# On the Road of Life

## Music: Chris Artley
## Lyrics: Michelanne Forster

Life is a journey
Sometimes you're alone
Alone in the dark
Far, far from home.

*Kia kaha, have courage*
*Kia kaha, stay strong*
*Kia kaha, hold fast*
*Know you belong.*

We walk together on the road of life
We stand together on the road of life
Hold fast on the road of life
Nobody walks alone.

*Kia kaha, have courage ...*

We dance together on the road of life
Kanikani, dance, on the road of life
Stand proud, on the road of life
Nobody walks alone.

*Kia kaha, have courage ...*

So share your story on the road of life
And care for others on the road of life
Speak out, on the road of life
Nobody walks alone.

*Kia kaha, have courage ...*

Māori text meaning and pronunciation:

Kia kaha (be strong) KEE-a KA-ha
Kanikani (dance) KA-nee-KA-nee*
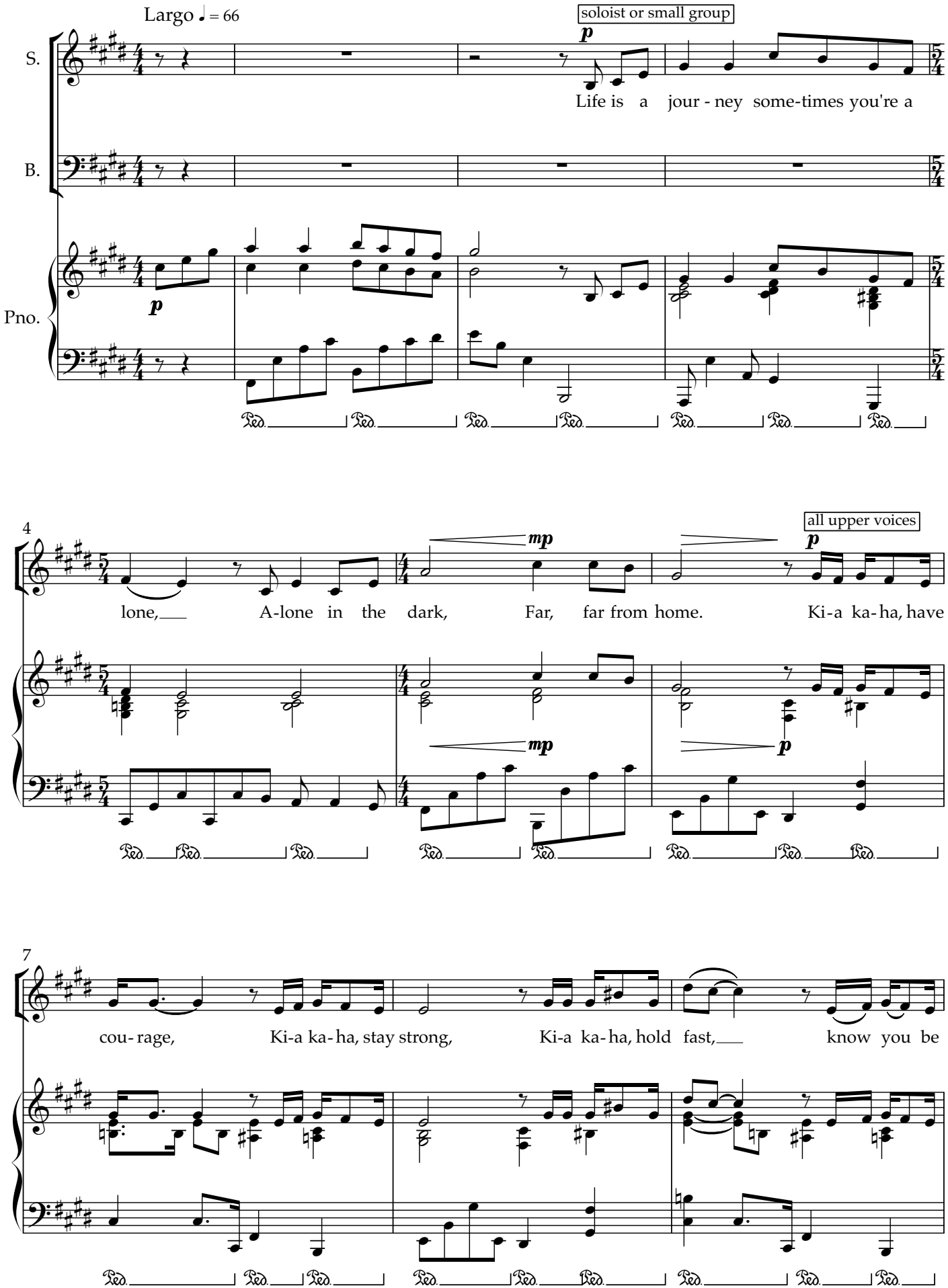
* Capital letters denote strong syllables.

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*For high and low voices and piano*
*Duration c. 2'58"*

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A

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long.

*mp*

We walk to - ge - ther on the road of life, We stand to

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*mf*

ge - ther on the road of life, Hold fast on the road of life No-bo-dy walks a-

*mf*

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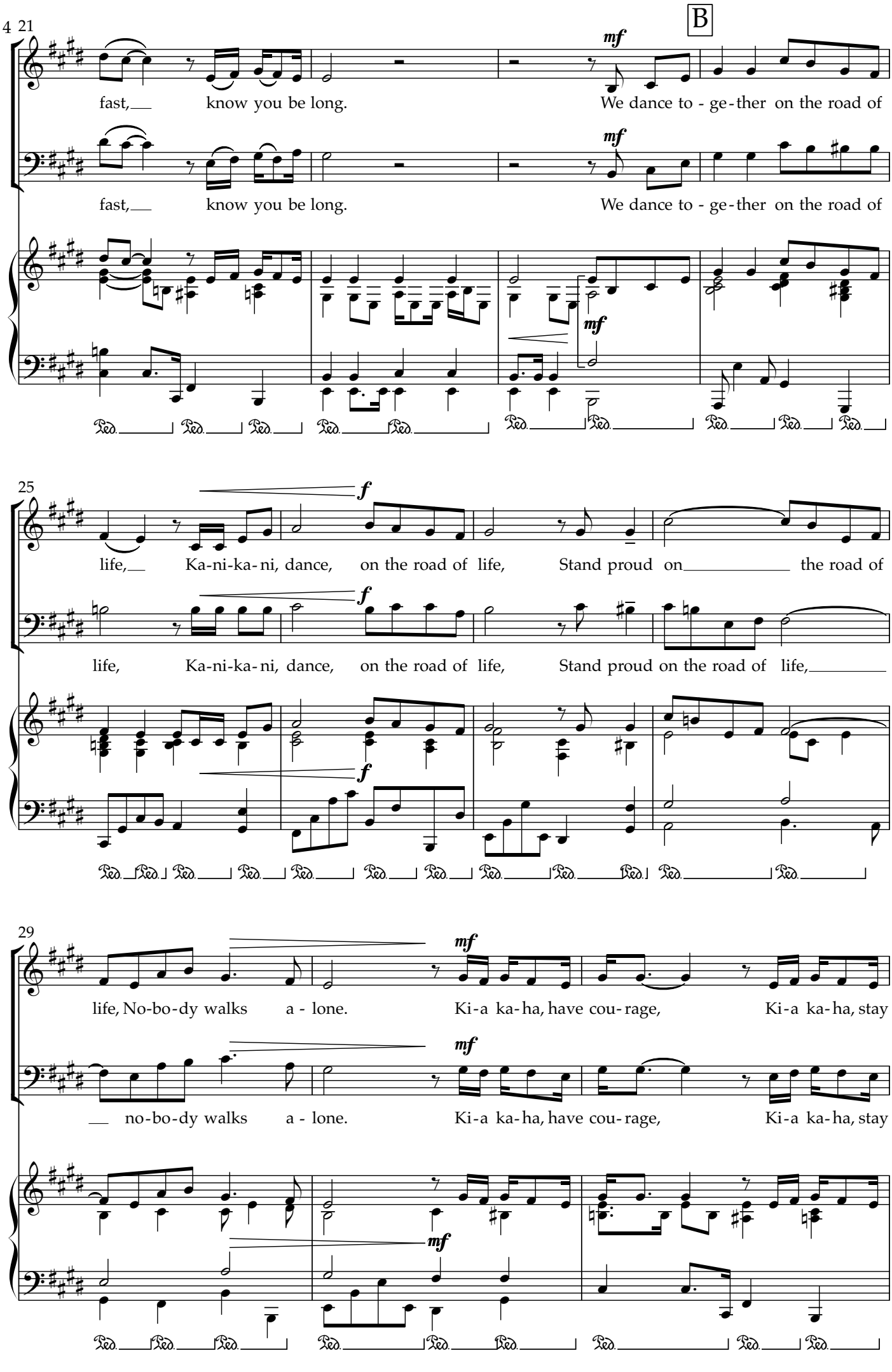
*mp*

Ki-a ka-ha, have cou-rage, Ki-a ka-ha, stay strong, Ki-a ka-ha, hold

*mp*

lone. Ki-a ka-ha, have cou-rage, Ki-a ka-ha, stay strong, Ki-a ka-ha, hold

*mp*


4 21
B
mf
fast, know you be long. We dance to - ge - ther on the road of
fast, know you be long. We dance to - ge - ther on the road of
25
f
life, Ka-ni-ka-ni, dance, on the road of life, Stand proud on the road of
life, Ka-ni-ka-ni, dance, on the road of life, Stand proud on the road of life,
29
mf
life, No-bo-dy walks a - lone. Ki-a ka-ha, have cou-rage, Ki-a ka-ha, stay
no-bo-dy walks a - lone. Ki-a ka-ha, have cou-rage, Ki-a ka-ha, stay

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strong, Ki - a ka - ha, hold fast, know you be -

strong, Ki - a ka - ha, hold fast, know you be -

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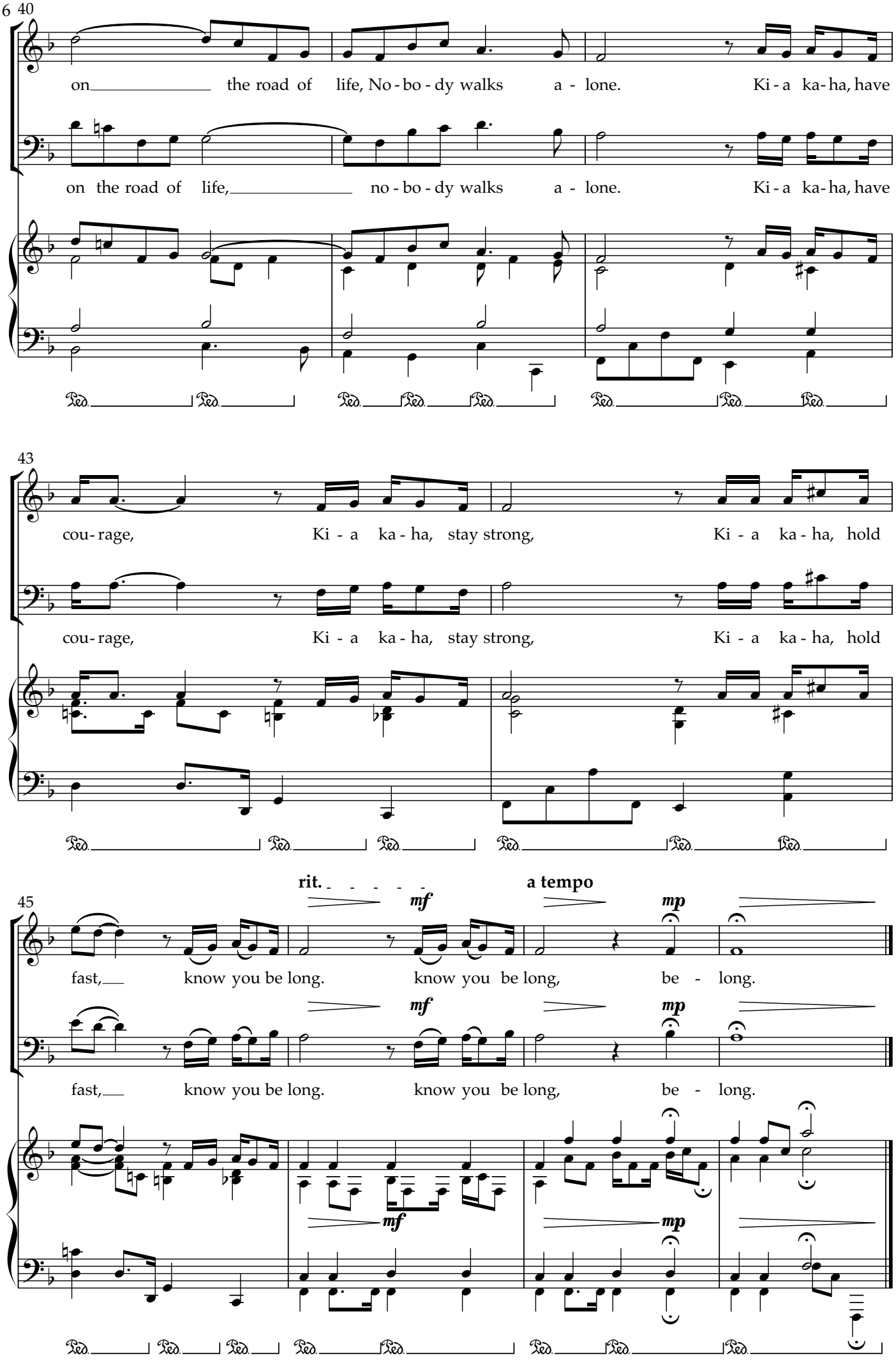
long. So share your

long. So share your

36 C

sto - ry on the road of life, And care for o - thers on the road of life, Speak out,

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6 40
on the road of life, No - bo - dy walks a - lone. Ki - a ka - ha, have
on the road of life, no - bo - dy walks a - lone. Ki - a ka - ha, have
43
cou - rage, Ki - a ka - ha, stay strong, Ki - a ka - ha, hold
cou - rage, Ki - a ka - ha, stay strong, Ki - a ka - ha, hold
45
rit.
a tempo
mf
mp
fast, know you be long. know you be long, be - long.
fast, know you be long. know you be long, be - long.