

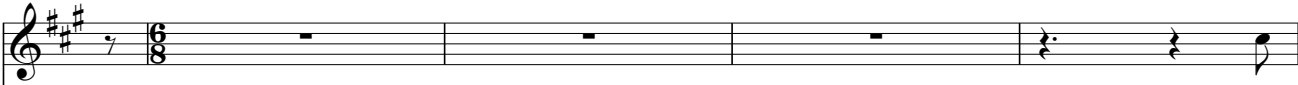
Orpheus in the Underworld


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Song of Regrets

E.  When

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E.  I gave my heart to dear Plu - to, He prom-ised me I would be Queen. But

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E.  now I am so des - ti - tute. Oh! What does this a - ban-don-ment mean? He

Pno. 

E.  said I'd have fun here in Ha - des Just like a va - ca-tion ho - tel But

Pno. 

E. I'm sure he has oth - er la - dies. My life here is ab - so - lute Hell___ My

Pno.

E. life here is ab - so - lute Hell!___ Oh Hell!_____ Oh Hell!_____

Pno.

E. Ah!_____ Hell!___ My life here is ab - so - lute Hell___ My

Pno.

E. life here is ab - so - lute Hell___ Oh Hell_____ Ah!_____ Oh

Pno.

E. Well! _____

Pno.

E. Sus - pec - ting that I'd been de - fraud - ed by some fake O - lym - pi - an game, I
I fear that I'll ne - ver be let out. I'm lo - sing my poor san - i - ty. If

Pno.

E. made him re - veal his true god - head. Now life won't be e - ver the same! I
on - ly I could some - how get out. If on - ly I had the right key. I'd

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E. thought that some - day he would turn up and my ap - pre - hen - sions dis - pel But
un - lock the door and then slam it while swear - ing quite loud - ly as well But

Pno.

E. I wish some way he would burn up but now I re-call this is Hell But
 what good is say-ing,"God - dam - mit!"when you are al-read-y in Hell?— When

Pno.

E. now I re-call this is Hell Oh Hell! Oh! Hell!

Pno.

E. Ah! Hell! But Now I re-call this is Hell But
 When you are al-read-y in Hell— When

Pno.

E. now I re-call this is Hell Oh Hell! Ah! Oh well!

Pno.

Pno. *8va*