

Sentences from Montaigne (13)

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f *sostenuto*

SOPRANO
ALTO

TENOR
BASS

It

It is in the power of chance to make a hun-dred breach-es of

5

po-ver-ty through the great-est strength of our rich-es— there be-ing ver-y of-ten no

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ff *mf* *pp*

mean be-twixt the high-est and low-est for - tune: For -

14

tu - na vit - re - a est: tum cum splen-det, fran - gi - tur.

("Fortune is like glass: just when it glitters most, it breaks." Publilius Syrus, *Sententiae*.)

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