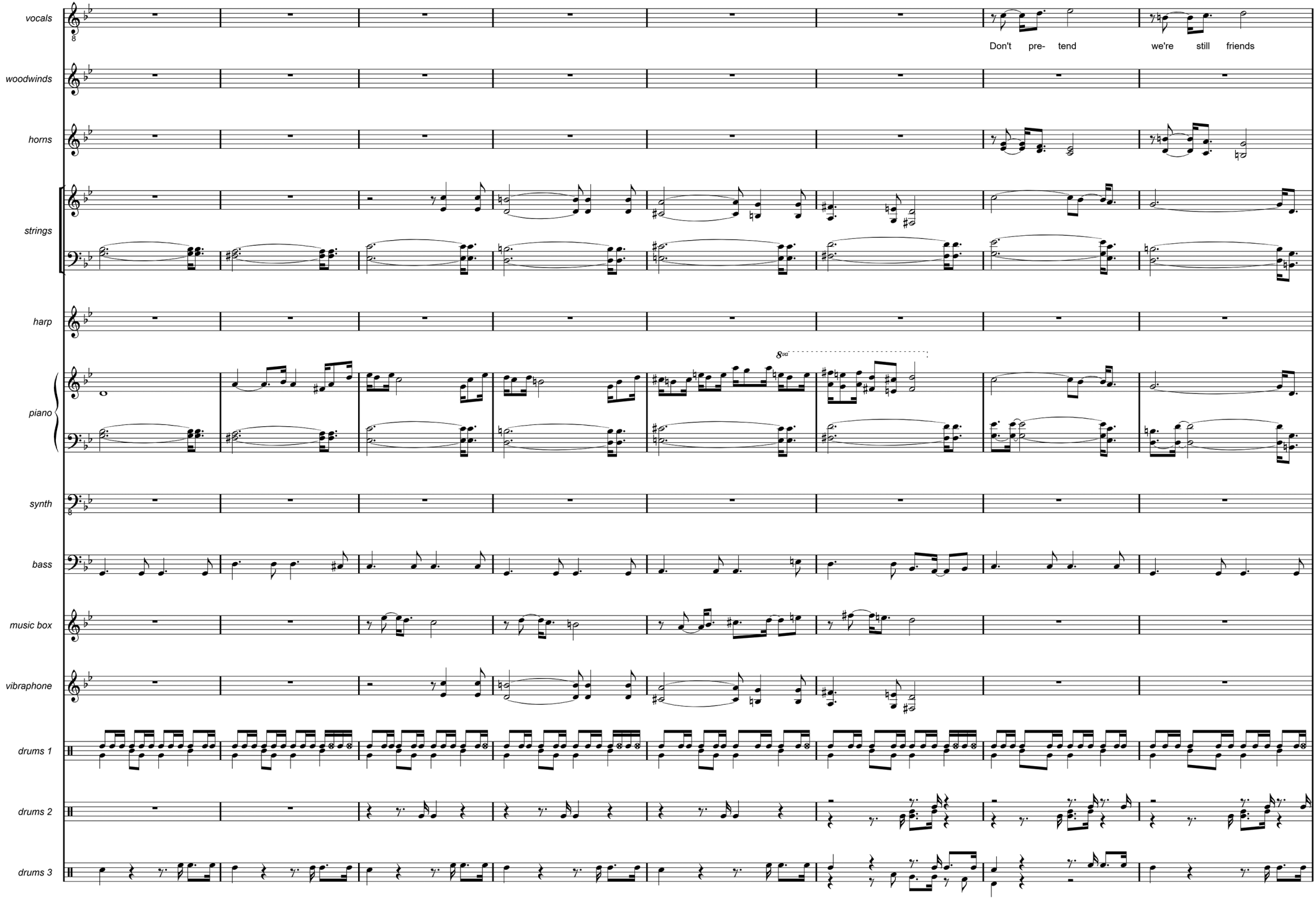
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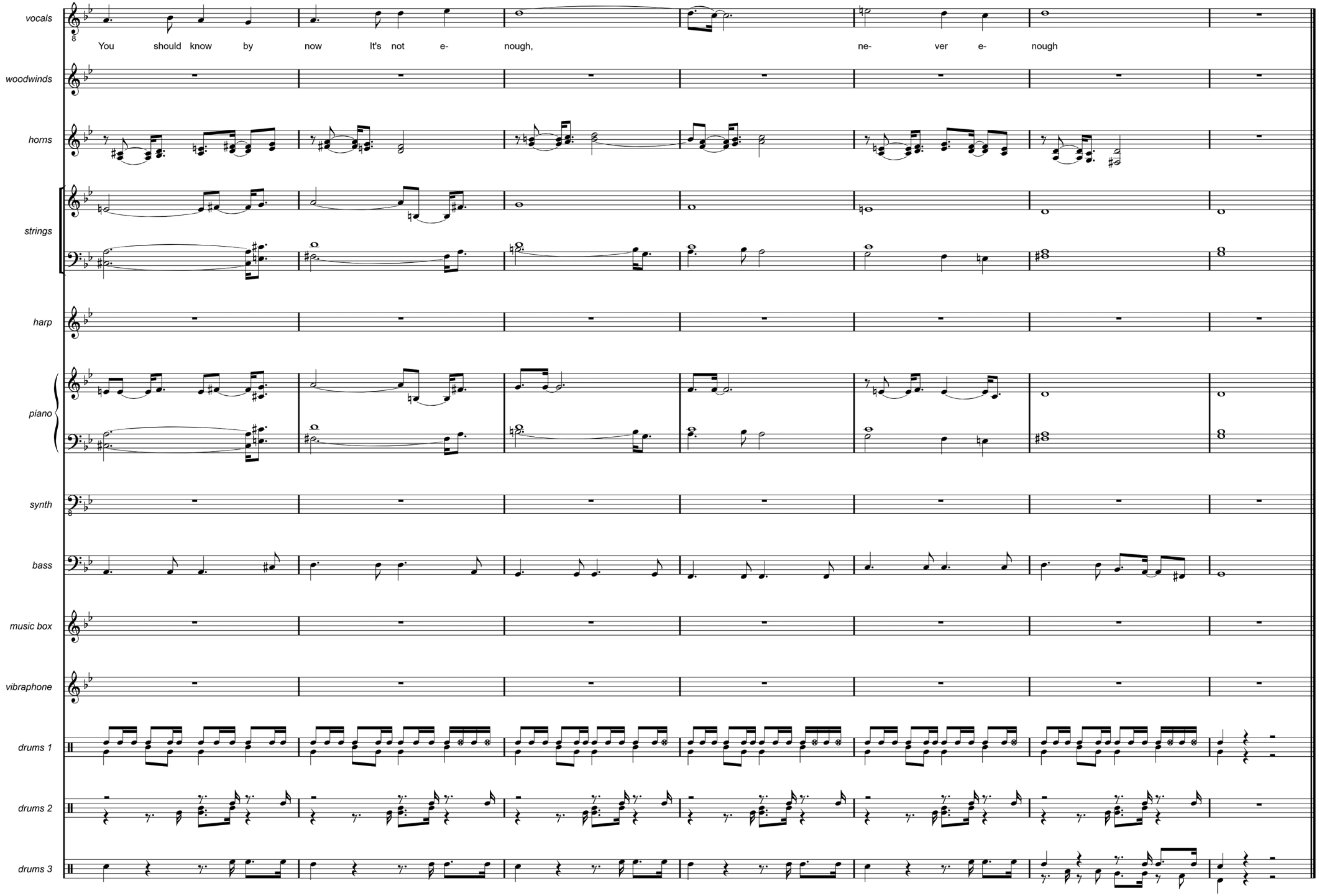
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WAIL OF THE BANSHEE

Fields are covered in snow
Trees have lost their leaves
Here the chilling winds blow
Oh, my emerald isle

Then, in the distance, I hear a sound
A voice cuts through the silence of the night
Immortality sublime
A spirit in the forest summons me

Tears begin to fall as I answer to the call

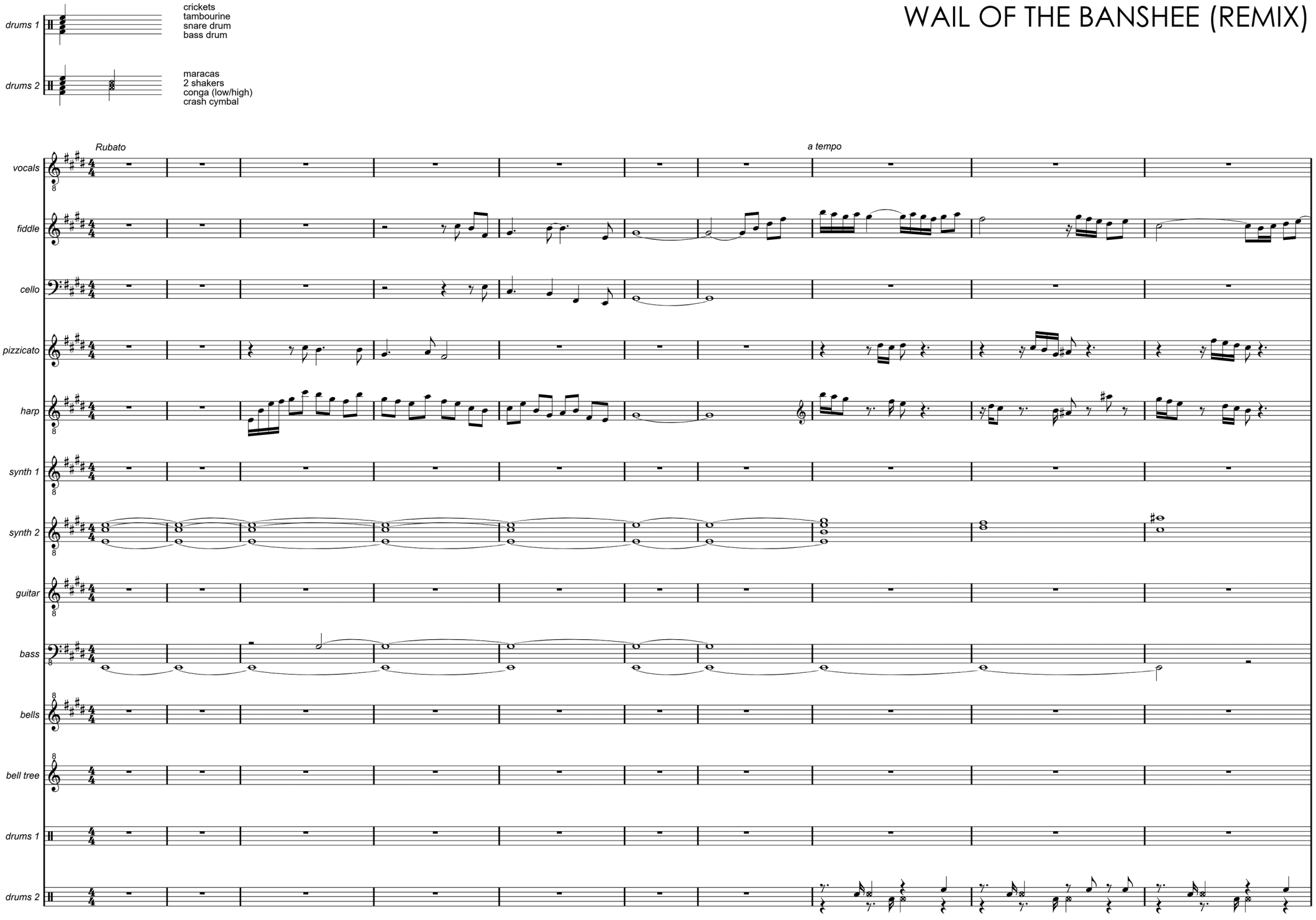
I hear the wail of the banshee
Announcing death, resurrection
The wail of the banshee
Immortal spirit of death

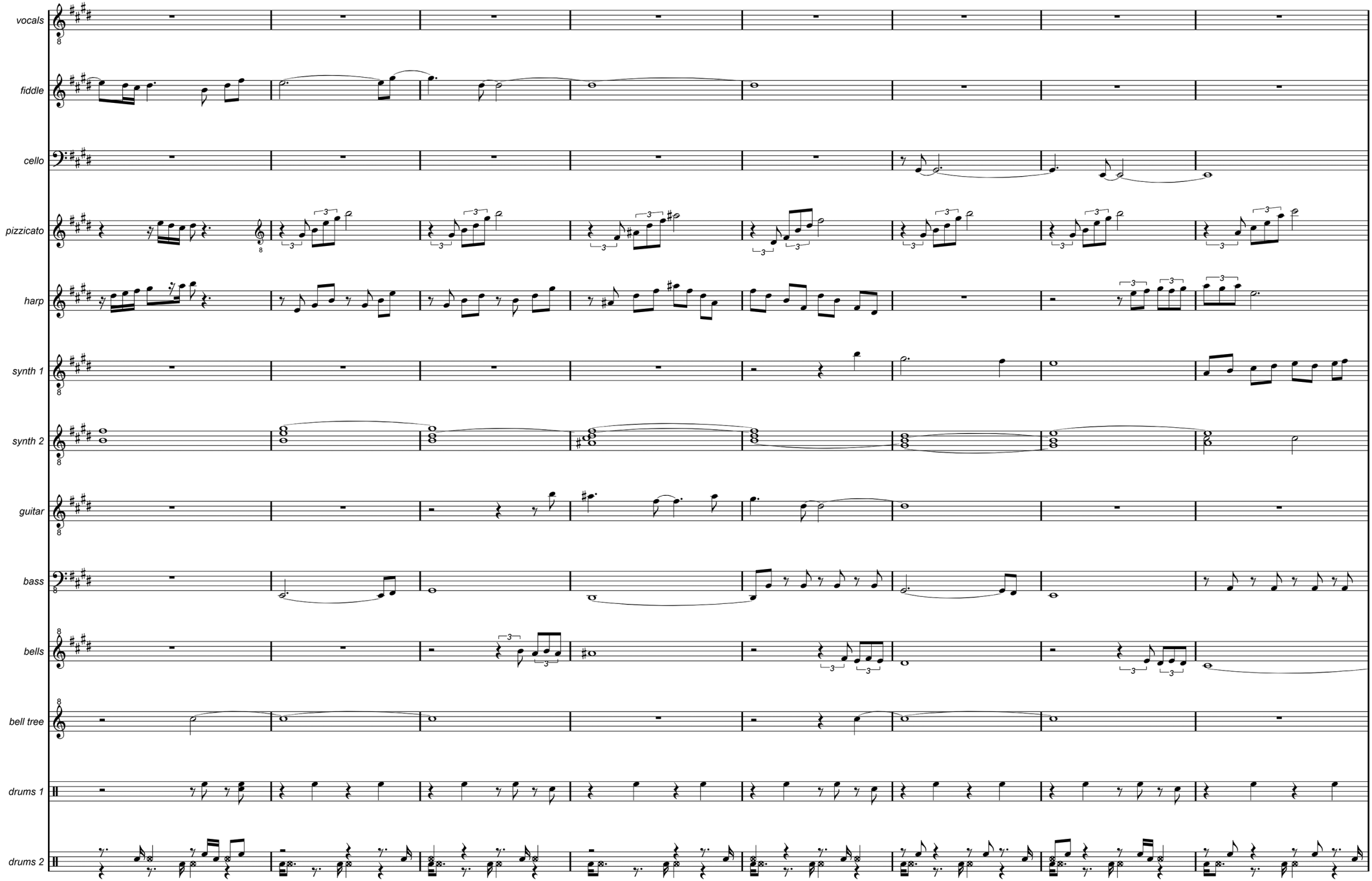
Now I roam in a dream
Destiny unknown
She approaches, I scream
Oh, my emerald isle

Then, when she holds me I fade away
A haze appears and shrouds us both in white
Immortality divine
Eternal light, and then, eternal life
Slowly I ascend, I know death is not the end
Reincarnation
Fear is fading fast, I am free for good at last

I hear the wail of the banshee
Announcing death, resurrection
The wail of the banshee
Immortal spirit of death

WAIL OF THE BANSHEE (REMIX)

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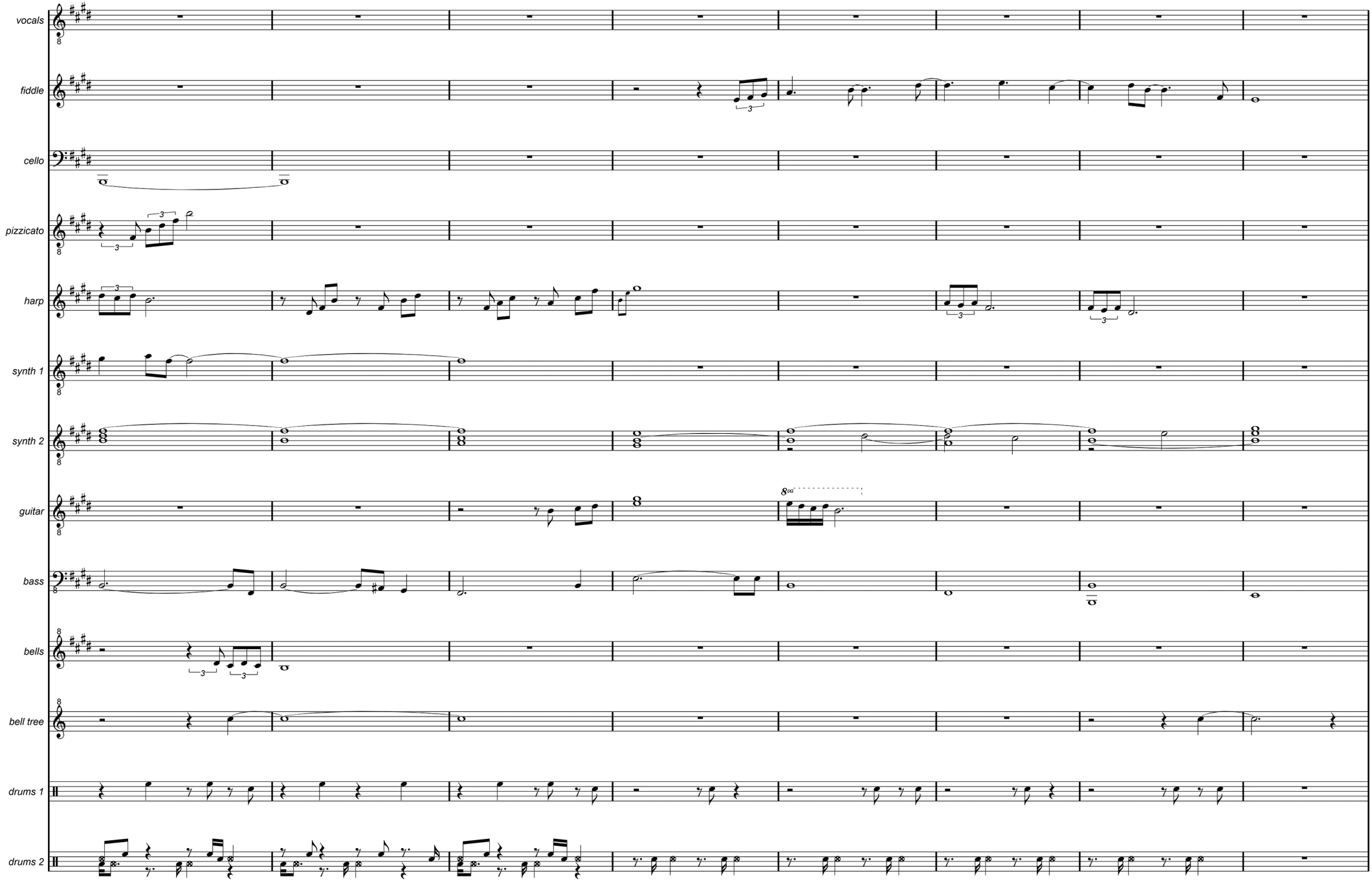
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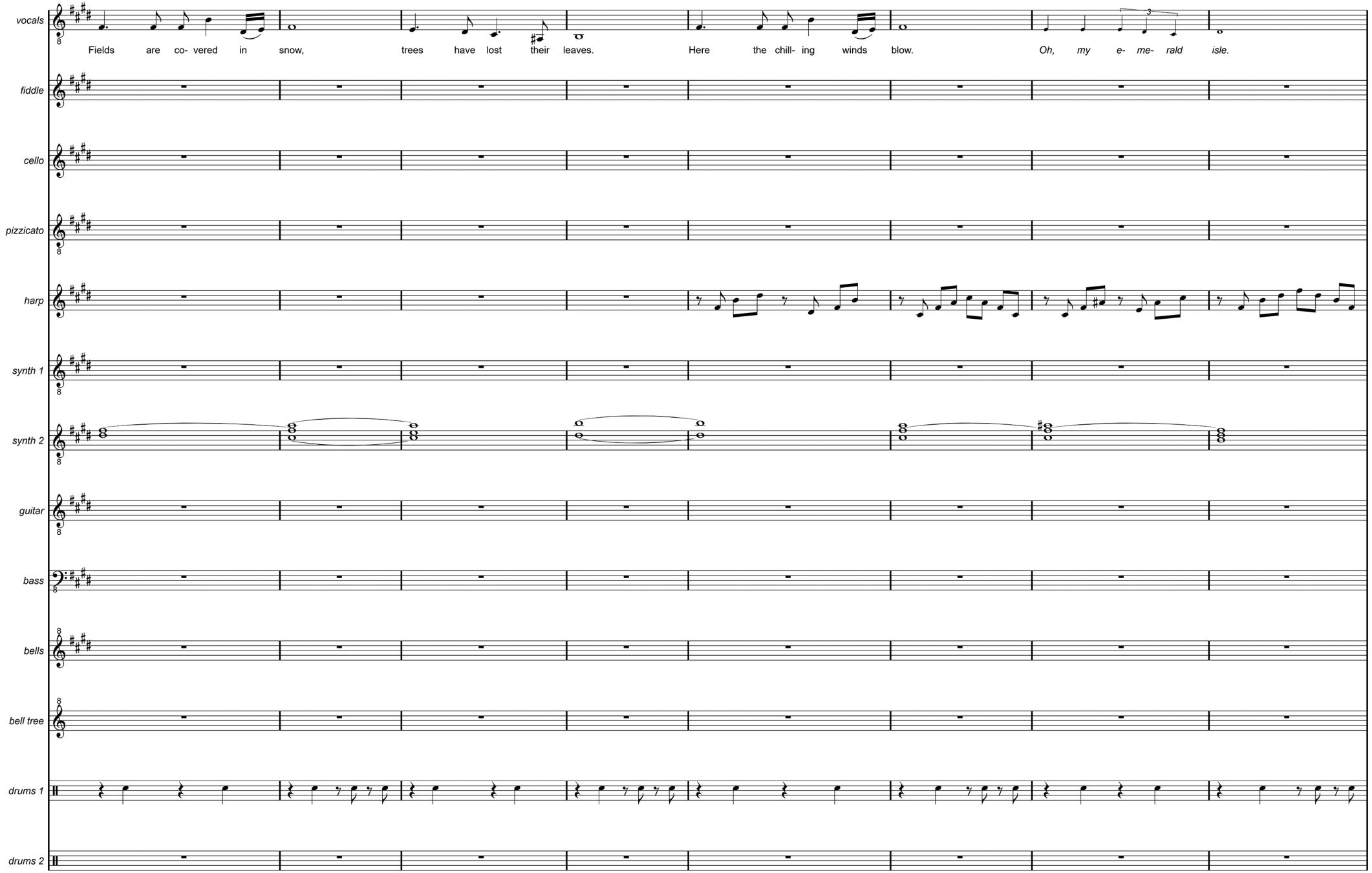
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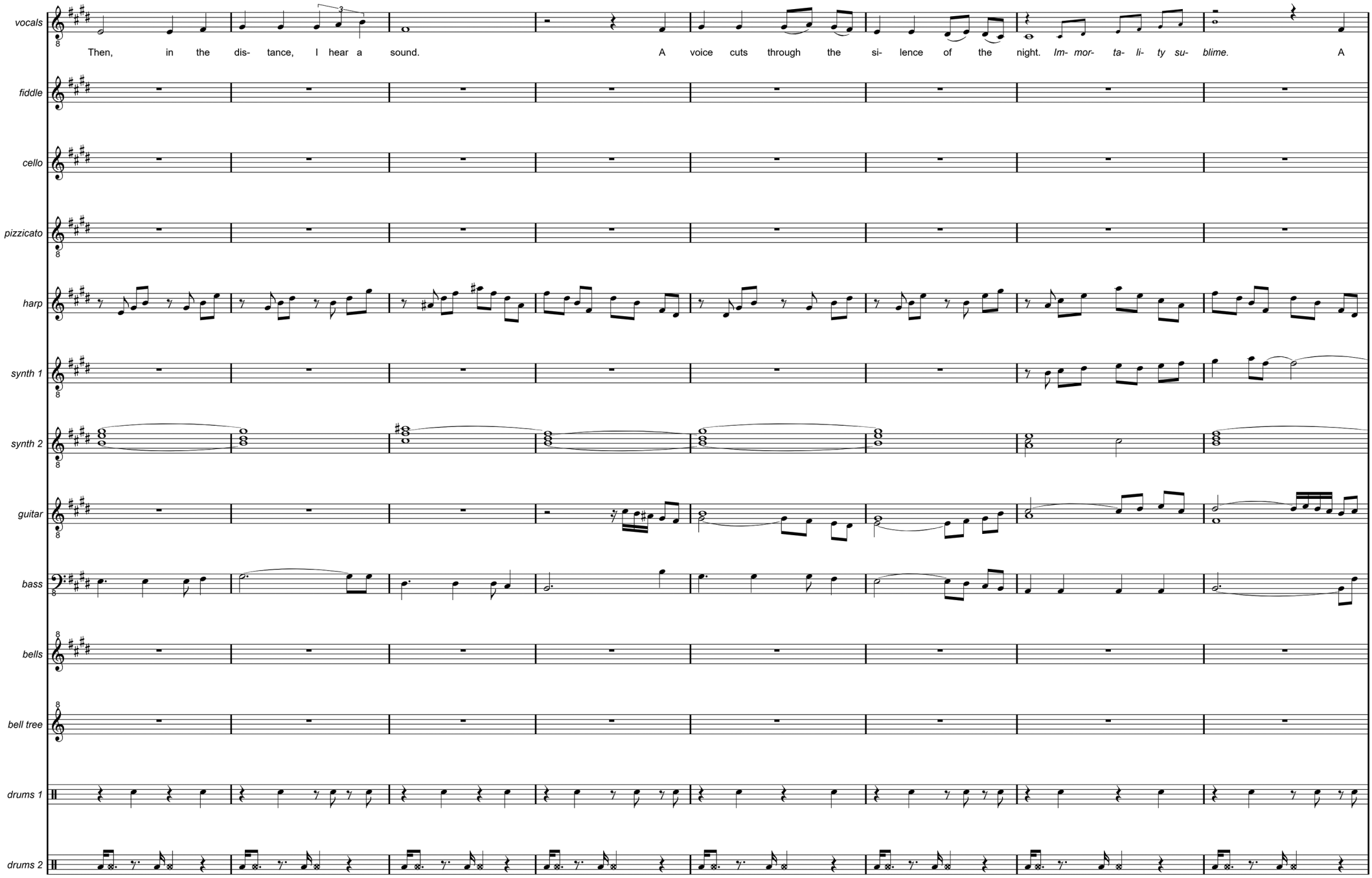
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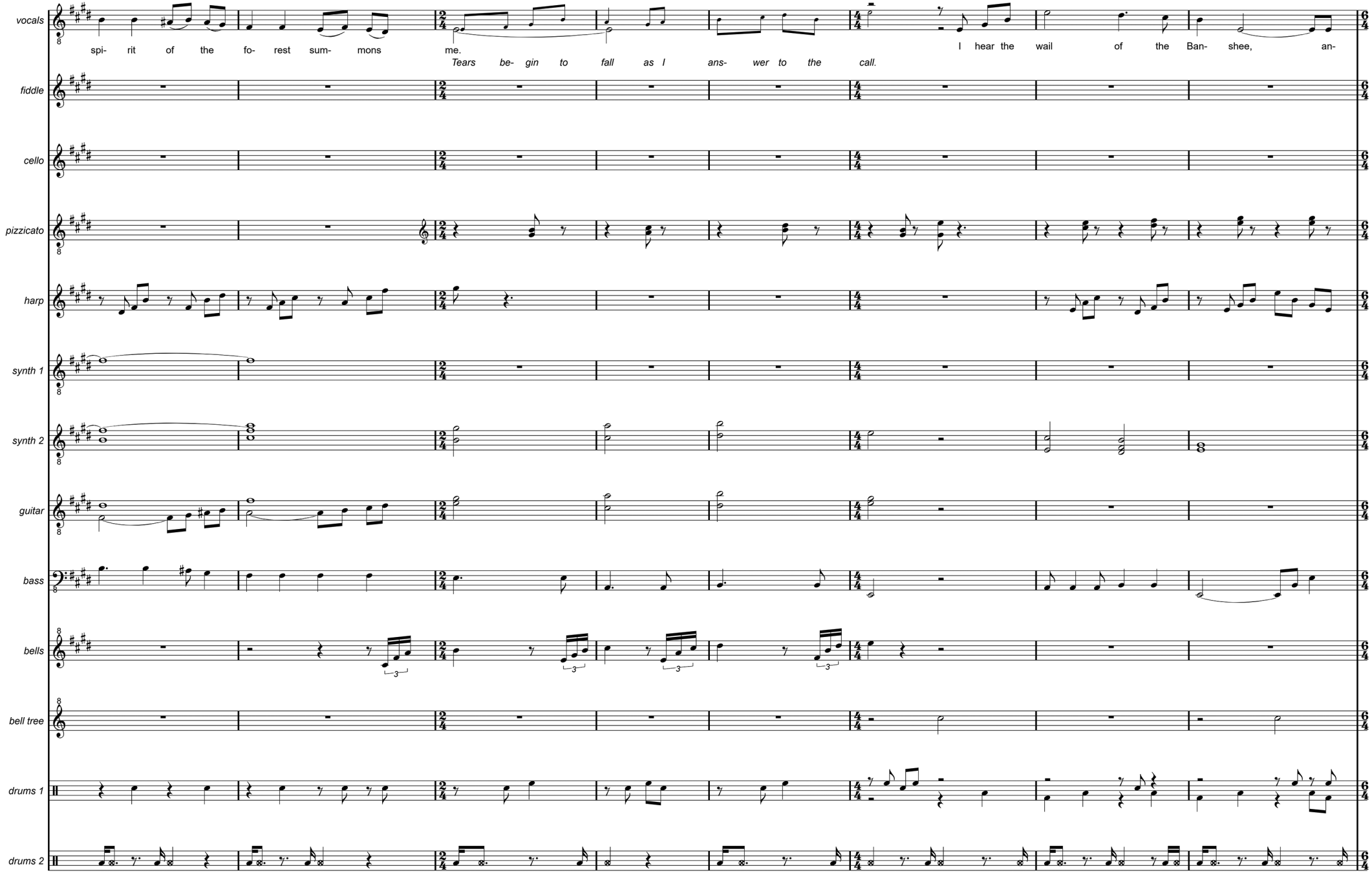
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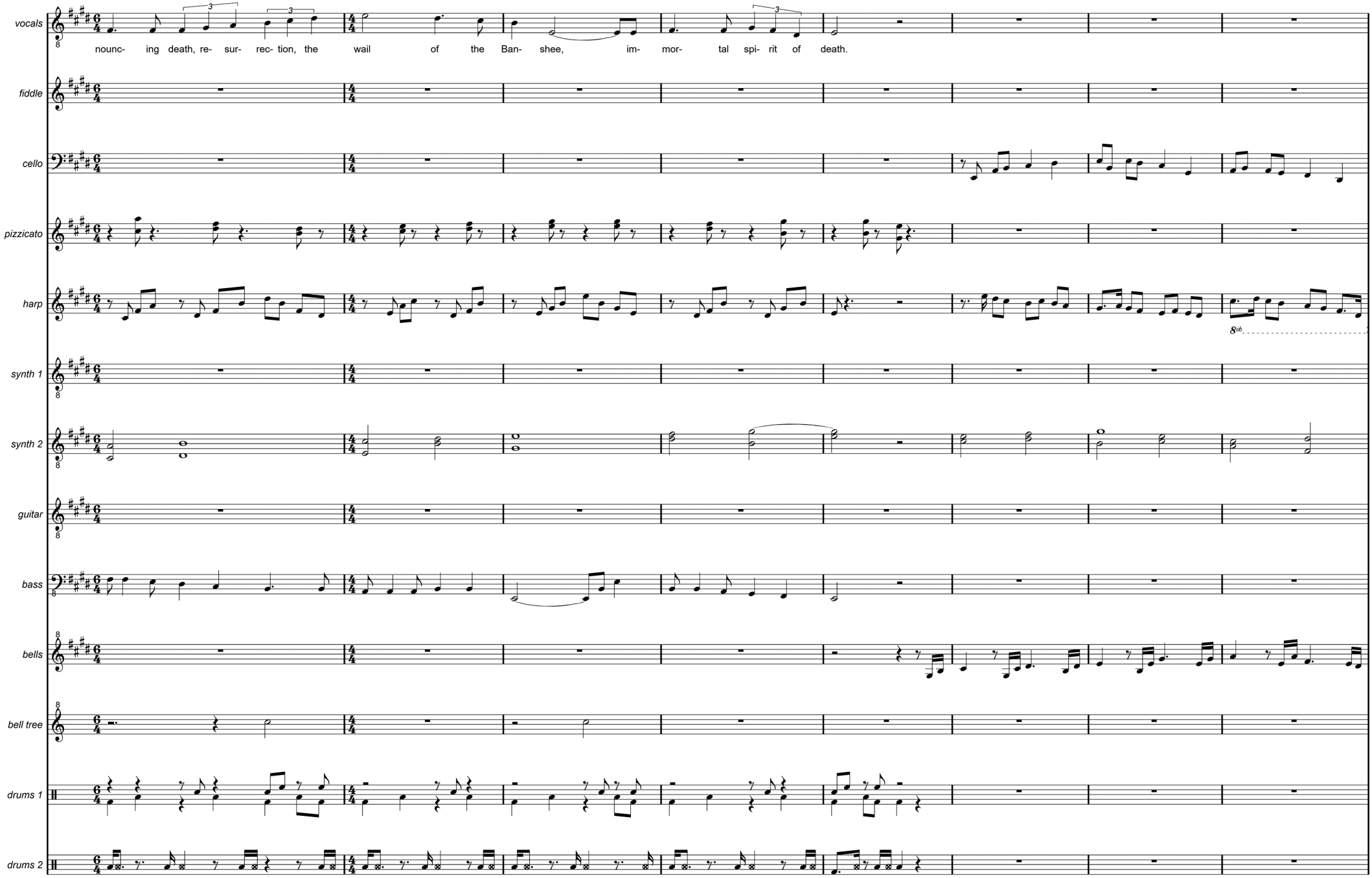
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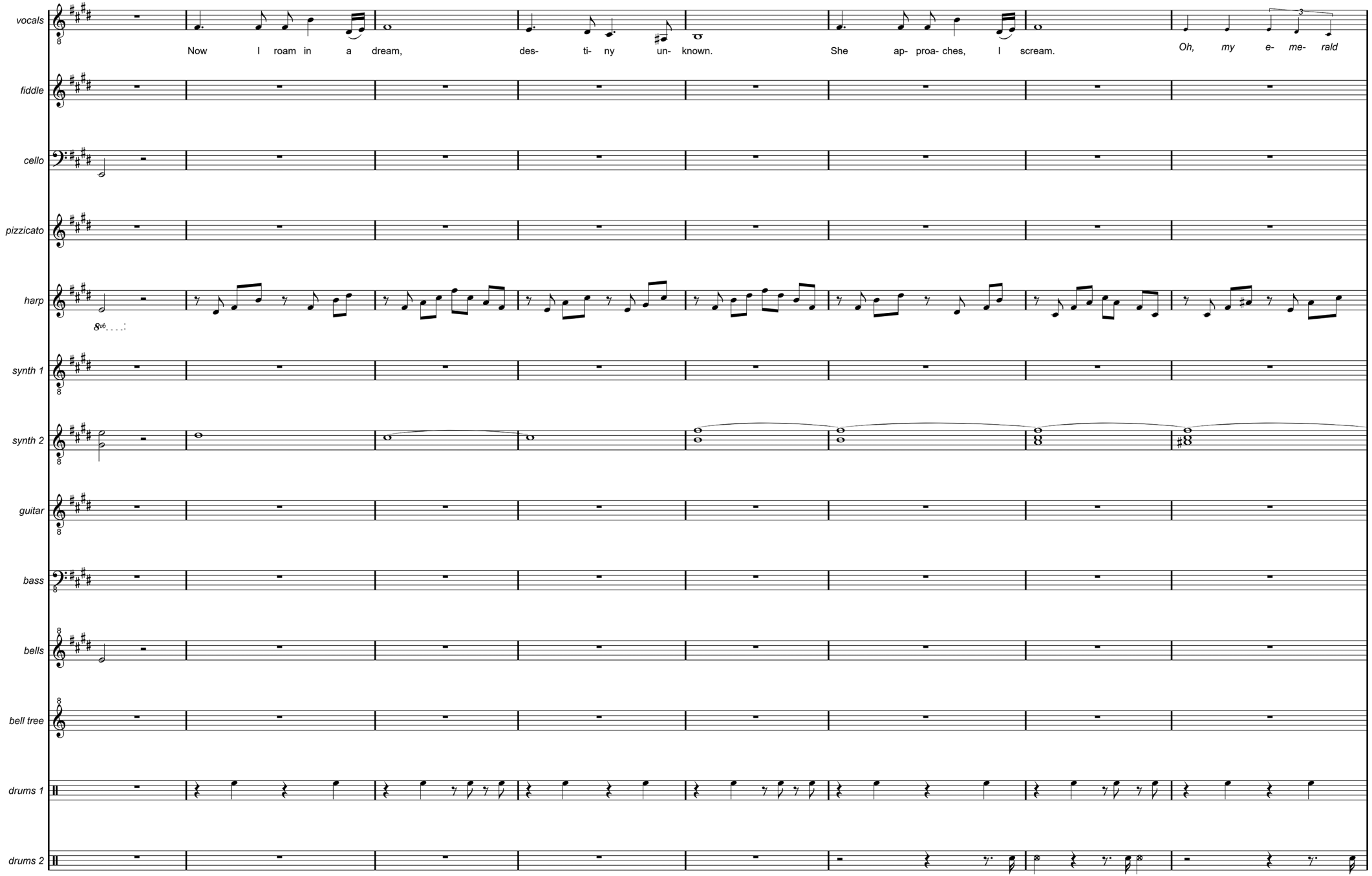
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Now I roam in a dream, des- ti- ny un- known. She ap- proa- ches, I scream. Oh, my e- me- rald
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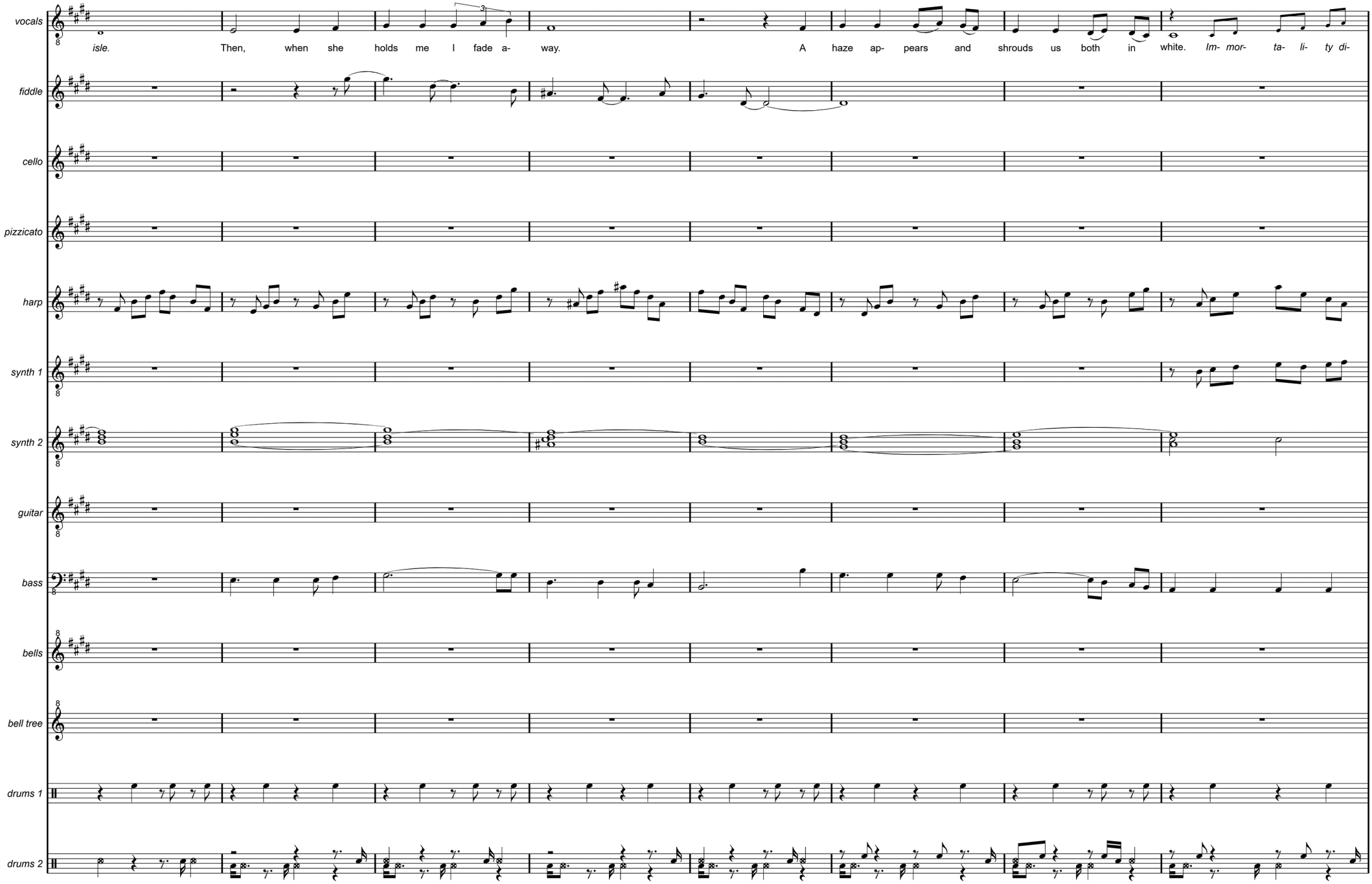
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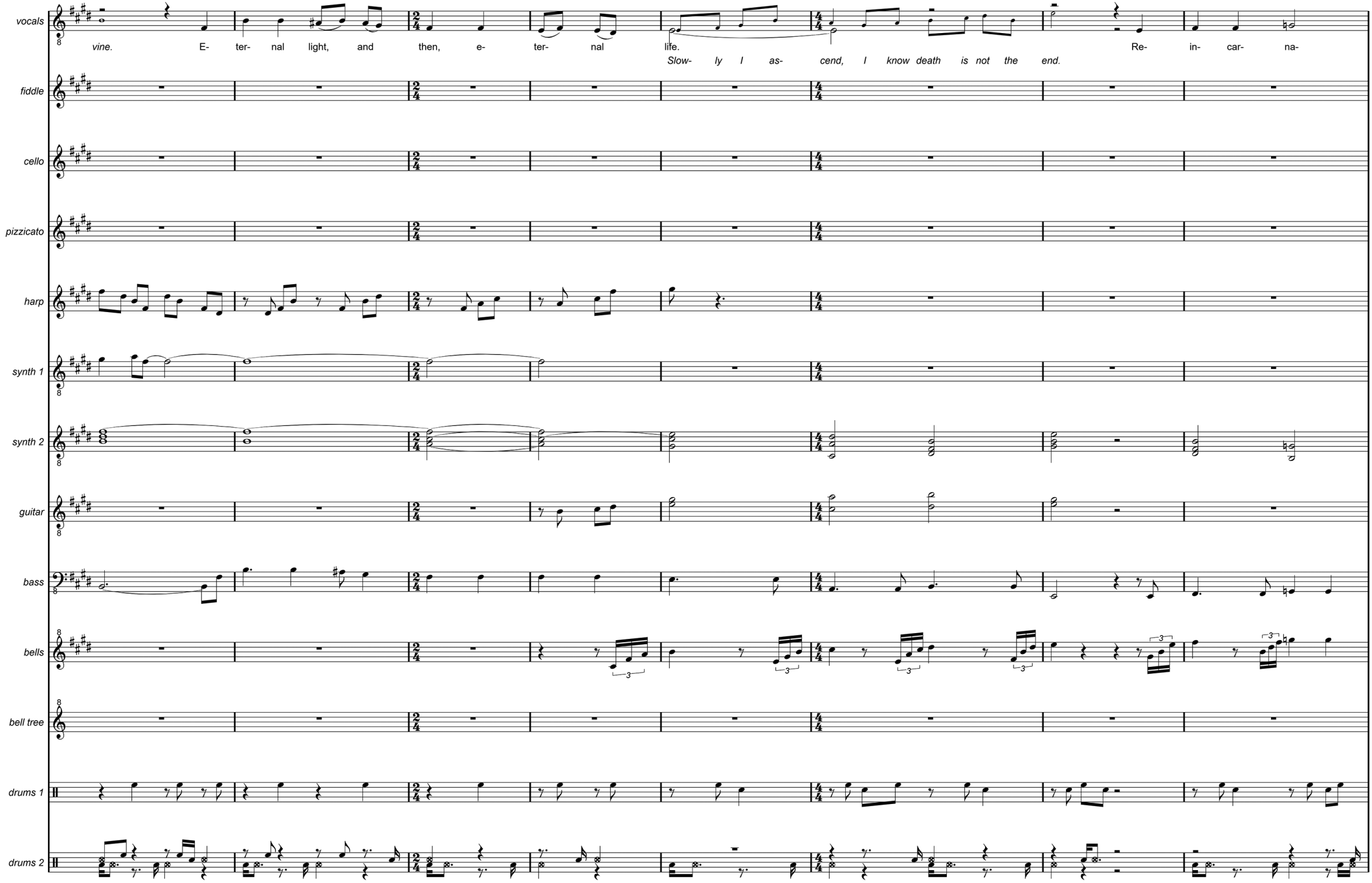
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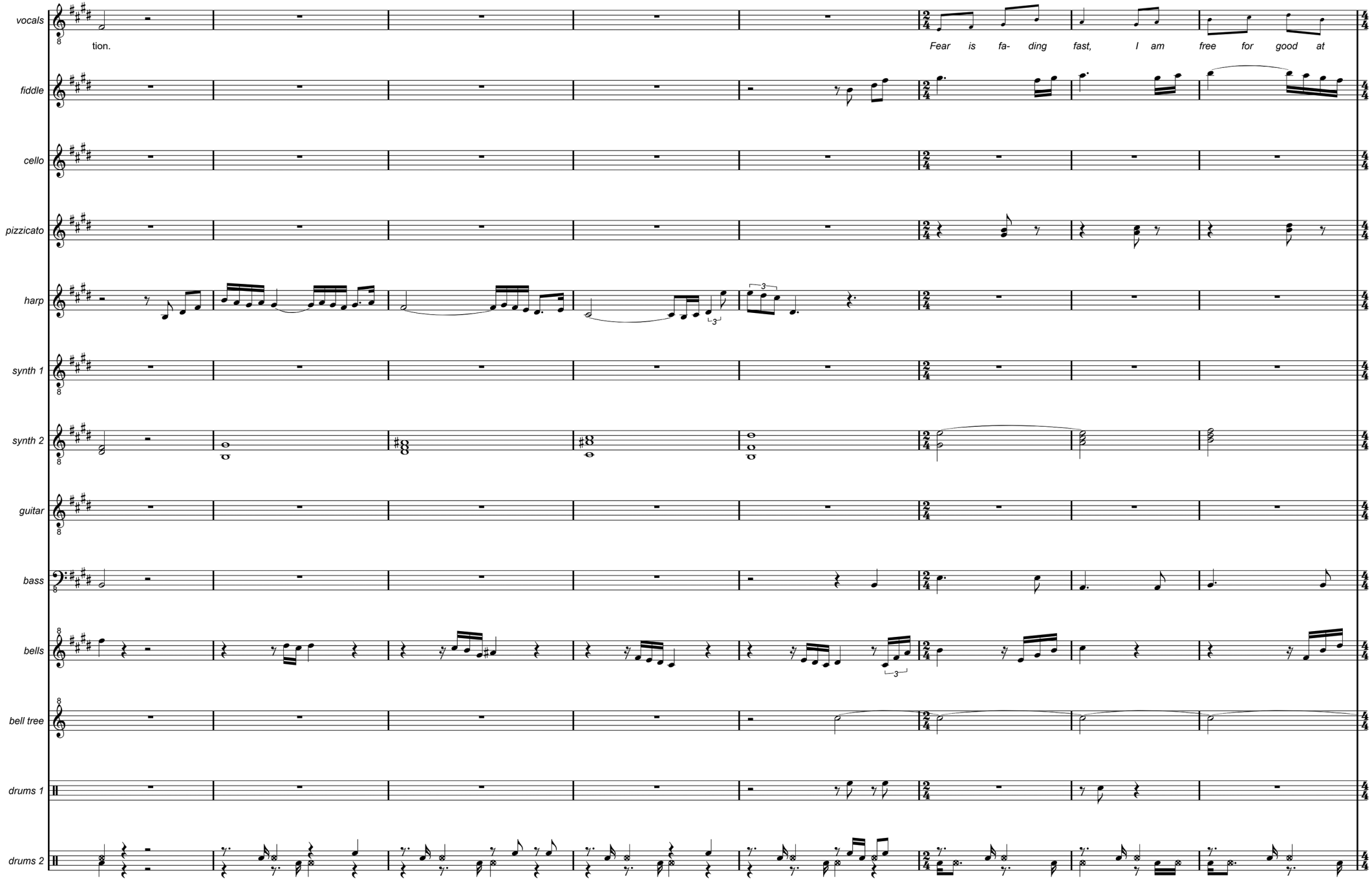
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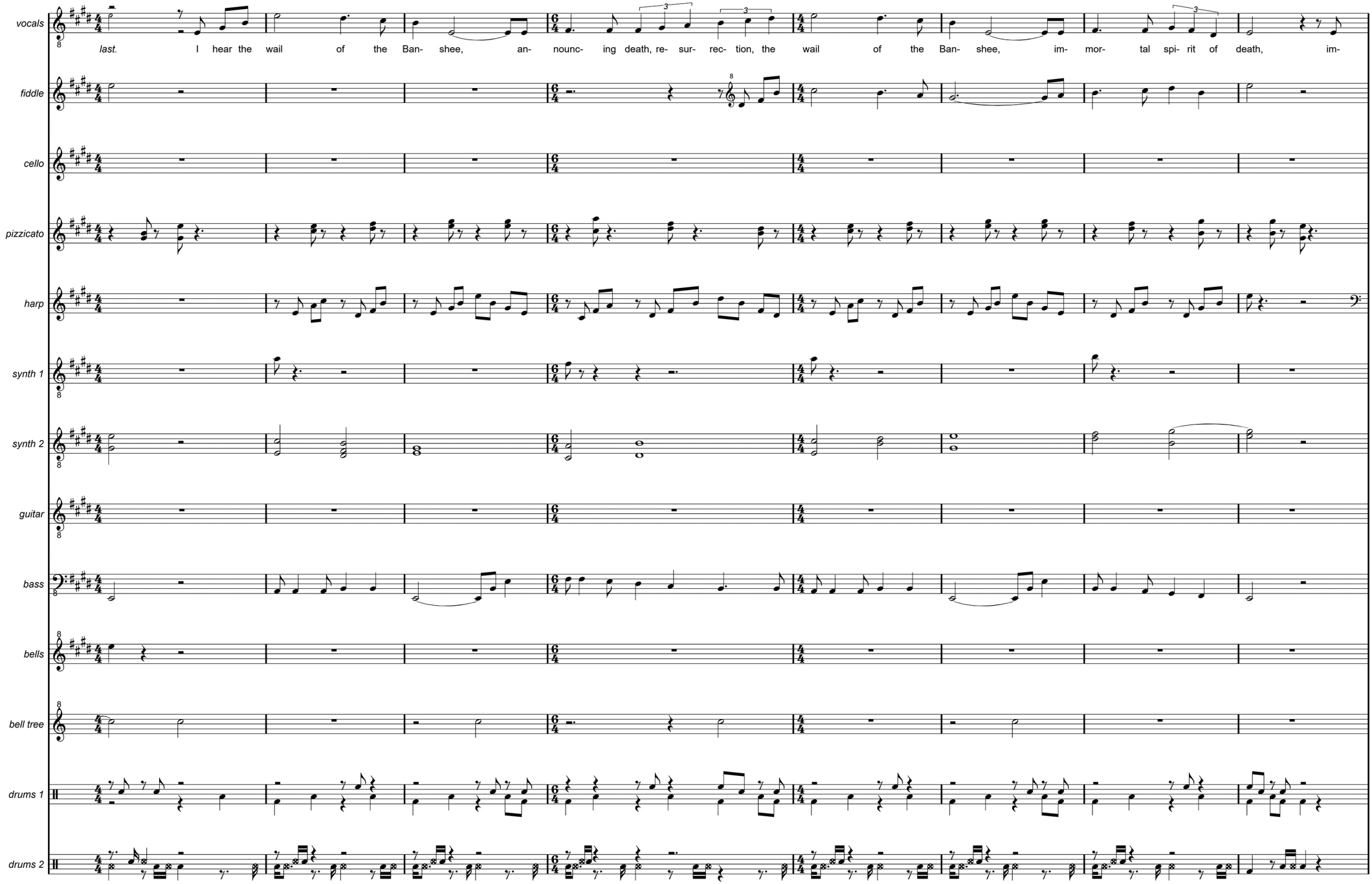
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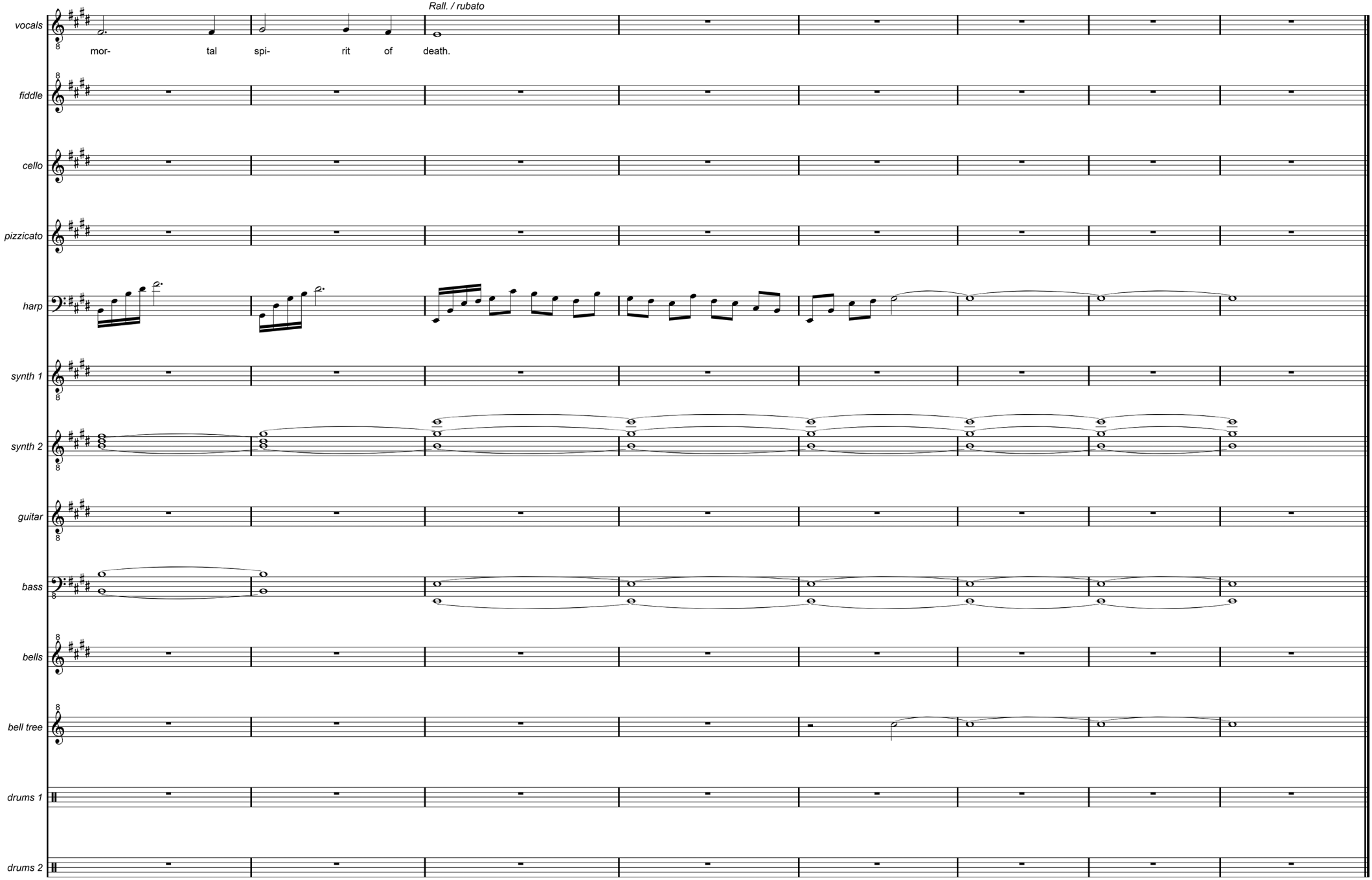
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FADING AWAY

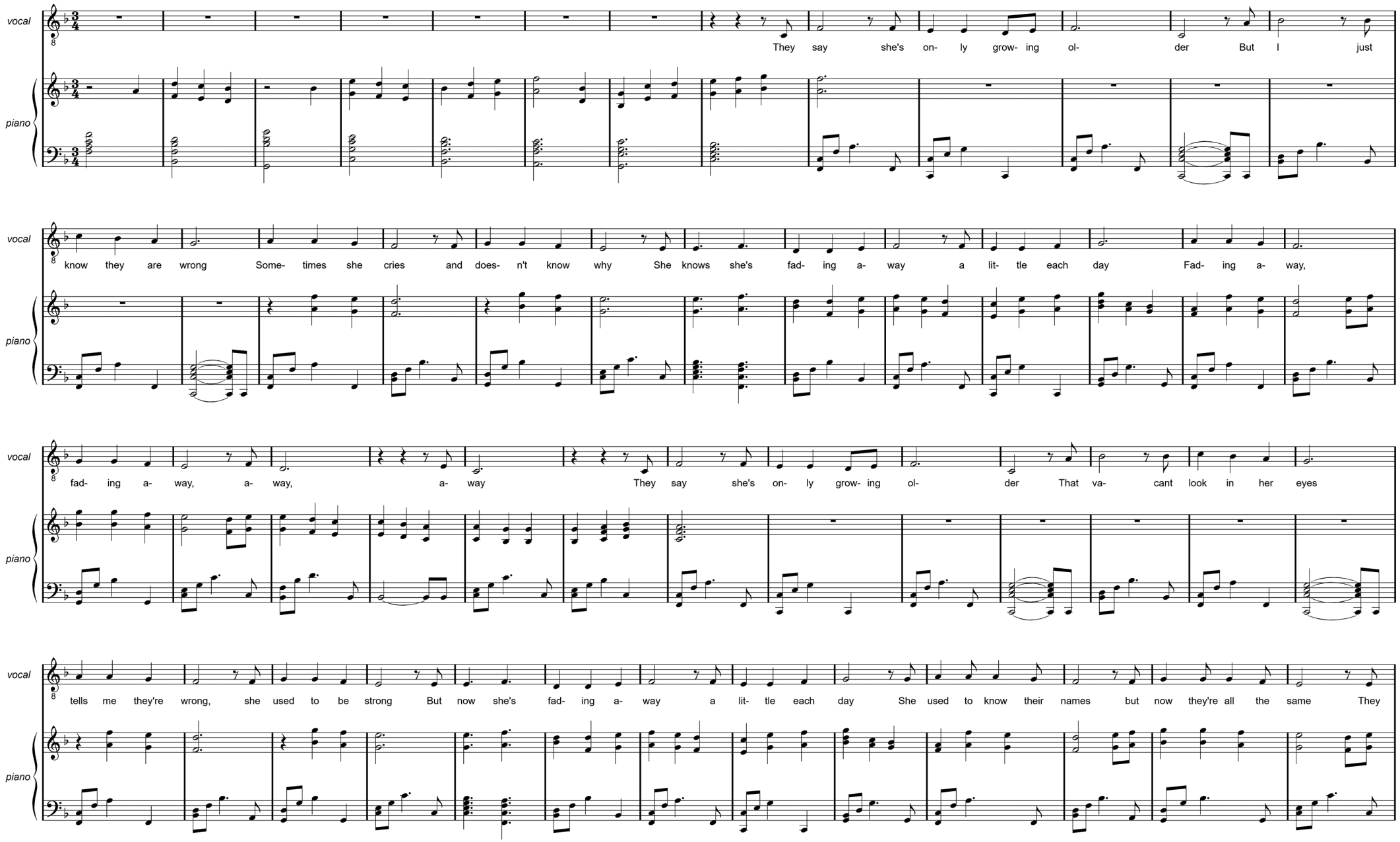
They say she's only growing older
But I just know they are wrong
Sometimes she cries and doesn't know why
She knows she's fading away a little each day
Fading away, away

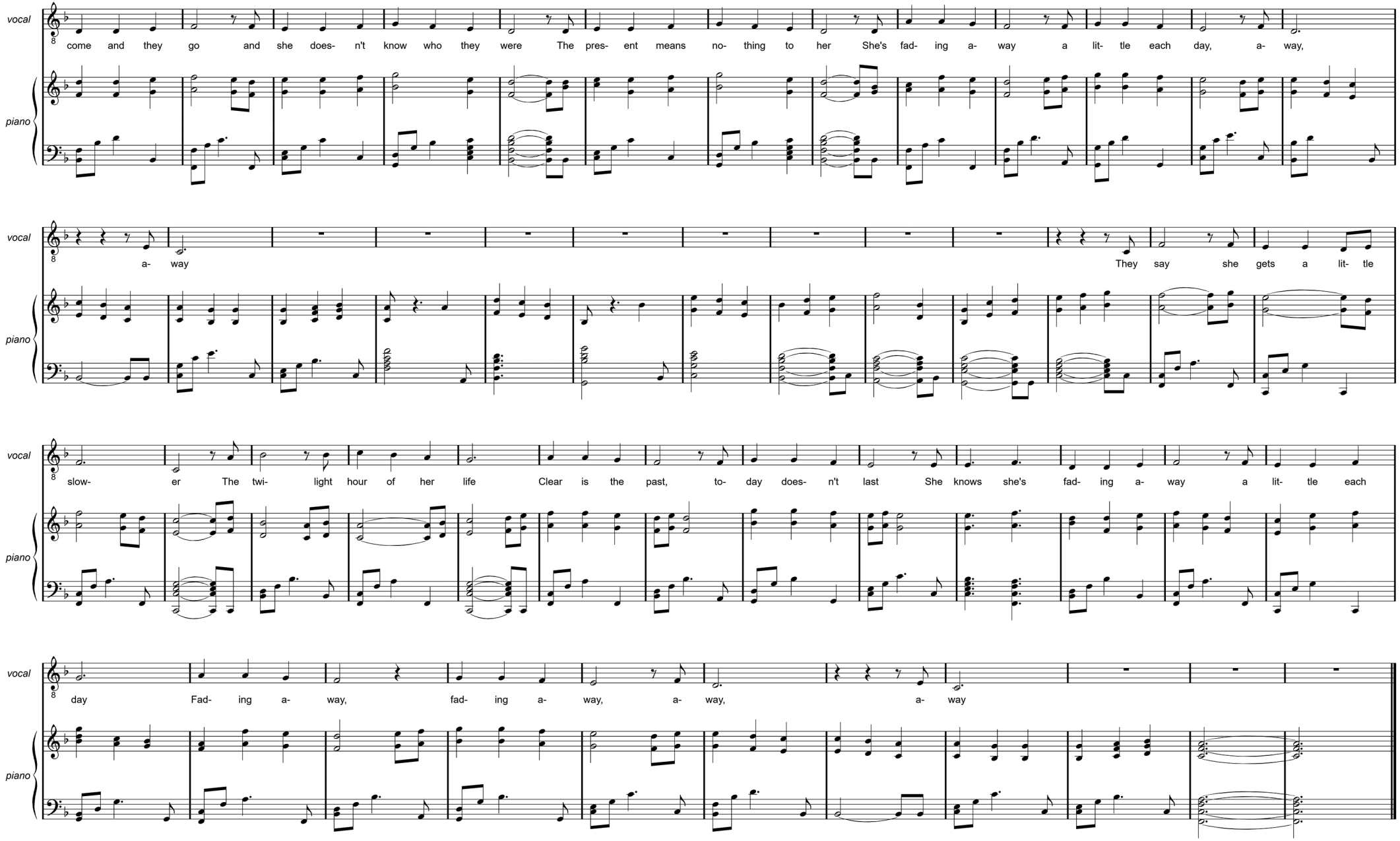
They say she gets a little slower
That vacant look in her eyes
Tells me they're wrong
She used to be strong
But now she's fading away a little each day

She used to know their names
But now they're all the same
They come and they go
And she doesn't know who they were
The present means nothing to her
She's fading away, a little each day, away

They say she's only growing older
The twilight hour of her life
Clear is the past, today doesn't last
She knows she's fading away a little each day
Fading away, away

FADING AWAY (NEW RECORDING)

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a- way
They say she gets a lit- tle
slow- er The twi- light hour of her life Clear is the past, to- day does- n't last She knows she's fad- ing a- way a lit- tle each
day Fad- ing a- way, fad- ing a- way, a- way, a- way

THE ANGUISH

So long ago, a winter's night
I held you close to me
So strange, I still remember you
Just like you used to be

Travelling on the path of time
Kissing your tears away
So strange, you are always in my heart
Every empty day

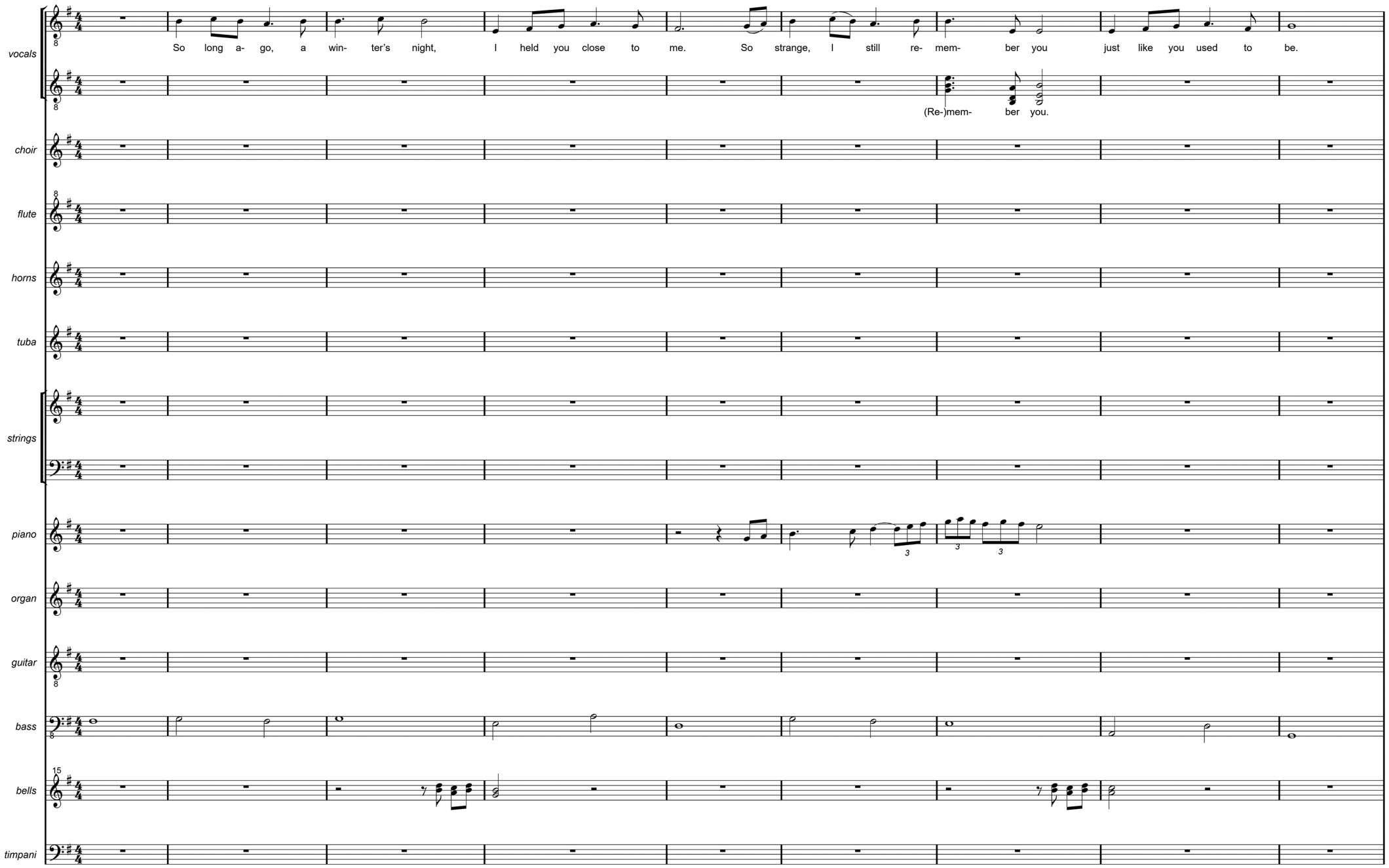
Life reaches for the end, easily slips away
Death, cold as ice, on the hunt, you're the prey
My everlasting love never fades, never ends
And now we will be forever friends

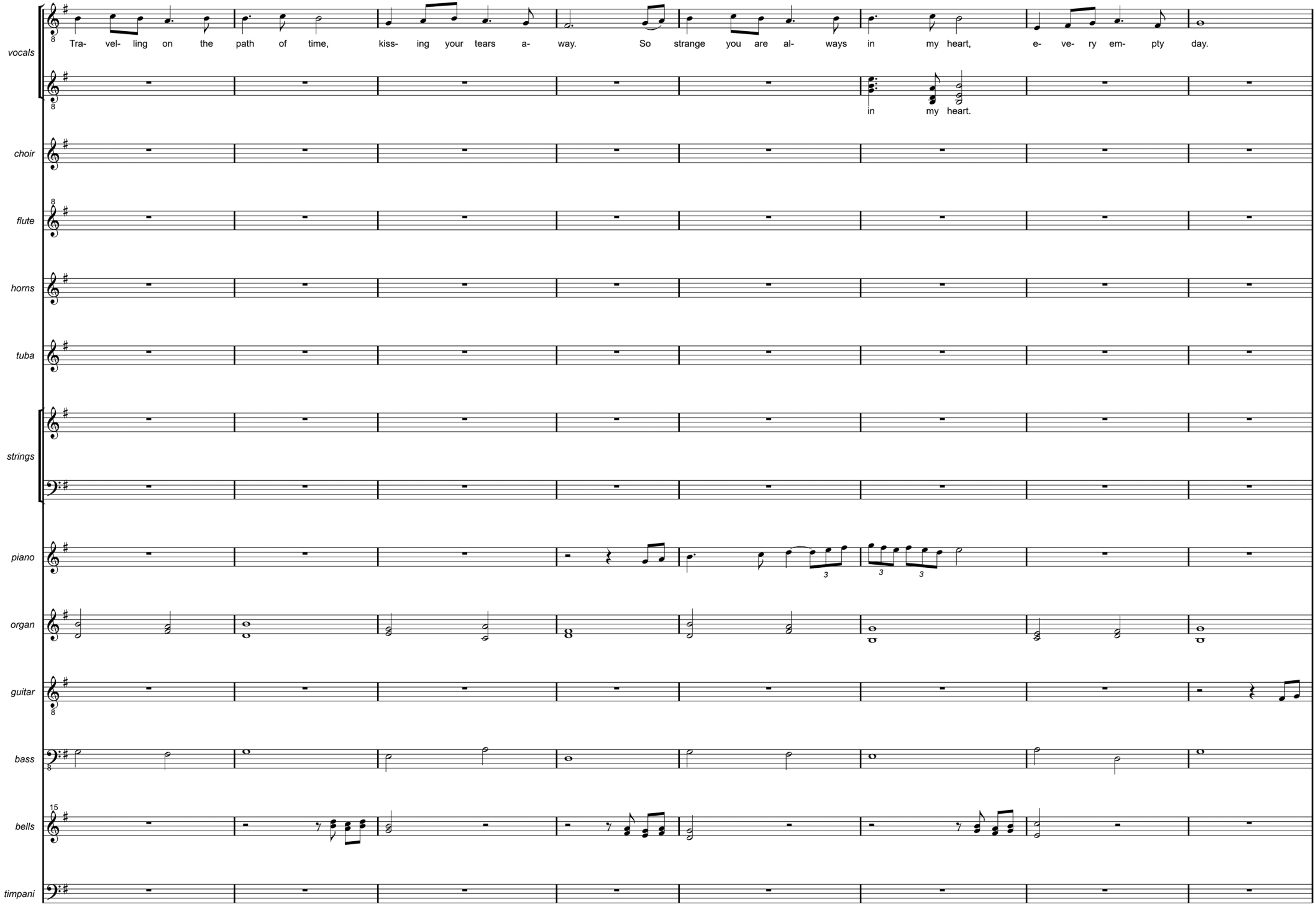
As I awaken with a scream
Salt are the tears I taste
So strange, I met you in a dream
Sensing the fear you faced

Life reaches for the end, easily slips away
Death, cold as ice, on the hunt, you're the prey
My everlasting love never fades, never ends
And now we will be forever friends

I'd give my soul to be with you
Wherever you are now
So strange, anything to have you near
This is my solemn vow

THE ANGUISH (REMIX)

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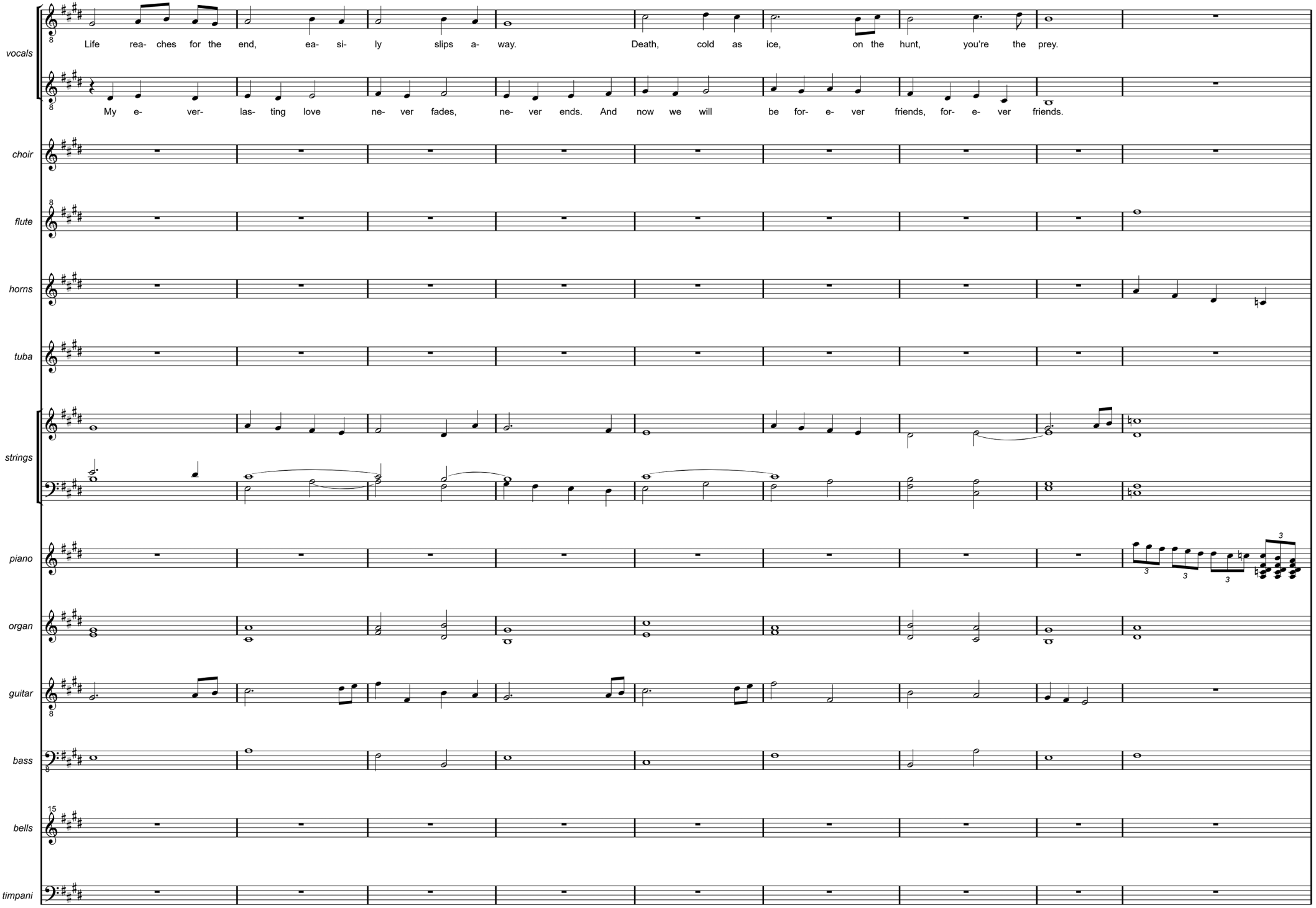
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Life rea- ches for the end, ea- si- ly slips a- way. Death, cold as ice, on the hunt, you're the prey.
My e- ver- las- ting love ne- ver fades, ne- ver ends. And now we will be for- e- ver friends, for- e- ver friends.
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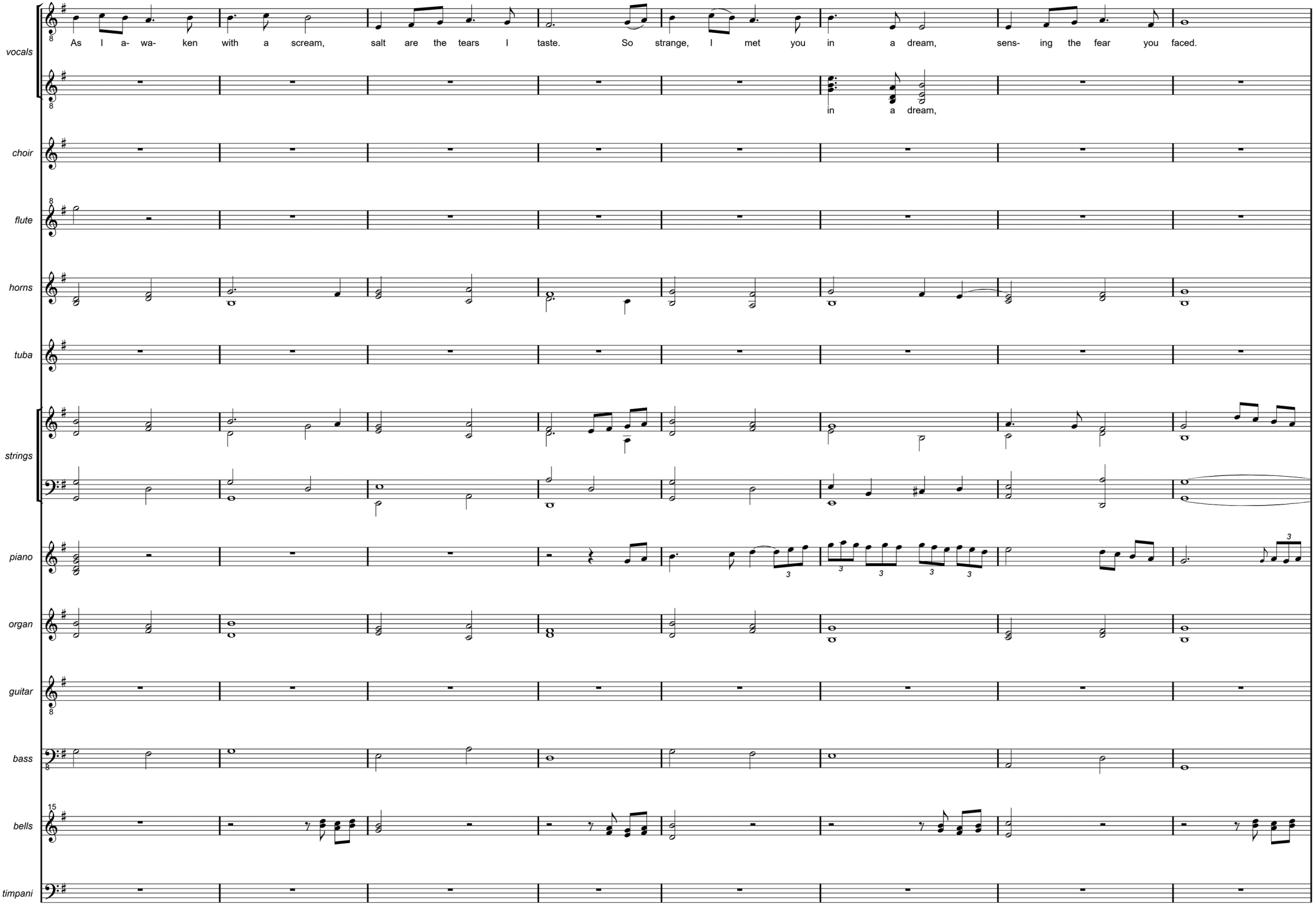
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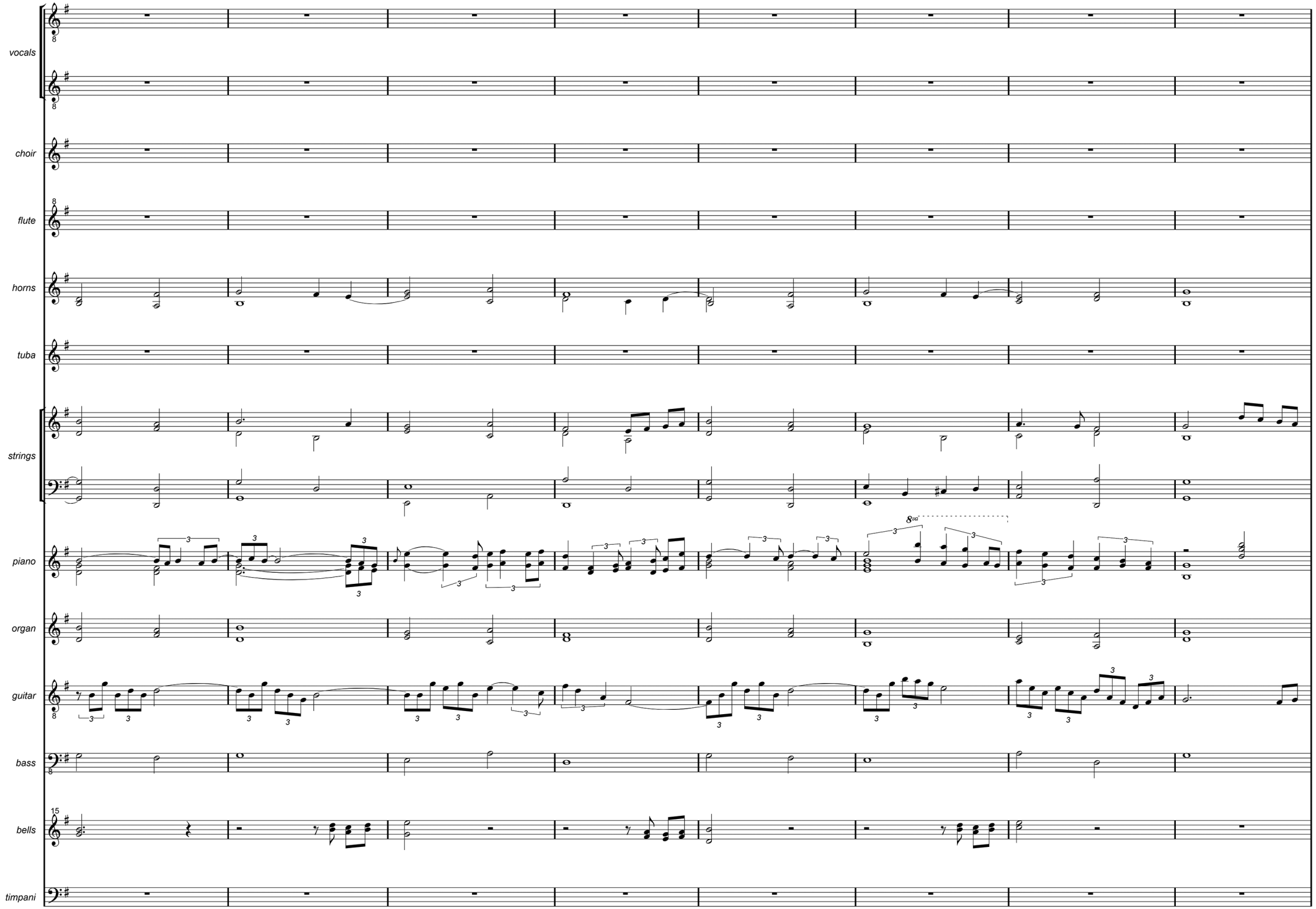
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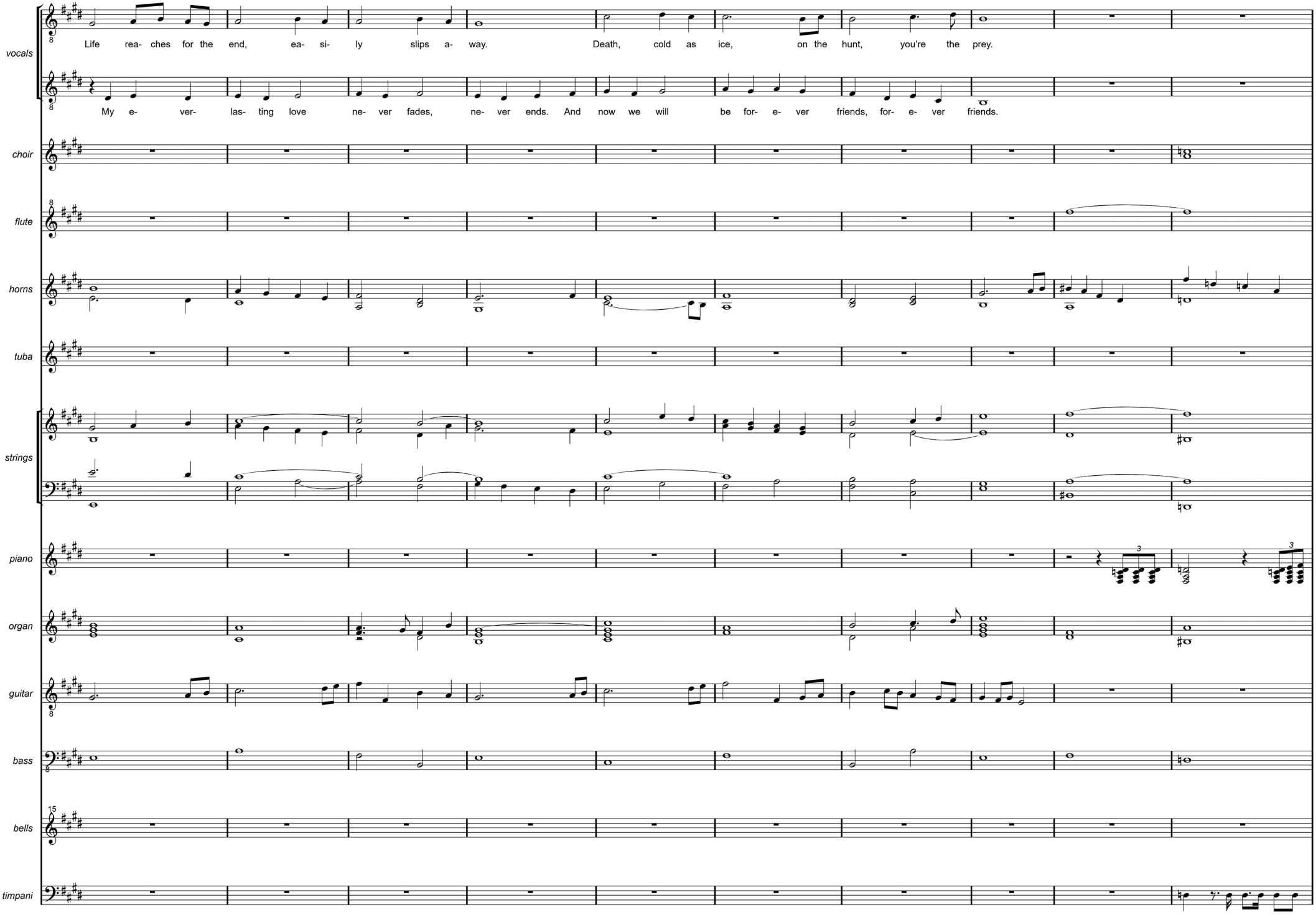
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My e- ver- las- ting love ne- ver fades, ne- ver ends. And now we will be for- e- ver friends, for- e- ver friends.
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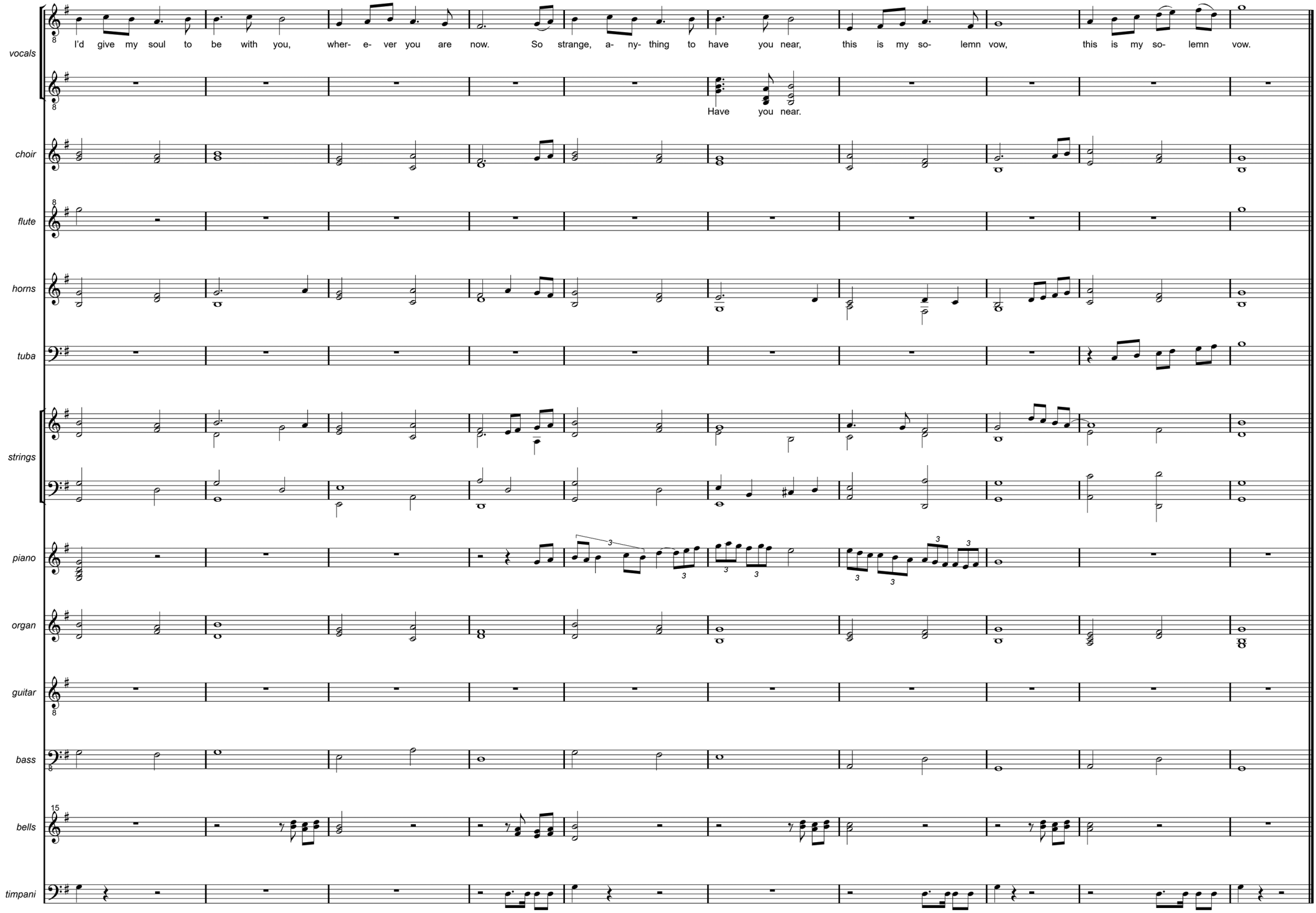

vocals
I'd give my soul to be with you, wher- e- ver you are now. So strange, a- ny- thing to have you near, this is my so- lemn vow, this is my so- lemn vow.
Have you near.
choir
flute
horns
tuba
strings
piano
organ
guitar
bass
bells
timpani

NO REMORSE

Behind a disguise, mysterious eyes
An angel of the dark
You've set me on fire, you control my desire
Once lit with just a spark

I give, you just take, a tragic mistake
But still I deeply yearn for you
But you've left me and there's no return

My desperate heart, once taken apart
So easy to acquire
Yet you're not to blame, it's your nature to gain
The things you most desire

You know how to play every man on your way
I get what I deserve
Obeying your wishes - guess I'm born to serve

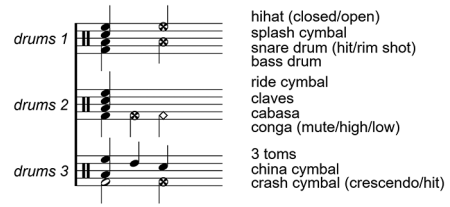
I should have seen through your disguise
I should have noticed your evil lies
Now it's too late to change my course
clearly you have no remorse

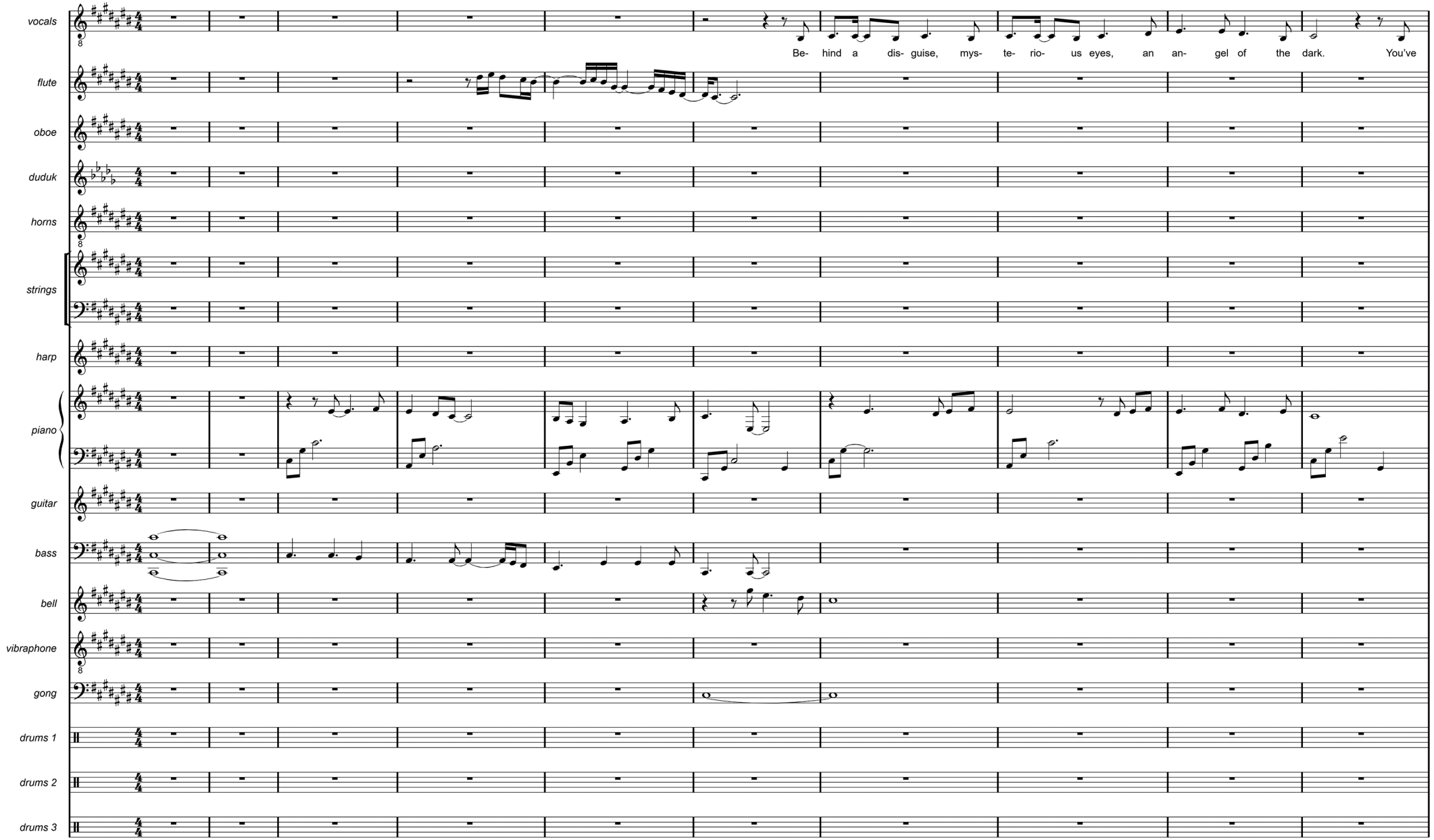
A master, indeed, you take what you need
You just don't care at all
No matter the cost, all your victims have lost
With magic you enthral

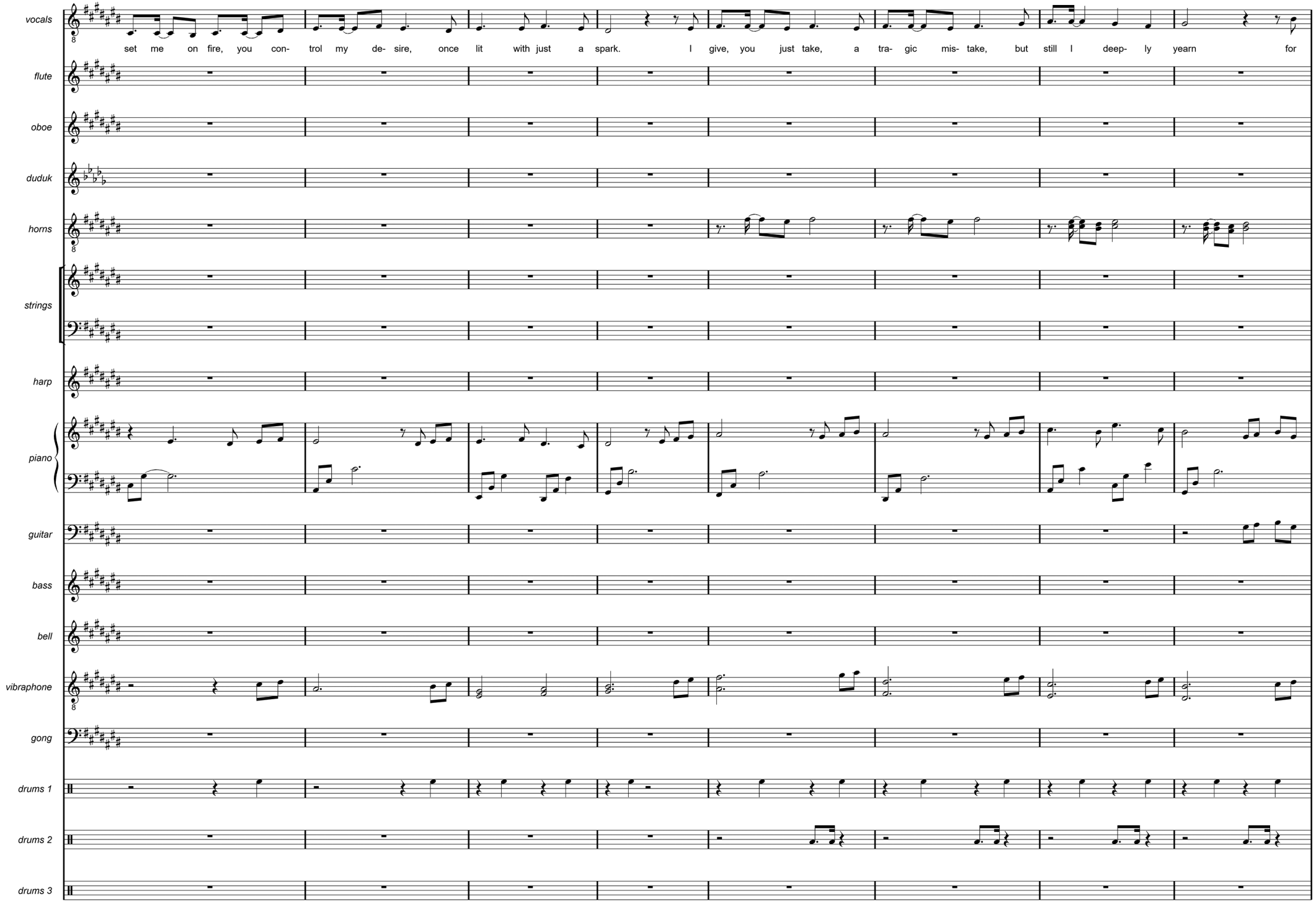
I'm under your spell and you know all too well
I can't escape your hold
I'm burning forever for a man so cold

I should have seen through your disguise
I should have noticed your evil lies
Now it's too late to change my course
clearly you have no remorse

NO REMORSE (EXTENDED)






vocals
set me on fire, you con- trol my de- sire, once lit with just a spark. I give, you just take, a tra- gic mis- take, but still I deep- ly yearn for
flute
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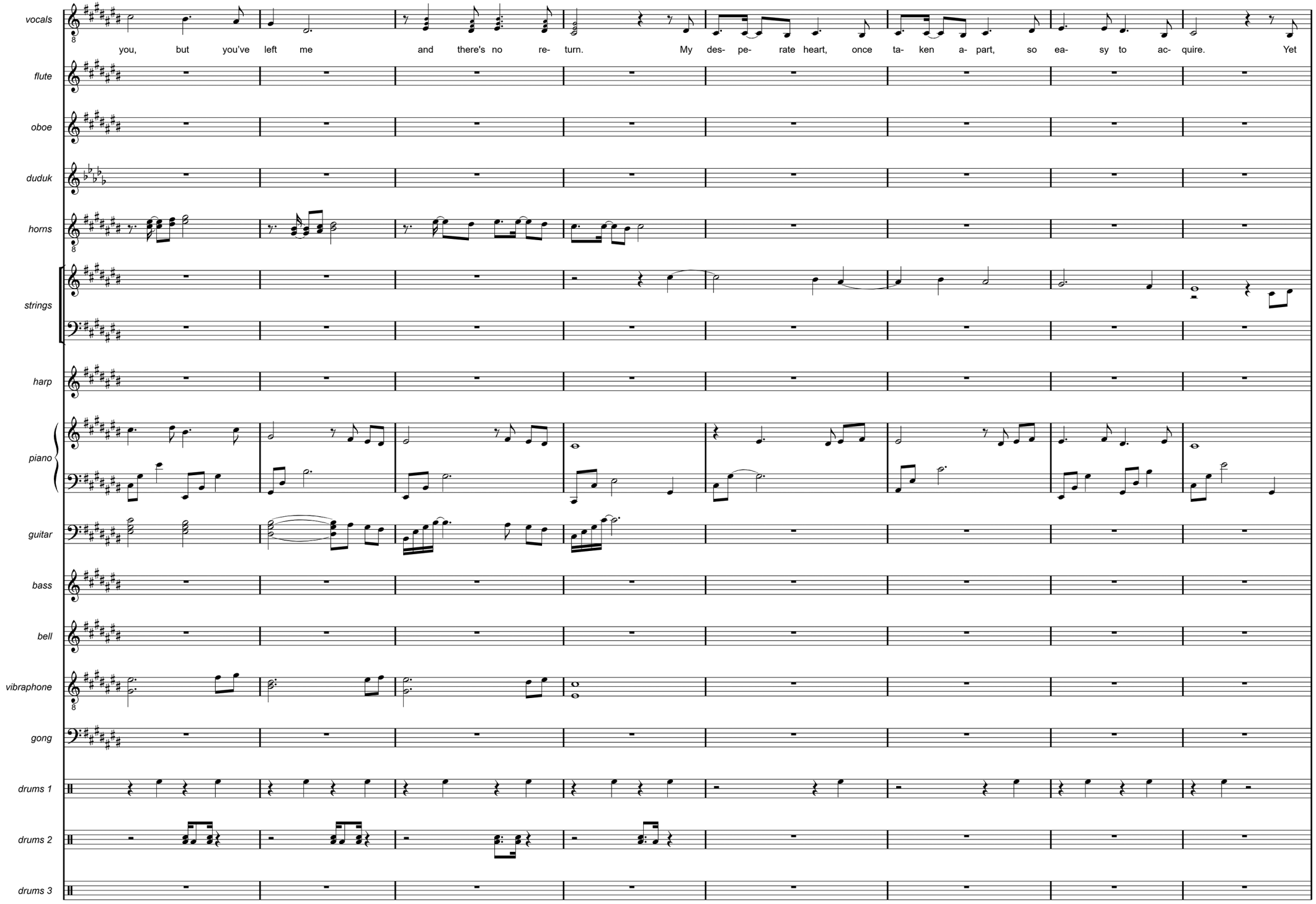
vocals
you, but you've left me and there's no re- turn. My des- pe- rate heart, once ta- ken a- part, so ea- sy to ac- quire. Yet
flute
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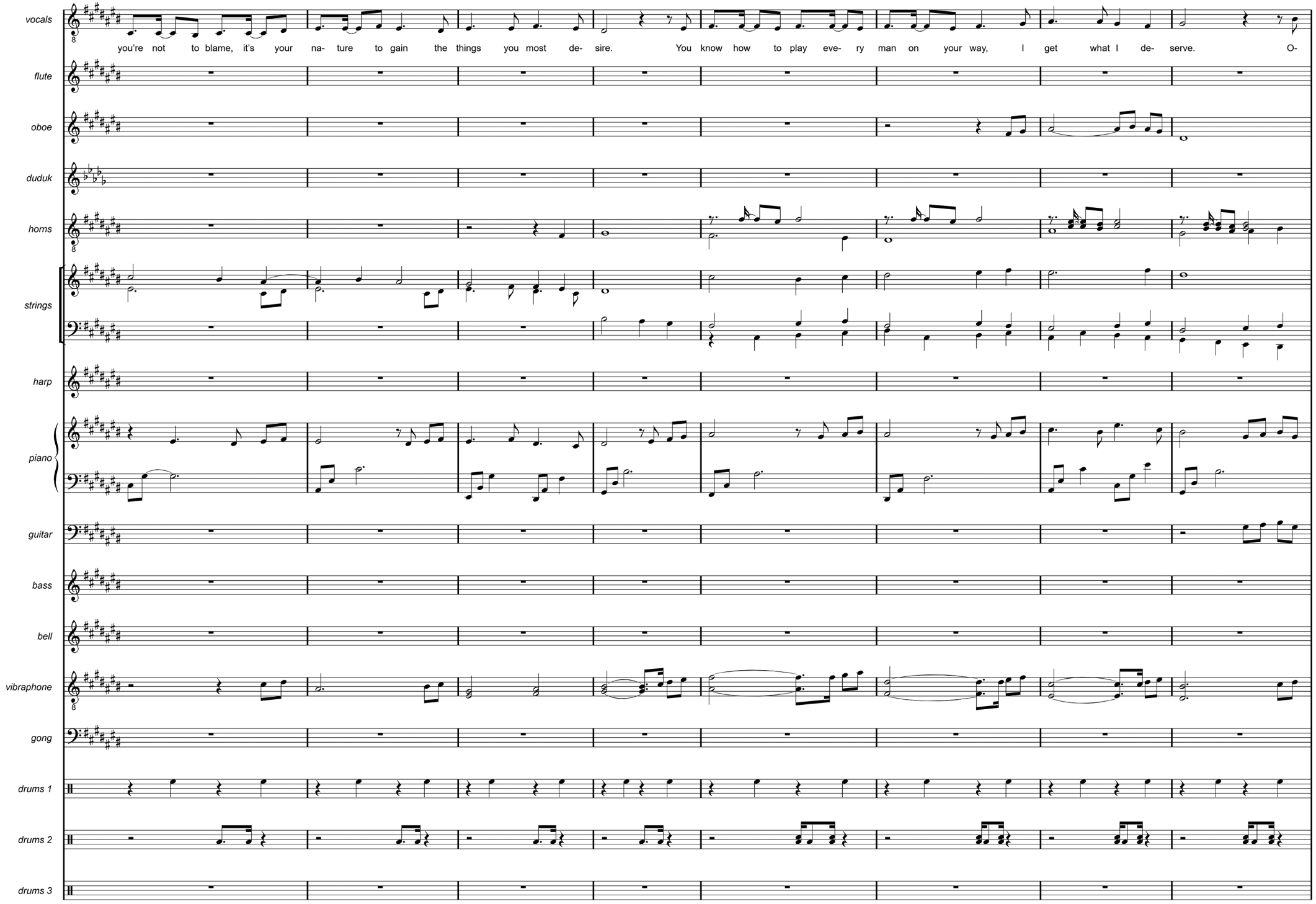
vocals
you're not to blame, it's your na- ture to gain the things you most de- sire. You know how to play eve- ry man on your way, I get what I de- serve. O-
flute
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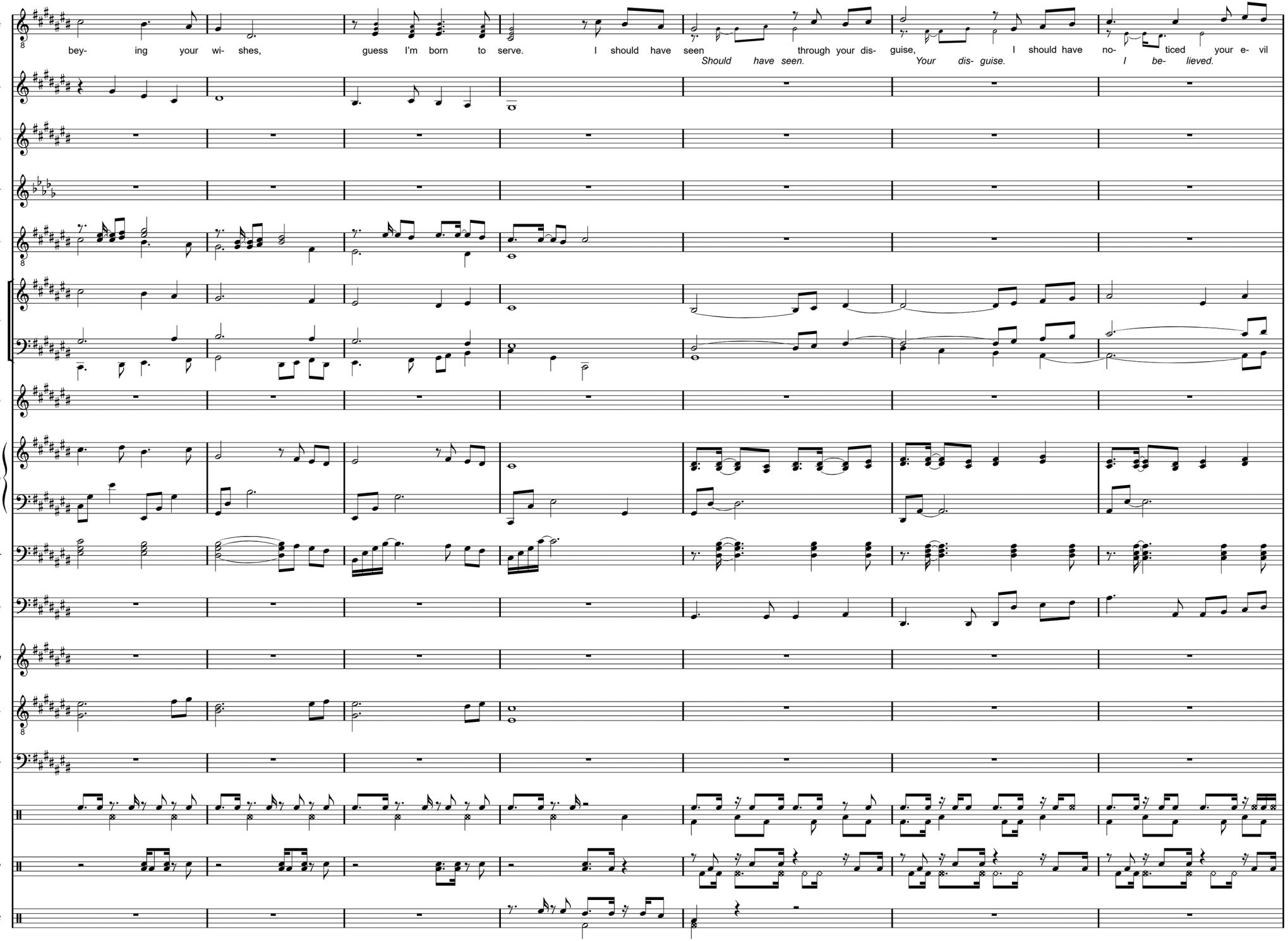
vocals
bey- ing your wi- shes, guess I'm born to serve. I should have seen through your dis- guise, I should have no- ticed your e- vil
Should have seen. Your dis- guise. I be- lieved.
flute
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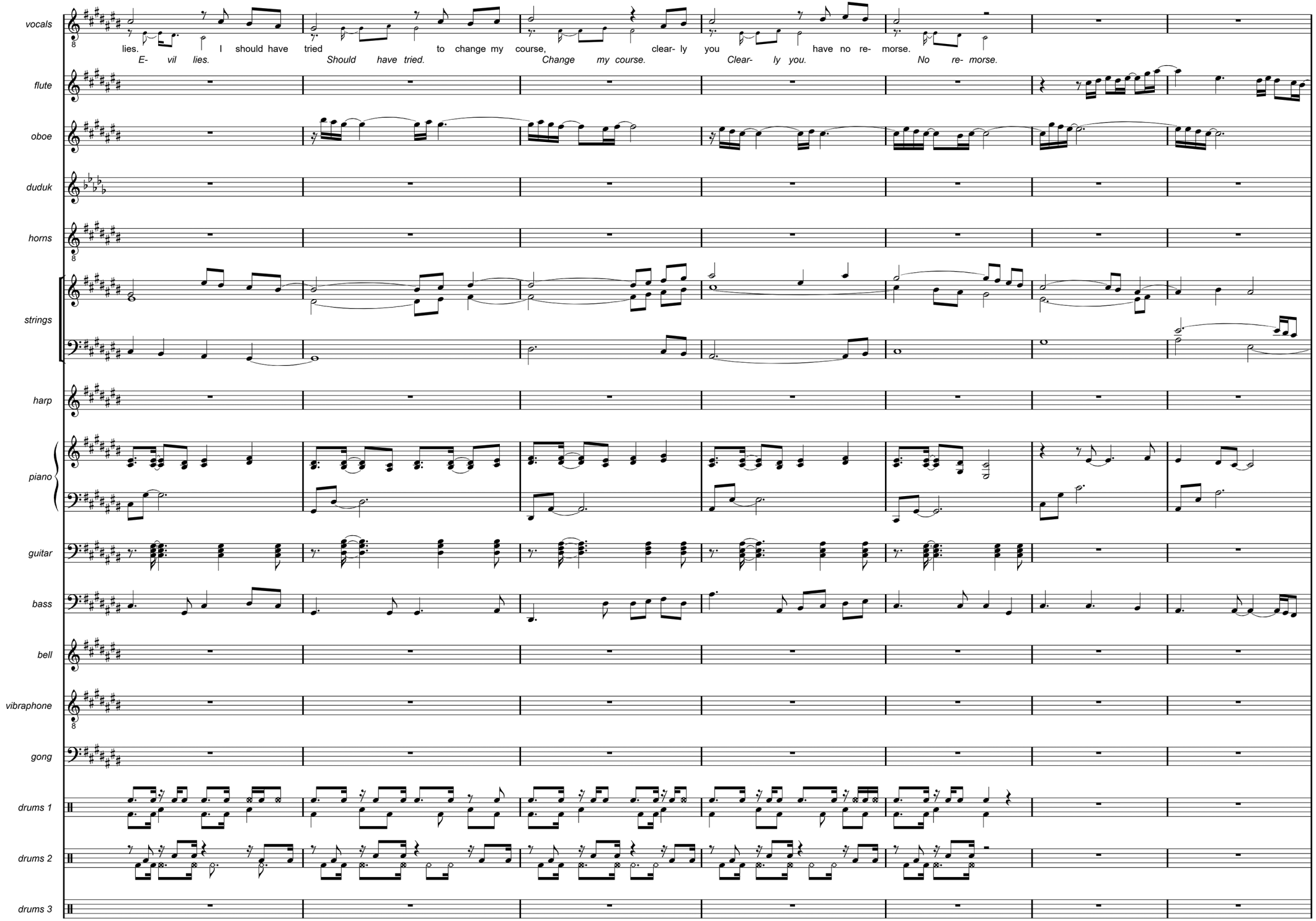
vocals
lies. I should have tried to change my course, clear- ly you have no re- morse.
E- vil lies. Should have tried. Change my course. Clear- ly you. No re- morse.
flute
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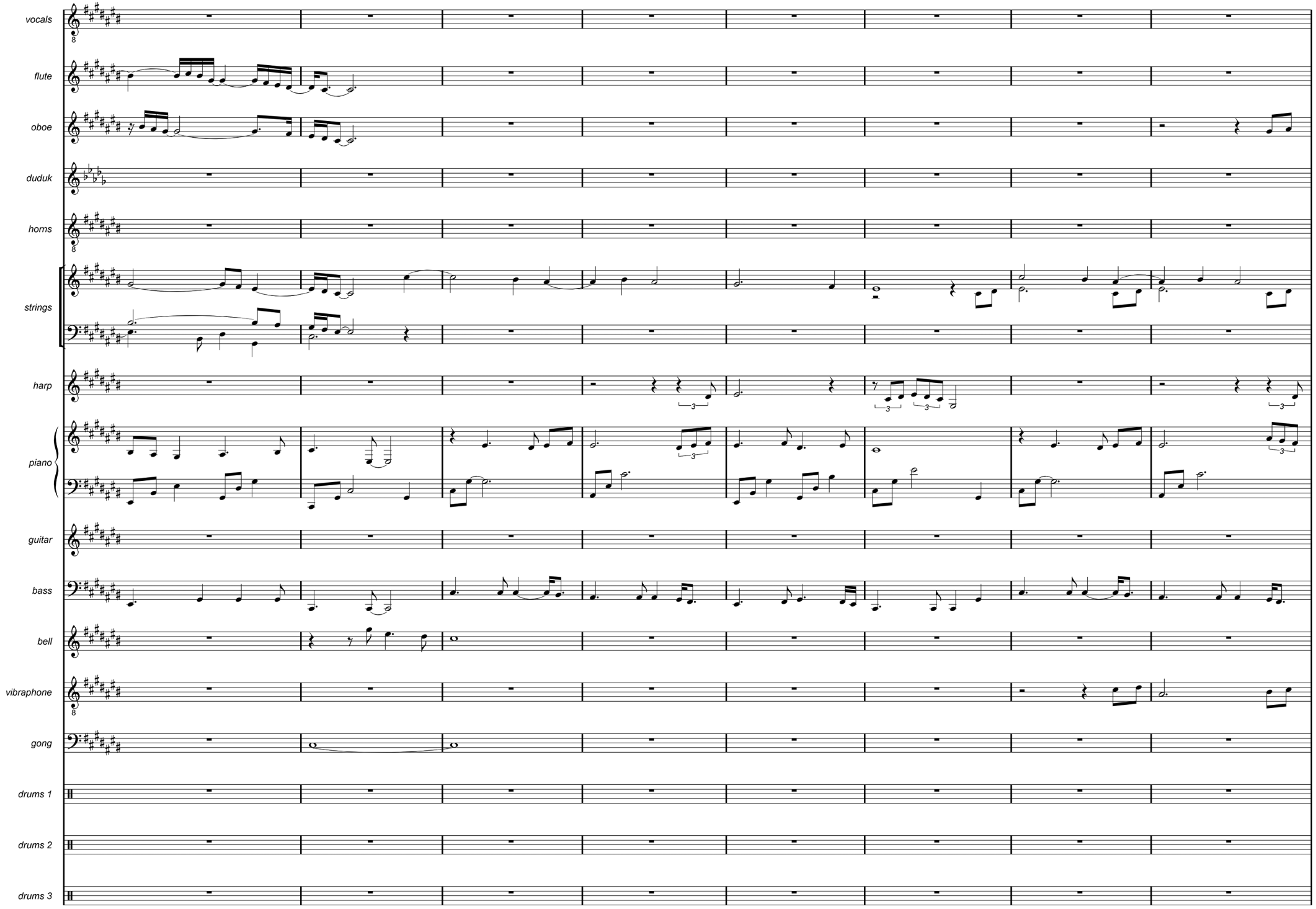
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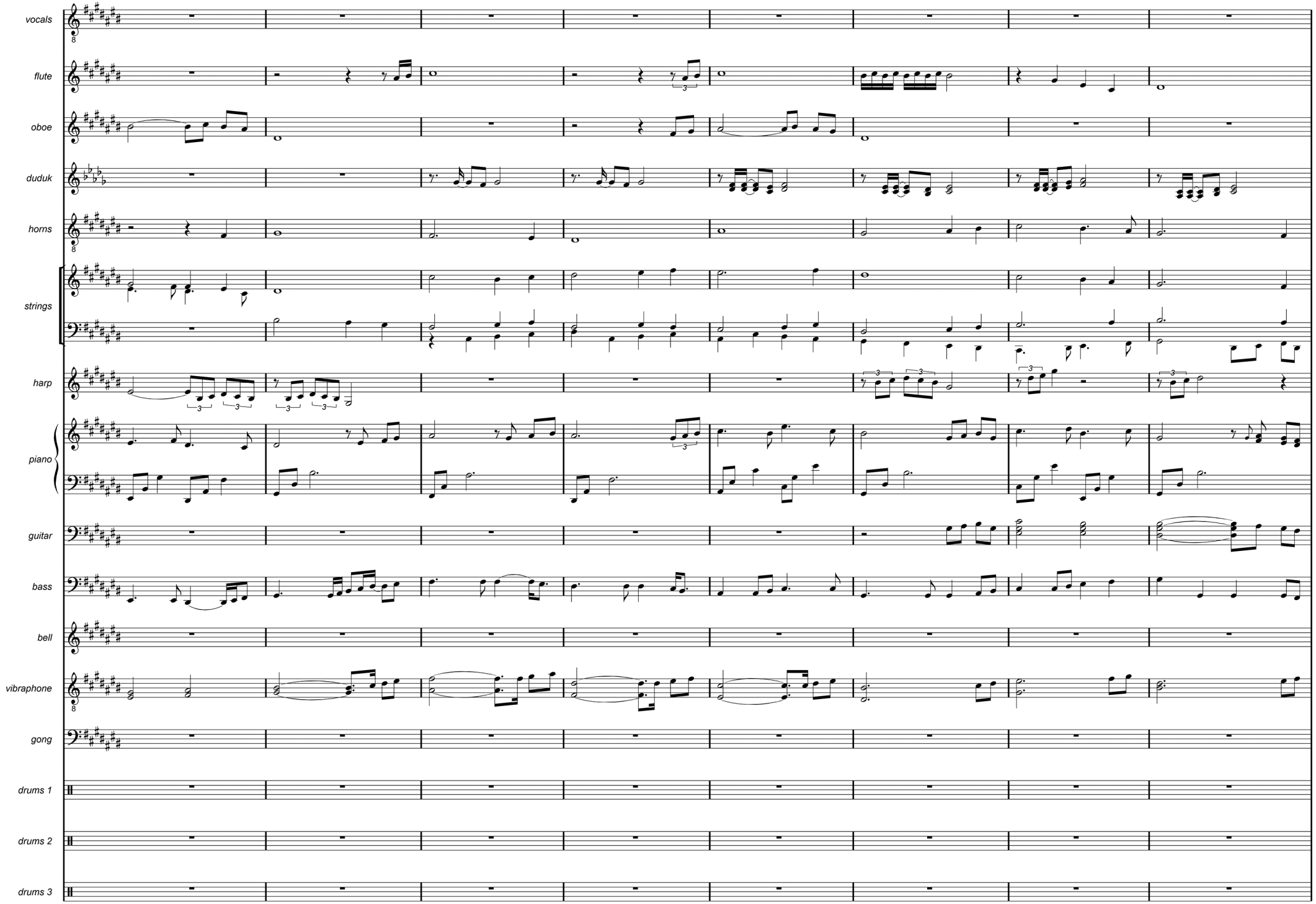
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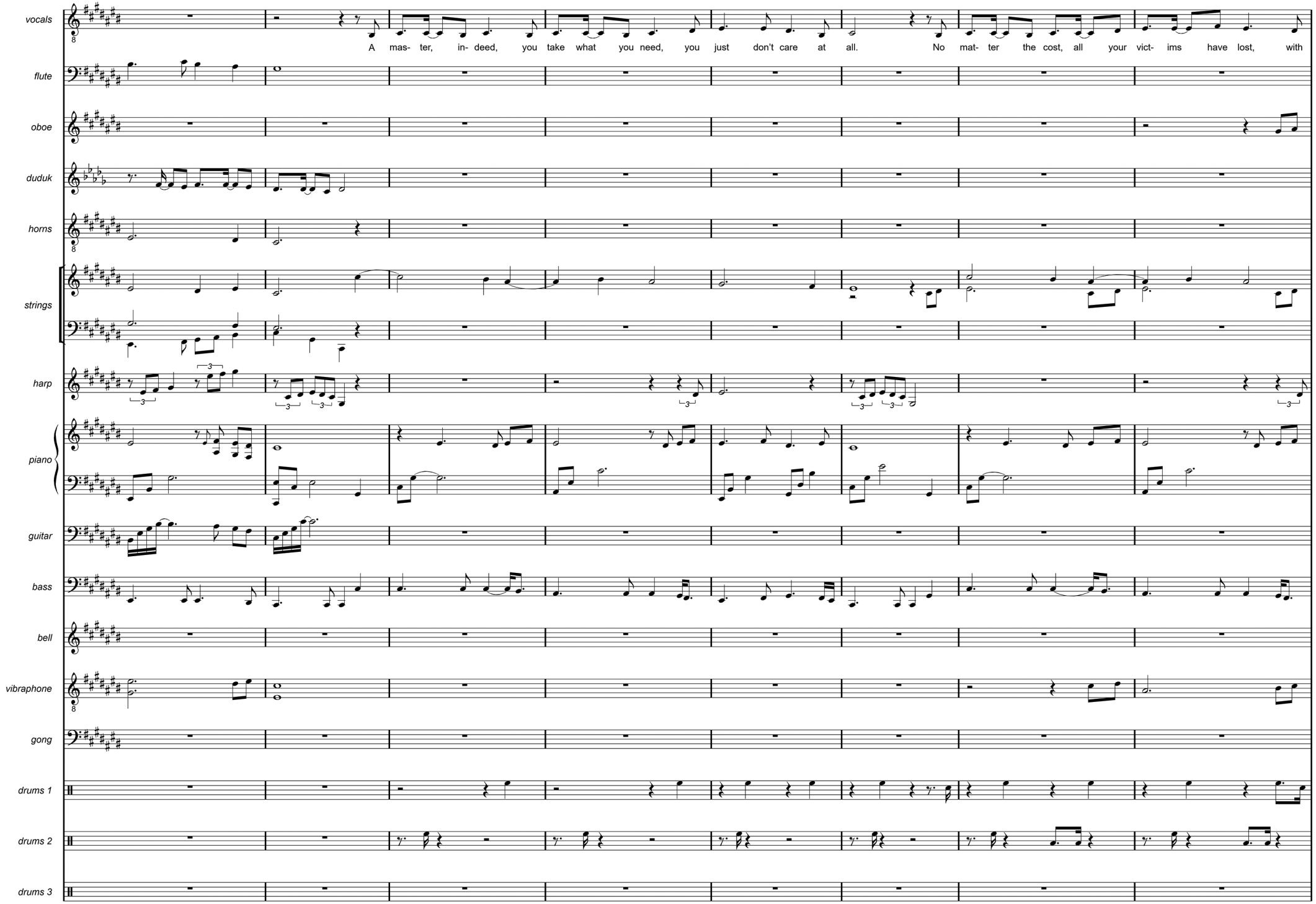
vocals
A mas- ter, in- deed, you take what you need, you just don't care at all. No mat- ter the cost, all your vict- ims have lost, with
flute
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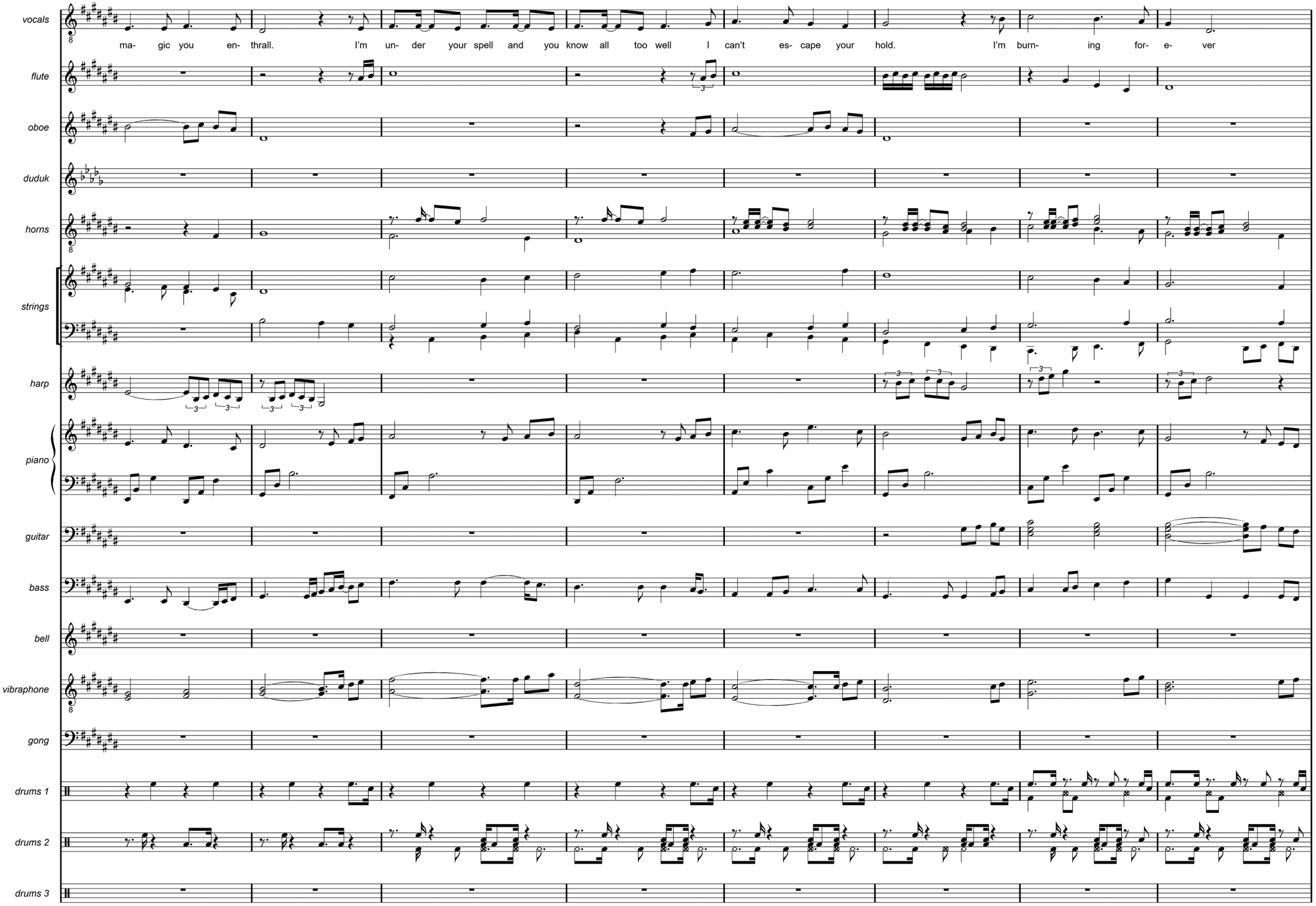
vocals
ma- gic you en- thrall. I'm un- der your spell and you know all too well I can't es- cape your hold. I'm burn- ing for- e- ver
flute
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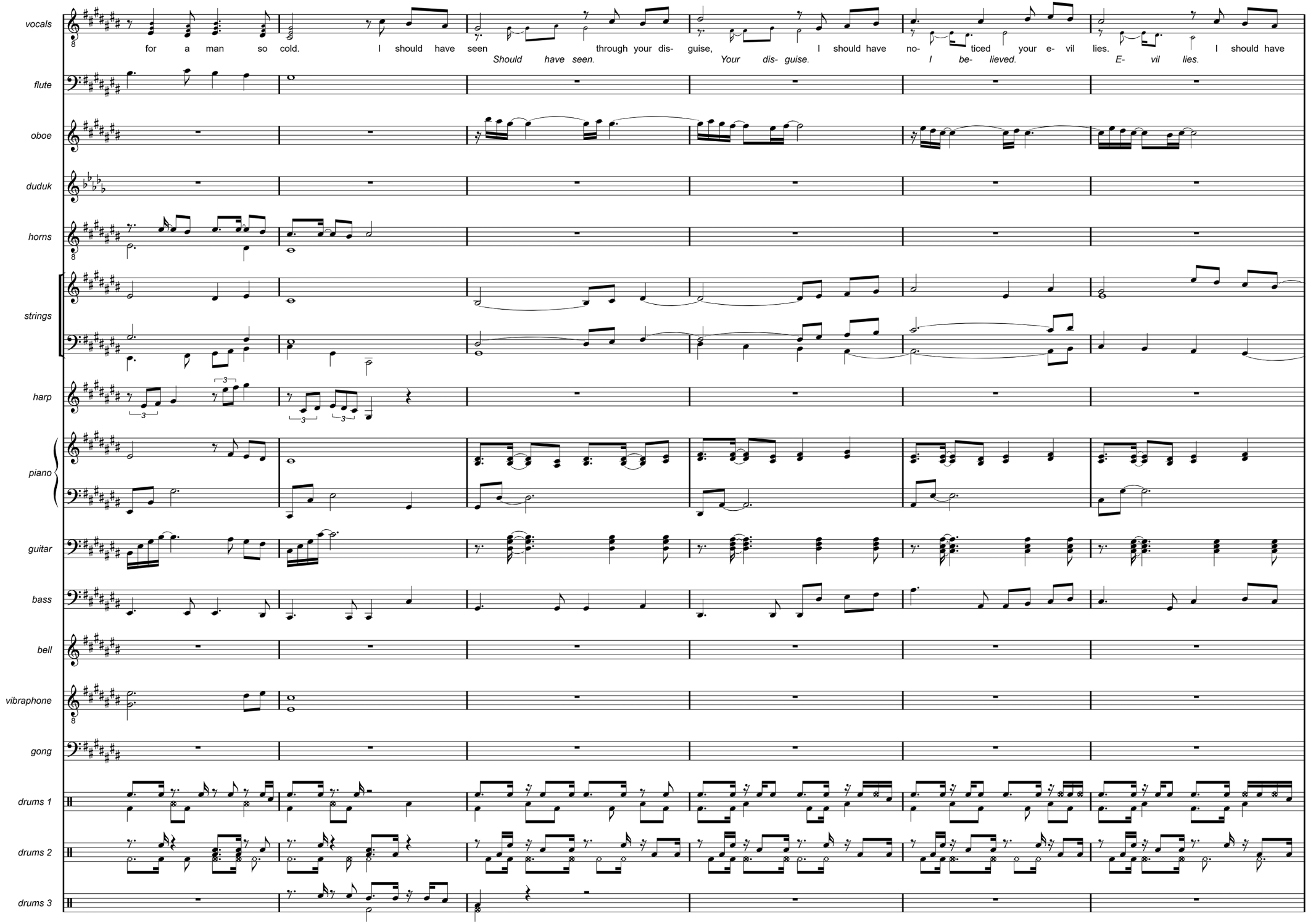
vocals
for a man so cold. I should have seen through your dis- guise, I should have no- ticed your e- vil lies. I should have
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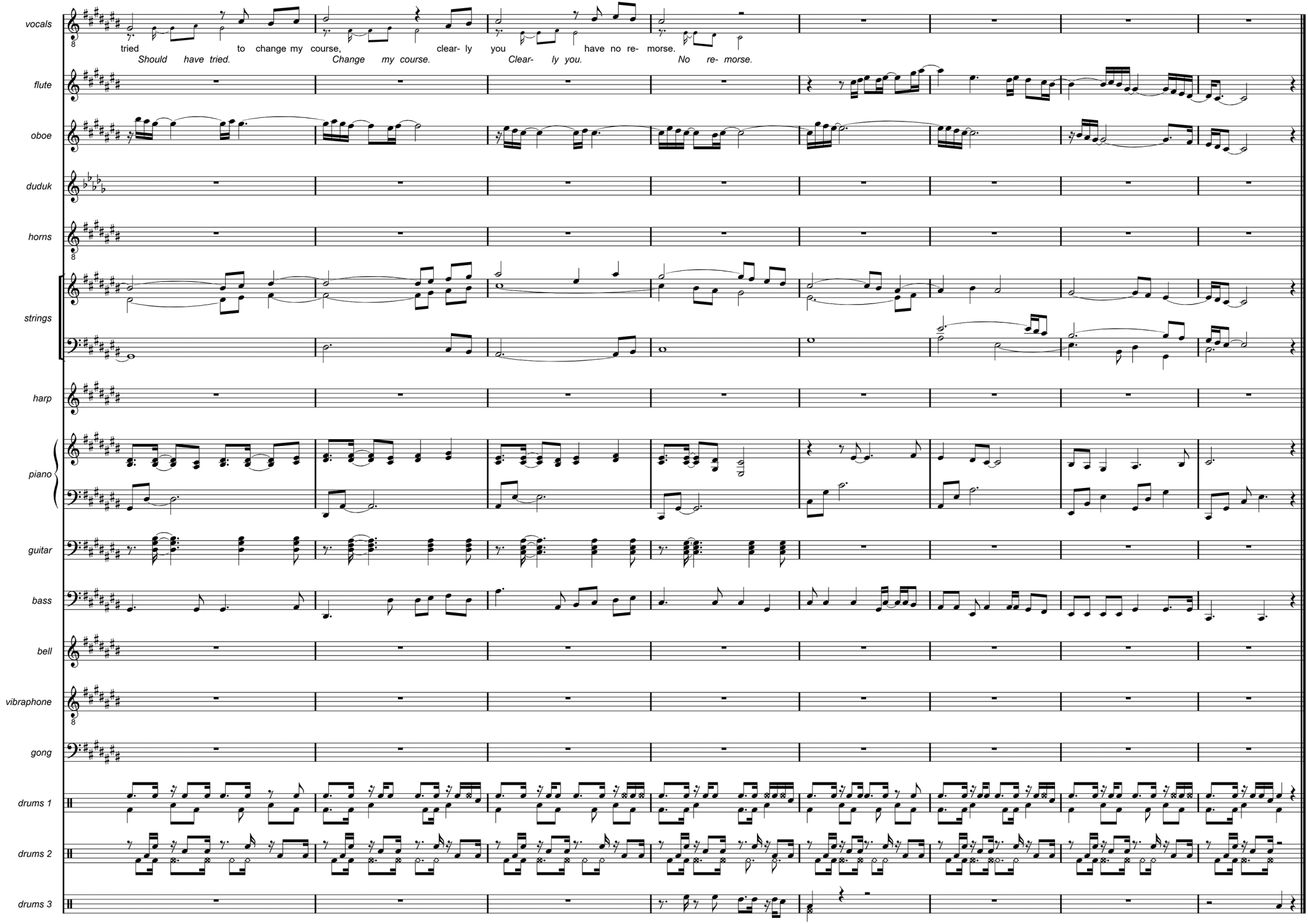
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drums 1
drums 2
drums 3

ASTRAY

Every day just drifts away without you
And every night I sleep alone
Never thought you'd disappear
But now you've gone
I thought our love was really strong
I must have been mistaken
For here I am, on my own

I'd thought that we'd be together
For so many years, I had no fear
Of losing the love that we shared
Oh how can it be that I was so blind
Mislead, misguided, you've lead me astray

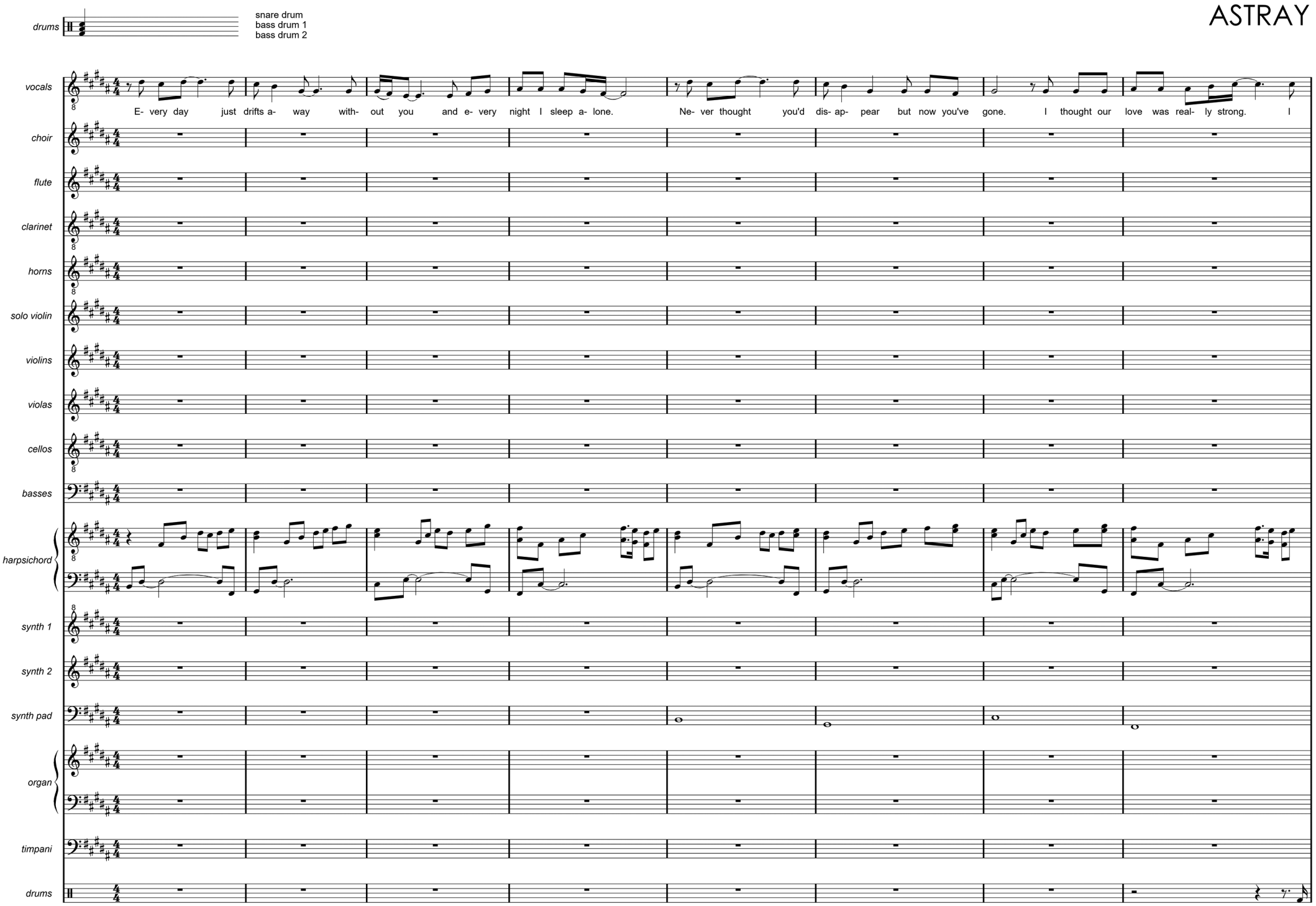
For you had promised to have and to hold
For better, for worse, in sickness and health
I really believed those vows of love
But you've decided to break them and leave
For someone else

Now the days just drift away without you
I hardly sleep since you've been gone
Solitude and mournfulness
An empty house
As empty as my life's become
Without you there is nothing left
And once again, I'm on my own

I'd thought we'd be together
And forever more, but I was wrong
And what can I do now you've gone
The lies that you told, I must have been blind
Mislead, misguided, you've lead me astray

For you had promised to have and to hold
In good times, in bad, 'till death do us part
I really believed those vows of love
But you've decided to cast them aside
There's nothing left

ASTRAY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bass drum 1
bass drum 2
vocals
E- very day just drifts a- way with- out you and e- very night I sleep a- lone.
Ne- ver thought you'd dis- ap- pear but now you've gone.
I thought our love was real- ly strong.
I
choir
flute
clarinet
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organ
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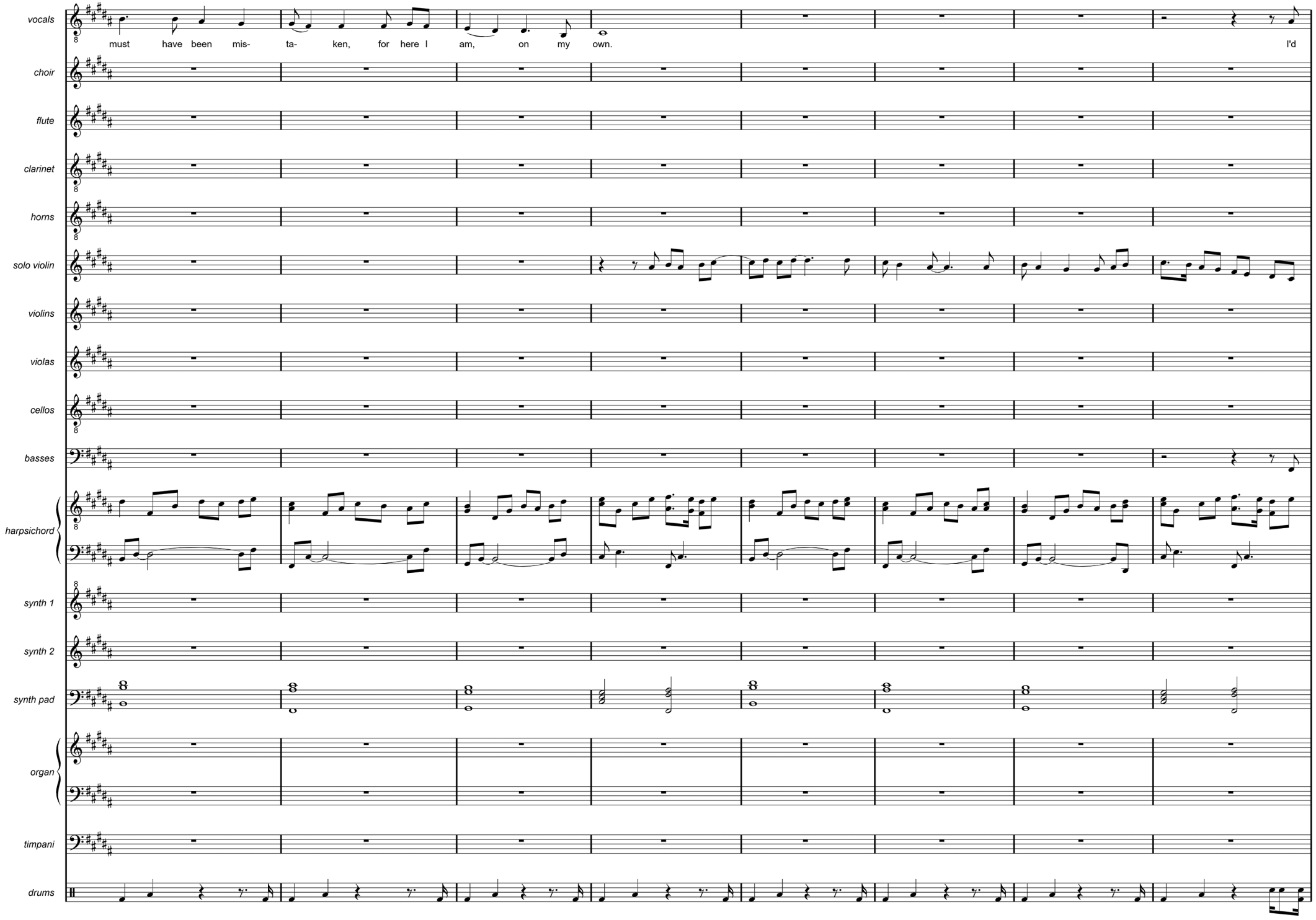
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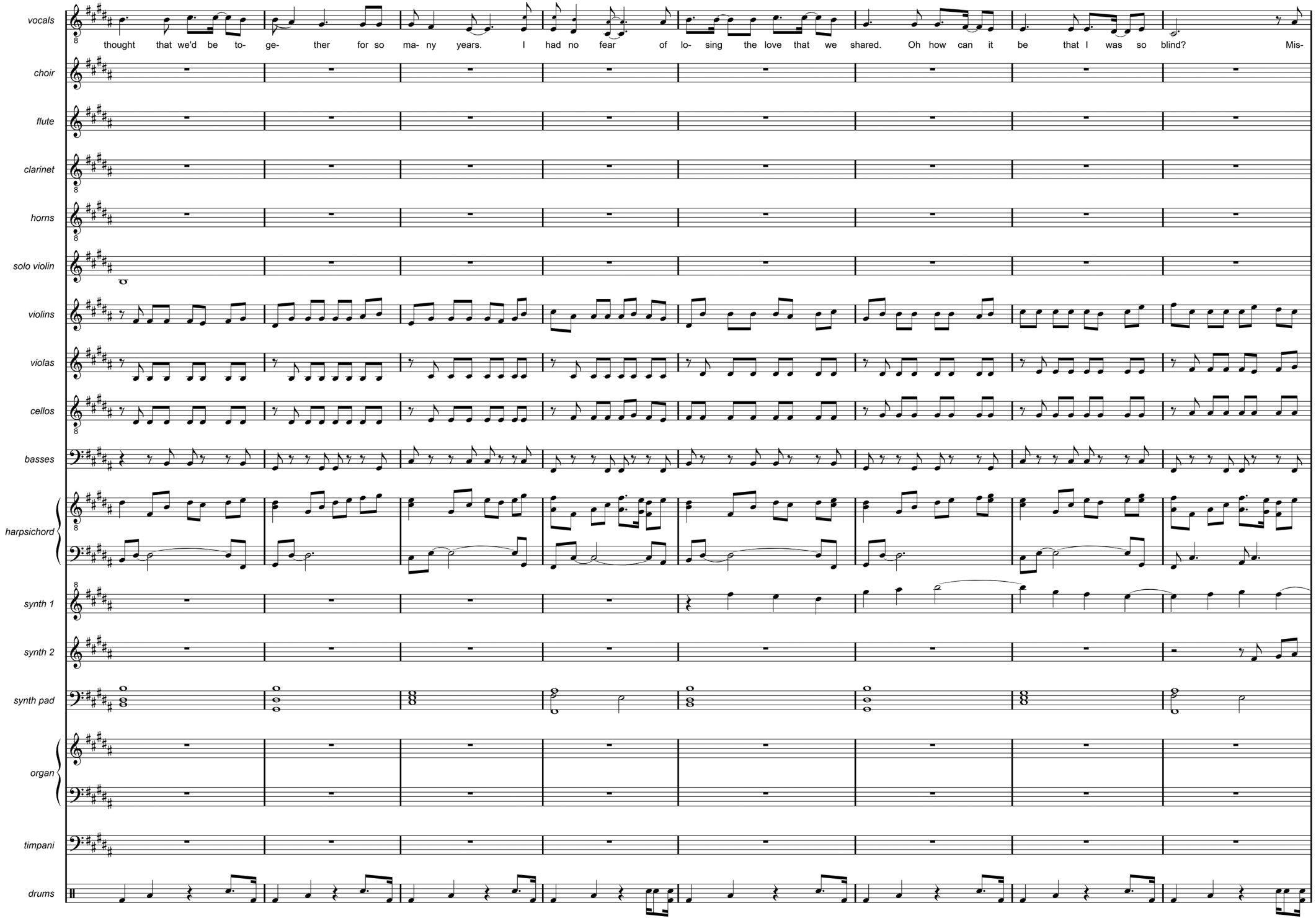
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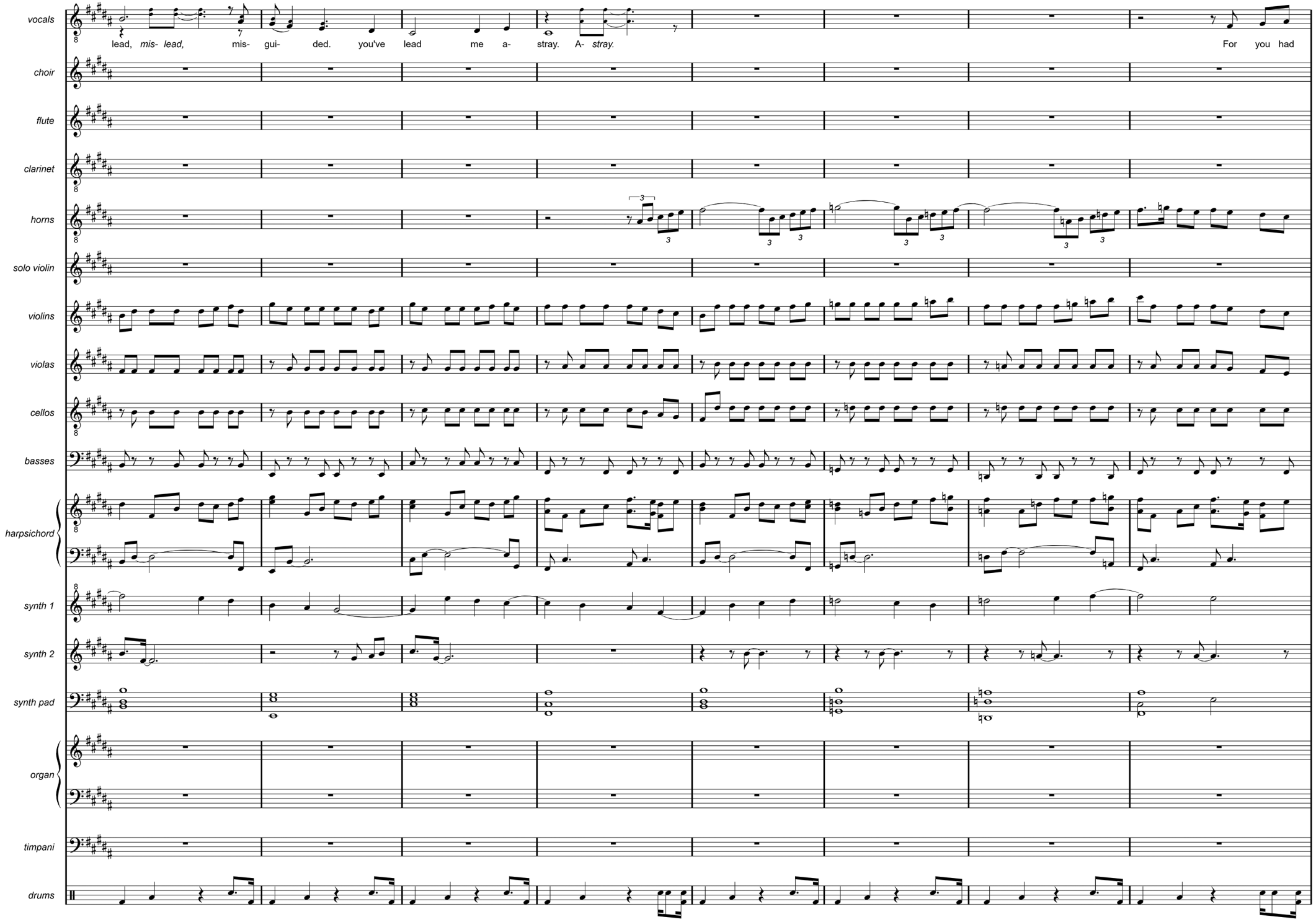
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lead, mis- lead, mis- gui- ded. you've lead me a- stray. A- stray. For you had
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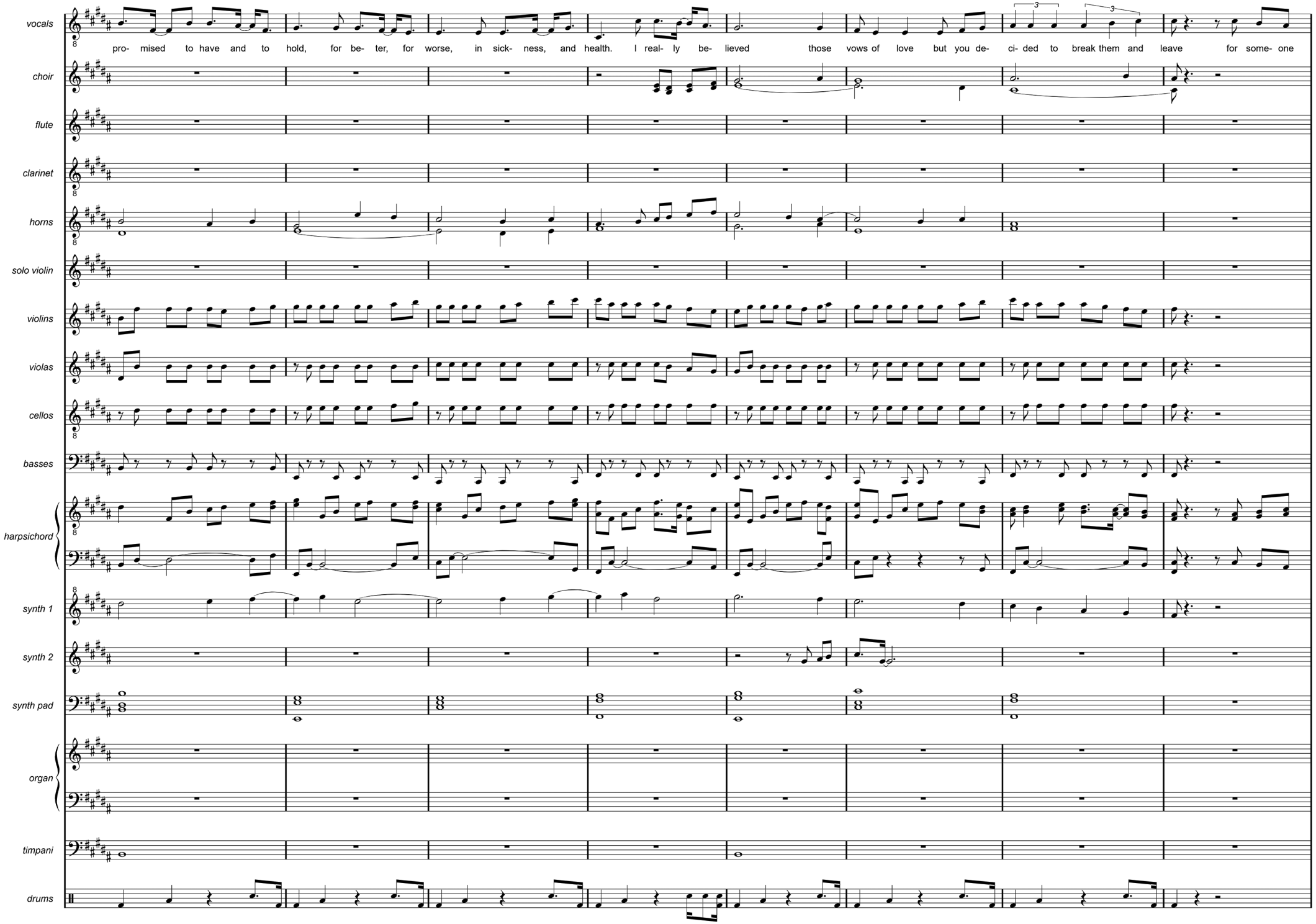
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choir
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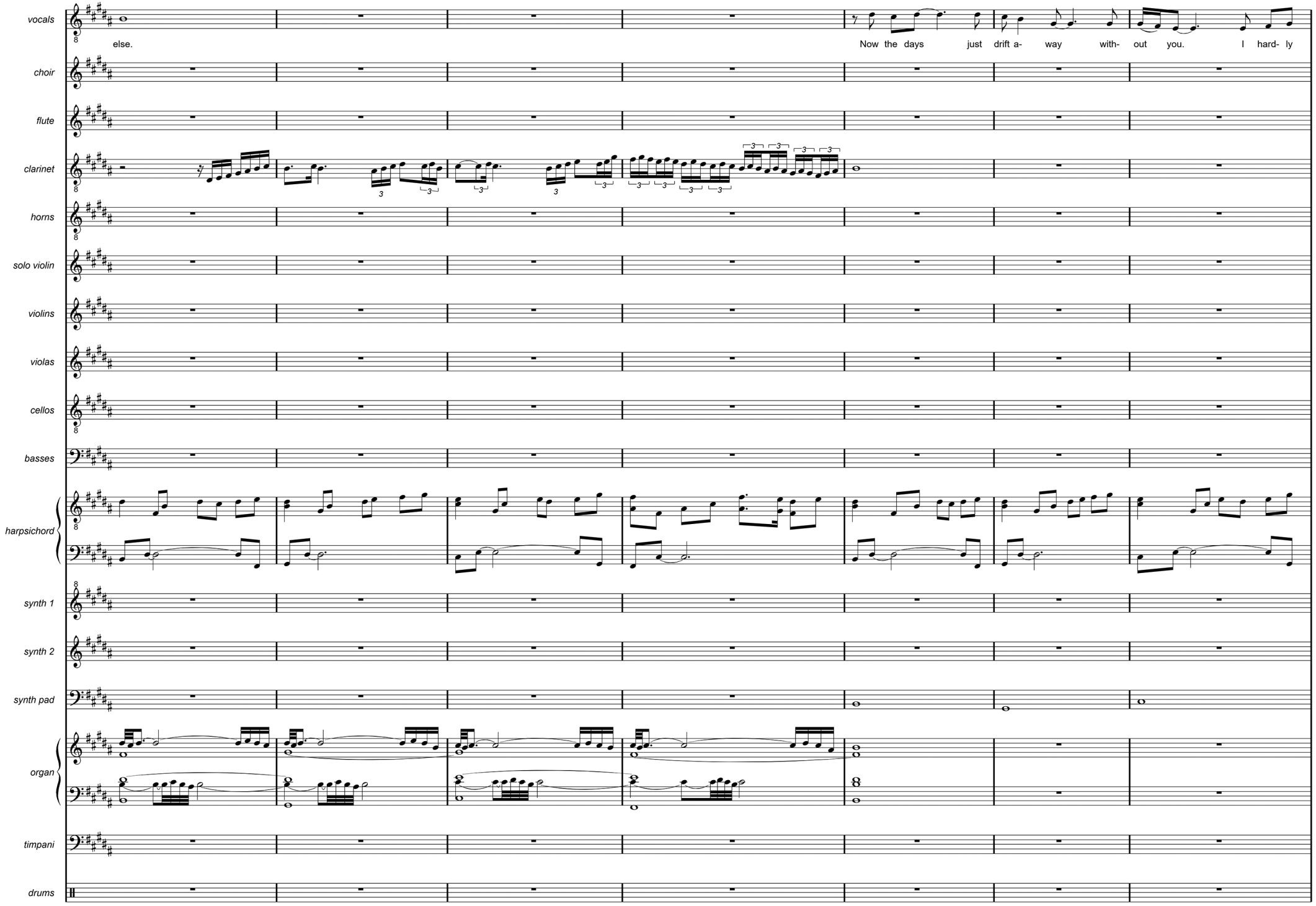
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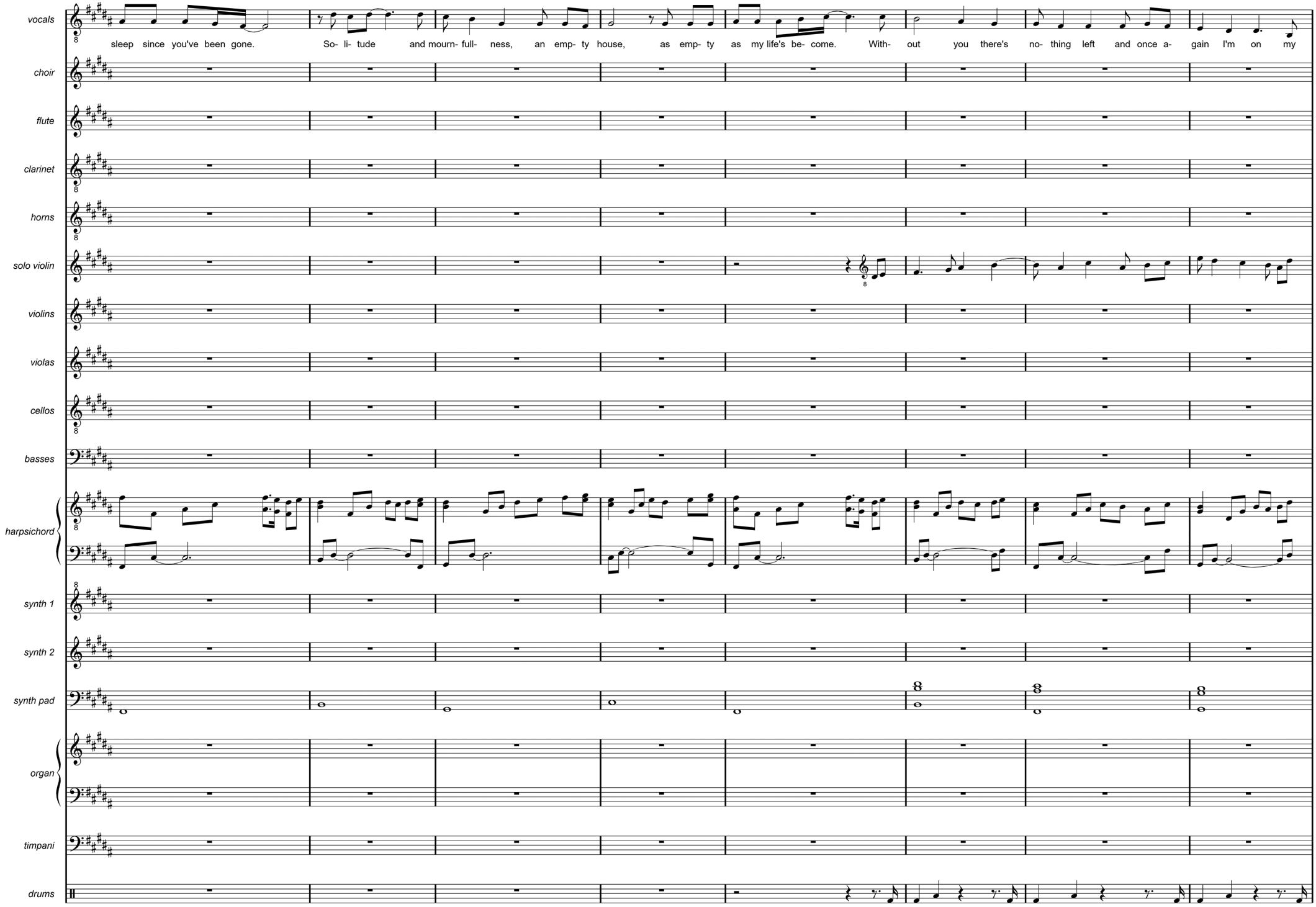
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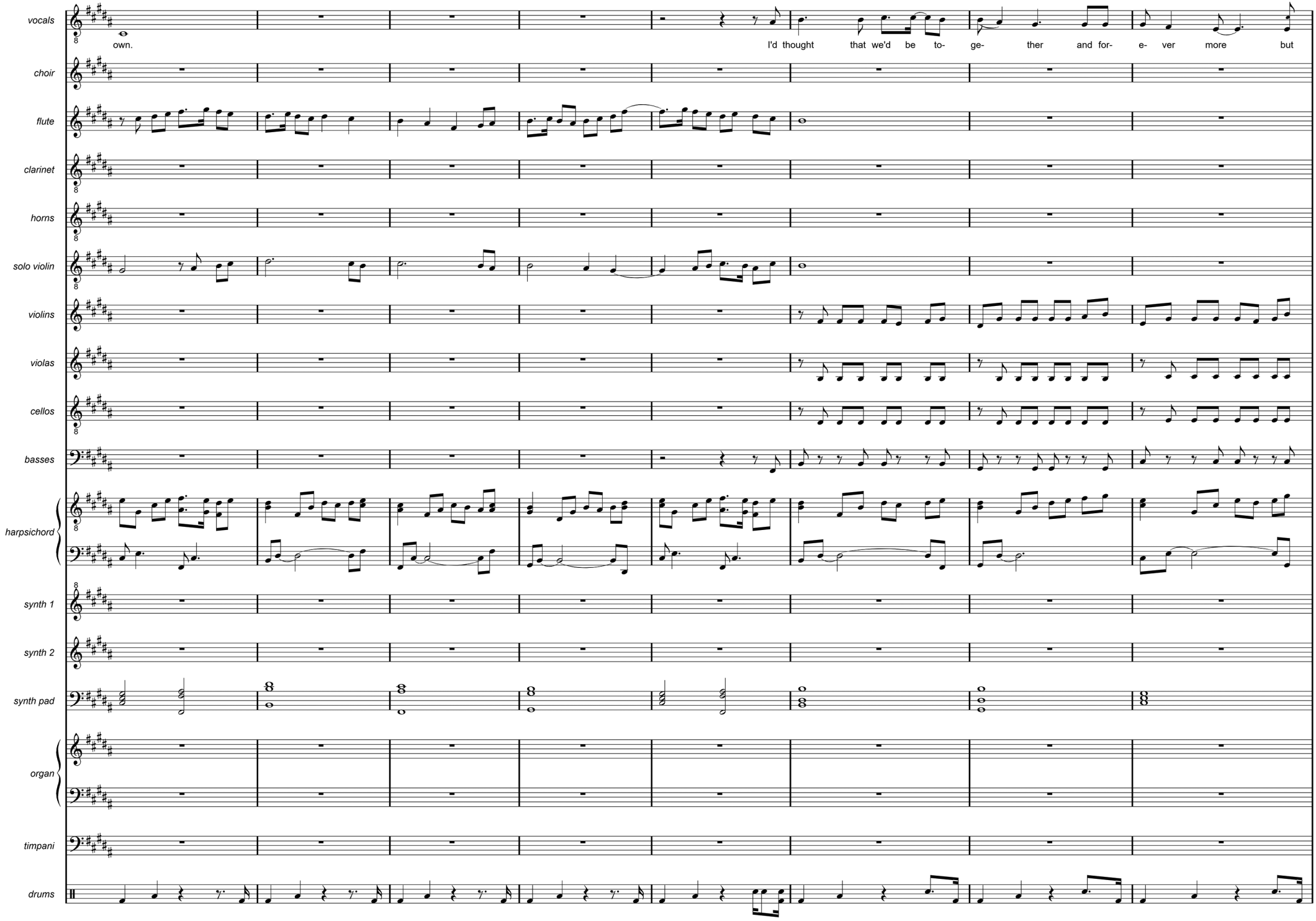
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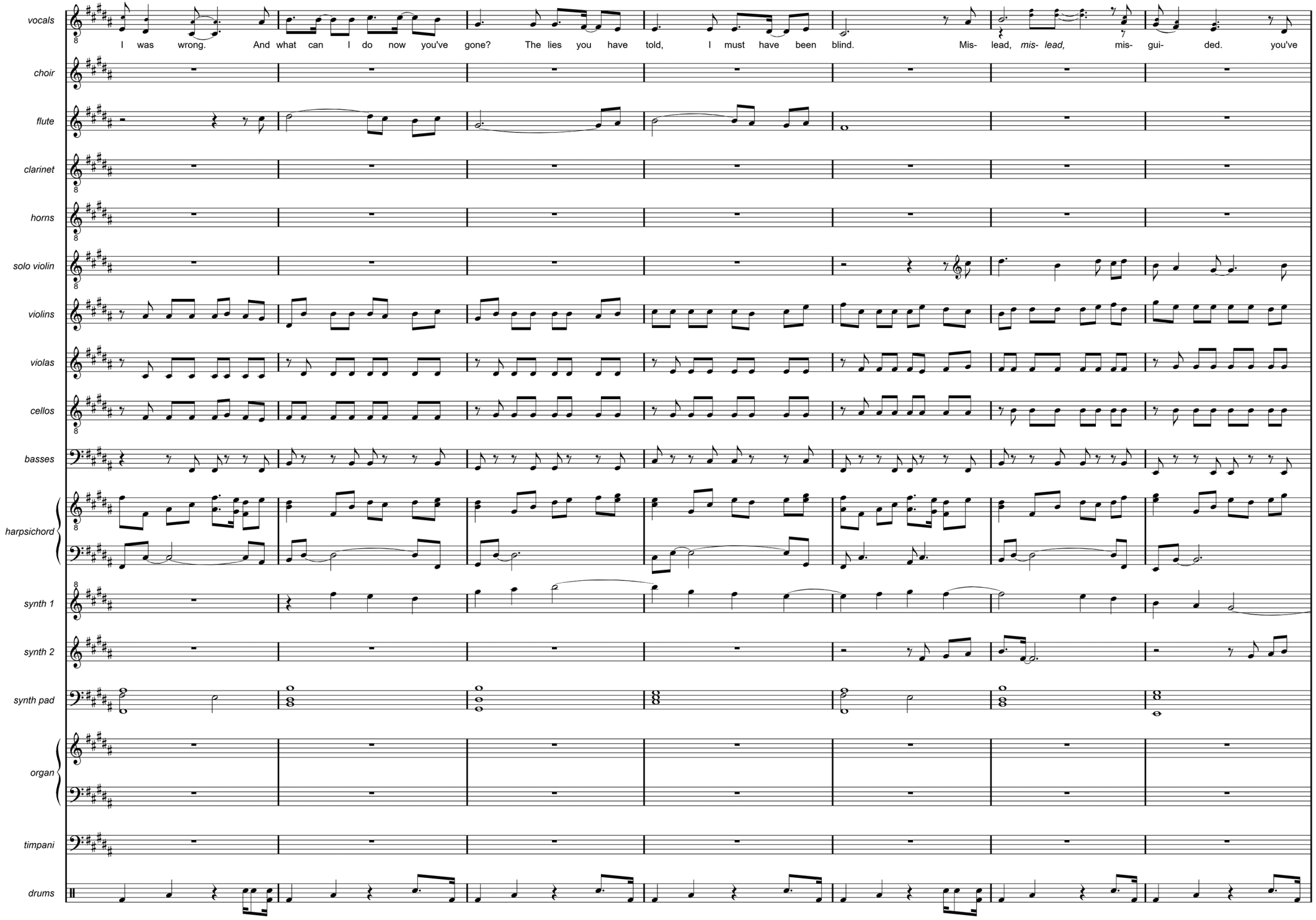
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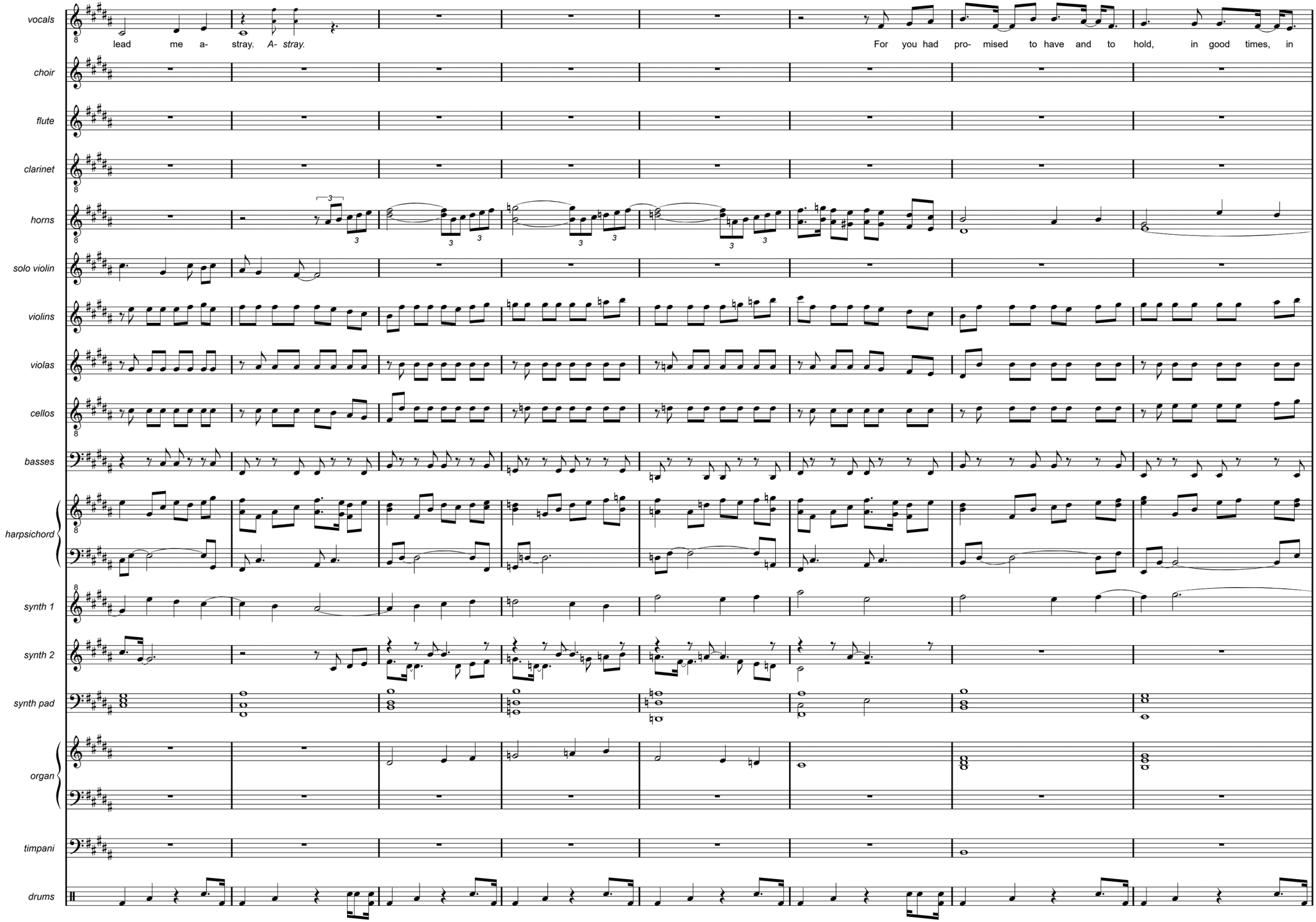
vocals
lead me a- stray. A- stray.
For you had pro- mised to have and to hold, in good times, in
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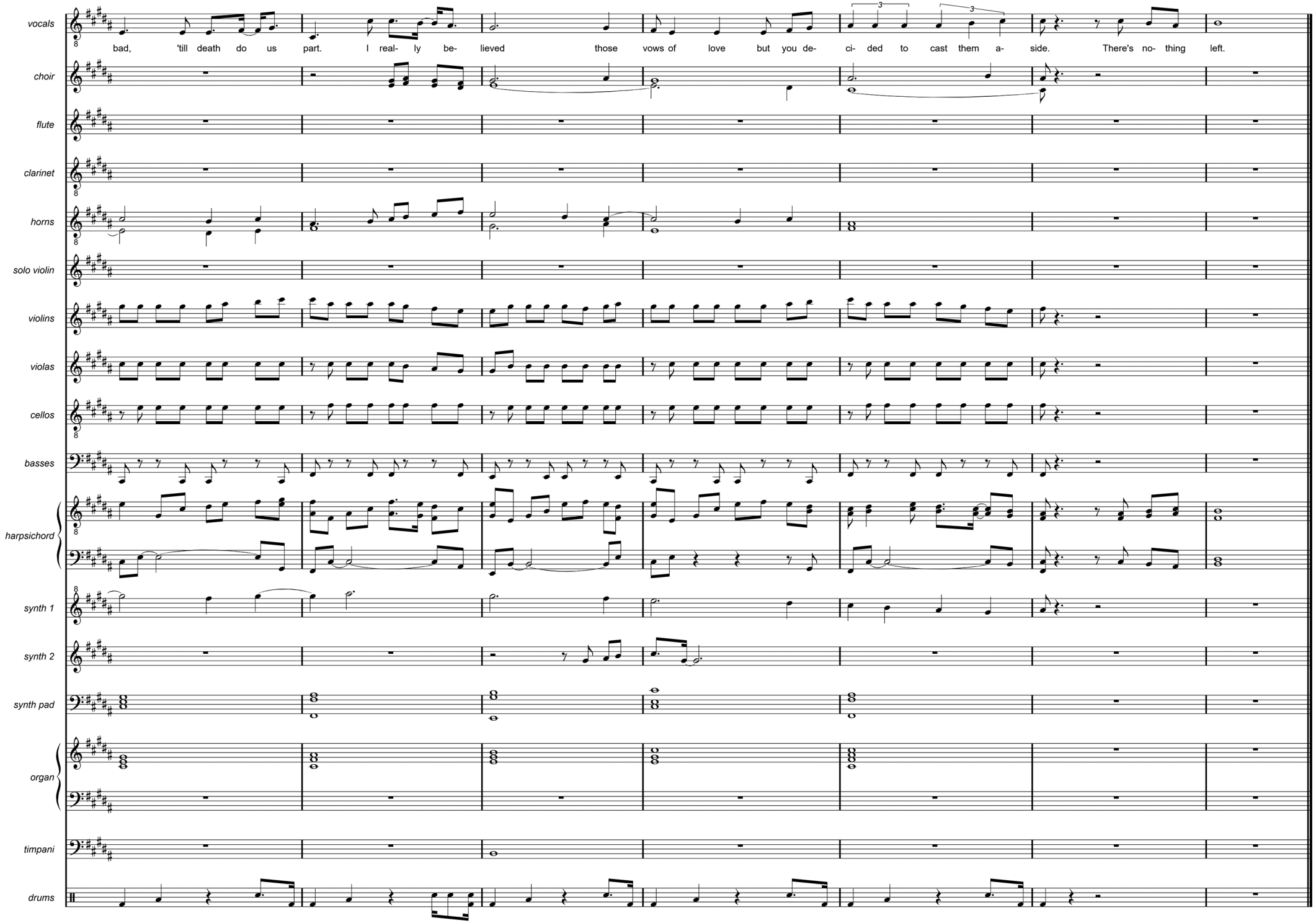
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13. No Remorse [extended]
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