

Butterfly (quite simply) Allegro moderato. ♩ = 112.

There's no one likes to own that he was born in po-ver.  
 Nes - - - su - no si con - fes - sa mai nato in po-ver.

The first system of the score features a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in grand staff. The tempo is marked 'Allegro moderato' with a quarter note equal to 112 beats. The music is in a key with two flats. The piano part includes a circled measure number '44' and a dynamic marking 'p'.

Butterfly

-ty, — Is not ev'-ry va-grant, when you list-en to his tale,  
 -tà, — non o'è va-ga - bon-do che a sen - tir - lo non sia

The second system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part features a dynamic marking 'p' and a 'cresc.' marking. The music flows smoothly between the vocal and piano parts.

Butterfly

of an - cient line-age? But yet in - deed I have known  
 di gran pro - sa - pia. Ep - pur co - nob - bi la ric -

The third system includes tempo changes: 'rit.' followed by 'a tempo' and 'p cresc.'. A circled measure number '45' is present in the piano part. The piano accompaniment features a 'p' dynamic and a 'cresc.' marking.

Butterfly

rich - - es. But the strong - est oak must fall, when the storm-wind wrecks the  
 - ches - - sa. Ma il tur - bi - ne ro - ve - soia le quer - oie più ro -

The fourth system continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The piano part features a dynamic marking 'p' and a 'cresc.' marking. The music concludes with a strong rhythmic accompaniment.

Butterfly

for - est... and we had to  
- bu - ste... e ab - - biam fat -

*calando* *rall.* *p a tempo*

Butterfly

go as gei - - - shas to earn our  
- to la ghe - - - soia (46) per so - sten -

Butterfly

(to her friends)

liv - - - ing. Tru - ly! I frank - ly  
- tar - - oi. Ve - ro? Non lo na -

Girl Friends  
Sopranos.

(corroborating her)

Tru - ly!  
Ve - ro!

*pp*

Butterfly

(noticing that Sharpless smiles)

own it, and don't blush for it. You're laugh - ing?  
- soon - do, nè m'a - don - to. Ri - de - te?