

Si lieta e grata morte

Philippe Verdelot (c.1485-c.1530), arrangement by Adrian Willaert (c.1490-1562)

[Canto]

Intavolatura de li madrigali di Verdelotto (Venice, 1536)

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The musical score consists of ten staves of music for voice and lute. The key signature is one flat, and the time signature is common time. The lyrics are in Italian, with some words in English. The vocal line is in soprano range, and the lute accompaniment is in basso continuo range. The score includes measure numbers (5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65) and some performance markings like fermatas and grace notes.

Si lie - ta e gra - ta mor - - te Da gli oc-chi di ma -
don - na al cor mi vie - - ne Che dol - ce m'è'l mo - rir, che dol - ce
m'è'l mo - rir dol - ce le pe - - ne. Per -
ché qual hor la mi - ro Vol - ger - s'in sì be - ni - gno e lie - to gi -
ro, Su - bi - to per dol - cez - za il cor si mo - re,
O - gni spi - ri - to gia - ce At - ten - to per sen - ti - re Un
si dol - ce mo - ri - re Ma tan - to del mo - rir gio - i - sce'l
co - - - re Che poi non sen - to noi - a An - zi la
mor - te si con - ver - t'in gio - ia Don - que se la mia don - na è
di tal for - te Che sen - tir fam - mi mor - te sì gra - di - ta, Che

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sa - ria poi si el - la mi____ des - se vi - ta?

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Lute (chordal notation)

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The musical score consists of ten staves of chordal notation for lute. The notation uses vertical stems to indicate pitch and horizontal stems to indicate duration. The key signature is mostly B-flat major, indicated by a B-flat symbol and a circle. Measure numbers are placed above the staff at various intervals: 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, and 60. The time signature varies between common time (indicated by '4') and other signatures like 8/8.

Si lieta e grata morte (lute)

Musical score for lute, page 2, featuring two staves of music. The key signature is one flat. Measure 65 starts with a bass clef, a one-flat key signature, and a common time signature. The melody consists of eighth-note chords. Measure 66 begins with a treble clef, a one-flat key signature, and a common time signature. Measures 67-70 continue with treble clef, one-flat key signature, and common time. Measure 70 concludes with a double bar line and a repeat sign.