

Ricercar del sesto tuono

Andrea Gabrieli (c.1532-1585)

Canto (part 1 of 4)

Madrigali et Ricercari à 4 voci (Gardano press, Venice, 1589)

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Alto (part 2 of 4)

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5 2

The musical score consists of ten staves of music for alto voice. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The time signature varies throughout the piece, indicated by numerals (e.g., 5, 2, 6, 2, 1, 2) placed above the staff or in a bracket. Measure numbers are present at the beginning of some staves (e.g., 15, 20, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55). The vocal line features a mix of eighth and sixteenth-note patterns, with several rests and dynamic changes.

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Tenore (part 3 of 4)

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1 1 5 10 15 20 25 30 35 2 40 45 50 1 2 55

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Basso (part 4 of 4)

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6 2
15 1 25
20 1 25
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35 2
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