

A NEW ENDING FOR *MADAMA BUTTERFLY*
Piano-Vocal Score
Act II, Part II, continued
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List of Characters

Madama Butterfly/Cio-Cio San	Soprano
Lieutenant Benjamin F. Pinkerton	Tenor
Suzuki, Butterfly's servant	Mezzo-soprano
Sharpless, U.S. Consul in Nagasaki	Baritone
Kate, Pinkerton's wife	Mezzo-soprano
The Child	
Crowd	

Setting 1	Nagasaki, 1907
[Musical Transition]	
Setting 2	Port of San Francisco, 1907

MADAMA BUTTERFLY

ATTO II, Parte Seconda, continua

Act II, Part II, continued

(Si punta il coltello lateralmente alla gola. La porta s'apre e vedesi il braccio di Suzuki che spinge il bambino verso la madre. Butterfly lascia cadere il coltello, si precipita verso il bambino, lo abbraccia e lo bacia quasi a soffocarlo.)
(She places the dagger next to her throat. The door opens and Suzuki is seen pushing the child towards his mother. Butterfly drops the knife, rushes towards the baby and practically smothers him with hugs and kisses.)

Allergo

BUTTERFLY

Piano



BUTTERFLY

8^{va}

Tu?

secche



BUTTERFLY

11

tu? tu? tu? tu? tu? tu?

ff

Andante mosso 

17 *rall.*

BUTTERFLY

pic - co - lo id - di - o! A - mo - re, a - mo - re mi - o, Fior di gig - li o e di ro - sa.

f deciso




a tempo

(con grande coraggio e determinazione)
(with great courage and determination)

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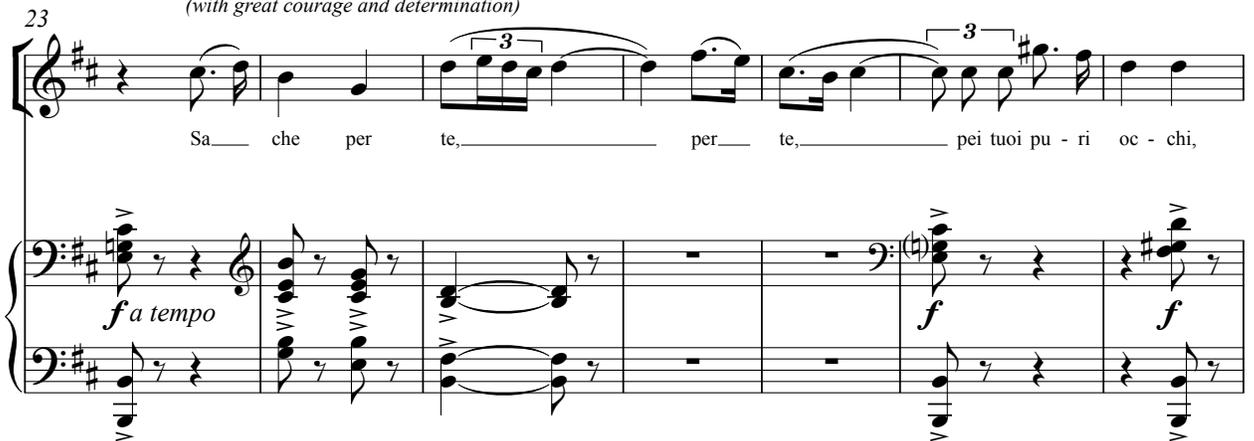
BUTTERFLY

Sa - che per te, per te, pei tuoi pu - ri oc - chi,

f a tempo

f

f




30

BUTTERFLY

Muor' But - ter - fly - mai. Per - che in A - me - ri - ca non c'è ho - no - re

ff

p

mf

p



36 *allargando*

BUTTERFLY

quan-do la ma - dre muor - e, o del co - rag - gio nel ma-terno ab - ban-

Andante sostenuto **Andante lento**
(con amore ardente)
(with fervent love)

41 *p*

BUTTERFLY

do - no. Bim-bo da-gli oc-chi pie-ni di ma

lunga

poco rall.

45 *pp*

BUTTERFLY

li - a O - ra sei tut - to mi - o.

dolce

Andante

49

BUTTERFLY

Non a - ver' pa - u - ra, l'a - mor non uc -

cresc. *p*

53

BUTTERFLY

ci - de, ma dà vi - ta, e sor - ri - de per

f *p*

57

BUTTERFLY

gio - ie ce - le - stia - li co - me o - ra fa ne - i tuoi lun - ghi oc - chi az

mf

rall.

Andante sostenuto

61 BUTTERFLY

zur - ri. O a me, sce - so dal



(con feroce determinazione)
(with fierce determination)

65 BUTTERFLY

tro - no del-l'al - to Pa - ra - di - so, guar - da ben fi - so, fi - so di tua ma - dre la



Meno mosso ma animato

(più dolce ma con grande emozione)
(softer but with great emotion)

68 BUTTERFLY

fac - cia! Che ten' re - sti buon' trac - cia, guar - da ben! Tien - ti la tua pa -

Poco più mosso

71

BUTTERFLY

u - ra, si-cur' nell' fe-de di su - a ma - dre. A-mor - e mi - o!



rit.

Lento, liberamente

74

BUTTERFLY

(Si batte le mani e si guarda intorno intently)
(She claps her hands and looks around her intently)

(Recitativo)

Su-zu-ki! Pren-di il bam-bi-no, por-ta-mi le mi-e



(Al bambino)
(To the boy)

77

BUTTERFLY

co-se e va cer-ca-re il Con-so-le. Va, gio-ca! Gio-ca!

TRANSIZIONE MUSICALE
Transition Music

(La scena finisce bruscamente. Il palco è subito buio and rimane buio durante la transizione musicale alla nuova scena.
Un colpo di cannone, segnalando l'arrivo della nave di Pinkerton, si sente appena prima che le luci si accendono rivelando l'ultima scena.)
(The scene ends abruptly. The stage goes suddenly dark and remains dark during the musical transition to the new scene.
A cannon shot signaling the arrival of Pinkerton's ship is heard just before the lights go on revealing the new scene.)

Moderato
81 Sirena da Nebia (Fog Horn)

"pp" (un suono lontano)
"p" (più vicino)
ossia: Trombone
ppp
pp

Poco meno mosso **A tempo più mosso**
87

"mf" (ancora più vicino)
p
pp
poco cresc.

Moderato
92

pp

Musical score for measures 100-104. The piece is in G major (one sharp). The tempo is marked *p* (piano). The music features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

Poco più mosso

Musical score for measures 105-110. The tempo is marked *P* (Poco più mosso). The music features a melodic line in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

Musical score for measures 111-116. The music features a melodic line in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

Musical score for measures 117-122. The key signature changes to G minor (two flats). The music features a melodic line in the right hand and chords in the left hand.

122

mf

Detailed description: This system contains measures 122 through 125. The music is in a key with two flats (B-flat major or D-flat minor). The right hand features a complex rhythmic pattern with eighth and sixteenth notes, often beamed together. The left hand plays a steady accompaniment of eighth notes. A dynamic marking of *mf* is present in measure 124.



Poco più mosso

126

p *pp* *mf* *mf* *pp*

Detailed description: This system contains measures 126 through 131. The key signature changes to one sharp (F# major or C# minor). The tempo is marked *Poco più mosso*. The right hand has a melodic line with some rests, starting with a dynamic of *p*. The left hand plays a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes, starting with a dynamic of *pp*. Dynamics change to *mf* in measure 129 and *pp* in measure 131.



132

mf *mf*

Detailed description: This system contains measures 132 through 137. The key signature remains one sharp. The right hand continues with a melodic line, featuring some sixteenth-note passages. The left hand provides a steady accompaniment. Dynamic markings of *mf* are present in measures 133 and 136.

Poco più mosso

138

Musical score for measures 138-142. The score is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It consists of four staves. The first staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *f*. The second staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *mf*. The third staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *f* and the instruction *brillantemente*. The fourth staff (bass clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *p*. The music features a complex rhythmic pattern with many slurs and accents.



143

Musical score for measures 143-147. The score is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It consists of two staves. The first staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *ppp*. The second staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *p*. The music features a complex rhythmic pattern with many slurs and accents.



148

Musical score for measures 148-151. The score is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It consists of two staves. The first staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *mf*. The second staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *mf*. The music features a complex rhythmic pattern with many slurs and accents.



152

Musical score for measures 152-156. The score is in treble clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). It consists of two staves. The first staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *f*. The second staff (treble clef) starts with a dynamic marking of *f*. The music features a complex rhythmic pattern with many slurs and accents.

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Cannone

L'ULTIMA SCENA

Last Scene

(Abraham Lincoln, la nave di Pinkerton, è ormeggiata nel porto di San Francisco. In attesa di sbarcare da sul ponte sono Pinkerton, Kate e il bambino, che sta sventolando la bandierina che Butterfly gli ha dato. Butterfly ha già sbarcato e sta guardando loro dal molo. Non vedono la sua.)
 (Pinkerton's warship *Abraham Lincoln* is docked in the port of San Francisco. Waiting to disembark on the deck are Pinkerton, Kate and the boy, waving the little flag Butterfly gave him. Butterfly has already disembarked and is looking up at them from the dock. They do not see her.)

IL BAMBINO (vede sua madre e grida)
(sees his mother and cries out)

169 **Maestoso**

BAMBINO

BUTTERFLY

PINKERTON

(Improvvisamente, c'è subbuglio sulla passerella e grida dal ponte. Il bambino ha rotto via.
 Si arrampica giù la passerella and corre alle braccia di sua madre.)
 (Suddenly, there is commotion on the gangway and shouting on the deck. The child has broken away.
 He escapes down the gangway and runs to his mother's arms.)

Più mosso (tenendo saldamente il suo bambino, grida)
 (holding her child tightly, she cries out)

175

BUTTERFLY

Tri-on-fa il mio a-mor! il mio a-mor, la mia fe' tri-on-fa in-te-ra!

ppp *p* *mf*

Subito allargando

181

BUTTERFLY

E vin-ce-rò!

(scioccato, paralizzato a posto, guardando con orrore dalla coperta Butterfly e il bambino)
 (shocked, frozen in place, looking with horror from the deck at Butterfly and the boy)

PINKERTON

But-ter-fly!

ff *sub. p* *ff*

185

PINKERTON

But-ter-fly! But-ter-fly!

p *ff* *p*

(La madre e il bambino si vedono camminare via dalla nave. Il bambino continua a sventolare la bandierina. Scioccato, Pinkerton e Kate rimangono a bordo, né muoversi né parlare, come Butterfly e il bambino scompaiono tra la folla.)
 (Mother and child are seen slowly walking away from the boat. The boy continues to wave his flag. Shocked, Pinkerton and Kate remain onboard, neither moving nor speaking as Butterfly and the child disappear into the crowd.)

Sostenendo

188

f dolce *p*

p

190

p

192

rit.

rit. *a tempo* *p*

Meno mosso

194

pp

Musical score for measures 194-196. The piece is in 3/4 time with a key signature of three flats. The tempo is 'Meno mosso'. The score is marked 'pp' (pianissimo). The right hand features a melodic line with eighth notes and some grace notes. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.



Meno mosso

rit.

197

8^{va}-----

(Celesta)

Musical score for measures 197-200. The tempo is 'Meno mosso' and the piece is marked 'rit.' (ritardando). The score includes a '8^{va}' (octave) marking and '(Celesta)' indicating the instrument. The right hand has a melodic line with eighth notes. The left hand has a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes.



200

(8)-----

LUNGA

SIPARIO

Musical score for measures 200-202. The tempo is 'Meno mosso'. The score includes an '(8)' marking and 'LUNGA' (lunga) indicating a long note. The right hand has a melodic line with eighth notes. The left hand has a rhythmic accompaniment with chords and single notes.