

Io mi vivea del mio languir contento

Prima parte

Luigi Tansillo (1510-1568)

Tenore (part 4 of 5)

Giaches de Wert (1535-1596)

Il settimo libro de madrigali à 5 (Gardano press, Venice, 1581)

The musical score consists of three staves of music in common time, featuring a soprano clef, a bass clef, and a tenor clef. The music is written in a five-line staff system with vertical bar lines indicating measures. The lyrics are written below the staff, aligned with the musical notes. The score includes measure numbers (5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40) and a tempo marking '1'. The lyrics are as follows:

Io mi vi - vea del mio lan-guir con - ten-to, Io mi vi - vea del mio lan -
 guir con - ten - to; E, se do - glia por-ta-val mon-do so - la, E, se do - glia por-ta-val
 mon-do so - la; Un ri - so, un cen-no, un guar-do, u-na pa-ro - la,
 D'e-ter-no o-blio co - pri - va o - gni tor - men - to. Or, che non veg -
 go, sen - za voi, nè sen - to Co - sa, ch'ap-pa-ghi il cor, che mi con - so - la?
 S'al - tro ter - ren l'a - ra vi - tal m'in - vo - la On - de a-vran - no i miei spir - ti il nu - dri - men - to?