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ABSTRACT

Fernando Lopes-Graça's 24-volume *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* is an excellent subject for the study of the processes and implications of the adaptation of folk materials into the choral medium. This study considers the methods used to craft harmonizations of folk materials in light of Lopes-Graça's own writings about folksong harmonization, which state that "we cannot forget to use the resources of harmony, counterpoint, and rhythm that we have in our modest technical arsenal in order to create a work of art." The identification of some of the methods utilized in selections from the 24 volumes will facilitate a discussion of their significance in relation to the writings of Lopes-Graça (and others) on the subject of folksong harmonization.

INDEX WORDS: Fernando Lopes-Graça, *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*, Choral music, Choral arrangements, Portuguese folk music, Portugal, Music, Béla Bartók, Charles Koechlin

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INTRODUCTION

One of the most significant figures in twentieth-century Portuguese music is composer, pianist, conductor, critic and essayist Fernando Lopes-Graça (1906–1994).¹ His schooling in Lisbon and Coimbra was followed by studies with Charles Koechlin (composition) and Paul Marie-Masson (musicology) in Paris from 1937–39. He then returned to Portugal where he was an active opponent of the Salazar regime, a stance that ultimately led to the revocation of his private teaching license in 1954 and other hardships. The most recognized pieces from his large output are his String Quartet no. 1, which won the Prince Rainier III Prize in 1965, and the *Concerto da câmera col violoncello obbligato*, which was commissioned by Mstislav Rostropovich in 1968.

In 1943, Lopes-Graça began what would become the 24-volume *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*. This collection of 228 choral folk-song harmonizations represents nearly six decades of musical output. The breadth of technique and wealth of folk materials contained in this collection make it an excellent source for the study of the processes and implications of the adaptation of folk materials into the choral medium.

LITERATURE REVIEW

Writings on Lopes-Graça are surprisingly scarce considering his importance to Portuguese music and musicology. There is currently no comprehensive biography in any language, with only the scant 60-page booklet *O essencial sobre Fernando Lopes-Graça* serving this purpose in his native language. The most complete sources of information available in English are the ≈700 word entry in *The New Grove Dictionary of Music and Musicians*,² and two and a half pages in the English

¹Rui Vieira Nery and Paulo Ferreira de Castro, *History of Music*, [trans. Kenneth Frazer] ([Lisbon]: Imprensa Nacional-Casa de Moeda, 1991), 169. “Lopes-Graça is today regarded uncontestedly as the dominant musical personality of Portuguese musical life during the period of Salazar and Marcelo Caetano.”

²José Picoto and Teresa Cascudo, “Graça, Fernando Lopes,” in *New Grove Dictionary of Music and Musicians* 2d ed., ed. Stanley Sadie (London: Macmillan, 2001), 10:243–245.

translation of Rui Vieira Nery and Paulo Ferreira de Castro's *História da Música*.³ Nick Strimple's 2002 survey "Choral Music in the Twentieth Century" includes Lopes-Graça, but limits his mention to two brief sentences.⁴

As one might expect, there is considerably more scholarship written in Portuguese, although even these sources are far from plentiful. On the other hand, Lopes-Graça's own copious writings are published and among these many volumes are two essays that speak directly to this project. His 1965 essay *Acerca da harmonização coral dos cantos tradicionais Portugueses* [On the topic of choral harmonization of traditional Portuguese songs] provides us with a background against which to consider this collection. Lopes-Graça states that "we cannot forget to use the resources of harmony, counterpoint, and rhythm that we have in our modest technical arsenal in order to create a work of art."⁵ He later continues: "A folk-song's harmonization must be shown as a work of art ... [and] it is not necessary to renounce the technical resources and artistic imagination of the composer."⁶ His 1956 essay *Sobre os arranjos corais das canções folclóricas Portuguesas* [On the choral arrangements of Portuguese folk-songs] provides similar thought and philosophy on the use of folk materials in choral harmonization.⁷

Lopes-Graça's approach to music and musicology shows the clear influence of Béla Bartók, whom he held in high esteem and with whom he met briefly in 1939 while in Paris. In fact, Lopes-Graça's field work from 1959 to 1981 with ethnomusicologist, Michel Giacometti (1929–1990), in

³Nery and Castro, 169–71.

⁴Nick Strimple, *Choral Music in the Twentieth Century* (Portland, Oregon: Amadeus, 2002), 193.

⁵Fernando Lopes-Graça, "Acerca do harmonização coral does cantos tradicionais portugueses," in *A música Portuguesa e os seus Problemas*, vol. 3 (Lisbon: Edições Cosmos, 1973), 87. [A**ceitando embora de boamente estas limitações, não nos furtamos todavia a utilizar os recursos de ordem harmónica, contrapontística e rítmica de que o nosso modesto arsenal técnico se acha provido, com vista a conseguir obra artística, pois que, se a canção regional, nas suas mais lídimas espécies, é uma expressão de arte...**] Translated by Alice Carvalho. [Unless otherwise noted, all translations are by the author.]

⁶Ibid., 88. [*Obra de arte, pois, condicionada pela própria natureza do material utilizado ou pelo objectivo que se propõe atingir mas nem por isso devendo abdicar dos recursos técnicos e da imaginação artística própria do compositor que a ela se entrega — tal se nos deve apresentar um arranjo ou uma harmonização de uma canção folclórica.*] Translated by Alice Carvalho.

⁷Fernando Lopes-Graça, "Sobre os arranjos corais das canções folclóricas portuguesas," in *A Música Portuguesa e os seus Problemas*, 2nd. ed, vol. 2 (Lisbon: Editorial Caminho, 1989), 117–21.

Trás-os-Montes, Algarve, Minho, the Beiras and Alentejo in many ways parallel the earlier work of Bartók, Zoltan Kodály, and others.⁸

METHODOLOGY

Using the ideals quoted above as a starting point for the exploration of the techniques that Lopes-Graça employed in creating his harmonizations, this study will focus on comparisons between source materials (as found in the appendix to Lopes-Graça's book *A Canção Popular Portuguesa* and elsewhere) and their corresponding harmonizations. The particular selections chosen represent not only pieces for which there is an identifiable source in the appendix cited above, but a representative cross-section of the entire collection in terms of date of composition, ensemble, and difficulty. Techniques considered include polyphony, imitation, ostinato, heterophony, homophony, formal repetition, elision, fragmentation, obbligato, and others as encountered. This exploration will facilitate a discussion of the relationship between the techniques of harmonization and the characteristics of the source material. Included in this study will be a brief biographical outline and a major appendix consisting of critical editions of the nineteen *Canções* discussed in the study (see table 1.1). These editions will include transliterations into the International Phonetic Alphabet (I. P. A.) and English translations and annotations.

NEED FOR STUDY

This paper is timely as 2006 marks the centenary year of Lopes-Graça's birth. His wide musical output is gaining recognition, but is still largely unknown and unavailable outside of Portugal. Lopes-Graça deserves international notice, and this document will be a major step towards that goal. Biographical materials are limited, and, aside from the sources cited above, unavailable in English. In addition to the specific topic of Lopes-Graça's music, this study is also of interest in the general field of choral harmonization/arrangement, a topic that has received extremely limited coverage in the literature. It is my sincere hope that this document will result in the availability

⁸Salwa El-Shawan Castelo-Branco, "Portugal: Traditional Music," in *New Grove Dictionary of Music and Musicians* 2d ed., ed. Stanley Sadie (London: Macmillan, 2001), 20: 200.

(for the first time in an accessible format) of many of these pieces to the larger international choral community.

FORMAL STRUCTURE

This document is divided into three chapters and two appendices. Chapter 1 (“Fernando Lopes-Graça and the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*”) includes a biographical outline with background information on the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* and Portuguese culture and politics in the twentieth century. Chapter 2 (“Compositional Analysis”) is a discussion of genre with a compositional analysis of the included works according to the methodology discussed above. Chapter 3 (“Discussion and Conclusions”) considers the analysis performed in Chapter 2 with references to topics introduced in Chapter 1. The first appendix is made up of critical transcriptions of the works with translations and transliterations of the texts and general annotations. The second appendix presents English translations of two 1976 *Pravda* articles relating to Fernando Lopes-Graça.

CHAPTER 1

FERNANDO LOPES-GRAÇA AND THE *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*

BIOGRAPHICAL AND GEOPOLITICAL BACKGROUND

Fernando Lopes-Graça was born Fernando Lopes da Graça in Tomar¹ in the Ribatejo region of Portugal on December 17, 1906 (see fig. 1.1). Little is presented in the literature about his childhood, aside from the fact that his father, Silvesterio, was a hotelier in Tomar.²

At the time of Lopes-Graça's birth, Portugal was slowly but inevitably moving away from a monarchic system and towards a republic. An unsettled nineteenth century led to the revolutions and coups (both failed and successful) that began the twentieth century. The revolution of October 5, 1910, marked the beginning of the "First Republic," and a republican constitution was approved in 1911. The period that followed was marked by slow economic growth and general disillusionment. In the midst of World War I, which Portugal had entered in 1916 on the side of the Allies, there was another coup on December 5, 1917, which installed General Sidónio Pais as president. This "New Republic" ended swiftly with Pais' assassination in December 1918. In 1921 the Portuguese Communist Party [P. C. P.] was founded. The P. C. P. would serve as a major opponent to the regime that was beginning to take hold of Portuguese politics during this turbulent period.³ The May 26, 1926, coup marked the beginning of a military dictatorship which would last until the 1933 establishment of the *Estado Novo* ["New State"], or "Second Republic," with António de

¹Tomar is sometimes spelled "Thomar" in English sources.

²Patrícia Bastos, "As sonatas e sonatinas para piano solo de Fernando Lopes-Graça" (The Sonatas and Sonatinas for Piano Solo of Fernando Lopes-Graça) (lecture, O Artista como Intelectual: No Centenário de Fernando Lopes-Graça, Coimbra, Portugal, April 27, 2006).

³Wikipedia contributors, "Portuguese Communist Party," *Wikipedia, The Free Encyclopedia*, http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Portuguese_Communist_Party (accessed May 16, 2006).



Figure 1.1: Map of Portugal.

Oliveira Salazar as its Prime Minister. The era was marked by right-wing anti-parliament and anti-communist policies.⁴ The political stability and improvements to the infrastructure of the *Estado Novo* came at the cost of censorship and repression, particularly of the now illegal and clandestine Communist Party. Portugal remained neutral in World War II and spent much of its mid-century foreign policy energy unsuccessfully maintaining its colonies in Africa. Following Salazar's failing health in 1968, and death in 1970, there was a slight thaw under Marcelo Caetano's leadership that lead to the almost bloodless April 25, 1974, "Carnation Revolution," which moved the country

⁴José Harmano Saraiva, *Portugal: A Companion History* (Manchester: Carcanet, 1997), 111.

towards a liberal democracy and put an end to what had been the longest lasting authoritarian regime in Western Europe. In the wake of the 1974 revolution, the increasingly democratic “Third Republic” was established and continues to the present time.

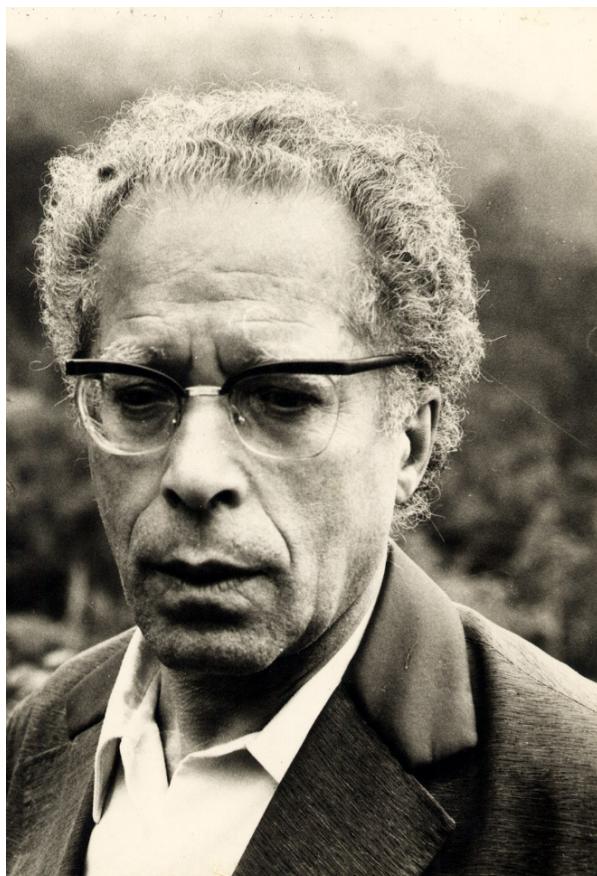


Figure 1.2: Portrait of Fernando Lopes-Graça (Photograph by Augusto Cabrita, 1970). (Photograph reprinted by permission of the Museu da Música Portuguesa – Casa Verdades de Faria, Câmara Municipal de Cascais.)

It was during the turbulent early part of the twentieth century that Lopes-Graça began his formal musical training with solfège and piano lessons at the age of eleven, taken with a local teacher, Rita Ramos Lopes.⁵ At the age of fourteen, he joined a quintet that accompanied films at the local movie

⁵Mário Vieira de Carvalho, *O essencial sobre Fernando Lopes-Graça* (Lisbon: IN-CM, 1989), 39; “P. C. P. homenageia Fernando Lopes-Graça,” *Avante!*, <http://www.avante.pt/noticia.asp?id=14409&area=9> (accessed May 24, 2006); Bastos.

theater in Tomar.⁶ He went on to play piano at a high level for the rest of his life, but his primary focus was on becoming a composer. Lopes-Graça's studies at Lisbon Conservatory (1924–1931) were taken with some of the most prominent and influential Portuguese musicians of the twentieth century: Adriano Merea and Vianna da Motta (piano), Tomás Borba (composition), and Luís da Freitas Branco (musicology).

In 1923 he was still referring to himself as Lopes da Graça, but by 1930–31 he was beginning to sign his name Lopes-Graça, as is evidenced by his registration forms to the Lisbon Conservatory. His choice to move from being Fernando Lopes da Graça to Fernando Lopes-Graça might represent a conscious move away from an aristocratic sounding name and towards one that was both less blue-blooded and more urbane.⁷

Lopes-Graça's interest in the integration and adaptation of Portuguese folk music is evident from the start of his career with his first major composition, the 1927 piece *Variações sobre um tema popular português* [Variations on a Popular Portuguese Theme] for solo piano, which he premiered at the Sala do Conservatório Nacional in Lisbon in 1928.⁸ Even though Lopes-Graça finished first in his class at the Lisbon Conservatory and was described favorably in a 1930 newspaper article as a musician of “boundless ambition,”⁹ his outspoken anti-Salazar political writings led to his incarceration in 1931 in the village of Alpiarça on charges that he was “running the newspaper *A Ação* in his native Tomar, delivering leftist speeches and being in disagreement with the gradually more fascist regime of General Carmona.”¹⁰ After spending a few months in jail, he was released, but his examinations were invalidated, and he was barred from teaching at public institutions. Following his incarceration, Lopes-Graça was able to find work teaching at the *Academia de Música* of Coimbra from 1932–36, where he became involved with the journals “Presença” and

⁶Carvalho, 39; Preface to the recording *Marchas, Danças e Canções*, Coro Lopes-Graça da Academia de Amadores de Música dir. José Robert (Lisbon: Academia de Amadores de Música CD ACADEM.9901CD).

⁷Bastos.

⁸Teresa Cascudo, *Fernando Lopes-Graça: Catálogo do espólio musical* (Cascais: Câmara Municipal de Cascais, 1997), 129.

⁹A 1930 interview of Lopes-Graça and some other young musicians can be found in *Ilustração*, Lisbon, Ano 5, no. 108, June 16, 1930; as quoted in Bastos.

¹⁰V[Iadimir?] Ermakov, “Maestro Lopes-Graça: Art Abroad,” *Pravda* (Moscow), March 26, 1976 [see App. B.1]. Reference to Alpiarça comes from Carvalho, 39.

“Seara Nova.” In 1934 he won a grant for foreign study, but the award was withdrawn for political reasons and in 1936 he was again jailed for his political activities. Upon his release he fled Portugal (at his own expense) to study in Paris in 1937.¹¹

While in Paris, Lopes-Graça studied musicology at the Sorbonne with Paul Marie-Masson (1882–1954) and composition with Charles Koechlin (1867–1950).¹² Lucie Dewinsky, a Parisian singer, inspired him to write several settings of Portuguese folk songs for solo voice and piano.¹³ This was a part of his turning towards an “essential nationalism,” which was characterized by the “assimilation of [folk materials’] harmonic, melodic and rhythmic elements,” and reflects the influence of Béla Bartók, Manuel de Falla, and Koechlin.¹⁴

Lopes-Graça’s political activities while in France included participation in the *Front Populaire* [Popular Front], a collection of communists and socialists who had united to form a coalition against the fascists.¹⁵ He collaborated in the musical publications of the group. Lopes-Graça enlisted in the French volunteer units [*Amis de la République Français*] that were gathering to fight the oncoming Nazis, but refused an offer to become a naturalized French citizen. In October 1939, prior to the occupation, he decided to return to Lisbon, where the outlook was relatively brighter.¹⁶

Upon his return to Lisbon in 1939, Lopes-Graça was active as a music critic, musicologist, composer, teacher, concert organizer and choirmaster. Still politically active, Lopes-Graça was also a prominent member of the *Movimento de Unidade Democrática* [M. U. D.].¹⁷ Lopes-Graça outlined many of the political hardships that he endured during this period in the 1945 essay “Sonegação e sabotagem.”¹⁸

¹¹Rui Vieira Nery and Paulo Ferreira de Castro, *History of Music*, [trans. Kenneth Frazer] ([Lisbon]: Imprensa Nacional-Casa de Moeda, 1991), 169; Carvalho, 39; Ermakov.

¹²Carvalho, 26.

¹³Ibid., 7. Dewinsky is described only as a foreign singer whom he met in Paris [*uma cantora estrangeira que conhecera em Paris*].

¹⁴José Picoto and Teresa Cascudo, “Graça, Fernando Lopes,” in *New Grove Dictionary of Music and Musicians* 2d ed., ed. Stanley Sadie (London: Macmillan, 2001), 10: 243.

¹⁵Ermakov.

¹⁶Carvalho, 39; Ermakov.

¹⁷“P. C. P. homanageia Fernando Lopes-Graça” states that Lopes-Graça was the leader of this group.

¹⁸Fernando Lopes-Graça, “Sonegação e sabotagem,” in *Um artista intervêm: Cartas com alguma moral* (Lisbon: Edições Cosmos, 1974), 135–40.

Lopes-Graça's many essays appeared in journals such as *A Acção, Arte Musical, Gazette Musical, Presença*, and elsewhere.¹⁹ His essays were later collected into a multivolume series of books on music and Portuguese music in particular. His work with Corsican *émigré* Michel Giacometti (1929–1990) to record the folk music and culture of the Portuguese countryside produced a five-volume audio anthology of field recordings [*Antologia da Música Regional Portuguesa*, 1963] and a sizable collection of transcriptions [*Cancioneiro Popular Português*], among other things.

As a concert organizer, Lopes-Graça founded and directed the “Sonata” Concert Society (1942–1960), which was dedicated to the performance of twentieth-century music and which would become the center of the intellectual *avant-garde* in Portugal and a medium through which Lopes-Graça and others could express their musical and political ideas. One of the aims of the group was to promote and perform the works of contemporary composers, both Portuguese and foreign.²⁰ Even though Lopes-Graça was opposed (“on aesthetic and sociological terms”²¹) to the dodecaphonic music of the Second Viennese School, he did not allow this sentiment to preclude the programming of the music of Schoenberg and Berg, as well as that of Messiaen, in “Sonata” concerts.²² Many of the members of “Sonata” were political opponents, and simply attending a “Sonata” event was seen by some as a political act.²³

Lopes-Graça's teaching activities were based at the *Academia de Amadores de Música* in Lisbon, where he taught piano, composition, and founded and directed the *Coro da Academia de Amadores de Música* from 1945 until 1986. It was this choir with which he performed “hundreds of concerts” throughout the country and for whom the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* (1943–88)

¹⁹Francisco Monteiro, “Music in the *Estado Novo* until 1960,” <http://www.geocities.com/franciscomonteir/estadonovo.htm> (accessed January 29, 2005), 8.

²⁰Nery and Castro, 166

²¹Fernando Lopes-Graça, *Um artista intervêm: Cartas com alguma moral* (Lisbon: Edições Cosmos, 1974), 257. [A *uma arte passada o expressionismo - a uma arte sem relação com as realidades substanciais actuais (sem contar com o que nele, como sistema, releva de uma espécie de escolástica musical...)*] as translated by Francisco Monteiro, 7: [“Twelve-tone composition is related to an art of the past — expressionism — an art with no relation to the current realities (not counting those characteristics that, as a system, reveal a kind of musical academicism.”]

²²Monteiro, 7; Carvalho, 17.

²³Monteiro, 8.

were primarily composed (see figs. 1.3 and 1.4).²⁴ The choir was first created in coordination with the M. U. D. and was officially incorporated into the *Academia de Amadores de Música* in 1950.²⁵ The choir was intended as a “political platform for the forces that opposed the fascists,” but this position was gradually tempered under political pressure from the regime, and their public performances centered around the relatively more politically acceptable harmonizations of the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*.²⁶ The *Coro da Academia de Amadores de Música*’s performances provided a view on nationalism and national identity that was distinct from those put forward by the state, and in so doing, created a community of defiance and dissidence through music.

The performance practice aspect of Lopes-Graça’s conducting of the *Coro da Academia de Amadores de Música* is worth noting. The choir was made up of both musicians and non-musicians who all shared the courage to sing within the political climate they inhabited, but not necessarily advanced vocal or musical skills. It might not be surprising, given this fact, that Lopes-Graça’s focus as a director was on the clarity of diction and the inherent potential drama of the words themselves.²⁷ Another aspect of his performance practice is shown in a concert program from 1976 (see fig. 1.4), from which it is clear that the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* were not necessarily performed as complete sets. A comparison of this program with table 1.1 also shows that pieces (in this case, pieces from *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* volumes X and XII (ca. 1950)) were sometimes premiered well after they were written.

In its centenary article about Lopes-Graça, *Avante!*, the journal of the Portuguese Communist Party, refers to Lopes-Graça as “artista genial, maestro de Abril, militante comunista” [brilliant artist, teacher of April (25, 1974, revolution), militant communist].²⁸ On December 16, 1976, the U. S. S. R. honored Lopes-Graça with the Order of the People’s Friendship in recognition of

²⁴Carvalho, 9–10.

²⁵*Marchas, Danças e Canções*.

²⁶Carvalho, 19, 21.

²⁷Ibid., 23.

²⁸“P. C. P. homenageia Fernando Lopes-Graça.”



Figure 1.3: Lopes-Graça conducts the *Coro da Academia de Amadores de Música* in concert at the *Cinema Batalha* in Porto (December 9, 1962). (Photograph reprinted by permission of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa – Casa Verdades de Faria, Câmara Municipal de Cascais.*)

his activism in promoting ties between Portugal and the Soviet Union.²⁹ His political activities, though glorified by some, stigmatized him for others, and late in his life there were still those who viewed Lopes-Graça first and foremost in terms of his politics.³⁰

Following the revolution, Lopes-Graça was granted many awards including the Gold Medal of the City of Almada (1979), the Order of Santiago de Espada (*Grande-Oficial*) (1981), the Medal of

²⁹“By Decree of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the U. S. S. R.: On the awarding of the Order of the People’s Friendship to Portuguese Composer Fernando Lopes-Graça,” *Pravda* (Moscow), December 17, 1976. The full content of this notice and an English translation are provided as Appendix B.2.

³⁰Teresa Cunha of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, interviewed by the author, April 24, 2006.

Suite N.º 8 do «In Memoriam Bela Bartok» (1975)

1.ª audição absoluta

Pórtico — Coreia I — Encantação I — Epicélio —
Coreia II — Encantação II — Tributo

piano: OLGA PRATS

Cinco Canções Regionais Portuguesas

1.ª audição absoluta

1. Senhora Sant'Ana (Douro Litoral)
2. Morena, linda morena (Trás-os-Montes)
3. Dizei que sou lavadeira (Alentejo)
4. Ó Senhora Aninhos (Douro Litoral)
5. S. João de Louredo de Guilhafrei (Minho)

CORO DA ACADEMIA DE AMADORES DE MÚSICA
Dir. F. Lopes-Graça

Dois Cantos da Segunda Cantata do Natal (1960)

1. O Menino nas palhas
2. Inda agora aqui cheguei

CORO DA ACADEMIA DE AMADORES DE MÚSICA
Dir. F. Lopes-Graça

Três Canções Regionais Portuguesas

1. Deus te guarde, pastorinha
2. Ó Senhora do Amparo (Beira Beixa)
3. Sete varas tem (Trás-os-Montes)

CORO DA ACADEMIA DE AMADORES DE MÚSICA
Dir. F. Lopes-Graça

INTERVALO

Para uma criança que vai nascer (1961)

ORQUESTRA DE ARCOS

Suite Rústica N.º 1 (1950-51)

Sobre melodias tradicionais portuguesas

1. Melodia de Oliveira do Hospital (Andante con moto ma semplice)
2. Melodia da Madeira (Non troppo vivo)
3. Melodia de Reguengos de Monsaraz (Andante)
4. Melodia de Póvoa de Lanhoso (Moderato grazioso)
5. Melodia de Pegarinhos (Lento)
6. Melodia da Beira (Allegro non troppo)

ORQUESTRA

Piano STEINWAY da Câmara Municipal de Lisboa

Figure 1.4: Concert program containing selections from the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*. This concert took place on December 4, 1976 at the Teatro S. Luiz in Lisbon. (Reprinted by permission of the Museu da Música Portuguesa – Casa Verdades de Faria, Câmara Municipal de Cascais.)

Honor of the City of Lisbon (1981), an honorary doctorate from the University of Aveiro (1986), and the order of Infante Dom Henrique (*Grã-Cruz*) (1987). Shortly following Lopes-Graça's death in 1994, the *Coro da Academia de Amadores de Música* changed its official name to the *Coro Lopes-Graça da Academia de Amadores de Música* in his honor.³¹

FOLKLORE IN TWENTIETH-CENTURY PORTUGAL

Scholar Kimberly Holton has noted that during the era of *Estado Novo*, “Salazar tied the celebration of popular culture to long-term governmental initiatives which cloaked ideological indoctrination in the neutral garb of cultural enrichment.”³² This additionally pacified the nation with apolitical cultural events designed to discourage political activism.³³ The promotion of *ranchos folclóricos*³⁴ also came to serve the purpose of representing a kind of nationalist symbolism in addition to serving as a method for the dissemination of propaganda.³⁵ The effect was that of a simplified and neo-realist (or socialist realist) depiction of peasant life meant to evoke pride and nostalgia for a time and nation that, in reality, may never have existed.³⁶ There was even a “Most Portuguese Village Contest” in 1938 which honored the village that was most authentically “Portuguese,” either through its art, its song, or its rejection of foreign influence. All of these associations came to stain the image of folklore with a certain sense of “fascist merry-making”³⁷ and as an “embarrassing holdover from the *Estado Novo*.³⁸

Lopes-Graça could barely contain his contempt for *ranchos folclóricos* in his 1953 essay entitled “Folclore autêntico e contrafacção folclórica” [Authentic folklore and folkloric contrafacta]:

³¹ *Marchas, Danças e Canções*; Chancelaria, Presidência da República, “Membros das Ordens: Ordens Honoríficas Portuguesas” (Members of the Orders: Portuguese Honorable Orders), http://www.ordens.presidencia.pt/membros_ordens.htm (accessed June 3, 2006).

³² Kimberly DaCosta Holton, *Performing Folklore: Ranchos folclóricos Portuguesas* (Bloomington, Indiana University Press, 2005), 25.

³³ *Ibid.*, 29.

³⁴ *Ranchos folclóricos* are song and dance troops that perform traditional and/or “traditional” musics.

³⁵ *Ibid.*, 30.

³⁶ Monteiro, 8.

³⁷ Holton, 1.

³⁸ *Ibid.*, 6.

Ranchos folclóricos are springing up everywhere. The suppliers of repertoires of light music inundate the market with their “folkloric arrangements,” radio programs sparkle in the “folkloric style,” restaurants announce their “folkloric culinary specials,” there are homemade folkloric furnishings and decoration. Finally, folklore has invaded everything. Folklore has become a mania, a sickness, a way of life.³⁹

The *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* and the concerts of the *Coro da Academia de Amadores de Música* provided a contrast to the *ranchos folclóricos*.

Paritally in response to this bucolic and romanticized view of rural life, Lopes-Graça and Corsican ethnologist Michel Giacemetti (1929–1990) engaged in ethnomusicological field work in Trás-os-Montes, Algarve, Minho, Biera Baixa, Biera Alta, and Alentejo from 1959 to 1981.⁴⁰ They were not the first to record and study the rural music of Portugal, but they were the first to do so in a systematic manner.⁴¹ Some notable figures who had previously collected and worked with Portuguese folk materials include: Neves e Melo (1872); César das Neves and Gualdino Campos, who published three volumes of harmonized transcriptions (1893–98); Kurt Schindler, who recorded music in Trás-os-Montes in 1932–33; Armando Leça in 1940; and Artur Santos, who collected the music of the Azores from 1956–65.⁴²

For this study, nineteen out of the 228 adaptations of the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*, representing a wide variety of regions and ensembles, have been chosen for in-depth examination (see table 1.1). For all of these pieces there are extant examples of the transcribed source melody in *A Canção Popular Portuguesa, A Música Portuguesa e os seus Problemas II*, and/or the *Cancioneiro Popular Português*. The last of the nineteen examples (*Oliveiras, oliveiras*) will also be considered in relation to the field recording which is undoubtedly the source for the harmonization. The purpose of this study is to explore the link between the published sources and their respective choral

³⁹Fernando Lopes-Graça, *A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 4th ed. (Lisbon: Edições Caminho, 1991), 19; as translated in Holton, 14. [Por toda a parte se formam “ranchos folclóricos,” os fornecedores do repertório musical ligeiro inundam o mercado com os seus “arranjos folclóricos,” as vedetas da rádio brilham no “estilo folclórico,” os restaurantes anunciam os seus “pratos folclóricos,” há os trastes e adornos caseiros folclóricos — enfim, o folclore invadiu tudo, o folclore tornou-se uma tineta, uma doença, um modo de vida.]

⁴⁰Salwa El-Shawan Castelo-Branco, “Portugal: Traditional Music,” in *New Grove Dictionary of Music and Musicians* 2d ed., ed. Stanley Sadie (London: Macmillan, 2001), 20: 200.; Nery and Castro, 170.

⁴¹Nery and Castro, 170.

⁴²Castelo-Branco (2001), 200.

adaptations. A discussion of the relationship of those sources to their source field recordings or secondary transcriptions is outside of the scope of this study.

Table 1.1: List of works considered.

Vol.	No.	Title	Region	Approx. date
1	3	<i>Fui te ver, 'stavas lavando</i>	Alentejo	1943
1	5	<i>O Milho da nossa terra</i>	Beira Baixa	
5	6	<i>Ó Senhora do Amparo!</i>	Beira Baixa	
5	9	<i>Sete varas tem</i>	Trás-os-Montes	
8	3	<i>Não quero que vás à monda</i>	Alentejo	
10	4	<i>Se fores ao São João</i>	Trás-os-Montes	
12	1	<i>Oh que novas tão alegres</i>	Beira Baixa	
13	5	<i>Senhora Santa Luzia (II)</i>	Beira Baixa	
14	3	<i>Alerta, alerta (I)</i>	Minho	1950/53
14	9	<i>Bendita e louvado seja</i>	Beira Baixa	1950/53
14	11	<i>Ai, recordai, ó pecador</i>	Beira Baixa	1950/53
15	6	<i>Ó Rosinha!</i>	Trás-os-Montes	
16	8	<i>Vós chamais-me a moreninha</i>	Beira Alta	1977
17	1	<i>Nossa Senhora do Souto</i>	Beira Baixa	
17	2	<i>Aproveitai a azeitona</i>	Beira Baixa	
17	3	<i>Romance d'O cativo (fragmento)</i>	Algarve	
22	1	<i>Tascadeiras do meu linho</i>	Duoro Litoral	
22	5	<i>Ó valverde, ó valverde (II)</i>	Duoro Litoral	
24	6	<i>Oliveiras, oliveiras</i>	Alentejo	1988

COMPOSITIONAL OUTPUT

Some of Lopes-Graça's major works include the ballet *La fièvre du temps*, commissioned by the *Maison de la Culture* and premiered (in suite form) at the *Théâtre Pigalle* in 1938;⁴³ the Piano Concerto no.1, which won the 1940 *Círculo de Cultura Musical* prize for composition (a prize he won again in 1942, 1944 and 1952); the String Quartet no. 1 (1964), which won the Prince Rainier III Prize in 1965; the 1965 *Concerto da câmera col violoncello obbligato*, commissioned by Mstislav Rostropovich and premiered in Moscow;⁴⁴ and the monumental *Requiem pelas vítimas*

⁴³ *Marchas, Danças e Canções*.

⁴⁴ Cascudo, 104. The premiere took place in Moscow on October 6, 1967, at the Grand Hall of the Conservatory with the Moscow Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Kirill Kondrashin.

do fascismo em Portugal [Requiem for the victims of fascism in Portugal] (1979) for orchestra, chorus and soloists.

Lopes-Graça's folk-inspired works include song settings for solo voice and piano, harmonizations for choir (both accompanied and unaccompanied), and chamber and orchestral works based on folk-tunes. His vocal works show a strong connection to the Portuguese language and utilize texts from Luís Vaz de Camões (*ca.* 1524–80) through to some of his contemporary poets and authors. The first adaptations of the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* were written in 1943, with more volumes added sporadically until 1988.⁴⁵

RELATIONSHIP TO COMPOSERS OUTSIDE OF PORTUGAL

Lopes-Graça traveled internationally as a Portuguese representative to the International Society for Contemporary Music [I. S. C. M.]. His travels for musical conferences included locations such as Prague, Amsterdam, Palermo, Wrocław, Angola, and Brazil.⁴⁶ While abroad he also conducted interviews for Portuguese periodicals, as he did during his 1955 trip to England, where he interviewed composer and pianist Alan Bush (1900–1995), and composer and critic Humphrey Searle (1915–1982). While in England Lopes-Graça also made broadcasts for the Portuguese BBC on the topic of contemporary British composition.⁴⁷

Lopes-Graça's admiration for Bartók is clearly observed in three works in particular: the essay *Recordação de Béla Bartók* [Reminiscences of Béla Bartók], in which he describes his meeting with Bartók in Paris in the winter of 1939,⁴⁸ a short Portuguese language biography entitled *Béla Bartók: Três apontamentos sobre a sua personalidade e a sua obra* [Béla Bartók: Three notes about his personality and work] (1953);⁴⁹ and in the piano work *In Memoriam Béla Bartók* (1960–75).

⁴⁵Ibid., 59.

⁴⁶Carvalho, 40–1.

⁴⁷Monteiro, 8, n43.

⁴⁸*Recordação de Béla Bartók* (1947), published in the biographical work discussed next, as well as in *Opúsculos* (2) (Lisbon: Editorial Caminho, 1984). Their meeting is described as brief (in Lopes-Graça's account they exchanged "half-a-dozen words"), but it apparently had a lasting effect on a grateful and humble Lopes-Graça. No reference of the meeting can be found in any of the Bartók scholarship.

⁴⁹Published by *Gazeta Musical* (Lisbon), 1953.

Lopes-Graça travelled to Budapest in 1974 to oversee the recording of some of his symphonic works and, while there, visited the *Bartók Béla Emlékház* [Bartók Museum].⁵⁰ In 1981 he returned to Budapest at the invitation of the Hungarian government to take part in the Bartók centenary celebrations and record his piano work *In Memoriam Béla Bartók* for Radio Hungary.⁵¹ The connection between the two was so clear to some that one journalist went so far as to refer to Lopes-Graça as the “Bartók português” [Portuguese Bartók] in a 1969 interview.⁵²

Lopes-Graça’s time in Paris included studies with the eclectic French composer and critic Charles Koechlin.⁵³ About ten years later Lopes-Graça interviewed Koechlin for the June 21, 1947, issue of “Seara Nova.”⁵⁴

Lopes-Graça had professional relationships with Russian composers such as Sergey Prokofiev (1891–1953) and Alexander Georgiyevich Flyarkovsky (1931–). Two letters from Prokofiev to Lopes-Graça, dated June 15 and July 1, 1933, discuss Lopes-Graça plans to play Prokofiev’s “Sonata no. 3” as well as his intentions to write an article about Prokofiev. Flyarkovsky, who studied with Vissarion Shebalin at Moscow Conservatory and later took charge of some posts within the U. S. S. R. Union of Composers, personally inscribed two of his own scores to Lopes-Graça. Lopes-Graça travelled to the Soviet Union in 1977, where he concertized and presumably met Flyarkovsky and other composers.⁵⁵ Lopes-Graça travelled to Moscow in 1984 to oversee the first performance of his *Requiem pelas vítimas do fascismo em Portugal* outside of Lisbon.⁵⁶

⁵⁰Carvalho, 41; Câmara Municipal de Matosinhos, *Uma Homanagem a Fernando Lopes-Graça* (Matosinhos, Portugal: Edições Afrontamento, 1995), 81.

⁵¹Carvalho, 41; Câmara Municipal de Matosinhos, 81.

⁵²Published in Fernando Lopes-Graça, *A Música Portuguesa e os seus Problemas* (III), 277.

⁵³The *Museu da Música Portuguesa* has two letters from Koechlin to Lopes-Graça, dated April 22, 1937, and April 14, 1939, which discuss their plans to meet for lessons (Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, cpk-008-001 and cpk-008-002).

⁵⁴Fernando Lopes-Graça, “Visita aos músicos Franceses VI: Charles Koechlin,” *Seara Nova* 26: no. 1038 (June 21, 1947): 118–20. Lopes-Graça’s interview notes and a letter from Koechlin to Lopes-Graça, dated August 8, 1947, relating how pleased Koechlin was with the article can be found in the Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, cpk-008-003 and cpk-008-004.

⁵⁵Carvalho, 41. A concert photograph of Lopes-Graça and noted Portuguese tenor Fernando Serafim taken in Leningrad in 1977 can be found in Câmara Municipal de Matosinhos, 82. The two Flyarkovsky scores in Lopes-Graça’s library are dated Dec. 12, 1977. Ermakov’s *Pravda* article included as App. B.1 also shows something of his relationship to the Soviet Union.

⁵⁶Carvalho, 41.

Furthermore, in 1976 the U. S. S. R. awarded Lopes-Graça the Order of the People's Friendship in honor of his "activism toward the development and strengthening of friendship and cultural collaboration between the countries of Portugal and the Soviet Union."⁵⁷

Stylistic and philosophical parallels between Lopes-Graça and Spaniard Manuel de Falla will be discussed below, but it should be noted that despite their relative geographical proximity, no evidence of a strong personal interaction between the two is found in the literature. Interestingly, there is evidence of interaction between Falla and Bartók, as shown in a February 22, 1931, letter from Falla to Bartók regarding a potential concert in Grenada, Spain.⁵⁸

⁵⁷"By Decree of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the U. S. S. R.: On the awarding of the Order of the People's Friendship to Portuguese Composer Fernando Lopes-Graça." See App. B.2

⁵⁸Denijs Dille, ed., *Documenta Bartokiana*, vol. 3 (Mainz: B. Schott's Söhne, 1968), 158.

CHAPTER 2

COMPOSITIONAL ANALYSIS

The analysis of the selections considered here will begin with a discussion of the genre to which they belong, followed by an examination of the methods Lopes-Graça employed in moving from the source material to the final adaptation. This examination will first focus on the three aspects of the process of adaptation identified in his 1965 quotation discussed above (counterpoint, harmony, and rhythm) before considering various other aspects of the adaptations.

Harmonizações AS GENRE

In the United States, *harmonizações* are generally referred to as “arrangements,” a term that José Luis Borges Coelho disparages.¹ In lieu of either of these terms, I propose the term *adaptation*, a word Lopes-Graça himself uses (*adaptação*) in discussing the genre.² The term is more generalized and does not carry with it the connotations of jazz, the limitations of a sense of simple (re-)ordering, nor the implication of simply being a harmonization of the source (*harmonização*). The use of the term *adaptation* reflects the fact that these pieces have a greater level of independence from the source materials than the previous terms allow, but at the same time are clearly based on them both musically and aesthetically.

The comments of Benjamin Britten in the journal *Modern Music* point to the difficulties inherent in the adaptation of folk materials:

¹José Luís Borges Coelho, preface to the recording *Onze Encomendações das Almas; Doze Cantos de Romaria*, Coral de Letras da Universidade do Porto, dir. Coelho, Portugalsom CD 870041/PS ([Porto]: Reitoria da Universidade do Porto, 1991), 5, 9.

²Graça, *A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 119. [...]arranjos, adaptações, ou harmonizações – o que, com pouca diferença, significa o mesmo...]

[T]here are... serious difficulties in the way of making folksong the basis of contemporary art-forms. Since the form of a work is dictated by the material, the characteristics of English folksong mentioned above [particularly conciseness of form] are bound to have a weakening effect on the structure of music founded directly upon it. . . . Works founded on them are usually little more than variations or potpourris. . . . [E]ach folksong has a completely suggested harmonic scheme... and deviation therefore tends to produce a feeling of irritation. . . . [T]hese characteristics tend to make folksong a most restricting influence.³

In the selections from *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* considered here, Lopes-Graça has clearly grappled with the two main problems that Britten identifies, namely conciseness of form and the harmonic setting inherent to the tune. He is helped in this endeavor in that the characteristics of Portuguese folk music differ from those of England (as noted by Britten, at least), particularly in their vibrant rhythm, eclectic harmony, and overall variety. Though the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* is indeed, in some respects, a collection of the “variations or potpourris” that Britten is wary of, he is not bound or limited by this fact. For perspective it should be noted that Johannes Brahms, too, encountered the issue of pervasive strophism in his folk(-inspired) choral settings and that Arnold Schoenberg utilized a through-composed sort of “developing variation” form in some of his settings.⁴

It is important to note that many of the methods Lopes-Graça employs in the settings considered here deal with the problem of pervasive strophism either directly or indirectly. The methods invoked expand and extend the range of expression of the adaptations and lend this large collection a richness and variety that would otherwise be lacking.

Lopes-Graça’s 1965 essay *Acerca da harmonização coral dos cantos tradicionais Portugueses* [On the topic of choral harmonization of traditional Portuguese songs] provides us with a back-

³Benjamin Britten, “England and the Folk-art Problem,” *Modern Music* 18, no. 2 (Jan.–Feb. 1941): 73. Britten’s comments seem like a couched attack, though it is not clear whom he is attacking. Is it only his countrymen Sir Charles Hubert Parry and company, or is there a deeper philosophical argument at work? In any case, his statements must be viewed with a certain curiosity due to the fact that he himself was working on books of arrangements for solo voice and piano at about the same time that this article was published (Britten’s *Folksongs* Volumes I and II: “British Isles” and “France” were composed 1941–2).

⁴This is particularly seen in his two choral adaptations of *Es Gingen zwei Gespielen gut*. See Von Clytus Gottwald’s notes to the BBC Singers CD recording (Pierre Boulez conducting) of the complete Schoenberg choral works for more information on these interesting pieces.

ground against which to consider this collection. Lopes-Graça states that “we cannot forget to use the resources of harmony, counterpoint, and rhythm that we have in our modest technical arsenal in order to create a work of art.”⁵ He later continues: “A folk-song’s harmonization must be shown as a work of art ... [and] it is not necessary to renounce the technical resources and artistic imagination of the composer.”⁶ His 1956 essay *Sobre os arranjos corais das canções folclóricas Portuguesas* [On the choral arrangements of Portuguese folk-songs] provides similar thought and philosophy on the use of folk materials in choral harmonization.⁷

It is not surprising, given Lopes-Graça’s avowed respect for Bartók, that these sentiments echo some of the Hungarian composer’s statements about his own work with folk materials: “In order to write a good transcription [adaptation], the composer must have creative imagination at his disposal as well, quite as much as in the writing of an original work.”⁸

It is interesting to note that these methods described differ little in spirit or, in relative terms, practice from the earliest techniques of Western counterpoint and polyphony. As José Luis Borges Coelho notes:

Composers have for hundreds of years already taken thematic or melodic pre-existent material and incorporated it into their own musical language, to produce a total fusion. ... This material was often of popular origin...[and] the many “*l’homme armé*” masses...are paradigmatic examples of this. From Dufay to Bartók, by way of Josquin, Arcadelt, Bach, Schubert, Brahms and even Schoenberg, popular or folk music has produced both large and small masterpieces of the international musical repertoire.⁹

⁵Fernando Lopes-Graça, “Acerca do harmonização coral does cantos tradicionais portugueses,” in *A Música Portuguesa e os seus Problemas*, vol. 3 (Lisbon: Edições Cosmos, 1973), 87. [Aceptando embora de boamente estas limitações, não nos furtamos todavia a utilizar os recursos de ordem harmónica, contrapontística e ritmica de que o nosso modesto arsenal técnico se acha provido, com vista a conseguir obra artística, pois que, se a canção regional, nas suas mais lídimas espécies, é uma expressão de arte...] Translated by Alice Carvalho.

⁶Ibid., 88. [*Obra de arte, pois, condicionada embora pela própria natureza do material utilizado ou pelo objectivo que se propõe atingir mas nem por isso devendo abdicar dos recursos técnicos e da imaginação artística própria do compositor que a ela se entrega — tal se nos deve apresentar um arranjo ou uma harmonização de uma canção folclórica.*] Translated by Alice Carvalho.

⁷Fernando Lopes-Graça, “Sobre os arranjos corais das canções folclóricas portuguesas,” in *A Música Portuguesa e os seus Problemas*, 2nd. ed, vol. 2 (Lisbon: Editorial Caminho, 1989), 117–21.

⁸Béla Bartók, *Béla Bartók Essays*, ed. Benjamin Suchoff (New York: St. Martin’s Press, 1976), 352.

⁹Coelho. [A aproivação pelo compositor de matéria temático/melódica pré-existente, incorporando a na própria linguagem, com a qual passa a constituir um todo simbiótico, tem já uma história várias

COUNTERPOINT AND MODALITY

The counterpoint displayed in the selections considered ranges from essentially diatonic to freely chromatic. There are instances of both imitative and invertible counterpoint, as well as modal and bi-modal counterpoint. In addition, there are some contrapuntal features which are primarily textural in nature.

Lopes-Graça points out the “bitonality” of the duet in the source material for *Tascadeiras do meu linho*, but his adaptation completely removes this aspect. His annotation states that the harmonizing (top) voice is in the tonic ionian, while the melody is in the tonic lydian, though his adaptation sets both voices in tonic lydian (see fig. 2.1a–b).¹⁰ The c♯ in the bass voice on beat three of m. 11 is not a vestige of this bitonality, but an expression of a quintal harmony extending downward from the alto d♯ through the tenor g♯ (see fig. 2.1b).

a.)

Não o - lheis pa - rão por - te - lo Qu'a m'ren - di - nha lo - go vem.

b.)

2 Sop. Soli **Tutti**

dolce **Sop.**

Não o - lheis pa - rão por - te - lo, Que a m'ren - di - nha lo - go vem;

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Que a m'ren - di - nha lo - go vem;

Figure 2.1: a.) A *Canção Popular Portuguesa: Tascadeiras do meu linho*, p. 98. (Here transposed up two semitones from the original key off major.) b.) Lopes-Graça: *Tascadeiras do meu linho*, mm. 8–12.

vezes centenária. . . Neste fenómeno genérico se enquadra o aproveitamento da metéria de proveniência popular . . . [a]s dezenas de missas “de l’homme armé” . . . [é] exemplos paradigmáticos. De Dufay a Bartók passando por Josquin, Arcadelt, Bach, Schubert, Brahms, e pelo próprio Schoenberg, o material temático campesino ou de raiz popular deu origem a pequenas e grandes jóias do património musical universal.] Translated by Christopher Bochmann.

¹⁰Graça, *A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 98.

The use of modal (and polymodal) counterpoint seen in *Sete varas tem* is subtly different. In mm. 9–16, the soprano duet is mildly bi-modal in A ionian and F♯ aeolian. When the material repeats in mm. 17–25, the bi-modality is much clearer with A mixolydian now accompanied by F♯ phrygian (see pp. 56–57).

Figure 2.2: Lopes-Graça: *Vós chamais-me a moreninha*.

More strikingly, *Vós chamais-me a moreninha* shows examples of chromatic counterpoint and elements of symmetry. At m. 23 and m. 25, the soprano II presents (G, A, B♭), which is an inverted transposition of the soprano I's (D, C, B♭) (see fig. 2.2a). The soprano II's accompanimental figure is intervallically compressed at m. 31 to all half-steps (E, F♯, F♯) (see fig. 2.2b). The general nature of the counterpoint between the soprano I and soprano II parts in this passage (mm. 18–34) (other than described above) is perhaps best described as freely chromatic counterpoint in the style of Lopes-Graça's former teacher, Charles Koechlin.¹¹

In *Se fores ao São João* mm. 21–2 there are elements of imitation, inversion, and bi-modalism. The melody line is a simple arpeggiation of a D major chord, but it is accompanied by inverted arpeggiations of D major which become D minor upon ascent. The repetition of this material in the

¹¹Examples and discussion of Koechlin's counterpoint may be found in Robert Orledge, *Charles Koechlin (1867–1950): His Life and Works* (Chur, Switzerland: Harwood Academic Publishers, 1989), 281–5.

Figure 2.3: Lopes-Graça: *Se fores ao São João*, mm. 21–2.

following bar makes the bi-modal D major/minor clear by the rapid alternation of F♯ and F♮ (see fig. 2.3).

Ó Senhora do Amparo! displays paired invertible counterpoint between the tenors and basses, and the sopranos and altos. The sopranos and altos begin the piece and are answered a bar later by the tenors and basses (see pp. 53–54). This orientation is reversed at m. 11, where the tenors and basses sing the duet with which the sopranos and altos opened the piece (one octave lower). They are in turn answered by the sopranos and altos singing the tenors' and basses' opening material an octave higher. A more subtle, but similar instance of this sort of paired invertible counterpoint is found in *Ó Rosinha!* at mm. 11–13 (see pp. 86–87) and mm. 49–51 (see p. 90). The last example

occurs in *Bendita e louvado seja*, where the alto and bass swap lines in mm. 1–11 vs. mm. 12–18, while the other accompanimental voices sing what is essentially a repetition (see pp. 80–82).

Within the nineteen works sampled, there are no examples of strict canon, however there are several instances of imitation, the clearest examples of which are found in *Vós chamais-me a moreninha*. Two-part imitation at the fifth is readily apparent at m. 6 between the soprano and alto I and again in fourths between the alto II and alto I at m. 14 (see pp. 91–92).

There are some aspects of counterpoint which have a strong textural component. *Oh, que novas tão alegres*, for instance, includes a passage in which two voices quasi-heterophonically sing in decorated parallel fifths (see fig. 2.4). Later in the adaptation there is a similar passage in which two altos move in decorated parallel fifths and octaves with the soprano (mm. 65–73). Similarly, the use of parallel octaves occurs as a textural variant in *Aproveitai a azeitona*, where they enhance the variety of the strophes and function almost as a simple developing textural variation.¹²

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is labeled "Tenor Solo" and the bottom staff is labeled "Bass Solo". Both staves are in 3/4 time and G major (two sharps). The vocal parts sing in decorated parallel fifths. The lyrics are: Nes-ta ma - nhã de a - le - gri - a, ____ Nes-ta ma - nhã do Se - nhor, ____.

Figure 2.4: Lopes-Graça: *Oh, que novas tão alegres*, mm. 32–40.

HARMONY

The harmonic language employed in the selections ranges from the almost exclusively diatonic *Alerta, alerta (I)*, which is entirely in C minor with the exception of one coloristic c♯, to complex and dense harmonic sonorities that will be considered below.

¹²It is interesting to note that this feature was an afterthought, as is evidenced by his original sketches for the piece, which are scored only for women's voices (see p. 151).

Some of the adaptations include multi-voice source material, such as *Oliveiras*, *oliveiras* and *Tascadeiras do meu linho* (discussed above). In the transcription and field recording for *Oliveiras*, *oliveiras*, the harmonization is simply one of diatonic parallel thirds. In Lopes-Graça's adaptation, the thirds linger as a vestige of the original but are interpreted freely and embellished chromatically. Similarly, the adaptation of *Ó valverde, ó valverde (II)* discards the brief duet in parallel thirds found in the source and recasts the polyphony in free chromatic counterpoint focusing on seconds.

Drone or pedal tones are evident in three of the adaptations. In *Vós chamais-me a moreninha*, the drum¹³ serves as the rhythmic backdrop for the opening section of the adaptation. In mm. 18–34, the alto I and alto II take over the steady beat of the drum with an open-fifth G-D. The drone here serves as a harmonic backbone as the upper voices engage in the chromatic counterpoint discussed above (see fig. 2.2).

In *Fui te ver, 'stavas lavando*, the pedal tones are integrated into the homophonic texture. In the first phrase, the alto and tenor sing a C-F dyad drone until the cadence (see p. 48). The second and subsequent phrases exhibit similar, but freer, drone-like features. In *Sete varas tem*, the drone notes are more complex and include grace-note embellishments. In mm. 9–15, the lower voices intone an A-E dyad that is decorated with pentanonic A, E, B, F♯ grace notes (see p. 56).

Though polytonality is not widely observed as a harmonic or coloristic device, there are two passages found in the works considered. The first occurs in m. 25 of *Sete varas tem*. The upper voices maintain their A-E dyad (indicative of the A mixolydian/D major key area), while the lower voices move into a B♭ major area for the cadence with the D♯ understood enharmonically as E♭ (making a B♭ triad with a suspended 4) (see fig. 2.5). The other example occurs in mm. 36–53 of *Não quero que vás à monda*, where the G major melody is harmonized with a line in E major (see pp. 65–66). With these exceptions, the denser harmonic moments seen in the selections are generally best described as freely dissonant or controlled by contrapuntal factors.

¹³The drum in the adaptation (notated as a *tamb[or]*) serves as an evocation of the *maça* [mace] used in pounding flax, the blows of which would have accompanied the song in its original context.



Figure 2.5: Lopes-Graça: *Sete varas tem*, mm. 23–25.

Lopes-Graça sometimes sets the interior sections of the adaptations in contrasting key areas.¹⁴ *Fui te ver 'stavas lavando*, for example, utilizes the subtle contrast of the relative minor. Many of the pieces offer other textural or modal shifts, but the most striking is *Nossa Senhora da Souto*, which contrasts G major and the relatively distant key of E major. The tight chromaticism of the piece makes it difficult to discuss common tones in terms of common-practice harmony, but an examination of the pitch-class sets involved makes it clear that the middle E major section is noticeably lacking in common tones with the opening and closing G major sections, and thus seems even more distant.

A recurrent feature in many of the selections is the strong presence of the closely related [027] and [025] (pentatonic subset) pitch-class sets. They are often found at cadential and important moments; even in *Nossa Senhora da Souto*, which is otherwise very tightly chromatic, there are many occurrences of [025] and [027] along with their subset [05].

¹⁴In the source material for these adaptations there is no contrasting key area.

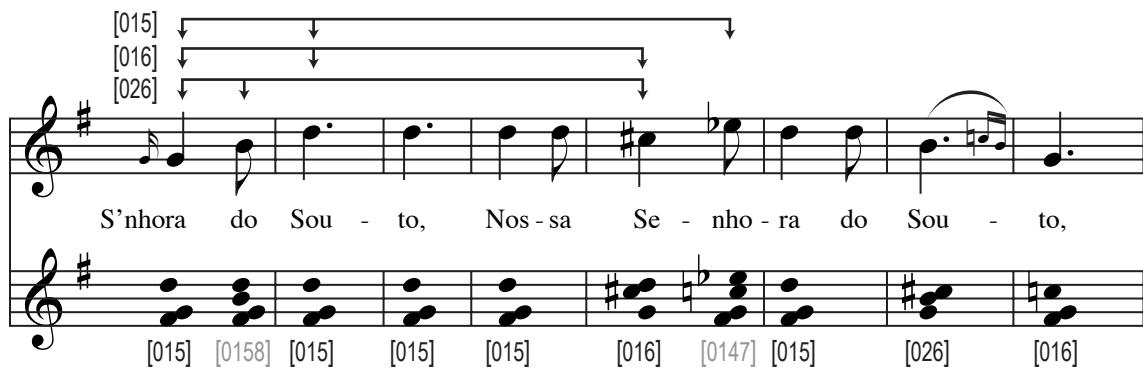


Figure 2.6: Lopes-Graça: *Nossa Senhora da Souto*, mm. 1–8 with reduced harmony.

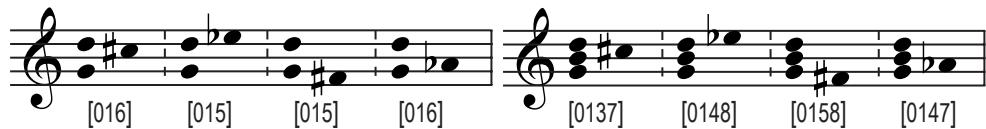


Figure 2.7: Open fifth and major triad with added minor seconds around root and fifth.

Even more interesting is the fact that *Nossa Senhora do Souto* displays a verticalization of the melody to derive the harmonic material. This feature is strikingly similar to thoughts put forward by Bartók in his essay entitled “The Folk Songs of Hungary”: “The final chord of the movement is...a simultaneous resonance of all four (or five) tones of the motive: a condensed form of the same, to a certain extent, a vertical projection of the previous horizontal form.”¹⁵ It is also similar to observations made by Vera Lampert: “From that time on Bartók...wrote daring accompaniments with harmonies traceable from the melodic lines.”¹⁶ An examination of the harmonies in the first phrase of *Nossa Senhora do Souto* shows that the sonorities are all either related directly to the melody, or derived through transposition and/or inversion. The main harmonic idea seems to be

¹⁵Bartók, 335.

¹⁶Vera Lampert, preface to the recording *Twenty Hungarian Folk Songs, for Voice and Piano* in Béla Bartók: *Complete Recordings*, Hungaraton SLPX 11610, 10.

that of either an open-fifth or major triad with added minor seconds. These complexes highlight the C♯ and E♭ that make up the striking diminished third of the melody (see figs. 2.6 and 2.7).

RHYTHM

Lopes-Graça states that it is possible to adapt the rhythms of the sources, but in almost all observed cases the rhythm of the original, down to the placement of inter-word breaths, is rendered with striking accuracy. The minor exceptions to this accuracy are essentially graphical and occur in *Senhora Santa Luzia (II)*, for which Lopes-Graça doubles the rhythmic values when moving from the source to the adaptation; *Tascadeiras do meu linho*, which has been slightly rebarred; and *Aproveitai a azeitona*, which will be discussed at length below. Additionally, some of the ornaments as observed in the source material have been rhythmically simplified to facilitate clearer choral performance.

The sketches for *Aproveitai a azeitona* give some insight into Lopes-Graça's thinking about rhythm with regards to these pieces. In the sketches for mm. 24–25, the time signature is $\frac{2}{4}$ and the rhythm of the alto is reduced, whereas in the final version and source tune, the time signature is $\frac{3}{4}$. Given the erasure of what was presumably $\frac{3}{4}$ in m. 24 of the sketch, as well as the clear addition of the subsequently necessitated $\frac{3}{4}$ in m. 26, it is difficult to say whether Lopes-Graça made an error and later fixed the time signatures to conform to the notes, or whether he was thinking of changing the durations all along (see fig. 2.8a–c). In either case it is interesting to see that he decided to change the time signature back to match the tune. At the corresponding point in the second verse a similar circumstance is encountered: In the sketches for m. 46, there is a triplet rhythm in $\frac{2}{4}$ time in the alto and bass, which in the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* has been rendered as straight quarter notes in $\frac{3}{4}$ time (see fig. 2.8d–f). Due to the fact that these are isolated examples in which the concern is mainly with agogic accent, rather than on altering the basic sense of the rhythm, it is clear that the transcribed rhythm of these tunes is something quite important to Lopes-Graça's conception of their adaptations.

Figure 2.8: Aproveitai a azeitona: a.) *A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, p. 92, mm. 17–19. b.) Lopes-Graça: sketch for adaptation, mm. 24–26. c.) Lopes-Graça: final version as appears in *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*, mm. 24–26. d.) *A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, p. 92, mm. 17. e.) Lopes-Graça: sketch for adaptation, m. 46. f.) Lopes-Graça: final version as appears in *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*, m. 46. [Quarter-note is equivalent throughout the examples.]

Furthermore, the sketches for *Bendita e louvada seja* include a rhythmic deviation that, in the later source, conforms to the transcribed form.¹⁷ A comparison of Lopes-Graça’s adaptation of *Oliveiras, oliveiras* to its field recording likewise shows that a strong effort was made to accurately represent the rhythms of the original in the adaptation.¹⁸ Unfinished sketches found elsewhere in Lopes-Graça’s notebooks further illustrate a close connection between the transcribed tune and the adaptation. In these notebooks the complete tune is written out (along with a notation of its source), but the adaptation is incompletely worked out.¹⁹

¹⁷ See the annotations on p. 140 for a discussion of the difference.

¹⁸ Fernando Lopes-Graça and Michel Giacometti, *Arquivos Sonoros Portuguesas*, vol. 4, *Alentejo*.

¹⁹ Collection of the Museu da Música Portuguesa, Cx11/10.

Though the feature of inter-word breaths immediately calls to mind the famous instance within Igor Stravinsky's *Symphony of Psalms* (1930) where the words "ero" and "Dominum" are broken up with breaths, the two are not related.²⁰ In the case of the Stravinsky, the breaths are meant for dramatic effect, whereas in the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*, the breaths are treated as inherent and elemental to each piece. It should be noted that this type of breath is also observed in the Kurt Schindler's transcription of the tune *A rosa* from Coimbra.²¹ Four of the examples from *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* considered here display inter-word breaths to varying degrees: *Bendita e louvada seja; Ai, recordai o pecador; Aproveitai a azeitona; and Oliveiras, oliveiras.*

OTHER OBSERVATIONS

In the notes for the examples presented in *A Canção popular Portuguesa*, Lopes-Graça states that the source materials are presented at a "medium register... so that they can be easily sung."²² It is interesting to note that this practice is not in keeping with Bartók et al., who, for cataloging consistency, transpose examples so that the final pitch (*tonus finalis*) is consistent throughout the collection, regardless of the observed performance pitch or subsequent performability.²³ Lopes-Graça and Giacometti's placement of tunes at a comfortable pitch level shows that the focus in these collections has a sizable performance component which takes precedent over considerations that might ease in their cataloging. Many of the adaptations considered here have been transposed

²⁰Igor Stravinsky, *Symphony of Psalms*, rev. 1948 ([New York]: Boosey & Hawkes, n.d.). The two moments cited occur at mm. 76–77 of movement 1 and m. 87 of movement 2.

²¹Kurt Schindler, *Folk Music and Poetry of Spain and Portugal* (New York: Hispanic Institute in the United States, 1941), tune 939.

²²Graça (1991), 79. [As tonalidades foram escolhidas de modo a pôr as canções ao alcance de todas as vozes, isto é, adoptou-se para elas uma prudente tessitura média.] This passage is paraphrased in Salwa El-Shawan Castelo-Branco and Maria Manuela Toscano, "In Search of a Lost World: an Overview of Documentation and Research on the Traditional Music of Portugal," *Yearbook for Traditional Music* 20 (1988): 165: [The medium register is used for all examples so that they can easily be sung.]

²³Béla Bartók, and Albert B. Lord, *Yugoslav Folk Music*, vol. 1, New York Bartók Archive Studies in Musicology, Benjamin Suchoff, ed. (Albany, New York: State University of New York Press, 1976), 13–4. "In principle, melodies ought to be published in the original pitch as sung or played by the performers. In practice, however, we have to make a compromise in order to attain certain goals. One of these goals is to make the survey of the material as easy as possible. The most suitable method by which to attain this is to transpose all the melodies to one pitch, giving the melodies a common 'tonus finalis.' "

for use in the choral medium. Of particular note is *Não quero que vás à monda*, which sits very awkwardly for men's voices in the key of D major and has been moved to G major. Examination of the sketches for *Ai, recorda, ó pecador* shows that the piece was first transcribed in B♭ major, sketched in D major, and finally set in C major.²⁴

The obbligato repeated note exhortations which are often found in the soprano voice are yet another way in which the source material is embellished. This feature can be found in *Se fores ao São João, Tascadeiras do meu linho*, and, in a decorated form, *Romance d'O cativo*. These may be inspired by improvised or semi-improvised Portuguese folk traditions of which this author is presently unaware.

Most of the selections include a variety of textures, but two are almost exclusively homophonic. The homophonic texture of *Alerta, alerta (I)* lends a hymn-like character and austerity to the setting, while in *O milho da nossa terra*, the primarily homophonic setting underscores the sense of community present in the text. Though the technique of alternation between choir and soloist is not new, Lopes-Graça makes good use of the technique in over half of the settings considered here. In two of the adaptations the alternation is between *tutti* choir and soloist with choral accompaniment (*Fui te ver, 'stavas lavando* and *Oh, Rosinha!*), while nine others show alternation between sections of *tutti* choir and sections of unaccompanied solo or soli (*Ó Senhora do Amparo; Sete varas tem; Não quero que vás à monda; Se fores ao São João; Oh que novas tão alegres; Senhora Santa Luzia (II); Nossa Senhora do Souto; Tascadeiras do meu linho; and Oliveira, oliveiras*).

A form of bookending is observed in adaptations in which the interior section is set in another key area. Often this feature is part of a three-verse form in which the middle verse is set in the contrasting key area as discussed above. In the adaptation *Ó Rosinha!* the sketches show that the middle (solo) section was written at a later time and may utilize a text that was not originally paired with the outer section.²⁵ In the case of *Nossa Senhora do Souto*, the melodic material remains strophic, while the harmonic and textural shift of the central section gives the piece an arch form. A slightly

²⁴See the annotations on p. 142 for more information about the sources.

²⁵See p. 143 for a discussion of this feature.

different sort of bookending is found in *Aproveitai a azeitona*, in which Lopes-Graça adds a wordless version of the main material of the piece as an introduction and coda. It is interesting to note that while there are examples of brief preludes and/or postludes in some of the adaptations, there are no instances (other than the naturally rhapsodic and flexible romance *Ó Rosinha!* discussed above) of interludes or phrase overlaps. The additions always occur outside of the frame of the tune that is being adapted. This is consistent with the observations made regarding his working methods hinted at by the examination of unfinished adaptations cited above.

Another method employed is the quasi-instrumental technique of dovetailing or melodic-sharing, where one voice may begin a phrase and another will finish it.²⁶ Lopes-Graça employs this technique in *Se fores ao São João* (mm. 9, 13, 23, and 27) (see pp. 67–68) between the soprano and alto, and in a more complex form in *Ó valverde, ó valverde (II)*, where it occurs between the tenor and soprano (mm. 2–3 and mm. 21–22), and between the alto and soprano (mm. 7–8 and mm. 26–27) (see pp. 110–111). In the latter example, the melody transfer sometimes occurs mid-word.

One anomalous feature found in *Romance d’O cativo* is the brief spoken section for tenor. This may be an extension of the tradition of the Romance, which could be either spoken or sung.²⁷ Though inconclusive, it should be noted that at least one of the source field recordings is completely sung, suggesting that the spoken section may indeed have been a conscious compositional decision on Lopes-Graça’s part and represents another possible method of adaptation.²⁸

²⁶The term *dovetailing* generally implies that there is an overlapping pitch that is shared between the voices, though this is not always true in the examples described here.

²⁷Castelo-Branco (2001), 196; Castelo-Branco and Toscano, 175.

²⁸Fernando Lopes-Graça and Michel Giacometti, *Anthology of Portuguese Folk Music*, Smithsonian Folkways #FE 4538, vol. 2, track 18. The other source that was used to derive the tune/text is referenced in the notes on the piece in *A Canção Popular Portuguesa*.

CHAPTER 3

DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSIONS

Some critics have noted that Lopes-Graça's compositional style evolved during the 1950s, 1960s, and 1970s to include a greater exploration of rhythmic and harmonic parameters and “intensely concentrated [harmonic] structures,” with a return to neo-classicism towards the end of his career.¹ As discussed in Chapter 2, the rhythms of the adaptations considered here were essentially prescribed by the transcriptions. On the other hand, the tunes Lopes-Graça choose in this later period tended to be those with more mixed-meter and even include some choices which lack a regular meter, such as *Bendita e louvado seja* and *Oliveiras, oliveras*. Also observed in the later adaptations is a freer sense of harmony and instances of “intensely concentrated” harmonic moments, such as those well noted in *Nossa Senhora do Souto*. It is not possible to discern a clear return to neo-classicism within the selections considered.

Stylistically, there are similarities between Lopes-Graça's approach and the “modernist folklore” observed in the work of Spanish composer Manuel de Falla. Works such as *El sombrero de tres picos* [The Three-cornered Hat] take indigenous sounds and musics and transform them using modernist orchestral techniques.² Paulo Ferreira de Castro suggests that Lopes-Graça's pieces based on popular models (such as the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*) mix modernist techniques and folkloric materials, but create something that is:

resolutely distanced from any romantic conception of a bucolic or picturesque nature, tending rather to accentuate the rude and rough nature of a painful rural existence... [which] without a doubt is the most “subversive” aspect of his music but

¹Picoto and Cascudo, 244.

²Carol A. Hess, *Sacred Passions: The Life and Music of Manuel de Falla*, (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2005) 119, [103–136 passim]. Lopes-Graça had a copy of “The Three-Cornered Hat” in his personal library, a catalog of which was provided to the author courtesy of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa* in Monte Estoril, Portugal.

also the origin of a difficult relation with the concert going public that still today does not see itself in the sound world of Lopes-Graça, permeated by a kind of disturbing tension between the musical material and its treatment, which does not seem to lend itself to the consensual affirmation of the collective identity.³

Castro states that this aspect of Lopes-Graça's music has led to its "aesthetic condemnation" for some, and furthermore that "the imaginary collective Portuguese spirit hesitates to recognize itself in Lopes-Graça's nationalism, and this fact has certainly greatly contributed to obstruct the dissemination of his music in Portugal and abroad."⁴ For Castro, it is Lopes-Graça's approach to folk music, with its musical and political distancing from the propagandizing of the Salazar era, which is, ironically, the very thing that distances it from its audience.

It is difficult to make a case for a particular method of adaptation being seen as a political statement; however, it is possible to state that in the face of the suppression of actual folk materials and the promotion of the *ranchos folclóricos*, Lopes-Graça's philosophical and technical approach to the music represents a level of respect that is in opposition to the state-sanctioned cultural program. It also reflects, in part through his choices of texts, his communist political views. In some ways Lopes-Graça's approach is similar to Bartók's endeavors to answer the fake-real of *verismo* in Hungary. Bartók's *Elmúlt ikődből* [From Olden Times], for instance, is seen by some commentators as being social criticism through folk song adaptation.⁵ Likewise, Estonian composer Veljo Tormis's work based on the dying, extinct, and/or suppressed languages and cultures of the Baltics was, in part, a political statement at a time when the Soviet Union was promoting the russification of the Soviet republics.⁶

³Nery and Castro, 171.

⁴Paulo Ferreira de Castro, "Musical Nationalism, or the Ambiguities of Portugueseness." Translated by Ivan Moody. In *VI Colóquio do conselho internacional de música tradicional: Portugal e o Mundo; O encontro de culturas na música* (Sixth Colloquium of the International Council for Traditional Music: Portugal and the World; The Encounter of Cultures in Music), edited by Salwa El-Shawan Castelo-Branco (Lisbon: Publicações Dom Quixote, 1997), 168.

⁵Malcolm Gillies, *The Bartók Companion*(Portland, Oregon: Amadeus Press, 1994), 422.

⁶Mimi S. Daitz, *Ancient Song Recovered: The Life and Music of Veljo Tormis*, Dimension and Diversity Series (Hillsdale, New York: Pendragon Press, 2004), 203. "[I]f one regards Tormis's use of Balto-Finnic folk material as a statement against the on-going russification of the non-Russian Soviet Republics, then about 90% of his [post mid-1960s] choral music... may be characterized as politically motivated."

In reconsideration of Britten's motives for writing "England and the Folk-art Problem" (see p. 20), Britten employed techniques very much similar to those observed in the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* examples discussed. Particularly notable is Britten's use of polytonality in his setting of "The Ash Grove," as well as the fact that Britten later set another work from his first volume of folksong settings, "The Salley Gardens," for two-part choir and piano.

The *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* can also be considered in relation to Bartók's more generalized thoughts on the adaptation of folk material:

Concerning the transcription [adaptation] of folk music, I have a few remarks to make. They can be approximately divided into three categories. One of these categories represents transcriptions where the used folk melody is the more important part of the work. The added accompaniment and eventual preludes and postludes may only be considered as the mounting of a jewel. The second category represents transcriptions where the importance of the used melodies and the added parts is almost equal. In the third category, the added composition-treatment attains the importance of an original work, and the used folk melody is only to be regarded as a kind of motto.⁷

The selections from *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* considered here generally fall between the first and second categories. The tunes are certainly treated as "jewels" that are allowed to shine through the beauty of their setting, but the complexity of their new contexts sometimes rivals the prominence of the original tune.

The prominent Australian composer, pianist, and ethnomusicologist Percy Grainger's compositional output includes many references to the folk sources that he spent so much time collecting. In particular, his suite for band *A Lincolnshire Posy* is seen by some as a kind of biography of the singers from whom he collected the folk materials.⁸ Though their music is quite different, in some ways, Lopes-Graça's *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* is similarly a sort of biographical sketch of the Portuguese people.

⁷Béla Bartók, "The Relation Between Folk Music and Art Music," (1941) as appears in Bartók (1976), 348–53.

⁸James Porter, "Bartók and Grainger: Some Correspondences and a Hypothesis," *Studia Musicologica Academiae Scientiarum Hungaricae*, T. 25, Fasc. 1/4 (1983): 228.

In a 1947 review of Lopes-Graça's *A Música Portuguesa e os seus Problemas*, Paul Marie-Masson tellingly paraphrases Lopes-Graça and provides us with another perspective on the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*:

[Lopes-Graça] does not fear to affirm that “true Portuguese music does not exist” because “in fact a Portuguese musical language does not exist,” nor an “organic continuity” of Portuguese music through time. ...[Lopes-Graça] assesses that Portuguese music is, above all, made up of isolated, sporadic works that are the products of “epigones” that are not without valor, but which do not suffice to create a tradition.⁹

In this case, the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas* serves to tie the music of Portugal together by placing pieces inspired by disparate regions of Portugal directly next to one another within its volumes. By then taking these songs back to his countrymen through performance (i.e., “returning the treasure with interest”), Lopes-Graça is further tying Portuguese music and culture together.¹⁰

CONCLUSIONS

A limited study such as this can only hope to shed some small amount of light on the range and variety of music found in the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*. However, this study has shown, even within its inherent limitations, that this prolific collection, along with its extra-musical aspects, is well worthy of study and performance. The originality of the choral writing and the conviction of the composer are evident at every moment and invite further exploration. It is this author’s hope that the music of Fernando Lopes-Graça, so long unheard by most of the world, will be made wider known by this modest document.

⁹Paul Marie-Masson, review of *A Musica Portuguesa a os seus Problemas*, by Fernando Lopes-Graça, *Revue de musicologie* T. 29e, No. 81e/84e (1947): 107. Masson was Lopes-Graça musicology teacher at the Sorbonne in the late 1930s. [...il ne crient pas d'affirmer qu' "il n'existe pas de véritable musique portugaise", parce qu'il "n'existe pas en fait un langage musical portugais", ni une "continuité organique" de la musique portugaise à travers le temps. ... L'autre estime que la musique portugaise est surtout constituée par des productions isolées, sporadiques, œuvres d' "épigones" qui ne sont pas sans valeur, mais qui ne suffisent pas à créer une tradition.] Translated by Whitney Lyman.

¹⁰Graça (1989), 117. [As canções que ides ouvir roubei-as eu ao nosso povo, que tem um grande tesouro delas: e roubei-lhas, não para as guardar para mim, mas com o propósito de lhas restituir, possivelmente com juro do roubo.] Translated by Paula Billingsley.

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PRIMARY MUSICAL SOURCES AND ANCILLARY MATERIALS

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- 1.) Standard modern notation has been applied in cases where it does not alter the perceived intent of the composer, for instance:
 - 1.a) All slurs are placed above the notes, with the exception of slurs pertaining to the second or subsequent verses, where they are placed below the notes and shown as a dotted slur.
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 - 1.d) Under tie bars have been added to elided vowels in order to clarify the text declamation.
- 2.) All obvious errors in the source have been corrected.
- 3.) All sources are listed in App. A.5.
- 4.) Any possible variations or alternate readings are discussed in App. A.5.

A.3 GLOSSARY OF PORTUGUESE MUSICAL TERMS FOUND IN THE SCORES

Portuguese	Italian
<i>doce</i>	<i>dolce</i>
<i>1^a [2^a, etc.] vez</i>	<i>1^a [2^a, etc.] volta</i>
<i>para terminar</i>	<i>per finire</i>
<i>allarg. um pouco</i>	<i>allarg. un poco</i>

N. B. : All other directions are in Italian.

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I/3: Fui-te ver, 'stavas lavando

(Alentejo)

J = 56

Ten. Solo

Sop.

Fui - te ver, 'sta-vas la - van-do, Fui - te ver, 'sta-vas la - van-do No ri - o sem as - sa - bão, _____

Alto

Fui - te ver, 'sta-vas la - van-do, Fui - te ver, 'sta-vas la - van-do No ri - o sem as - sa - bão, _____

Ten.

Fui - te ver, 'sta-vas la - van-do, Fui - te ver, 'sta-vas la - van-do No ri - o sem as - sa - bão, _____

Bass

Fui - te ver, 'sta-vas la - van-do, Fui - te ver, 'sta-vas la - van-do No ri - o sem as - sa - bão, _____

7

8

Fi-ca-

La-vas em á-guas de ro-sas, La-vas em á-guas de ro-sas, Fi-ca - te_o chei-ro na mão. _____

La-vas em á-guas de ro-sas, La-vas em á-guas de ro-sas, Fi-ca - te_o chei-ro na mão. _____

La-vas em á-guas de ro-sas, La-vas em á-guas de ro-sas, Fi-ca - te_o chei-ro na mão. _____

La-vas em á-guas de ro-sas, La-vas em á-guas de ro-sas, Fi-ca - te_o chei-ro na mão. _____

Fui-te ver, 'stavas lavando

15

- te_o chei-ro na mão, Fi - ca-te_o chei-ro na mão, Fi - ca-te_o chei-ro no fa - to, Se_eu mor-

p dolce

M _____ M _____ M _____

dolce

M _____ M _____ M _____

p dolce

M _____ M _____ M _____

p dolce

M _____ M _____ M _____

22

-rer e tu fi - car's, Se_eu mor - rer e tu fi - car's, A - do - ra - me_o meu re - tra - to.

pp

M _____ M _____ M _____ A - do-

pp

M _____ M _____ M _____ A - do-

pp

M _____ M _____ M _____ A - do-

pp

M _____ M _____ M _____ A - do-

Fui-te ver, 'stavas lavando

29

-ra - me_o meu re - tra - to, A - do - ra - me_o meu re - tra - to, A - do - re_o meu co - ra - ção,

-ra - me_o meu re - tra - to, A - do - ra - me_o meu re - tra - to, A - do - re_o meu co - ra - ção,

-ra - me_o meu re - tra - to, A - do - ra - me_o meu re - tra - to, A - do - re_o meu co - ra - ção,

-ra - me_o meu re - tra - to, A - do - ra - me_o meu re - tra - to, A - do - re_o meu co - ra - ção,

35

Fui - te ver, 'sta - vas la - van - do, Fui - te ver, 'sta - vas la - van - do No ri - o sem as - sa - bão.

Fui - te ver, 'sta - vas la - van - do, Fui - te ver, 'sta - vas la - van - do No ri - o sem as - sa - bão.

Fui - te ver, 'sta - vas la - van - do, Fui - te ver, 'sta - vas la - van - do No ri - o sem as - sa - bão.

Fui - te ver, 'sta - vas la - van - do, Fui - te ver, 'sta - vas la - van - do No ri - o sem as - sa - bão.

I/5: O milho da nossa terra

(Beira Baixa)

$\text{♪} = 132$

Sop. mf (2^a vez, **p** dolce)

1. O mil - ho da nos - sa ter - ra, Ai, o mil - ho da nos - sa ter - ra É tra -
2. Mil - ho bran-coe a - ma - rel - lo, Ai, mi - lho bran-coe a - ma - re - lo, Sa - cha-o

Alto mf (2^a vez, **p** dolce)

1. O mil - ho da nos - sa ter - ra, Ai, o mil - ho da nos - sa ter - ra É tra -
2. Mil - ho bran-coe a - ma - rel - lo, Ai, mi - lho bran-coe a - ma - re - lo, Sa - cha-o

Ten. mf (2^a vez, **p** dolce)

1. O mil - ho da nos - sa ter - ra, Ai, o mil - ho da nos - sa ter - ra É tra -
2. Mil - ho bran-coe a - ma - rel - lo, Ai, mi - lho bran-coe a - ma - re - lo, Sa - cha-o

Bass mf (2^a vez, **p** dolce)

1. O mil - ho da nos - sa ter - ra, Ai, o mil - ho da nos - sa ter - ra É tra -
2. Mil - ho bran-coe a - ma - rel - lo, Ai, mi - lho bran-coe a - ma - re - lo, Sa - cha-o

5
 -ta - do com ca - ri - nho; É a ri - que - za do po - vo, Ai, é a ri - que - za do
 bem, ó sa - cha - dei - ra; Que é su - or do nos - so ros - to, Ai, que é su - or do nos - so

-ta - do com ca - ri - nho; É a ri - que - za do po - vo, Ai, é a ri - que - za do
 bem, ó sa - cha - dei - ra; Que é su - or do nos - so ros - to, Ai, que é su - or do nos - so

8
 -ta - do com ca - ri - nho; É a ri - que - za do po - vo, Ai, é a ri - que - za do
 bem, ó sa - cha - dei - ra; Que é su - or do nos - so ros - to, Ai, que é su - or do nos - so

-ta - do com ca - ri - nho; É a ri - que - za do po - vo, Ai, é a ri - que - za do
 bem, ó sa - cha - dei - ra; Que é su - or do nos - so ros - to, Ai, que é su - or do nos - so

O milho da nossa terra

10

po - vo, É o pão dos po - bre - zi - nhos, É a ri - que - za do
ros - to, O pão da nos - sa can - sei - ra; Que é su - or do nos - so

po - vo, É o pão dos po - bre - zi - nhos, É a ri - que - za do
ros - to, O pão da nos - sa can - sei - ra; Que é su - or do nos - so

8

po - vo, É o pão dos po - bre - zi - nhos, É a ri - que - za do
ros - to, O pão da nos - sa can - sei - ra; Que é su - or do nos - so

po - vo, É o pão dos po - bre - zi - nhos, É a ri - que - za do
ros - to, O pão da nos - sa can - sei - ra; Que é su - or do nos - so

14

po - vo, Ai, é a ri - que - za do
ros - to, Ai, que é su - or do nos - so

po - vo, É o pão dos po - bre - zi - nhos.
ros - to, O pão da nos - sa can - sei - ra.

8

po - vo, Ai, é a ri - que - za do
ros - to, Ai, que é su - or do nos - so

po - vo, É o pão dos po - bre - zi - nhos.
ros - to, O pão da nos - sa can - sei - ra.

po - vo, Ai, é a ri - que - za do
ros - to, Ai, que é su - or do nos - so

po - vo, É o pão dos po - bre - zi - nhos.
ros - to, O pão da nos - sa can - sei - ra.

V/6: Ó Senhora do Amparo!

(Beira Baixa)

p 2 Soli

Sop. $\text{♩} = 63$

1. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro! E - la lá em ci - ma vem, Com seu
2. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro! Tem a bol - sa à ja - ne - la Pa - ra

p 2 Soli

Alto

1. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro! E - la lá em ci - ma vem, Com seu
2. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro! Tem a bol - sa à ja - ne - la Pa - ra

p 2 Soli

Ten.

1. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro! Ó Se-nho - ra!
2. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro! Ó Se-nho - ra!

p 2 Soli

Bass

1. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro! Ó Se-nho - ra!
2. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro! Ó Se-nho - ra!

6

p

Tutti *sotto voce*

me-ni - no ao co - lo E seu ca - be - lo ao des - dém. Ó Se -
pa-gar ao pin - tor _____ Que lhe pin-tou a ca - pe - la. Ó Se -

p

Tutti *sotto voce*

me-ni - no ao co - lo E seu ca - be - lo ao des - dém. Ó Se -
pa-gar ao pin - tor _____ Que lhe pin-tou á ca - pe - la. Ó Se -

p

, *mf* Tutti

Ó Se-nho-ra do Am - paro, E - la lá - em ci - ma vem. Ó Se - nho-ra do Am -
Ó Se-nho-ra do Am - paro, Tem a bol - sa à ja - ne - la. Ó Se - nho-ra do Am -

p

, *mf* Tutti

Ó Se-nho-ra do Am - paro, E la lá em ci - ma vem. Ó Se - nho-ra do Am -
Ó Se-nho-ra do Am - paro, Tem a bol - sa à ja - ne - la. Ó Se - nho-ra do Am -

Ó Senhora do Amparo!

12

poco *mf*

-nho-ra do Am - pa - ro, Ó Se-nho - ra! Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - paro, Tem o
 -nho-ra do Am - pa - ro, Ó Se-nho - ra! Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - paro, Que lá

poco *mf*

-nho-ra do Am - pa - ro, Ó Se-nho - ra! Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - paro, Tem o
 -nho-ra do Am - pa - ro, Ó Se-nho - ra! Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - paro, Que lá

f (non troppo)

8 - pa-ro! Tem o' am - pa - ro na mão, Am - pa - rai - me a mi - nha al - ma, Tam-bém
 - pa-ro! Que lá 'stais nos o - li - vais, Guar - dai - me a mi - nha a - zei - to - na, Que m'a

f (non troppo)

- pa-ro! Tem o' am - pa - ro na mão, Am - pa - rai - me a mi - nha al - ma, Tam-bém
 - pa-ro! Que lá 'stais nos o - li - vais, Guar - dai - me a mi - nha a - zei - to - na, Que m'a

19

p *p 2 Soli* *Per finire* *Tutti dim. e un poco allarg* *pp*

am - pa - ro na mão. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro, Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro!
 'stas nos o - li - vais.

p *p 2 Soli* *Tutti dim. e un poco allarg* *pp*

am - pa - ro na mão. Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro, Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro!

mp *p 2 Soli* *Tutti dim. e un poco allarg* *pp*

8 o meu co - ra - ção. Ó Se - nho - ra, Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro!
 co - mem os par - dais.

mp *p 2 Soli* *Tutti dim. e un poco allarg* *pp*

o meu co - ra - ção. Ó Se - nho - ra, Ó Se - nho - ra do Am - pa - ro!

co - mem os par - dais.

V/9: Sete varas tem

(Trás-os-Montes)

B = 56

Sop. I

Sop. II

Alto *p* **Alto Solo**

Ten.

Bass

Se - te va - ras tem, Tem, a mi - nha sai - a no - va,

Se - te va - ras tem, E ao mais não lhe faz a ro - da.

Sete varas tem

20

lin - da! Oh, bem
ha - ja quem me a - ju - dou.

lin - da! Oh, bem
ha - ja quem me a - ju - dou.

— ó,
ó,
ó,
ó,

— ó,
ó,
ó,
ó,

— ó,
ó,
ó,
ó,

Tempo I

26 *p* Sop. Solo

Oi - to va - ras tem, Tem a mi - nha sai - a no - va,

p Alto Solo

Oi - to va - ras tem, Tem a mi - nha sai - a no - va,

8

Sete varas tem

30

Oi - to va - ras tem, E ao mais não lhe faz a ro - da.

Oi - to va - ras tem, E ao mais não lhe faz a ro - da.

Tempo II

34 *f* Tutti

Quem me de-ra dar um ai, la - ra - lé, ó lin - da! Oh, que den - tro -

Quem me de-ra dar um ai, la - ra - lé, ó lin - da! Oh, que den - tro -

f Tutti

Ó, ó, ó, ó, ó, ó,

Ó, ó, ó, ó, ó, ó,

Ó, ó, ó, ó, ó, ó,

Sete varas tem

45

lin - da! Oh, foi um ai — da su - a — fi - lha. _____

lin - da! Oh, foi um — ai da — su - a fi - lha. _____

— ó, ó, _____ ó, — ó, ó, —

— ó, ó, _____ ó, — ó, ó, —

— ó, ó, _____ ó, — ó, ó, —

Sete varas tem

Tempo I

51 **p Sop. Solo**

No - ve va - ras tem, Tem a mi - nha sai - a no - va,

p Mezzo Sop. Solo

No - ve va - ras tem, Tem a mi - nha sai - a no - va,

p Alto Solo

No - ve va - ras tem, Tem a mi - nha sai - a no - va,

p 8

55

No - ve va - ras tem, E ao mais não ____ lhe faz a ro - da.

No - ve va - ras tem, E ao mais não ____ lhe faz a ro - da.

No - ve va - ras tem, E ao mais não ____ lhe faz a ro - da.

p 8

Sete varas tem

Tempo II

f Tutti

59

Ó Se - nho - ra nos - sa a - ma, la - ra - lé, ó lin - da! Oh, ve -

Ó Se - nho - ra nos - sa a - - - ma, la - ra - lé, ó lin - da! Oh, ve -

Ó, ó, ó, ó,

Ó, ó, ó, ó,

Ó, ó, ó, ó,

63

- nha a - bai - xo ao se - rão; Ve-nha ver as se - ga -

- nha a - bai - xo ao se - rão; Ve-nha ver as se - ga -

ó, ó, ó, ó,

ó, ó, ó, ó,

ó, ó, ó, ó,

ó, ó, ó, ó,

Sete varas tem

68

-do - ras, la - ra - lé, ó lin - da! Oh, que se - ga -
-do - - - ras, la - ra - lé, ó lin - da! Oh, que se - ga -
— ó, _____ ó, _____ ó, _____
— ó, _____ ó, _____ ó, _____
— ó, _____ ó, _____ ó, _____

72

- ram n'o seu __ pão. _____ Ah! _____ molto
- ram n'o seu pão. _____ Ah! _____
— ó, _____ ó, _____ ó, _____ Ah! _____
— ó, _____ ó, _____ ó, _____

VII/3: Não quero que vás à monda

(Alentejo)

Ten. I

Ten. II

Bass I

Bass II

Instrumentation: Tenor I, Tenor II, Bass I, Bass II

Key: G major

Tempo: $\text{♩} = 63$

Text:

Não que-ro que vás à mon - da, — Nem à ri-bei - ra la - var, — Só
 Nem à ri-bei - ra la - var, —
 Nem à ri-bei - ra la - var, — Só —
 Não que-ro que vás à mon - da, — Nem à ri-bei - ra la - var, —

Tutti

Tutti

Tutti

Tutti

Instrumentation: Tenor I, Tenor II, Bass I, Bass II

Key: G major

Text:

que - ro que me a - com - pa-nhes, Só que - ro que me a - com - pa - nhes No di - a em que
 que - ro que me a - com - pa - nhes No di - a em que
 que - ro que me a - com - pa-nhes, Só que - ro que me a - com - pa - nhes No di - a em que
 que - ro que me a - com - pa - nhes No di - a em que

Não quero que vás à monda

16

me eu ca - sar. No di - a _em que me eu ca - sar, Hás -

me eu ca - sar. di - a _em que me eu ca - sar, Hás -

me eu ca - sar. Hás -

me eu ca - sar. No di - a _em que me eu ca - sar, Hás -

23

-de ser mi - nha ma - dri - nha; Não que - ro que vás à monda, Não que -

-de ser mi - nha ma - dri - nha; Não que -

-de ser mi - nha ma - dri - nha; Não que -

- de ser mi - nha ma - dri - nha; Não que - ro que vás à monda, Não que -

Não quero que vás à monda

30

8 -ro que vás à mon - da, Nem à ri-bei - ra só - si - nha. *Fine*

p sotto voce

8 -ro que vás à mon - da, Nem à ri-bei - ra só - si - nha. *cant.*

8 -ro que vás - à mon - da, Nem à ri-bei - ra só - si - nha. *p*

8 -ro que vás - à mon - da, Nem à ri - bei - ra só - si - nha. *diss.*

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p Solo

8 1. An - das mor-ta por sa - ber On - deeu pass-oos meus se - rões; Na ven-da das ven-de -
(ad lib.) 2. A - deus, pon-te de Mar-vão, A - deus, var - ge do Xe - rez, Já me dis-ses - te o

8

p Solo

8 1. On deeu pass-oos meus se - rões;
(ad lib.) 2. A - deus, var - ge do Xe - rez,

Não quero que vás à monda

47 **f** Solo

D.C.

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Na ven - da das ven - de - dei - ras, ____
Já me dis - ses - te o não, ____

-dei - ras, Na ven - da das ven - de - dei - ras, ____ En - cos - ta - di - nho_aos bal - cões.
não, ____ Já me dis - ses - te o não, ____ A - in - da_a-tei - mo_ou - tra ____ vez.

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X/4: Se fores ao S. João

(Trás-os-Montes)

J = 120

mf > 2^a vez: duplo quarteto solista, **p**, gracioso
mf > 3^a vez: tutti, **f**, festivo

Sop. Alto Ten. Bass.

1. Se fo - res ao São Jo - ão, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Tra - zei - me um São Jo - ão -
 2. São Jo - ão a - dor - me - ceu, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Nas es - ca - di - nhas do
 3. On - dean - da - rá São Jo - ão, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Que não o ve - jo na i -

1. Se fo - res ao São Jo - ão, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Tra - zei - me um São Jo - ão -
 2. São Jo - ão a - dor - me - ceu, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Nas es - ca - di - nhas do
 3. On - dean - da - rá São Jo - ão, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Que não o ve - jo na i -

1. Se fo - res ao São Jo - ão, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Tra - zei - me um São Jo - ão -
 2. São Jo - ão a - dor - me - ceu, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Nas es - ca - di - nhas do
 3. On - dean - da - rá São Jo - ão, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Que não o ve - jo na i -

1. Se fo - res ao São Jo - ão, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Tra - zei - me um São Jo - ão -
 2. São Jo - ão a - dor - me - ceu, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Nas es - ca - di - nhas do
 3. On - dean - da - rá São Jo - ão, Ba - tis-ta, Ba - tis - ta, _____ Que não o ve - jo na i -

2 Soli São Jo - ão!

f ten.

- zi - nho, To - ma lá dá cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá, São Jo -
 co - ro, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá, São Jo -
 - gre - ja? To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá, São Jo -

f ten.

- zi - nho, To - ma lá, dá, cá, vem cá, vem cá,
 co - ro, To - ma lá, dá, cá, vem cá, vem cá,
 - gre - ja? To - ma lá, dá, cá, vem cá, vem cá,

f ten.

- zi - nho, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo -
 co - ro, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo -
 - gre - ja? To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo -

sf >

- zi - nho, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo -
 co - ro, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo -
 - gre - ja? To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo -

Se fores ao S. João

São Jo - ão!

$\left[\begin{array}{l} 1^{\text{a vez}} \\ \text{gran-de} \end{array} \right]$

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- ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá. Se não pu - de - res c'um gran-de, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

- ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá. De - ram as mo - ças com e - le, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

- ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá. An - da,a cor - rer as fo - guei - ras, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

vem cá, vem cá. Se não pu - de - res c'um gran-de, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

vem cá, vem cá. De - ram as mo - ças com e - le, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

vem cá, vem cá. An - da,a cor - rer as fo - guei - ras, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

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São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá. Se não pu - de - res c'um gran-de, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá. De - ram as mo - ças com e - le, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá. An - da,a cor - rer as fo - guei - ras, Ba - tis-ta, Ba-

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- tis - ta, Tra - zei-me_um mais pe - que - ni - no, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba -
 - tis - ta, Chu - pa - ram - lhe_o san - gue to - do, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba -
 - tis - ta, Pa - ra ver quem o fes - te - ja, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba -

- tis - ta, Tra - zei-mé_um mais pe - que - ni - no, To-ma lá, dá, cá,
 - tis - ta, Chu - pa - ram - lhe_o san - gue to - do, To-ma lá, dá, cá,
 - tis - ta, Pa - ra ver quem o fes - te - ja, To-ma lá, dá, cá,

- tis - ta, Tra - zei-me_um mais pe - que - ni - no, To-ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo -
 - tis - ta, Chu - pa - ram - lhe_o san - gue to - do, To-ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo -
 - tis - ta, Pa - ra ver quem o fes - te - ja, To-ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo -

- tis - ta, Tra - zei-me_um mais pe - que - ni - no, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba -
 - tis - ta, Chu - pa - ram - lhe_o san - gue to - do, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba -
 - tis - ta, Pa - ra ver quem o fes - te - ja, To - ma lá, dá, cá, São Jo - ão Ba -

Se fores ao S.João

para terminar, allarg. um pouco

São Jo - ão!

2 Soli São Jo - ão!

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- tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá.
- tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá.
- tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá.

vem cá, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá.
vem cá, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá.
vem cá, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, vem cá.

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- ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá.
- ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá.
- ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá.

sf >

- tis - ta, vem cá, — vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, — vem cá.
- tis - ta, vem cá, — vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, — vem cá.
- tis - ta, vem cá, — vem cá, São Jo - ão Ba - tis - ta, vem cá, — vem cá.

XII/1: Oh que novas tão alegres

(Beira Baixa)

$\text{♩} = 76$

Sop. *mf Solo*

Oh que no - vas tão a - le - gres — Que tra-go à Vir - gem Ma - ri - a: —

Tutti

8 Sop. *mf*

— Oh que no - vas tão a - le - gres — Que tra - go à Vir - gem Ma - ri - a: —

Alto *mf*

Oh que no - vas tão a - le - gres — Que tra - go à Vir - gem Ma - ri - a: —

Ten. *mf*

8 Oh que no - vas tão a - le - gres — Que tra - go à Vir - gem Ma - ri - a: —

Bass *mf*

Oh que no - vas tão a - le - gres — Que tra - go à Vir - gem Ma - ri - a: —

16 *p Solo*

— Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - lho, — Nes-ta ma - nhã de a - le - gri - a! —

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Oh que novas tão alegres

24 ***mf*** **Tutti**

Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - lho, ___ Nes-ta ma - nhã de-a - le - gri-a! ___

Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - lho, ___ Nes-ta ma - nhã de-a - le - gri-a! ___

Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - lho, ___ Nes-ta ma - nhã de-a - le - gri-a! ___

Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - lho, ___ Nes-ta ma - nhã de-a - le - gri-a! ___

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Nes-ta ma - nhã de-a - le - gri - a, ___ Nes-ta ma - nhã do Se - nhor,

Nes-ta ma - nhã de-a - le - gri - a, ___ Nes-ta ma - nhã do Se - nhor,

Oh que novas tão alegres

40 *mf*

Nes-ta ma - nhã de a - le - gri - a, ____ Nes-ta ma - nhã do Se - nhor: __

Nes-ta ma - nhã de a - le - gri - a, ____ Nes-ta ma - nhã do Se - nhor: __

Tutti *mf*

— Nes-ta ma - nhã de a - le - gri - a, ____ Nes-ta ma - nhã do Se - nhor: __

Tutti *mf*

— Nes-ta ma - nhã de a - le - gri - a, ____ Nes-ta ma - nhã do Se - nhor: __

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p Solo

— Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - lho, ____ O Di - vi - no Sal - va - dor. __

p Solo

— Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - lho, ____ O Di - vi - no Sal - va - dor. __

Oh que novas tão alegres

56 *mf*

Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - - - lho,— O Di - vi - no

Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - - - lho,— O Di - vi - no

Tutti

8 Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - - - lho,— O Di - vi - no

Tutti

— Res-sus - ci - tou o seu Fi - - - lho,— O Di - vi - no

62 *mf* Sop. Solo

Sal - va - dor. Al-vis - s'ras, ó Vir - gem San - ta, Pe - la no - va

mf Alto I Solo

Sal - va - dor. Al-vis - s'ras, ó Vir - gem San - ta, Pe - la no - va

mf Alto II Solo

Al-vis - s'ras, ó Vir - gem San - ta, Pe - la no - va

8 Sal - va - dor.

Sal - va - dor.

Oh que novas tão alegres

70

mf Tutti

que vos — dou. ____ Al - vis - s'ras, ____ ó Vir - gem San - ta, ____ Pe - la

mf Tutti

que — vos — dou. ____ Al - vis - s'ras, ____ ó Vir - gem San - ta, ____ Pe - la

que vos — dou. ____

mf

Al - vis - s'ras, ____ ó Vir - gem San - ta, ____ Pe - la

mf

Al - vis - s'ras, ____ ó Vir - gem San - ta, ____ Pe - la

77

Solo

no - va que vos — dou: ____ Céus e — ter - ra já se a - le - gram, —

Solo

no - va que vos — dou: ____ Céus e — ter - ra já se a - le - gram, —

Solo

Céus e — ter - ra já se a - le - gram, —

Solo

no - va que vos — dou: ____

Solo

no - va que vos — dou: ____

Oh que novas tão alegres

84

— Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou! Céus e — ter - ra já se a -

— Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou! Céus e — ter - ra já se a -

— Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou!

f Tutti

— Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou! Céus e — ter - ra já se a -

— Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou!

f Tutti

— Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou! Céus e — ter - ra já se a -

— Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou!

f

8 Céus e — ter - ra já se a -

Céus e — ter - ra já se a -

91

- le - - - gram, Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou!

allarg

- le - - - gram, Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou!

allarg

- le - - - gram, Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou!

allarg

- le - - - gram, Que Je - sus res - sus - ci - tou!

XIII/5: Senhora Santa Luzia (II)

(Beira Baixa)

$\text{♩} = 58$

Sop. **p Solo** **Tutti** Se - nho - ra San - ta Lu - zi - a, Vi - zi - nha do -

Alto Se - nho - ra San - ta Lu - zi - a, Vi - zi - nha do -

Ten. **p** **Tutti** ³ Se - nho - ra San - ta Lu - zi - a, Vi - zi - nha do -

Bass **p** **Tutti** ³ Se - nho - ra San - ta Lu - zi - a, Vi - zi - nha do -

8 Cas - (as) - te - le - jo, Dai - me vis - ta aos meus o - lhos, Dai - me vis - ta aos -

Tutti **du** Se - nho - ra San - ta

Cas - (as) - te - le - jo, Dai - me vis - ta aos meus o - lhos, Dai - me vis - ta aos -

Tutti **du** Se - nho - ra San - ta

8 Cas - (as) - te - le - jo, Dai - me vis - ta aos -

Cas - (as) - te - le - jo, Dai - me vis - ta aos -

Senhora Santa Luzia (II)

14 Lu - zi - a! *unis.* , ***pp*** **Tranquillo**

meus o - lhos, É o quea - go - ra de - se - jo. Se-nho-ra Santa Lu - zi - a!

meus o - lhos, *unis.* , ***pp***

Lu - zi - a! É o quea - go - ra de - se - jo. Se-nho-ra Santa Lu - zi - a!

8 meus o - lhos, É o quea - go - ra de - se - jo. Se-nho-ra Santa Lu - zi - a!

meus o - lhos, É o quea - go - ra de - se - jo. Se-nho-ra Santa Lu - zi - a!

XIV/3: Alerta, alerta (I)

(Minho)

Funebre ($\text{♩} = 58$)

Sop. *pp* A - ler - ta, a - ler - ta, Vi - da é cur - ta, a mor - te é cer - - - ta!

Alto *pp* A - ler - ta, a - ler - ta, Vi - da é cur - ta, a mor - te é cer - - - ta!

Ten. *pp* A - ler - ta, a - ler - ta, Vi - da é cur - ta, a mor - te é cer - - - ta! *espress.*

Bass *pp* A - ler - ta, a - ler - ta, Vi - da é cur - ta, a mor - te é cer - - - ta!

6 *poco più sonoro*, , , *pp* *cresc.* - - - -

Ó ir-mãos meus, fi - llhos de Ma - ri - (i) - a, Pe - las al - mas do Pur-ga -

poco più sonoro, , , *pp* *cresc.* - - - -

Ó ir-mãos meus, fi - llhos de Ma - ri - (i) - a, Pe - las al - mas do Pur-ga -

poco più sonoro, , , *pp* *cresc.* - - - -

Ó ir-mãos meus, fi - llhos de Ma - ri - (i) - a, Pe - las al - mas do Pur - ga-

poco più sonoro, , , *pp* *cresc.* - - - -

Ó ir-mãos meus, fi - llhos de Ma - ri - (i) - a, Pe - las al - mas do Pur - ga -

Alerta, alerta (I)

14

-tó - ri - o, Um Pa - dre Nos - so, 'ma A - vé Ma - ri - (i) - a!

-tó - ri - o, Um Pa - dre Nos - so, 'ma A - vé Ma - ri - (i) - a!

-tó - ri - o, Um Pa - dre Nos - so, 'ma A - vé Ma - ri - (i) - a!

-tó - ri - o, Um Pa - dre Nos - so, 'ma A - vé Ma - ri - (i) - a!

XIV/9: Bendita e louvada seja

(Beira Baixa)

d = 50

Sop. *p* Ben - di - ta e lou - va - da se - - ja a sa - gra - da Mo - rte e

Alto *pp*

Ten. *pp* M

Bass *pp* M

4

M M M M

Pai - xā - - - o, — Pai - xão — Je - sus - (us) Cris - (i) - - -

M M M M

M M M M

Bendita e louvada seja

7

M M M
(i) - - - (i) - - - sto, ___ E ___ se - - - ja ___

M M M
M M M

M M M

9

M M M M M

pe - lo a - - - mor de Deus, ___ (e) - - - ja ___

M M M M M

M M M M M

Bendita e louvada seja

12

A - lem - brai - vos, meus ir - mā - - - os, das ben - di -
Ah!

15

M M M M
Ah! Ah! Ah! Ah!
-tas al - - - mas - Que lá 'stão no Pur - ga - tó - (ó) - - -

18

M M M M
Ah! Ah! A - ju - dai - as a ti - ra - - - (ar)
M M

(ó) - - - (ó) - - - ri - o, A - ju - dai - as a ti - ra - - - (ar)

Bendita e louvada seja

21

C'umPa - dre Nos - - - so__ Eü-aA - veMa-ri - a, -i - - -

C'umPa - dre Nos - - - so__ Eü-aA - veMa-ri - a, -i - - -

24

(i) - - - (i) - - - a.__ Ah! M

(i) - - - (i) - - - a.__ E se - - - ja__

26

M M M M M Ah! Ah! Ah! Ah! Ah!

M M M M M pe - lo a - - - mor de Deus, se - - - (e) - - - (e) - - - ja__

XIV/11: Ai, recorda, ó pecador

(Beira Baixa)

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Sop. $\text{♩} = 63$

Ai, re - cor - da, ó pe - ca - dor, - or, _____ - or, _____ Nes - se so -

Alto

Ai, re - cor - da, ó pe - ca - dor, - or, _____ - or, _____ Nes - se so -

Ten.

8 Ai, re-cor - da, ó pe - ca - dor, - or, _____ - or, _____ Nes - se so -

Bass

Ai, re-cor - da, ó pe - ca - dor, - or, _____ - or, _____ Nes - se so -

9

- no em que es - tais, _____ - ai - _____ - ai - _____ - ais, _____ Nes - se

- no em que es - tais, _____ - ai - _____ - ai - _____ - ais, _____ Nes - se

8 - no em que es - tais, _____ - ai - _____ - ai - _____ - ais, _____ Nes - se

- no em que es - tais, _____ - ai - _____ - ai - _____ - ais, _____ Nes - se

Ai, recorda, ó pecador

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so - no em que es - tais,

so - no em que es - tais, Ai, re-cor - da, e re - zai pe - las al - al -

so - no em que es - tais, Ai, re-cor - da, e re - zai pe - las al - al -

so - no em que es - tais, Ai, re-cor - da, e re - zai pe - las al - al -

23

al - mas dos vos - sos pais, - ai - - ai -

al - mas dos vos - sos pais, - ai - - ai -

al - mas dos vos - sos pais, - ai - - ai -

al - mas dos vos - sos pais, - ai - - ai -

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-ais, P'las al - mas dos vos - sos pais. Ai!

-ais, P'las al - mas dos vos - sos pais. Ai!

8 -ais, P'las al - mas dos vos - sos pais. Ai!

-ais, P'las al - mas dos vos - sos pais. Ai!

XV/6: Ó Rosinha!

(Trás-os-Montes)

Ten. Solo

Sop. (E) Ro - si-nha, vem - te co - mi - go, — (E) dei - xa a māe que te cri -

Alto (E) Ro - si-nha, vem - te co - mi - go, — (E) dei - xa a māe que te cri -

Ten. (E) Ro - si-nha, vem - te co - mi - go, — (E) dei - xa a māe que te cri -

Bass (E) Ro - si-nha, vem - te co - mi - go, — (E) dei - xa a māe que te cri -

$\text{♩} = 66$

Tenor Solo

Soprano - ou, — Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha! Não foi a
poco cresc.

Alto - ou, — Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha! Não
poco cresc.

Tenor - ou, — Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha!
poco cresc.

Bass - ou, — Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha!

$\text{♩} = 56$

Ó Rosinha!

12

que ____ mais te a - mou, Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha!

foi a que mais te a - mou, Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ó Ro - - - si - nha! Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ó Ro - si - nha! Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha!

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Tenor Solo **p** $\bullet = 66$

Co-ra-ção, co - ra-ção - zi - nho, C'u - ma fa - ca

Não foi a que ____ mais te a - mou. Ah!

Não foi a que mais te a - mou. Ah!

Ó Ro - - - si - nha! Ah!

Ó Ro - si - nha! Ah!

Ó Rosinha!

♩ = 56

25

8 t'hei - de a - brir, — Que te dei-xas-te_en-ga - nar, — De quem de - vi - as fu-

Ah!

Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ah!

Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ah!

Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ah! ____

Ó Ro - si - nha!

32

8 - gir, — Que te dei-xas-te_en-ga - nar, — De quem de - vi - as fu -

Ah!

Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ah!

Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ah!

Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ah! ____

Ó Ro - si - nha!

Ó Rosinha!

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$\text{♩} = 66$

- gir. —

Ah! (E) Ro - si - nha vem - te co - mi - go, — (E)

Ah! — (E) Ro - si - nha vem - te co - mi - go, — (E)

Ah! — (E) Ro - si - nha vem - te co - mi - go, — (E)

Ah! — (E) Ro - si - nha vem - te co - mi - go, — (E)

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$\text{♩} = 56$

poco cresc.

dei - xa a māe que - te cri - ou, — Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro -

dei - xa a māe que - te cri - ou, — Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro -

dei - xa a māe que - te cri - ou, — Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro -

dei - xa a māe que - te cri - ou, — Em que e - la te deu o lei - te, Ó Ro -

Ó Rosinha!

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- si - nha! **p** Ó Ro - - - si - nha! Em quee - la te deu o

- si - nha! **p** Ó Ro - si - nha! Em quee - la te deu o

⁸ - si - nha! Não foi a que___ mais tea - mou,___ Em quee - la te deu o

- si - nha! Não foi a que mais tea - mou, Em quee - la te deu o

53

lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha! Não foi a que___ mais tea - mou.____

lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha! **p** Não foi a quemaiastea - mou.____

⁸ lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha! **p** Ó Ro - - - si - nha!

lei - te, Ó Ro - si - nha! **p** Ó Ro - si - nha!

XVI/8: Vós chamais-me a moreninha

(Beira Alta)

$\text{♩} = 120$

Tamb. *secco*

Sop. *mf*

Alto I *mf*

Alto II *mf*

6

S Is - to é do pó do li - nho, Is-to é do pó do li - nho; Lá me ve-reis ao do-
Es - se ten qu'rer é en - ga - no, Es-se ten qu'rer é en - ga - no; Cor-tais pe-la mi-nha

A I Is - to é do pó do li-nho, Is-to é do pó do li - nho; Lá me ve-reis ao do-
Es - se tenqu'rer é en-ga-no, Es-se ten qu'rer é en - ga - no; Cor-tais pe-la mi-nha

A II Is-to é do pó do li - nho; Lá me ve-reis ao do-
Es-se ten qu'rer é en - ga - no; Cor-tais pe-la mi-nha

Vós chamais-me a moreninha

II

S
-min - go, Lá me ve-reis ao do - min - go,
vi - da, Cor-tais pe-la mi-nha vi - da,

A I
-min - go, Lá me ve-reis ao do - min - go, Co-mo_a flor do ros-ma-ni-nho,
vi - da, Cor-tais pe-la mi-nha vi - da, Co-mo_a te - sou - ra no pa - no,

A II
-min - go, Lá me ve-reis ao do - min - go, Co-mo_a flor do ros - ma - ni - nho,
vi - da, Cor-tais pe-la mi-nha vi - da, Co-mo_a te - sou - ra no pa - no,

16

S
Co-mo_a flor do ros-ma - ni - nho.
Co-mo_a te - sou-ra no pa - no.

Metá *mf* Soprano I
(div.) O meu a-mor não é es - te,
Metá *mf* Soprano II
O meu a-mor não é es - te,

A I
Co-mo_a flor do ros-ma - ni - nho. Tum tum tum tum tum, tum tum
Co-mo_a te - sou-ra do pa - no.

A II
Co-mo_a flor do ros-ma - ni - nho. Tum tum tum tum tum, tum tum
Co-mo_a te - sou-ra do pa - no.

Vós chamais-me a moreninha

21

S I O meu a - mor não é es - te, Não é es - te, nem no que - ro

S II O meu a - mor não é es - te, Não é es - te, nem no que - ro,

AI tum tum tum, tum tum tum, tum tum tum,

A II tum tum tum, tum tum tum, tum tum tum,

25

S I Não é es-te, nem no que - ro; O meu tem os o-lhos pre - tos, O meu tem os o-lhos

S II Não é es-te, nem no que - ro; O meu tem os o-lhos pre - tos, O meu tem os o-lhos

AI tum tum tum, tum tum tum tum, tum tum tum tum,

A II tum tum tum, tum tum tum tum, tum tum tum tum,

Vós chamais-me a moreninha

D.C. al §,
poi Coda

30

S I pre - tos, O teu tem - nos a - ma - re - los, O teu tem - nos a - ma - re - los.

S II pre - tos, O teu tem - nos a - ma - re - los, O teu tem - nos a - ma - re - los.

A I tum tum tum tum, tum tum tum tum, tum tum tum

A II tum tum tum tum, tum tum tum tum, tum tum tum

Coda

35

poco rit. -----

S Vós cha - mais-me a mo - re - ni - nha. *poco rit.* -----

A I Vós cha - mais-me a mo - re - ni - nha. *poco rit.* -----

A II Vós cha - mais-me a mo - re - ni - nha. *poco rit.* -----

XVII/1: Nossa Senhora do Souto

(Beira Baixa)

Sop. $\text{♩} = 92$

Alto

Ten.

Bass

12

S'nhora do Sou - to, Nos - sa Se - nho - ra do Sou - to, Ar - ren - dai - me a fi - guei-

S'nhora do Sou - to, Nos - sa Se - nho - ra do Sou - to, Ar - ren - dai - me a fi - guei-

S'nhora do Sou - to, Nos - sa Se - nho - ra do Sou - to, Ar - ren - dai - me a fi - guei-

S'nhora do Sou - to, Nos - sa Se - nho - ra do Sou - to, Ar - ren - dai - me a fi - guei-

- ri - nha, oh, ar - ren - dai - me a fi - guei - ri - nha. Di-nhei - ro, A - qui ten-des o di-

- ri - nha, oh, ar - ren - dai - me a fi - guei - ri - nha. Di-nhei - ro, A - qui ten-des o di-

8 - ri - nha, oh, ar - ren - dai - me a fi - guei - ri - nha. Di-nhei - ro, A - qui ten-des o di-

- ri - nha, oh, ar - ren - dai - me a fi - guei - ri - nha. Di-nhei - ro, A - qui ten-des o di-

Nossa Senhora do Souto

24

-nhei - ro, Que a fi - guei - ri - nha é mi - nha, Di-nhei - ro, A - qui ten-des o di-

-nhei - ro, Que a fi - guei - ri - nha é mi - nha, Di-nhei - ro, A - qui ten-des o di-

8 -nhei - ro, Que a fi - guei - ri - nha é mi - nha, Di-nhei - ro, A - qui ten-des o di-

-nhei - ro, Que a fi - guei - ri - nha é mi - nha, Di-nhei - ro, A - qui ten-des o di-

36

mf 1 Solo

-nhei - ro, Que a fi - guei - ri - nha é mi - nha.

S'nhora do Sou - to, Nos-sa Se - nho-

-nhei - ro, Que a fi - guei - ri - nha é mi - nha.

S'nhora do Sou - to, Nos-sa Se - nho-

8 -nhei - ro, Que a fi - guei - ri - nha é mi - nha.

S'nhora do Sou - to, Nos-sa Se - nho-

-nhei - ro, Que a fi - guei - ri - nha é mi - nha.

S'nhora do Sou - to, Nos-sa Se - nho-

48

-ra do Sou - to, Quem vos var-reu a ca - pe - la,

oh, quem vos var-reu a ca - pe -

-ra do Sou - to, Quem vos var-reu a ca - pe - la,

oh, quem vos var-reu a ca - pe -

8 -ra do Sou - to, Quem vos var-reu a ca - pe - la,

oh, quem vos var-reu a ca - pe -

-ra do Sou - to, Quem vos var-reu a ca - pe - la,

oh, quem vos var-reu a ca - pe -

Nossa Senhora do Souto

60

-la? Das Do - nas, Fo - ram as mo - ças das Do - nas, Com ra - mi-nhos de ma-

-la? Das Do - nas, Fo - ram as mo - ças das Do - nas, Com ra - mi-nhos de ma-

8 -la? Das Do - nas, Fo - ram as mo - ças das Do - nas, Com ra - mi-nhos de ma-

-la? Das Do - nas, Fo - ram as mo - ças das Do - nas, Com ra - mi-nhos de ma-

71

- ce - la, Das Do - nas, Fo - ram as mo - ças das Do - nas, Com ra - mi-nhos de ma-

- ce - la, Das Do - nas, Fo - ram as mo - ças das Do - nas, Com ra - mi-nhos de ma-

8 - ce - la, Das Do - nas, Fo - ram as mo - ças das Do - nas, Com ra - mi-nhos de ma-

- ce - la, Das Do - nas, Fo - ram as mo - ças das Do - nas, Com ra - mi-nhos de ma-

83

f Tutti

- ce - la. S'nho-ra do Sou - to, Nos - sa Se - nho - ra do Sou - to, Quem vos mo-

f Tutti

- ce - la. S'nho-ra do Sou - to, Nos - sa Se - nho - ra do Sou - to, Quem vos mo-

8 - ce - la. S'nho-ra do Sou - to, Nos - sa Se - nho - ra do Sou - to, Quem vos mo-

f Tutti

- ce - la. S'nho-ra do Sou - to, Nos - sa Se - nho - ra do Sou - to, Quem vos mo-

Nossa Senhora do Souto

94

-lhou o ter-rei - ri - nho, Quem vos mo - lhou o ter - rei - ri - nho? Das Do - nas, Fo-ramos
-lhou o ter-rei - ri - nho, Quem vos mo - lhou o ter - rei - ri - nho? Das Do - nas, Fo-ramos
-lhou o ter-rei - ri - nho, Quem vos mo - lhou o ter - rei - ri - nho? Das Do - nas, Fo-ramos
-lhou o ter-rei - ri - nho, Quem vos mo - lhou o ter - rei - ri - nho? Das Do - nas, Fo-ramos

106

ra - pa - zes das Do - nas, Cu - ma bor - ra - cha de vi - nho, Das Do - nas, Fo-ramos
ra - pa - zes das Do - nas, Cu - ma bor - ra - cha de vi - nho, Das Do - nas, Fo-ramos
ra - pa - zes das Do - nas, Cu - ma bor - ra - cha de vi - nho, Das Do - nas, Fo-ramos
ra - pa - zes das Do - nas, Cu - ma bor - ra - cha de vi - nho, Das Do - nas, Fo-ramos

118

Meno Mosso

ra - pa - zes das Do - nas, Cu - ma bor - ra - cha de vi - nho, S'nho-ra do Sou - to.
ra - pa - zes das Do - nas, Cu - ma bor - ra - cha de vi - nho, S'nho-ra do Sou - to.
ra - pa - zes das Do - nas, Cu - ma bor - ra - cha de vi - nho, S'nho-ra do Sou - to.
ra - pa - zes das Do - nas, Cu - ma bor - ra - cha de vi - nho, S'nho-ra do Sou - to.

XVII/2: Aproveitai a azeitona

(Beira Baixa)

Tempo non troppo rigoroso ($\text{♩} = + - 76$)

Sop. Alto Ten. Bass

M M M 1. A - pro - vei - tai
2. Va - re - jai, — va -

M M M 1. A - pro - vei - tai
2. Va - re - jai, — va -

M M M —

M M M —

poco cresc.

$\ll mf \text{ len.}$

a a - (a)-zei - to - na, A - pro - vei - tai a a - (a)-zei - to - na, Que -
- re - (e)-ja - do - res, Va - re - jai, — va - re - (e)-ja - do - res, A -

poco cresc.

$\ll mf \text{ len.}$

a a - (a)-zei - to - na, A - pro - vei - tai a a - (a)-zei - to - na, Que -
- re - (e)-ja - do - res, Va - re - jai, — va - re - (e)-ja - do - res, A -

dim.

p

tem o a - zei - te den - tro, Que tem o a - zei - te den - tro;
- pa - nhai, a - pa - nha - dei - ras, A - pa - nhai, a - pa - nha - dei - ras;

dim.

p

tem o a - zei - te den - tro, Que tem o a - zei - te den - tro;
- pa - nhai, a - pa - nha - dei - ras, A - pa - nhai, a - pa - nha - dei - ras;

Aproveitai a azeitona

30 *mf*

(1.) A - lu - mi - a di - (i) - a e noi - te, A - lu - mi - a di - (i) - a e
(2.) A - pa - nhai bo - li - (i)-nhas de_oi - ro, A - pa - nhai bo - li - (i)-nhos

(1.) A - lu - mi - a di - (i) - a e noi - te, A - lu - mi - a di - (i) - a e
(2.) A - pa - nhai bo - li - (i)-nhas de_oi - ro, A - pa - nhai bo - li - (i)-nhos

8 1. A - lu - mi - a di - (i) - a e noi - te, A - lu - mi - a di - (i) - a e
2. A - pa - nhai bo - li - (i)-nhas de_oi - ro, A - pa - nhai bo - li - (i)-nhos

1. A - lu - mi - a di - (i) - a e noi - te, A - lu - mi - a di - (i) - a e
2. A - pa - nhai bo - li - (i)-nhas de_oi - ro, A - pa - nhai bo - li - (i)-nhos

38 *f*

noi - - - te O Di - vi - no Sa - cra - men - to,
de_oi - - - ro Que ca - em das o - li - vei - ras,

noi - - - te O Di - vi - no Sa - cra - men - to,
de_oi - - - ro Que ca - em das o - li - vei - ras,

8 1. noi - - - te O Di - vi - no Sa - cra - men - to,
2. de_oi - - - ro Que ca - em das o - li - vei - ras,

noi - - - te O Di - vi - no Sa - cra - men - to,
de_oi - - - ro Que ca - em das o - li - vei - ras,

Aproveitai a azeitona

46 *unis.* ***meno f*** *dim.* , *div.* ***p*** ***Al S~~S~~ poi***
Coda

O Que di - - vi - no Sa - cra - men - to.
 Que ca - em das o - li - vei - ras.

O Que di - - vi - no Sa - cra - men - to.
 Que ca - em das o - li - vei - ras.

O Que di - - vi - no Sa - cra - men - to.
 Que ca - em das o - li - vei - ras.

O Que di - - vi - no Sa - cra - men - to.
 Que ca - em das o - li - vei - ras.

Coda

52 ***pp*** *sf>p* *sf>pp*

M _____ M _____ M _____ M _____

XVII/3: Romance d'O cativo (*fragm^{to}*)
 (Algarve)

Sop. *p* = 76
 Os mour - ros me ca-ti - va - ram En - tre a paz e a guer - ra; Me la-va-

Alto *p*
 En - tre a — paz e a guer - - - ra,

Ten. *p*
 8 En - tre a paz e a guer - - - ra, Me

Bass *p*
 Os mour - ros me ca-ti - va - ram En-tre a paz e a guer - ra;

7
 -ram a ven - der, — Oh, tão lin - do! pra Ar-ge-lim, que é su - a ter - ra. —

Oh! — Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do! Não hou-

la-va-ram a ven - der, — Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do! Não hou-

Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do!

Romance d'O cativo

14 *div.*

En - tre a____ paz e a guer - - - ra

- ve per - ro nem per - ra Que o com - prar - me qui - se - ra;

- ve per - ro nem per - ra Que o com - prar - me qui - se - ra;

En - tre a____ paz e a guer - - - ra Só o per-

20 *unis.*

Oh! _____ Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do! Da - va-me

Só o per-ro de um mou-ro, Oh, tão lin - do! A mim só com - prar ha - ve - ra,

Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do!

- ro de um mou-ro, Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do!

Romance d'O cativo

27

tan - ta má vi - da, Oh, tão lin - do!
Oh, tão lin - do! Tan - ta má vi - da me de - ra.
Oh!
Oh, tão lin - do!
Oh, tão lin - do!
Só a per-ro de um mou - ro, Oh, tão lin - do!

(33) *unis.*

Mas pa - ra-béns à ven - tu - ra Da fi - lha ser mi-nha-a-
En - tre a - paz e a guer - - -
En - tre a - paz e a guer - - -
Mas pa - ra-béns à ven - tu - ra Da fi - lha ser mi-nha-a-

Tenor: [spoken]
De noite a moer esparto,
De dia a pisar canela;
Punha-me um freio na boca
Para eu não comer dela.

Romance d'O cativo

38

- mi - ga; Quan-doo per - ro i - aá ca-ça, Oh, tão lin - do! Co - mi-go se __ di-ver-
ra, Oh! _____ Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão _____.
- ra, Quan - doo per-ro i-aá ca-ça, Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão
- mi - ga; Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão

45

- ti - a; _____ En - tre a - paz e a guer - - - ra lin - do! _____ Da-va - me_a co-mer pão bran - co, Do que o mou - ro co - - mi - a;
lin - do! _____ Da-va - me_a co-mer pão bran - co, Do que o mou - ro co - - mi - a;
lin - do! _____ En - tre a - paz e a guer - - - ra

Romance d'O cativo

52

Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do! _____

Dai-ta-va-me em ca-tre de ou-ro, Oh, tão lin - do! Jun-to co - mi - go dor - mi - a. _____

Dei-ta-va - me em ca - tre de ou-ro, Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do! _____

Oh! _____ Oh, tão lin - do! Oh, tão lin - do! _____

XXII/1: Tascadeiras do meu linho

(Duoro Litoral)

Tascadeiras do meu linho

Vivo

12 , **f** > > **p** **a tempo** **1 Solo**

vem; O-ra val', tum - tum, Tumtum, va-le, val'! Que_a m'ren - di-nha lo - go vem. Ao ca - bo, lei-ra, ao

, **f** > > **p**

vem; O-ra val', tum - tum, Tumtum, va-le, val'! Que_a m'ren - di-nha lo - go vem.

, **f** > > **p**

vem; O-ra val', tum - tum, Tumtum, va-le, val'! Que_a m'ren - di-nha lo - go vem.

, **f** > > **p**

vem; O-ra val', tum - tum, Tumtum, va-le, val'! Que_a m'ren - di-nha lo - go vem.

Tutti

18 **Vivo**

ca-bo, Ao ca - bo, lei - ra do li-nho, O-ra val', tum - tum, Tum-tum, va-le val'! Ao ca-

- > > **p** **a tempo**

Ao ca - bo, lei - ra do li-nho, O-ra val', tum - tum, Tum-tum, va-le val'! Ao ca-

- > > **p**

Ao ca - bo, lei - ra do li-nho, O-ra val', tum - tum, Tum-tum, va-le val'! Ao ca-

- > > **p**

Ao ca - bo, lei - ra do li-nho, O-ra val', tum - tum, Tum-tum, va-le val'! Ao ca-

Tascadeiras do meu linho

23

2 Soli

- bo, lei - ra do li - nho; Lá vem a nos - sa pa - tro - a Com a ca - ba - çá do

Tutti

unis.

1 Solo

- bo, lei - ra do li - nho; Lá vem a nos - sa pa - tro - a Com a ca - ba - çá do

Tutti

8

- bo, lei - ra do li - nho;

Com a ca - ba - çá do

- bo, lei - ra do li - nho;

Com a ca - ba - çá do

28

Vivo

a tempo

p 1 Solo

(Gli altri)

dim. e poco ritard.

pp

vi-nho; O-ra val', tum - tum, Tum-tum, va-le, val! Com a ca - ba - çá do vi - nho.

f

dim. e poco ritard.

pp

vi-nho; O-ra val', tum - tum, Tum-tum, va-le, val! Com a ca - ba - çá do vi - nho.

f

dim. e poco ritard.

pp

vi-nho; O-ra val', tum - tum, Tum-tum, va-le, val! Com a ca - ba - çá do vi - nho.

f

dim. e poco ritard.

pp

vi-nho; O-ra val', tum - tum, Tum-tum, va-le, val! Com a ca - ba - çá do vi - nho.

XXII/5: Ó valverde, ó valverde (II)

(Duoro Litoral)

J = 96

Sop.

Alto

Ten. Solo

Ten. Tutti

Bass

8 9

Ó val - ver - de, ó val - - - ver - de, Ó val - ver - de, Ó val - ver - de,

9

- de _____ de Lis - bo - - - - a. Ó ____

10

- de _____ de Lis - bo - - - - a. Ó ____

11

8 - de _____ de Lis - bo - - - - a. Ó ____

- de _____ de Lis - bo - - - - a. Ó ____

Ó valverde, ó valverde (II)

17

val! _____

val! _____

val! _____ Quem in - ven - - tou o____ val - - -

val! _____ Quem in - ven - - tou o____ val - - -

24

- ver - de - ma sé - - - cia bem bo - - - -

- ver - de Foi__ u - ma sé - - - cia bem bo - - - -

- ver - de - ma sé - - - cia bem bo - - - -

- ver - de Foi__ u - ma sé - - - cia bem bo - - - -

Ó valverde, ó valverde (II)

33

dim. **p** *poco allarg* - - - - -

a, Bem bo a!

dim. **p** *poco allarg* - - - - -

a, Bem bo a!

dim. **p** *poco allarg* - - - - -

a, Bem bo a!

dim. **p** *poco allarg* - - - - -

a, Bem bo a!

XXIV/6: Oliveiras, oliveiras

(Alentejo)

Bar. ♩ + - 52 **Solo** *mf*

O - li - vei - ras, o - li - vei - ras, o - li - veri - ras, o - li - vei - ras,

♩ + - 56 **Tutti** *mf* **Solo**

a - i, Ó lon - ge - (e) pa - re -
Ó lon - ge - (e) par - re -
Ó lon - ge - (e) par - re -
Ó lon - ge - (e) par - re -

- (e) - cem ren - (en) - das.
- (e) - cem ren - (en) - das.
- (e) - cem ren - (en) - das.
- (e) - cem ren - (en) - das.

A.5 ANNOTATIONS, PRONUNCIATION, AND TRANSLATIONS

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All regional names are cited following Lopes-Graça, although he uses an outdated system based on the traditional names for the regions. These traditional regional names have no real administrative function in modern Portugal but are still an active part of how the Portuguese self-identify. The map shown in figure A.1 shows the approximate location where each of the nineteen melodies was collected.

Though Portuguese is the sixth most spoken language in the world, the great majority of its speakers reside in Brazil and the former Portuguese colonies of Africa, and therefore choral directors may find themselves hard-pressed to find a native speaker of Lusitanian Portuguese.¹ The following transliterations and translations are provided in an effort to ameliorate this problem and encourage performance of these works in areas where native speakers may be unavailable.

The symbol [ɐ] is not often encountered by singers. It is technically a “near open central vowel” and is best approximated by the vowel in the standard spoken American English word “cut.” In practice it may be found easier and more effective to render [ɐ] as a bright [ə].

¹Please note that the pronunciation, spelling, and even grammar of the Brazilian and African dialects of Portuguese can be quite different from that of Lusitanian (European) Portuguese.

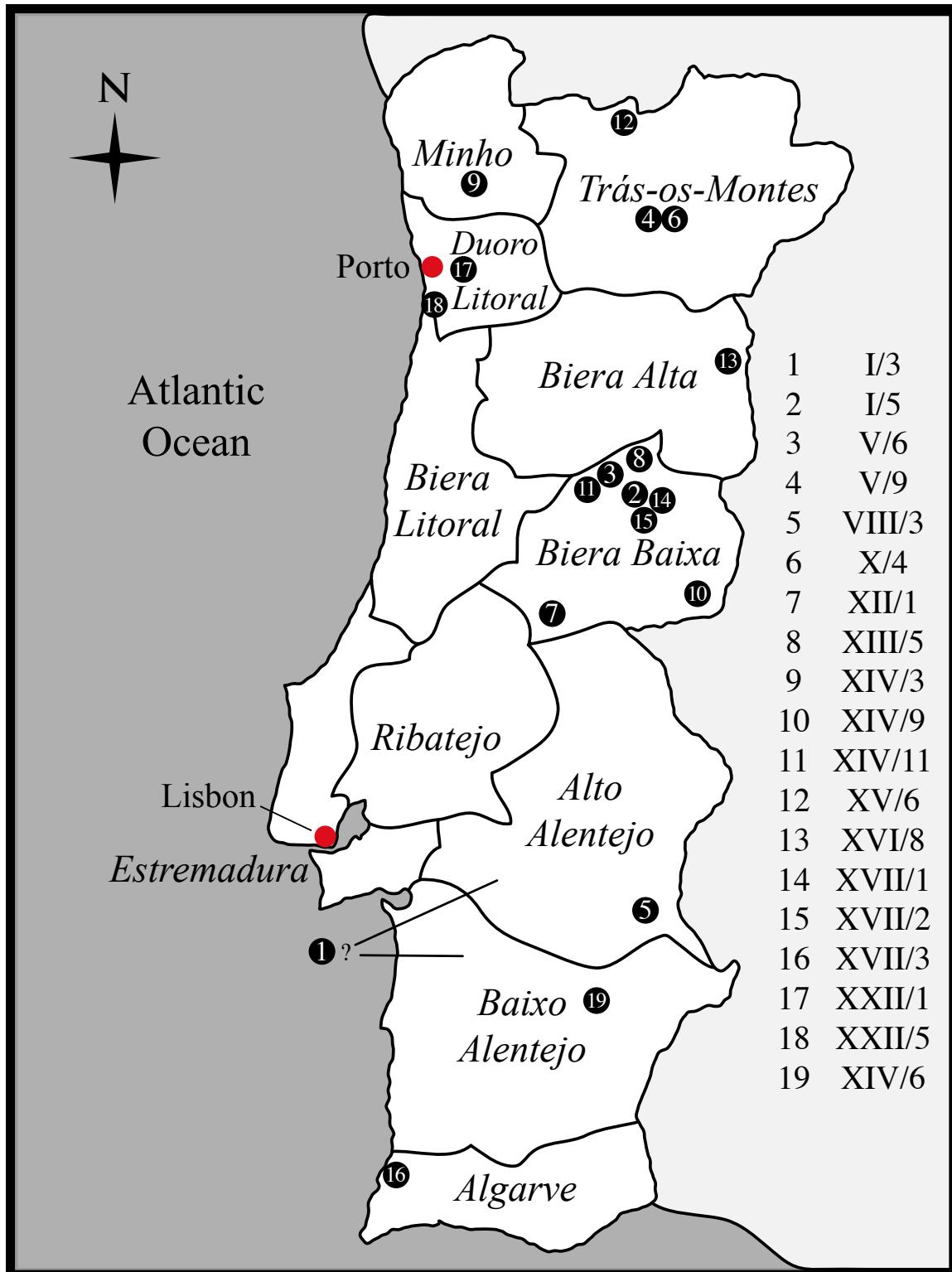


Figure A.1: Map of Portugal with approximate geographic origins for source folk melodies.

I/3: FUI TE VER, 'STAVAS LAVANDO

ANNOTATIONS:

This melody was collected by Lopes-Graça in an unknown town in Alentejo at some point during the 1940s.¹ He notes that though this melody is not terribly interesting, the text makes use of a medieval poetic formula known as *leixa pren*, in which the last line of a verse becomes the first line of the next.² Additionally, the text repeats the first two lines of the poem at the close of the third verse.

In the collections of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, there is a copy of this piece as published by Velentim de Carvalho, Lda., Editores, Lisboa (1955) that includes the following markings: a tempo marking of “Lento, non troppo;” breath marks in the choir parts in mm. 2, 4, 7, 9, 11, 27, 34, 36, and 38; breath marks for the soloist in mm. 18, 21, and 23; and a *diminuendo to piano* from m. 9 to the downbeat of m. 11. These markings may represent the wishes of Lopes-Graça, but as no editor is named on the edition, these markings have not been included in App. A.4.

In his adaptation, Lopes-Graça deviates slightly from the punctuation below, which is taken from the very clear presentation shown on p. 263 of the *Cancioneiro Popular Português*. The variations include a missing comma in m. 4 between the words *lavando* and *No*, and transforming the mid-verse semi-colons into commas. The transcription presented in App. A.4 follows Lopes-Graça’s punctuation.

SOURCES:

- A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, p. 150.
- Cancioneiro Popular Português*, p. 263.
- Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx08/01.
- Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx11/13.

¹ *Cancioneiro Popular Português*, 263.

² *A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 150.

I went to you to look you were washing
Fui-te ver, 'stavas lavando
 fui tɔ ver stavaʃ levandu

in the river without soap
No rio sem assabão;
 nu riu sēj asebēu

washing in water of roses
Lavas em águas de rosas,
 lavez ē agueʒ də rɔzeʃ

remains the smell on the hand
Ficate o cheiro na mão.
 fikatu ſeiru nə māu

remains the smell on the hand
Ficate o cheiro na mão.
 fikatu ſeiru nə māu

remains the smell on clothes
Ficate o cheiro no fato;
 fikatu ſeiru nu fatu

if I die and you remain
Se eu morrer e tu ficar's,
 sijeu mɔrre i tu fikarʃ

adore my picture
Adorame o meu retrato.
 adōremu meu rətratu

I went looking for you, and found you
 washing in the river without soap;
 You were washing in rose water
 and the smell stays on your hands.

The smell stays on your hands,
 the smell stays on your clothes;
 If I die and you remain,
 love my picture.

adore my picture
Adorame o meu retrato,
 adoremu meu rətratu

adore my heart
Adore o meu coração;
 adoru meu kureseū

I went to you to look you were washing
Fui-te ver, 'stavas lavando
 fui tə ver ſtavaſ levandu

in the river without soap
No rio sem assabão.
 nu riu sēj asebēū

Love my picture,
 love my heart;
 I went looking for you, and found you
 washing in the river without soap.

I/5: O MILHO DA NOSSA TERRA

ANNOTATIONS:

This “digging song” was collected by Lopes-Graça in 1953 in Fundão in the mountainous Castelo Branco district of the old province of Beira Baixa.¹ The first verse of the text is original, though the subsequent verses are not. Lopes-Graça wanted to expand the text to include more verses but could not find appropriate authentic quatrains that would match the character and meter of the music. Two additional verses were then written expressly for this purpose by two members of the *Coro da Academia de Amadores de Música* who happened to be poets.² The middle verse, included below, is included in *A Canção Popular Portuguesa* and in one of the examples from the *Museu da Música Portuguesa* collections (Cx11/13), but not the other (Cx08/01). The editorship of the later (three-verse) version is not known, and Lopes-Graça’s intent is not entirely clear, therefore the middle verse is included here and can be considered with relation to App. A.4 at the reader’s discretion.

The later source (Cx11/13) is published by Velentim de Carvalho, Lda., Editores, Lisboa (1955) and includes the following markings: a tempo marking of “Allegretto;” breath marks in the choir parts in mm. 6, 8, 10, 14, and 16; and a breath mark that has been crossed out in m. 2. These markings may represent the wishes of Lopes-Graça, but as no editor is named on the edition, these markings have not been included in App. A.4. Though unclear in Cx08/01, *A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, and *Cancioneiro Popular Português*,³ the slurring of the grace-note figure in the soprano in mm. 6 and 12 and the tenor in m. 18 is clarified by Cx11/13 and appears in the clarified form in App. A.4.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 90.

Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 108.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx08/01.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx11/13.

¹*Cancioneiro Popular Português*, 108

²*A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 90.

³The slur includes only the two grace notes with no indication as to whether they are to be sung as a continuation of the preceding syllable or as the beginning of the following.

[oh] the corn of our land
 [Ai,] o milho¹ da nossa terra
 ai u miʎu da nɔsɐ tere

is treated with care
 É tratado com carinho;
 e tratadu cõ carijnu

[oh] is the riches of the people
 [Ai,] é a riqueza do povo,
 ai e ɐ rikeze du povu

is the bread of the poor
 É o pão dos pobrezinhos,
 e u pɐ̄u duʃ pɔbrəzinhuʃ

[oh] corn green, corn green
 [Ai,] Milho verde, milho verde,
 ai miʎu verdə miʎu verdə

cornfield of the watering
 Milheiral de regadio;
 miʎeiral də rəgadiu

[oh] that has corn the whole year
 [Ai,] quem tem milho todo o ano,
 ai kẽj tẽj miʎu todu anu

never will be hungry nor cold
 Não passa fome nem frio.
 nɐ̄u pasə fɔmə nɐ̄j friu

[Oh,] The corn of our land
 is treated with care;
 [Oh,] It is the riches of the people
 and the bread of the poor.

[Oh,] Green² corn, green corn,
 a cornfield to be watered;
 [Oh,] Those who have corn the whole year
 will never be hungry or cold.

¹The word *milho* refers more specifically to the grain maize.

²Green corn as in young corn, which needs great care, but is full of promise for the future.

[oh] corn white and yellow
 [Ai,] **milho branco e amarelo,**
 ai miyu brankuij emarelu

dig it well, oh digging woman
Sacha-o bem, ó sachadeira;
 saʃeu bẽj o saʃədeire

[oh] it is the sweat of our face
 [Ai,] **que é suor do nosso rosto,**
 ai kije suor du nɔsu rostu

the bread of our effort
O pão da nossa canseira;
 u pãu də nɔsa cãseire

[Oh,] White and yellow corn,
 Dig it well, oh digger;
 [Oh,] It is the sweat of our brow
 and the bread of our labors.

V/6: Ó SENHORA DO AMPARO!

ANNOTATIONS:

This melody was collected in Aldeia de Joanes, a town in Cova da Beira, Beira Baixa. In what may be a reference to the tone quality of the original performer(s), Lopes-Graça notes a “curious slavic tone in its last passages.”¹

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 156.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, C08/05.

¹*A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 156.

oh Lady of Amparo

Ó Senhora do Amparo!

o səjore du āparu

she there on high she comes

Ela lá em cima vem,

ele la v̄j simē v̄j

with her baby at breast

Com seu menino ao colo

kō seu məninu au kōlu

and her hair disheveled

E seu cabelo ao desdém.

i seu cabeluau dɛʒd̄ej

oh Lady of Amparo

Ó Senhora do Amparo,

o səjore du āparu

she has the support in hand

Tem o amparo na mão.

t̄ej u āparu ne m̄eu

support my soul

Amparaime a minha alma,

āperaimij mijr̄e alme

also my heart

Também o meu coração.

t̄eb̄ej u meu kureseū

Oh Lady of Amparo!

There she comes from on high
with her baby at her breast,
and her hair all disheveled.

Oh Lady of Amparo!

She has the strength in her hand.
Support my soul
and my heart as well.

oh Lady of Amparo

Ó Senhora do Amparo!

o sənjore du ̄aparʊ

she has a purse at window

Tem a bolsa à janela

tẽj e bɔlsə a ʒanelə

for to pay the painter

Para pagar ao pintor

pere p̄egar au p̄itor

who to him has painted the chapel

Que lhe pintou a capela.

kə l̄e p̄ito a c̄apela

oh Lady of Amparo

Ó Senhora do Amparo,

o sənjore du ̄aparʊ

who there is in the olive trees

Que lá 'stas nos olivais.

kə la ſtas nuz olivais

protect for me my olives

Guardai me a minha azeitona,

gwardai mij a mipazeitonə

that are eating the sparrows

Que m'a comem os pardais.

kə ma c̄omẽj uſ perdaif

Oh Lady of Amparo!

She has a purse by the window

to pay the painter

who has painted the chapel.

Oh Lady of Amparo!

You, who are in the olive trees,

protect my olives

from the sparrows that eat them.

V/9: SETE VARAS TEM

ANNOTATIONS:

Sete varas tem is a mowing song that was collected from a ninety-year-old woman from Pegarinhos, which is in the district of Vila Real in the region of Trás-os-Montes. Lopes-Graça noted that the transcription was very difficult to do as the woman had great difficulty singing the melody, and there are no other examples of this song with which to compare her performance.¹

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 89.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx08/05.

¹A *Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 89.

seven stays¹ it has

Sete varas tem,
setə vareſ tēj

it has my skirt new
Tem, a minha saia nova,
tēj a miňa saia nacu

seven stays it has

Sete varas tem,
setə vareſ tēj

and yet not it make a circle
E ao mais não lhe faz a roda.
iau mai3 nēu yə faz a rōda

well sung or poorly sung [Oh]
Bem cantada ou mal cantada, [Ó]
bēj kātado mal kātada o

My skirt has seven stays,
seven stays has my new skirt.
My skirt has seven stays,
but still it is not round.

oh good things to whomever it sang (*laralé*, oh lovely!)
Oh bem haja quem n'a cantou; [laralé, ó linda!]
o bēj aʒə kēj na kāto larale o lində

I was very hoarse
Eu 'stava muito rouquinha,
eu ſtave mū̄tu rokiŋa

oh good things whomever has helped me
Oh, bem haja quem me ajudou.
o bēj aʒə kēj mijazudo

Well sung or poorly sung, [Oh]
God bless whomever sang it;
(*laralé*, oh lovely!)
I was very hoarse.
Oh, God bless whomever has helped me.

¹**Stay** (*noun*): cane used to give a skirt its rounded shape.

eight stays it has

Oito varas tem,

çitu vareſ tẽj

it has my skirt new

Tem, a minha saia nova,

tẽj a miſa saia aícu

eight stays it has

Oito varas tem,

çitu vareſ tẽj

and yet not it make a circle

E ao mais não lhe faz a roda.

iau maiʒ n̄eu yə faz a rōdā

My skirt has eight stays,

eight stays has my new skirt.

My skirt has eight stays,

but still it is not round.

whom me wish to give one sigh

Quem me dera dar um ai,

kẽj me dera dar ū ai

I want to give a sigh

that might be heard in heaven,

and that would let my mother know

that her daughter had sighed for her.

oh that in heaven might be heard

Oh, que dentro do céu se ouvira,

o kə dētru du seu sjovire

that could tell my mother

Que dissesse a minha māe

kə dises̄e miſa mēj

oh did one sigh of her daughter

Oh, foi um ai da sua filha.

o foi ū ai də sue fiyə

nine stays it has

Nove varas tem,

novə vareſ tẽj

it has my skirt new

Tem, a minha saia nova,

tẽj a miňa saia novu

nine stays it has

Nove varas tem,

novə vareſ tẽj

and yet not it make a circle

E ao mais não lhe faz a roda.

iau maiꝝ nẽu yé faz a apc̄a

My skirt has nine stays,

nine stays has my new skirt.

My skirt has nine stays,

but still it is not round.

oh Lady our nursemaid

Ó Senhora nossa ama,

ó sejles ascu ama

oh come down to work

Oh, venha abaixo ao serão;

o vejebaisw au sərəu

come to see the mower-women

Venha ver as segadoras,

vəprə ver aſ səgadəras

oh who mow in your grain

Oh, que segaram n'o seu pão.

o kə səgarəu nu seu pəu

Oh, Virgin our Lady,

Oh, come down to our work;

Come down and see the women
who mow your fields.

Ah!

Ah!

Ah!

a

VIII/3: NÃO QUERO QUE VÁS À MONDA

ANNOTATIONS:

This melody is a type of “game song” collected by Lopes-Graça in 1949 in the town of Caridade in Reguengos de Monsaraz in the Évora district of Alentejo. The melodic transcription in *A Canção Popular Portuguesa* has grace-note ornaments in mm. 3, 7, and 13 that have been transformed into the figure seen on the first beats of the respective measures of the tenor I line in App. A.4.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 168.

Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 255.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx08/08.

not I want that you go weeding
Não quero que vás à monda,
 nēú keru kə vaz a mōdə

nor to river bank to wash
Nem à ribeira lavar,
 nēj a ribaire ləvar

only want you me accompany
Só quero que me acompanhes,
 sō keru kə mijecōpanhəʃ

on day in which I to marry
No dia em que me eu casar,
 nu dijeij kə miəu kezar

have of was my witness;
Hás-de ser minha madrinha;
 aʒdə ser mijə mədrinə

not I want that you go weeding,
Não quero que vás à monda,
 nēú keru kə vaz a mōdə

nor to riverbank alone
Nem à ribeira sósinha.
 nēj a ribaire səzinhə

I don't want you to go weeding,
 nor to the river bank to do the washing.
 I only want you to come with me
 on my wedding day
 to be my witness;¹
 I don't want you to go weeding,
 nor to the river bank all alone.

¹...i.e., not my bride!

you are dying for to know
Andas morta por saber
 ādəʃ morte por saber

where I spend my *rendezvous*
Onde eu passo os meus serões;
 ōdeu pasuʒ meuʃ serōiʃ

to market of the salesladies
Na venda das vendedeiras,
 nə vēdə daʒ vēdēdēireʃ

I lean over the counters
Encostadinho aos balcões.
 ēkustədipuauʒ balkōiʃ

goodbye bridge of Marvão
Adeus, ponte de Marvão,
 edeuʃ pōtə də mervāu

goodbye plains of Xerez
Adeus, varge do Xerez,
 edeiʃ varʒə du ʒereʃ

now to me you said the refusal
Já me disseste o não,
 ʒa mə disɛʃtə u nāu

still I will insist another time
Ainda ateimo outra vez.
 aɪdəteimot̄r̄ vεʃ

You are dying to know
 where I am at night;
 I am at the market with the salesladies
 leaning in close over their counters.

Goodbye, bridge of Marvão,
 Goodbye, plains of Xerez.
 You have rejected me,
 yet still I will insist once more.

X/4: SE FORES AO SÃO JOÃO

ANNOTATIONS:

This melody was collected by Lopes-Graça in 1956 in Pegarinhos, which is in the Alijó area of the district of Vila Real in the region of Trás-os-Montes. The song relates to the celebration of the feast day associated with the birth of São João (June 24) and with the beginning of summer. The festivals surrounding this day are some of the most joyous of the year and are marked with bonfires and dancing.

The primary source for App. A.4 is notated in one strophe with the second and third verses included without underlay. As such, it is not clear whether the marking shown over the score in m. 17 of App. A.4 is to be understood as applicable only to the first verse, or to all three verses. It is the author's best estimation that it is to apply only to the first verse.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 159.

Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 84.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx09/02.

If you go to [festival of] Saint John Baptist
Se fores ao São João Batista,
 sə̄ fɔrə̄s au s̄ēu ʒuē̄u batistə

bring me a little Saint John [statue]
Trazei-me um São Joãozinho,
 trazeimə ū̄ s̄ēu ʒuē̄uzipu

give-and-take Saint John Baptist come here
[Toma lá dá cá, São João Batista, vem cá.]
 tōmə la da ka s̄ēu ʒuē̄u batistə vē̄j ka

if not able with a big one
Se não puderes c'um grande,
 sə̄ nē̄u puderə̄s kū̄ grē̄də

bring me a more small
Trazei-me um mais pequenino.
 trazeimū̄ maiſ̄ pēkēnинu

If you go to the festival of Saint John,
 bring me a little statue of St. John.
 [Give-and-take, St. John come here.]
 If you can't find a big statue,
 bring me a smaller one.

Saint John fell asleep
São João adormeceu,
 sēū ʒuēū edurməseu

on the steps of the choir
Nas escadinhas do coro,
 naz əſcadinhas du coru

found the girls him
Deram as moças com ele,
 dərēū aʒ mosaʃ kō elə

sucked the blood all
Chuparam lhe o sangue todo,
 suparēū lhu sēge tōdu

where has gone Saint John
Onde andará São João,
 ōndijādara sēū ʒuēū

that not him see in church
Que não o vejo na igreja?
 kə nēū vəʒu nə igraʒə

he went to run to the bonfires
Anda a correr as fogueiras,
 āda kurer aʃ fugweires

for to see whom the celebration
Para ver quem o festaja.
 pərə ver kēj u fəſtaiʒə

Saint John fell asleep
 on the steps to the choir.
 The girls found him
 and drove him mad with questions.¹

Where has Saint John gone
 since he is no longer in the church?
 He went to run to the bonfires
 to see who is celebrating him.

¹St. John is known for helping girls find a husband, so the implication here is that the girls found St. John and drove him crazy with their requests for husbands.

XII/1: OH QUE NOVAS TÃO ALEGRES

ANNOTATIONS:

This melody was collected *ca.* 1913–21 by Francisco Serrano in Penhascoso which is in Mação in the region of Santarém, Beira Baixa. The tune is an example of an *Alvissaras*, the word said when someone finds something and is seeking a reward. In this case, it is Christ resurrected who is found at midnight of Easter Saturday (or *Sábado d'Alleluia* [Alleluia Saturday]). The collector of this tune notes that in years past the townspeople jockeyed to be first in line to the church at the stroke of midnight to collect their “reward” for being the first to “find” the risen Christ.¹ The solo passages exhibit decorated parallelisms that may be meant to evoke the sound of the midnight bells.

In comparing the adaptation to the transcribed source melody, it is noted that there are grace-note ornaments throughout this piece that have been simplified and codified for choral performance.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 140.

Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 72.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx09/04.

oh what news so happy
Oh que novas tão alegres
 o kə nɔvəʃ təu̯ alegrəʃ

that I am bringing to Virgin Mary
Que trago à Virgem Maria:
 kə tragu a virʒēj meriə

resurrected the your son
Ressuscitou o seu Filho,
 rəsʊſſítu u seju fiſu

on this morning of joy
Nesta manhã de alegria!
 neſtə mañã de alegriə

Oh what happy news
 that I bring to the Virgin Mary:
 Your Son is risen
 this joyful morning!

¹A *Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 140.

on this morning of joy
Nesta manhã de alegria!
 nɛʃtə mɐɲə dəlaɡr̥iɐ

this morning of the Lord
Nesta manhã do Senhor:
 nɛʃtə mɐɲə du sənor

resurrected the your son
Ressuscitou o seu Filho,
 rəsuʃsítu u seju fiʎu

the Divine Savior
O Divino Salvador.
 u divinu sālvedor

reward oh Virgin Saint
Alviss'ras, ó Virgem Santa,
 alvisr̥as ó virʒēj sātə

for news that to you I have given.
Pela nova que vos dou.
 pelə nɔvə kə vuʒ do

heavens and earth now are rejoicing
Céus e terra já se alegram,
 s̥eus i tere ʒa sialəgr̥am

that Jesus resurrected
Que Jesus ressuscitou!
 kə ʒezuʃ rəsuʃsítu

This morning of joy!
 This morning of the Lord:
 Your Son is risen,
 the Divine Savior.

I claim my reward, oh Blessed Virgin,
 for the news that I have given you.
 Heaven and Earth now rejoice
 that Jesus is risen!

XIII/5: SENHORA SANTA LUZIA (II)

ANNOTATIONS:

This *rogativa* [prayer] was collected by Artur Santos in Covilhã in Castelo Branco, Beira Baixa, in 1933. The “exuberant ornamentation” of the original noted by Lopes-Graça has been simplified for choral performance.¹ This prayer for sight is appropriately directed to Saint Lucia, the patron saint of eyesight.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 150.

Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 92.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx09/05.

Lady Saint Lucia
Senhora Santa Luzia,
 sənjora sētə luziə

neighbor of Castelejo
Vizinha do Castelejo,
 vizinjə du kəstəlaižu

give me vision to my eyes
Daime vista aos meus olhos,
 daimə viſtə auʒ meuſ oyluſ

is that now desire
É o que agora desejo.
 e u kiagɔrə dəsežu

Our Lady of Saint Lucia,
 near Castelejo,
 This is my desire:
 Give me sight.

¹A *Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 150.

XIV/3: ALERTA, ALERTA (I)

ANNOTATIONS:

This *Encomendaçāo das almas* was collected by Gonçalo Sampaio in S. Gens de Calvos in Minho. The transcription of the song given in *A Cançāo Popular Portuguesa* is in B minor, as is one of the other sources for the piece found in the *Museu da Música Portuguesa* (Cx11/03). This second source dates from 1957 and includes the following differences: key of B minor; tempo marking of quarter-note equals 56; additional breath marks in the following places: mm. 2 (after “*alerta*”), 3 (before “*morta*”), 5 (after “*alerta!*”), 10 (after “*Maria*”), 12 (after “*almas*”), and 17 (after “*Nosso*”); *senza dim.* has been added above m. 15; and a *tenuto* mark is added to the soprano part on the last note of m. 19. These markings may represent the wishes of Lopes-Graça, but as no editor is named on the edition, these markings have not been included in App. A.4.

This adaptation is one of three in this study that is an *Encomendaçāo das almas* [Commendation of the Souls].¹ These songs are part of an ancient, perhaps even pre-Christian, tradition and are meant to be sung during Lent or on All Souls’ Day as a way of “relieving the suffering of souls condemned to Purgatory through the singing of prayers.” Late at night, a group of people would go to a place in the town where they could project their voices as far as possible (a hill, or perhaps a bell tower) and sing these songs to the accompaniment of a bell or bells.² Lopes-Graça notes that while Gonçalo Sampaio’s transcription includes the bells, Lopes-Graça decided to omit them for practical reasons when he included the tune in *A Cançāo Popular Portuguesa*.³

SOURCES:

A Cançāo Popular Portuguesa, p. 141.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx09/06.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx11/03.

¹The others are *Bendita e louvada seja* and *Ai, recorda, ó pecador*.

²Fernando Lopes-Graça, preface to the recording *Portuguese Folk Music: Trás-os-Montes*, track 19, Strauss SP 4199, (Ministério da Cultura [Portugal], 1998); José Luís Borges Coelho, preface to the recording *Onze Encomendações das Almas; Doze Cantos de Romaria*, Coral de Letras da Universidade do Porto, dir. Coelho, Portugalsom CD 870041/PS ([Porto]: Reitoria da Universidade do Porto, 1991).

³*A Cançāo Popular Portuguesa*, 141.

awake awake

Alerta, alerta,

alerte alerte

life is short and death is certain

Vida é curta, a morte é certa!

videkurtamörte serte

oh brothers mine sons of Mary
Ó irmãos meus, filhos de Maria,
 o irmāuʒ meus fiʎuʒ də merie

for souls of Purgatory
Pelas almas do Purgatório,
 pəlaz almaʒ du purgetōriu

an Our Father an Ave Maria
Um Padre Noso, 'ma Avé Maria!
 ū padrə nɔsu mave maria

Awake, awake,

life is short and death is certain!

Oh my brothers, sons of Mary,

for the souls in Purgatory

say an ‘Our Father,’ say an ‘Ave Maria.’

XIV/9: BENDITA E LOUVADA SEJA

ANNOTATIONS:

Lopes-Graça collected this tune in 1953 from the area around the towns of S. Miguel de Acha and Idanha-a-nova in Castelo Branco, Beira Baixa. The melody is another example of an *Encomendaçāo das almas*.¹ Lopes-Graça notes that the a-metrical nature of the tune, as well as the rubato and portamento present in the original performance, made this transcription particularly difficult.²

An incomplete sketch for this piece found in Cx11/09 of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa* contains the following differences: in m. 6 the rhythm is different from both the transcription in *A Canção Popular Portuguesa* and the final version (see fig. A.2); in mm. 6 and 10 the accompanimental chord enters on the downbeat; and there is a fermata in the soprano part on the downbeat of m. 16. The sketch ends after m. 21.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, pp. 142–4.

Cancioneiro Popular Português, pp. 67–8.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx11/09.

The figure consists of two musical staves. Staff a.) starts with a quarter note followed by a sixteenth-note pair, then a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pair, then a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pair, then a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pair. Staff b.) starts with a quarter note followed by a eighth-note, then a eighth-note followed by a eighth-note, then a eighth-note followed by a eighth-note.

Figure A.2: Lopes-Graça: *Bendita e louvada seja*, m. 6, a.) sketch. b.) transcription and final version.

¹See p. 138 for a full discussion of *Encomendaçāo das almas*.

²*A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 143–4.

blessed and praised be the sacred
Bendita e louvada seja a sagrada
 bẽjditẽ i lovadẽ sežẽ a sagradẽ

Death and Passion Jesus Christ
Morte e Paixão Jesus Cristo,
 mõrti paixõu ʒezuſ kriftu

and be for love of God so be it
E seja pelo amor de Deus, seja.
 i sežẽ pølu emor də deuſ sežẽ

you remember, my brothers
Alembraivos, meus irmãos,
 elẽbraivus meuz irmẽus

the blessed souls
das benditas almas
 dẽz bẽnditez almẽs

that there are in Purgatory
Que lá stão no Purgatório,
 kə la ſtēu nu purgetóriu

help to pull up
Ajudaias a tirar
 ežudaiez e tirar

with an Our Father and an Ave Maria
C’um Padre Nossa Eüa Ave Maria.
 kũ padrẽ nɔſu iüave meriæ

and be for love of God, so be it
E seja pelo amor de Deus, seja.
 i sežẽ pølu emor də deuſ sežẽ

Blessed and praised be the sacred
 Death and Passion of Jesus Christ,
 and for the love of God, so be it.

Remember, my brothers,
 the blessed souls
 that are in Purgatory,
 Help to pull them up
 by saying an Our Father and an Ave Maria.
 And for the love of God, so be it.

XIV/11: AI, RECORDA, Ó PECADOR

ANNOTATIONS:

Lopes-Graça collected this tune in 1953 in the town of Paul in Covilhã, Castelo Branco in Beira Baixa. It is another example of an *Encomendações das Almas*.¹

There are two alternate sources for this adaptation found in Cx11/03 and Cx11/09 of the collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*. The first is a sketch (date unknown) and the second is dated 1957. Both of these alternate versions are in the key of D major, and neither includes the final measure (m. 38 as shown in App. A.4), which was presumably added later. Both alternate sources contain the following differences (all note differences are here transposed down a whole-step): m. 2, bass part, second note is C \natural ; m. 4, bass part, half-note is C \sharp ; mm. 10 and 19, bass part, first note is G \natural ; mm. 20–24, soprano doubles the alto one octave higher (later crossed out); and m. 23, alto part, grace-notes followed by a dotted quarter-note instead of sixteenth-notes followed by quarter-note. The later source (Cx11/09) includes the tempo marking “Andante” with quarter-note equals 60. The apparent error of an augmentation dot on the second note of m. 2 in the bass and tenor, which appears in the primary source (Cx09/06), is not present in either of the other sources.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 145–6.

Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 63.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx09/06.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx11/03.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx11/09.

oh remember oh sinner
Ai, recorda, ó pecador,
 ai rəkɔrðə pəkədər

on that sleep in which you are
Nesse sono em que estais,
 nəsə sonu əj kəʃtais

oh remember and pray for souls of your parents
Ai, recorda, e rezai pelas almas dos vossos pais,
 ai rəkordi rəzai pələz almaʒ duʒ vɔsus̩ paɪʃ

for souls of your parents oh
P'las almas dos vossos pais. Ai!
 pleʒ almaʒ duʒ vɔsus̩ paɪʃ ai

Oh sinner, remember
 while you sleep,
 Oh, remember and pray
 for the souls of your parents. Oh!

¹See p. 138 for a full discussion of *Encomendações das Almas*.

XV/6:Ó ROSINHA!

ANNOTATIONS:

This tune was collected in 1960 by Michel Giacometti and Lopes-Graça in Paradela in Trás-os-Montes. Lopes-Graça notes that this song comes from the repertoire of the *transmontano* folk poet Francisco Domingues. It is a modal melody in the style of the old troubador songs and features a text in a style that is common to many other pastoral love songs.¹ The example from the *Cancioneiro Popular Português* (p. 270) includes a third verse which is not used in the adaptation. The second verse seems to be an internal monologue which displays the true intentions of Rosinha's suitor. The two verses may in fact come from two different poems by Domingues.

In the collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, there is a sketch for this piece dated “27.8.68” in Cx11/10. The sketch is in the key of D minor, although there is a note which reads “*em mi?*” [in E?], which corresponds to the eventual key of the adaptation. There is no text underlay, and the title of the sketch reads “Rosinha, vem-te comigo,” which corresponds to the title of the transcriptions in *A Canção Popular Portuguesa* and *Cancioneiro Popular Português*. The sketch is quite well formed in relation to the version in Cx09/07, but the middle solo section (mm. 20–54) is entirely absent, and it is assumed that it was written at some later point.

SOURCES:

- A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, p. 106.
- Cancioneiro Popular Português*, p. 270.
- Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx09/07.
- Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx11/10.

¹A *Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 106.

and Rosie come with me
(E) Rosinha, vem-te comigo,
 i rɔzij̄a v̄ej t̄o

and leave the mother that you brought up
(E) deixa-a māe que te criou,
 i deixa-á mēj kə t̄o crio

that she you gave the milk oh Rosie
Em que ela te deu o leite, Ó Rosinha!
 ēj kiéla t̄o deu u leit̄o o rɔzij̄a

not was the one most you love
Não foi a que mais te amou,
 n̄eu foi a kə maiſ tiemo

heart little heart
Coração, coraçãozinho,
 kuresēu kuresēuziŋu

with a knife I will open
C'uma faca t'heide abrir,
 kume fake teid̄o abrir

because you allowed to be fooled
Que te deixaste enganar,
 kə t̄o deifast̄o ēgənar

of whom should flee
De quem devias fugir.
 də kēj deviəf fuʒir

Rosie, come with me
 and leave your mother who brought you up,
 the one that gave you milk, oh Rosie!
 She does not love you more than I do.

Heart, oh dear little heart,
 I will open you up with a knife,
 because you allowed yourself to be fooled
 by one from whom you should flee.

XVI/8: VÓS CHAMAIS-ME A MORENINHA

ANNOTATIONS:

This song was collected by Michel Giacometti and Lopes-Graça in 1969 in Malhada Sorda, Almeida, in Guarda in Beira Alta. It is a work song which is sung by the women as they beat the flax that will eventually be made into linen. The transcriptions in *A Canção Popular Portuguesa* and *Cancioneiro Popular Português* both note that the sound of the *maça* [mallet] accompanies their singing, and it is this sound that the *tambour* [drum] in the adaptation is meant to evoke.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 95.

Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 139–40.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx09/08.

you are calling me dark-skinned¹
Vós chamais-me a moreninha,
 vɔʃ ſəmaiʒmiɐ mureñiŋɐ

it is the dust of flax
Isto é do pó do linho;
 istu e du po du liju

there me you will see on Sunday
Lá me vereis ao Domingo,
 la mə vəraiſ au dum̄igu

like a flower of rosemary
Como a flor do rosmaninho.
 komu e flor du ružmeniju

You call me dark-skinned,
 but it is only the dust of the flax;
 Come see me on a Sunday,
 when I am like a little rosemary flower.

(**Tum, tum...**)
 tum tum

[drum sound (*onomatopoeic*)]

¹‘Dark-skinned’ (*morenha*) in the sense of ‘tanned by the sun.’ In this context it is an affectionate reference which is made even more so by the use of the diminutive ‘-inha.’

the my love not is this one
O meu amor não é es-te,
 u meu amor n̄eu e εt̄e

nor it I want
nem no quero;
 n̄j nu keru

the mine have the eyes black
O meu tem os olhos pretos,
 o meu tēj uz oŷuſ pretuſ

the yours have yellow
O teu tem-nos amarelos.
 u teu tējnuz emerelus

you say that me desire much
Tu dizes que me quer's muito,
 tu dizəſ kə mə kerʒ mūtu

this your desire is mistake
esse teu qu'rer é engano;
 esə teu krer e ēgənu

you cut through my life
cortais pela minha vida
 kurtaif pəle mijə vide

like the scissors through cloth
como a tesoura no pano.
 komu e təzore nu penu

This is not my love,
 nor do I want it to be;
 My love has eyes of black,
 and yours are of yellow.

You say that you want me,
 but this is a mistake;
 You cut through my life
 like scissors through cloth.

XVII/1: SENHORA DO SOUTO

ANNOTATIONS:

This *Canto do remeiros (Segunda-feira de Páscoa)* [pilgrimage song (Easter Monday)] was collected by Lopes-Graça in Donas in Fundão in Castelo Branco, Beira Baixa. Lopes-Graça notes the exoticism of the diminished third present in the melody.¹

The text defies a logical narrative interpretation, but it might be understandable as follows: in the first stanza there is an arrangement made regarding the rental of a fig tree; in the second stanza the girls of the town do a good deed, possibly as repayment for the arrangement made in stanza one; finally, in the third stanza, the boys are shown to have been drinking outside the church all the while. The fig tree may act in the story as a symbol which clarifies a sense of narrative, or, on the other hand, the second and third verses may simply be *non sequiturs*.

SOURCES:

- A Canção Popular Portuguesa*, p. 154–5.
Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 73–4.
Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx10/01.

¹A *Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 155.

Lady of Souto
S'nhora do Souto,²
 sənɔrə du sotu

our Lady of Souto
Nossa Senhora do Souto,
 nɔsɐ sənɔrə du sotu

oh rent me a little fig tree
(oh,) Arrendaime a figureirinha.
 o erẽdaimea figẽjriňe

money here you have the money
Dinheiro, Aqui tendes o dinheiro,
 dĩneiru eki tẽdəʃ u dĩneiru

that the little fig tree is mine
Que a figureirinha é minha.
 kia figẽjriňe e mijňe

Our Lady of Souto,
 Oh, rent me a little fig tree.
 Take the money
 and the little fig tree is mine.

²*Souto* literally means a field covered with chestnut trees.

Lady of Souto
S'nhora do Souto,
 sənɔrə du sotu

our Lady of Souto
Nossa Senhora do Souto,
 nɔsɐ sənɔrə du sotu

oh who for you swept the chapel
(oh,) Quem vos varreu a capela?
 o kẽj vuʒ vereu a cepele

of Donas they were the girls of Donas
Das Donas, Foram as moças das Donas,
 dəʒ dɔnɐs forɐ̃m aʒ mɔçɐs dəʒ dɔnɐs

with twigs of chamomile
Com raminhos de macela.
 kõ remiŋuʒ də mæsele

Our Lady of Souto,
 who swept your chapel?
 It was the girls of Donas,
 with twigs of chamomile.

Lady of Souto
S'nhora do Souto,
 sənɔrə du sotu

our Lady of Souto
Nossa Senhora do Souto,
 nɔsɐ sənɔrə du sotu

who for you sprinkled the courtyard
Quem vos molhou o terreirinho?
 kẽj vuʒ muʎo u təreiriju

of Donas it was the boys of Donas
Das Donas, Foram os rapazes das Donas,
 dəʒ dɔnəʒ forəmʒ repazəʒ dəʒ dɔnəʃ

with a leather sack of wine
C[']uma borracha de vinho.
 kuma buraxə də vijnu

Our Lady of Souto,
 who sprinkled in your courtyard?
 It was the boys of Donas,
 with their wine skins.

XVII/2: APROVEITAI A AZEITONA

ANNOTATIONS:

This tune comes from Donas in Fundão in Castelo Branco, Beira Baixa. An earlier version of this adaptation is found in the collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa* (Cx11/10). Surprisingly, this source reveals that the piece was originally conceived of for women's voices only. The differences between the version in Cx11/10 and the primary source (Cx10/01) as reflected in App. A.4 are explored in detail on p. 30. In addition, the following differences are noted: instead of a breath mark in m. 3, there is an eighth-rest on the second beat; and in mm. 6 and 59 the *decrescendo* between the *sforzato* and dynamic markings is absent.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 92.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx10/01.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx11/10.

profit of olives

Aproveitai a azeitona,
epruveitai azeitone

which have the olive oil inside

Que tem o azeite dentro;
kə tẽj u azeitə dẽtru

illuminate day and night

Alumia dia e noite,
elumia dijei noite

the Divine Sacrament

O Divino Sacramento.
u divinu secremējtu

beat beaters

Varejai, varejadores,
verežai verežadoreſ

pick pickers

Apanhai, apanhadeiras;
epənai epənahadeirəſ

pick little balls of gold

Apanhai bolinhas de oiro,
epənai bolinəž doiru

that fall from the olive trees

Que caem das oliveiras.
kə kajə̃ dəž oliveirəſ

Take advantage of the olives
which contain olive oil;
Day and night it illuminates
the Divine Sacrament.

Beaters, beat,
and pickers, pick;
Pick the little balls of gold
that fall from the olive trees.

XVII/3: ROMANCE D’O CATIVO

ANNOTATIONS:

This melody was collected in the seaside town of Aljezur on the Atlantic coast of Algarve. The memory of the woman who was the source for the transcription was not reliable, so Lopes-Graça consulted a second source from a collection of songs from the Azores by Teófila Braga.¹

The first line of the text references an event that is still a part of Portuguese culture despite its having taken place over four hundred years ago. Dom Sebastião [King Sebastian I of Portugal and Algarves] suffered a catastrophic loss to the Moors at Alcácer-Quibir [Alcazarquivir] in 1578, in which the king himself was killed along with half of his army of about 17,000. The remaining half of his forces, including some members of the nobility, were imprisoned and ransomed. The loss left Portugal deeply shaken and ultimately led to decades of *de-facto* Spanish reign. Dom Sebastião entered into legend as a figure who, like King Arthur and other “sleeping hero” myths, would return to aid Portugal in its hour of greatest need.²

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 125–8.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx10/02.

Anthology of Portuguese Folk Music, Smithsonian Folkways #FE 4538, Volume II, “Algarve,” track 18.

the Moors me captured
Os mourros me **cativaram**
u₃ m̄oruʒ me cativareū

I was captured by the Moors
 between peace and war;
 They took me to sell
 in Argelim, which is their land.

between the peace and the war
Entre a **paz** e a **guerra;**
 être a paʒ e a ḡerə

me they took to sell
Me lavaram a **vender,**
 me lavarāu a vēder

to Argelim that is their land
pra Argelim, que é sua terra.
 prarʒəli kije suə tere

¹A *Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 127–8.

²José Harmano Saraiva, *Portugal: A Companion History* (Manchester: Carcanet, 1997), 61–3.

oh how beautiful

[Oh, tão lindo!]

o tēu lindu

[Oh, how beautiful!]

no was dog nor bitch
Não houve perro nem perra
 nēu ovə peru nēj pere

There was neither dog nor bitch
 that wanted to buy me;
 Only the dog that is the Moor
 would buy me.

that to buy me might want
Que o comprarme quisera;
 kə u kōprarmə kizere

only the dog of a Moor
Só o perro de um mouro,
 so u peru də ū moru

me only buy would
A mim só comprar havera,
 e mī sō kōprar avera

he was giving such bad life
Davame tanta má vida,
 davemə tēte ma vidə

such bad life me would give
Tanta má vida me dera.
 tēte ma vidə mə dere

He gave me the terrible life
 that a Moor would give me.

in the night to mill *esparto*³
De noite a moer esparto,
də noitə e muer əʃpartu

in the day to press cinnamon
De dia a pisar canela;
də diə e pizar kənele

would to me a bit in the mouth
Punha-me um freio na boca
puʃəmə û frēiu nə bokə

for I not to eat from it
Para eu não comer dela.
pərə eu n̄eu kumer dələ

but thanks to fortune
Mas parabéns à ventura
maʃ pərebējns a vəntura

the daughter be my friend
Da filha ser minha amiga;
də fiʃə sər mijamigə

when the dog went to hunt
Quando o perro ia á caça
kwandu peru ia kase

with me herself had fun
Comigo se divertia;
kumigu sə divərtiə

At night I would mill *esparto*,
and during the day I would press cinnamon;
He would put a bit into my mouth
so that I couldn't eat any of it.

But fortunately
his daughter was my friend;
When that dog of a Moor went out to hunt,
she would have her fun with me.

³*Esparto* is a grass used in the making of fine paper.

gave me to eat bread white
Dava-me a comer pão branco,
 daveme kumer pēu brēnku

from that the Moor eat
Do que o mouro comia;
 du kə u moru kumie

laid me on bed of gold
Deitava-me em catre de ouro,
 dēitavə mēi katrə

together with me she slept
Junto comigo dormia.
 ʒūtu kumigu durmiə

She gave me white bread
 from the Moor's own kitchen;
 She laid me down on a bed of gold
 and together we would sleep.

XXII/1:TASCADEIRAS DO MEU LINHO

ANNOTATIONS:

This work song was collected in Espiunca in the Aveiro region of Douro Litoral by Vergílio Pereira. The bitonal nature of this tune is discussed on p. 23. Lopes-Graça also notes that the lower voice of the transcription is a form of *gymel*, a technique that dates to the fourteenth century.¹ This tune is similar to *Vós chamais-me a moreninha* in that it relates to the production of flax for linen. Both adaptations share the onomatopoeic syllable ‘tum’ to imitate the sound of the pounding of the flax.

The curious grace-note figures (with and without slurs) found in mm. 20, 24, 28, and 32 are reproduced in App. A.4 exactly as they appear in Cx10/06.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 98.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx10/06.

flax-beater women of my flax
Tascadeiras do meu linho,
 teſkedeires du meu lipu

Beaters of my flax,
 beat my flax well;

beat my flax well
Tascaim'o meu linho bem;
 teſkaimu meu lipu bēj

let's do it tum tum...
Ora val' tum tum, Tum tum, vale val'!
 ore val tum tum tum valə val

[Let's do it! tum tum...]

don't you look at the gate
Não olheis para o portelo,
 nāu iayō peru purtelu

Don't look at the gate
 because your snack is coming soon.

because snack soon it is coming
Que a m'rendinha logo vem.
 kia mrēndinə lōgu vēj

¹A *Canção Popular Portuguesa*, 98.

by the end row of flax
Ao cabo, leira do linho;
au kabu laire du lipu

At the end of the flax field
here comes our boss
with a gourd full of wine.

there she comes our boss
Lá vem a nossa patroa
la vēj a sōn a petroa

with a gourd of wine
Com a cabaça do vinho.
kō a kebasea du viju

XXII/5: Ó VALVERDE, Ó VALVERDE (II)

ANNOTATIONS:

This linen workers' song was collected by Vergílio Pereira in Moldes in the Aveiro region of Douro Litoral. The text illustrates part of the rivalry between Portugal's two biggest cities: Lisbon and Porto (which is in Duoro Litoral). Porto is known as a more industrial, blue-collar city, while Lisbon was the historical home of the royal court and is generally more white-collar. The song, collected in a factory in Porto, suggests that the notion that Lisbon is a beautiful place must have come from a typical young socialite *bon vivant* of Lisbon with a self-centered view of her own city. This transcription includes a section in parallel thirds that is discussed on p. 27.

The polyphonic transcription of a slightly different rendition of this song, also collected by Vergílio Pereira, appears in the *Cancioneiro Popular Português* (p. 261–2) and is mostly in parallel block chords. Included with this other rendition is a second verse of the text.

SOURCES:

A Canção Popular Portuguesa, p. 96.

Collection of the Museu da Música Portuguesa, Cx10/06.

Oh green valley of Lisbon
Ó valverde de Lisboa.
 o valverdə də liʒbõə

Oh green valley of Lisbon.
 Oh valley!
 Whoever invented it,
 she must have been a great coquette!

Oh valley!
Ó val!
 o val

who invented the green valley
Quem inventou o valverde
 kẽj īvẽto u valverdə

did one coquette good well
Foi uma sécia¹ bem boa!
 foi umə sesiə bẽj bõə

¹There is a distinctly negative connotation to this word. *Sécia* can also be translated as “flapper.”

XIV/6: OLIVEIRAS, OLIVEIRAS

ANNOTATIONS:

This melody was collected by Michel Giacometti and Lopes-Graça in 1965 in Aldeia Nova de S. Bento in the Beja region of Alentejo. Lopes-Graça notes that it is a good example of the “plangent” and expressive Alentejo style of choral singing.¹

SOURCES:

Cancioneiro Popular Português, p. 135–6.

Collection of the *Museu da Música Portuguesa*, Cx10/08.

Arquivos Sonoros Portuguesas, vol. 4, “Alentejo.”

Olive trees olive trees
Oliveiras, oliveiras,
 oliveiraʃ oliveiraʃ

Ay, oh far away seems lace
ai, Ó longe parecem rendas.
 ai o lõʒẽ peresẽj rendeʃ

don't distract self in the farms
Não s'enlevem nas fazendas.
 nẽu senlevẽj naʃ fezẽdẽʃ

Olive trees, olive trees,
 Oh, from far away they seem like lace.
 Don't let that distract you from your farm.

¹*Cancioneiro Popular Português*, 316.

APPENDIX B
TRANSLATIONS OF SELECTED PRIMARY SOURCES

B.1 MAESTRO LOPES-GRAÇA: *Art abroad*¹

The sun adorns the ocean with golden flashes of light. A wind blows in through the open door from the veranda. Maestro Fernando Lopes-Graça is turning notes over on the piano, which takes up half the room, and spreading a cloud of tobacco smoke. I don't know if his name means anything to the majority of readers, as Portugal has long been separated from our land by a barrier of fascism. However, connoisseurs and music lovers certainly will know Fernando Lopes-Graça — Portuguese composer. His music is performed by the world's most significant symphony orchestras in concert halls in Moscow, New York, Paris, and Tokyo. In his archives were letters from S. Prokofiev, while Lopes-Graça's name was in the archives of Salazar's secret police.

— The first time I was arrested was in 1931.² I don't remember... it was either the P. I. D. E. or some other police organization of the time.³ They confiscated my Mozart scores. I explained to them the significance of all of the markings on the page. They responded: "B flat? We know this music. It is probably a secret code. We will figure out what this 'Mozart' is all about."

He sat in jail for only a short while (a few months) despite the fact that the charges brought against him were considerable: running the newspaper "A Accão" in his native Tomar, delivering anti-government speeches, and being in disagreement with the gradually more fascist regime of General Carmona. But this was before Salazar had come into his full and uncontrolled power, the extraordinary laws did not yet exist, and there was no legal right to hide a person in prison and hold them for as long as the fascist regime pleased.

¹Pravda article from March 26, 1976, p. 5. See figure B.1. This article, the last paragraph in particular, should be viewed in the context of the fact that it was published in the Soviet Communist Party's main journal, and the emphasis (bias) is, as such, on Lopes-Graça as communist activist. Translation by Greg Brown with thanks to Shakhida Azimkhodzhaeva and Quinn Martin for their proofreading and clarification. Any and all errors should be considered the author's and the author's alone.

²The duration of his arrest was spent in the town of Alpiarça in Ribatejo.

³The *Pólicia Internacional e de Defesa do Estado* [International and State Defense Police] or P. I. D. E. (1945-1969) was the secret police and main agent of repression of the Salazar regime. As the P. I. D. E. did not yet exist as such in 1931 it must have been some other secret police force.

He eventually got out of prison, but the authorities nonetheless invalidated the results of his professional examinations, where Lopes-Graça had secured first place in the competition for a teaching position at the Lisbon Conservatory.

He looked for work for a long time, and in the end, he was finally successful and won a position as a professor at the music academy in Coimbra, which is the old university center of Portugal.

Although I had started writing music in 1927 — Lopes-Graça said — my first real compositional work dates from my years spent in Coimbra. It was then that I wrote my first sonata, several romances, and three musical poems. They were not often played, but I was happy nonetheless because my music was indeed being played! They were playing Portuguese melodies. And, as the basis of this music, at that time I had already drawn on the endless reservoir of Portuguese folklore...

The second time they arrested him was in 1936. They took him directly from the conservatory where he was in the middle of giving exams. The charges were the same as before: having democratic convictions. After his liberation, he had to flee Portugal and go to France. Lopes-Graça wrote music, took part in leftist political struggles, and actively collaborated with the musical publications of the Popular Front.⁴ Once again he wrote songs, sonatas, and symphonies. In his years of exile, he began to truly understand the power of music created by his people. The heart-rending “fado,” the half-Arabian melodies of the South, the ancient “romanceros” of the Portuguese North, and the well-preserved lyrics of the Provençal troubadours. But to every melody he gave his modern evaluation. His experiences were a necessary part of his ability to better realize the modernity of the folk music, — to realize and to appreciate it.

Leaving France, Lopes-Graça once again went to Lisbon. At the beginning of 1939 he was in the French volunteer units and didn’t expect to receive any mercy from the oncoming Nazi occupiers. All the same, it was easier to be home in Lisbon.

⁴The Popular Front was made up of left-wing political parties (Communists, Socialists, and Radicals) who came together to form a broad coalition against the fascists. The French Popular Front existed from 1936 to 1938.

Lopes-Graça wrote his first concerto for piano and orchestra, and then his second. He arranged some Portuguese songs into a cycle which he completed in 1946. It would become one of the most important works of this period of his career. “Comrades Unite!”⁵ is what Lopes-Graça called the hymn of the “Movimento de Unidade Democrática,” an opposition organization, that, following the devastation of Hitlerism, was forced to capitulate to the Salazar government. The hymn was performed on November 11, 1945, in what would be its first and last performance. Everyone was saying that the arrest order for Lopes-Graça was already drawn up, but he had grown so well known in Europe that they could not throw him in jail.

On April 25, 1974, Portugal opened a new door in its ancient history, and on that day the music of Fernando Lopes-Graça was performed openly for the first time. They performed the cycle *Canções heróicas*. In just a few days, they were playing his Suite no. 1 in Six Movements [*Suite rústica* no. 1(1950–1)], in which each of the movements is based on folk melodies from one of the six Portuguese provinces.

Now Lopes-Graça spends his days in intense work. He actively participates in the political life of the country. From the rolls of the Communist Party the composer was advanced to the level of deputy of the assembly of the republic. And, of course, he continues to work on his musical output. He is preparing a new publication of *Canções*.⁶ They will be recorded on audio tape and record album.

— Music develops according to its own rules — Lopes-Graça says as he bids me farewell. — But I am convinced: there is no art without politics. I am a composer, but in my music there is not only a love of my people, but also a hatred of fascism. The most important aspect of my mission is to help make my people truly liberated. It is for the sake of this that I fight; it is for the sake of this that I write music.

V. Ermakov
("Pravda" staff correspondent)

Lisbon, March [1976]

⁵This is perhaps a reference to the *Canções heróicas*, but it is not clear.

⁶It is not clear what manner of *Canções*, but it could be the *Canções Regionais Portuguesas*, Serie XIII.

Маэстро Лопеш Граса

Солнце украсило океан золотистыми бликами. В открытую дверь веяли врывающиеся ветер. Шевелит ноты на рояле, который занимает половину комнаты, разгоняет габачный цым Мээстро зорут Фернанду Лопеш Граса. Не знаю, что скажет это имя большинству читателей: слишком долго Португалия была отрезана от нашей страны фашистскими барьерами. Но его знают наверняка Фернанду Лопеш Грас — португальский композитор. Его музыку исполнивают знаменитые симфонические оркестры мира в концертных залах Москвы, Нью-Йорка, Парижа, Токио. В его архивах — письма С. Прокофьевича, в его имя — в архивах: салазаровской окраинки.

— Первый раз меня арестовали в 1931 году. Не помню, было ли это ПИДЕ или команда другой полиции тех времен. Конфисковали ноты Моцарта. Объясняю им значение наших кроочек А они в ответ: «Си-бемоль? Знаем мы эти ноты. Наверное, тайный шифр Радбернса, что за Моцарт. Просидел он недолго, несколько месяцев, хотя обвинений против него было великого немало: руковоили оппозиционной газетой «Ак-

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сан» в родном Тумаре, проинсюсил антиправительственные речи, был не согласен с постепенной фашизацией режима генерала Карвона. Но в те годы Салazar еще не пришел к бесконтрольной власти, не существовали чрезвычайные заявки и не было легитимальной возможности спрятать человека в крепость и держать там столько, сколько угодно фашистскому режиму. Из тюрьмы он вышел. Но это, однако, не помешало властям его архивов — письма С. Прокофьевича, в его имя — в архивах: салазаровской окраинки.

Лопеш Грас выиграл конкурс на должность преподавателя лиссабонской консерватории. Он долго искал работу, и в конце концов ему повезло. Лопеш Грас выиграл конкурс и становился профессионалом музыкальной академии в Коимбра — старинном университете центре Португалии — Хоть впервые музыку я стал сочинять еще в 1927 году, — говорит Лопеш Граса, — настоящий композиторский труд датирован работы в Коимбре. Тогда я написал свою первую сонату, не сколько мессы, хотя обвинений против него было великого

ко романсов, три музыкальные поэзии. Их не слишком часто исполняли. Радость, однакоже, все равно была огромной. Играют мою музыку! Играют мелодии Португалии. А основы музыки я уже тогда черпал из бесконечного источника народного творчества...

Второй раз его арестовали в 1936 году. Взяли прямо из консерватории, где он пранил, экзамены. Обвинили были прежние — демократические убеждения. После освобождения пришло покинуть Португалию и уехать во Францию. Лопеш Грас пишет музыку, участвует в политической борьбе на стороне левых сил, активно сотрудничает в музыкальном изательстве Народного фронта. И снова пишет песни, сонаты, симфонии. В годы изгнания он по-настоящему начал понимать величие музыки, созданной его народом. Рвушие сердце «фаду», полуаррабские мелодии юга, старинные «романсеры», португальского севера, сохранившие лирику провансальских трубадуров. Но каждой мелодии он пает современную оценку. Пря-

шлось нужно было ему, чтобы лучше осознать и оценить. Уезжать из Франции Лопеш Граса пришлось снова в Лиссабон. Ему,ступившему в 1939 году во французские добровольческие части, ждать пошань от нацистских оккупантов не приходилось. Дома все же было легче.

Лопеш Грас пишет первый концерт для фортепиано с оркестром. Потом второй. Он обрабатывает португальские народные песни, и их чикл, законченный в 1946 году, становится одним из важных этапов его творчества. «Объединяйтесь, товариши! — так называл Лопеш Грас гимн «Примечания демократического единства», оппозиционного организации, которую после разгрома гитлеровской националистической власти гимн впервые исполнили 11 ноября 1945 года. Первый и последний раз Говорят, будто на арест Лопеша Грас был готов ордер. Но он стал слишком знаменит в Европе, чтобы его могли бросить в тюрьму.

25 апреля 1974 года Португалия открыла новую страницу. Прав- турецкой работой. Он активно участвует в политической жизни страны. По списку компартии композитор выдвигнут в депутаты ассамблеи Республики. И, конечно, он продолжает работать над музыкальными произведениями. Композитор готовит новое издание «Песен». Они будут записаны на плёнку и грампластинки.

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В. ЕРМАКОВ.
(Соб. корр. «Правды»).
Лиссабон, Март.

ницу своей древней истории, и в этот день музыка Фернанду Лопеша Граса впервые прозвучала совершенно открыто. Исполнялся цикл «Героические песни». Через несколко дней играли его Сонту № 1 в шести частях. Каждая из этих частей основывается на народных напевах шести провинций страны. Сейчас у Лопеша Граса дни до отказа заполнены напряженной работой. Он активно участвует в политической жизни страны. По списку компартии композитор выдвигнут в депутаты ассамблеи Республики. И, конечно, он продолжает работать над музыкальными произведениями. Композитор готовит новое издание «Песен». Они будут записаны на плёнку и грампластинки.

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Figure B.1: Maestro Lopes-Graça: Art abroad. Prava, March 26, 1976, p. 5.

B.2 NOTICE OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE ORDER OF THE PEOPLE'S FRIENDSHIP⁷

By decree of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the U. S. S. R.

On the awarding of the Order of the People's Friendship to Portuguese composer Fernando Lopes-Graça: For activism toward the development and strengthening of friendship and cultural collaboration between the countries of Portugal and the Soviet Union, and in conjunction with his seventieth birthday, the Order of People's Friendship is awarded to Portuguese composer Fernando Lopes-Graça.

Chairman of the Presidium of the
Supreme Soviet of the U. S. S. R.

— N. Podgorny.

Secretary of the Presidium of the
Supreme Soviet of the U. S. S. R.

— M. Geogadze.

Moscow, Kremlin.

December 16, 1976.

⁷*Pravda* (Moscow), December 17, 1976, p. 2. See figure B.2. Translation by Greg Brown with thanks to Shakhida Azimkhodzhaeva and Quinn Martin for their proofreading and clarification. Any and all errors should be considered the author's and the author's alone.

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**О награждении
 португальского композитора
 Фернандо Лопеша Граса
 орденом Дружбы народов**

**За активную деятельность по
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 между народами Португалии и
 Советского Союза и в связи с
 семидесятилетием со дня рож-
 дения наградить португальского
 композитора Фернандо Лопеша
 Граса орденом Дружбы наро-
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 Н. ПОДГОРНЫЙ.**

**Секретарь Президиума
 Верховного Совета СССР
 М. ГЕОРГАДЗЕ.**

**Москва, Кремль.
 16 декабря 1976 г.**

Figure B.2: Decree. *Pravda*, December 17, 1976, p. 2.