Now, oh now I needs must part

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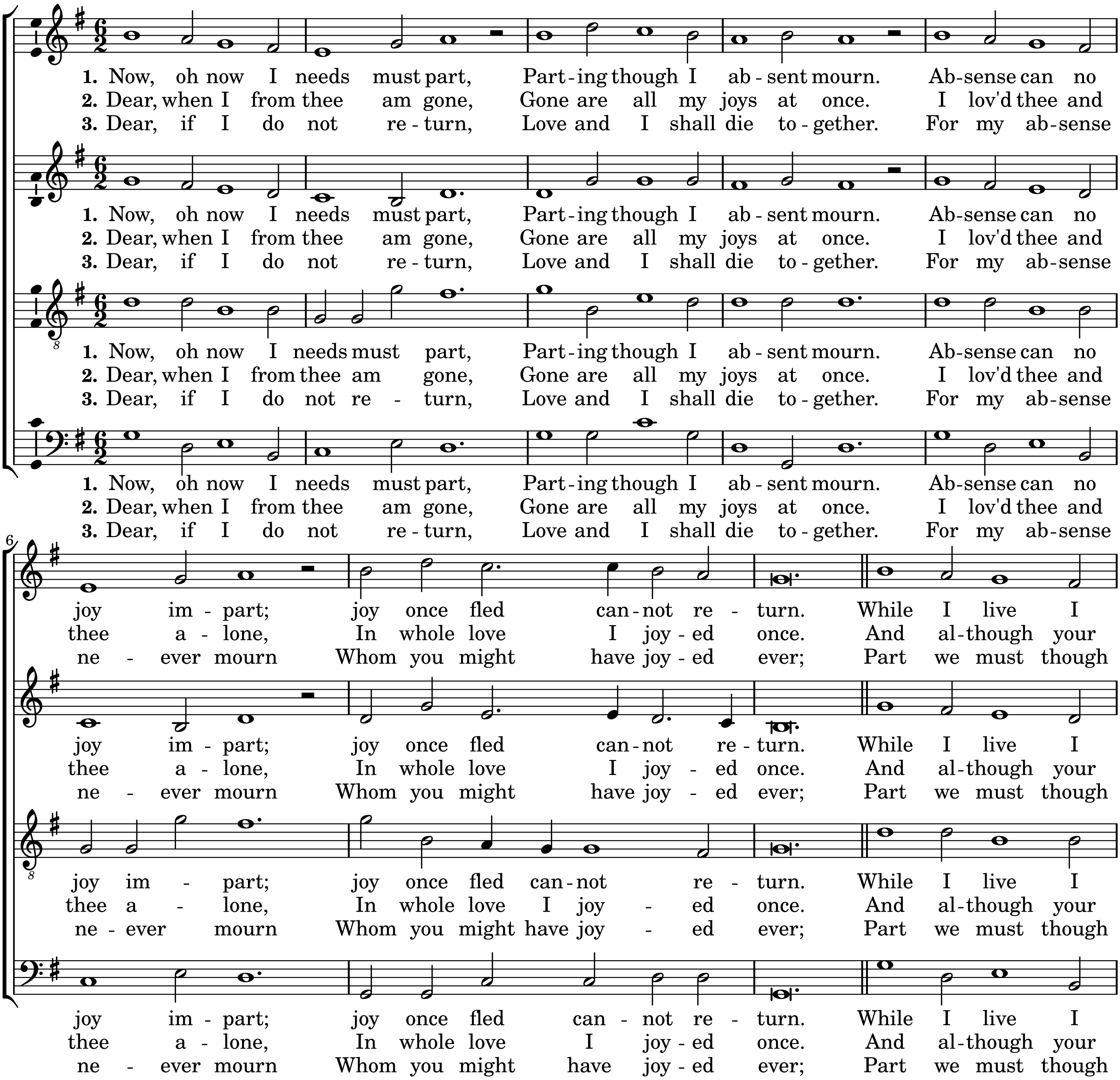
1. Now, oh now I needs must part, Part-ing though I ab-sent mourn. Ab-sense can no
2. Dear, when I from thee am gone, Gone are all my joys at once. I lov'd thee and
3. Dear, if I do not re-turn, Love and I shall die to-gether. For my ab-sense
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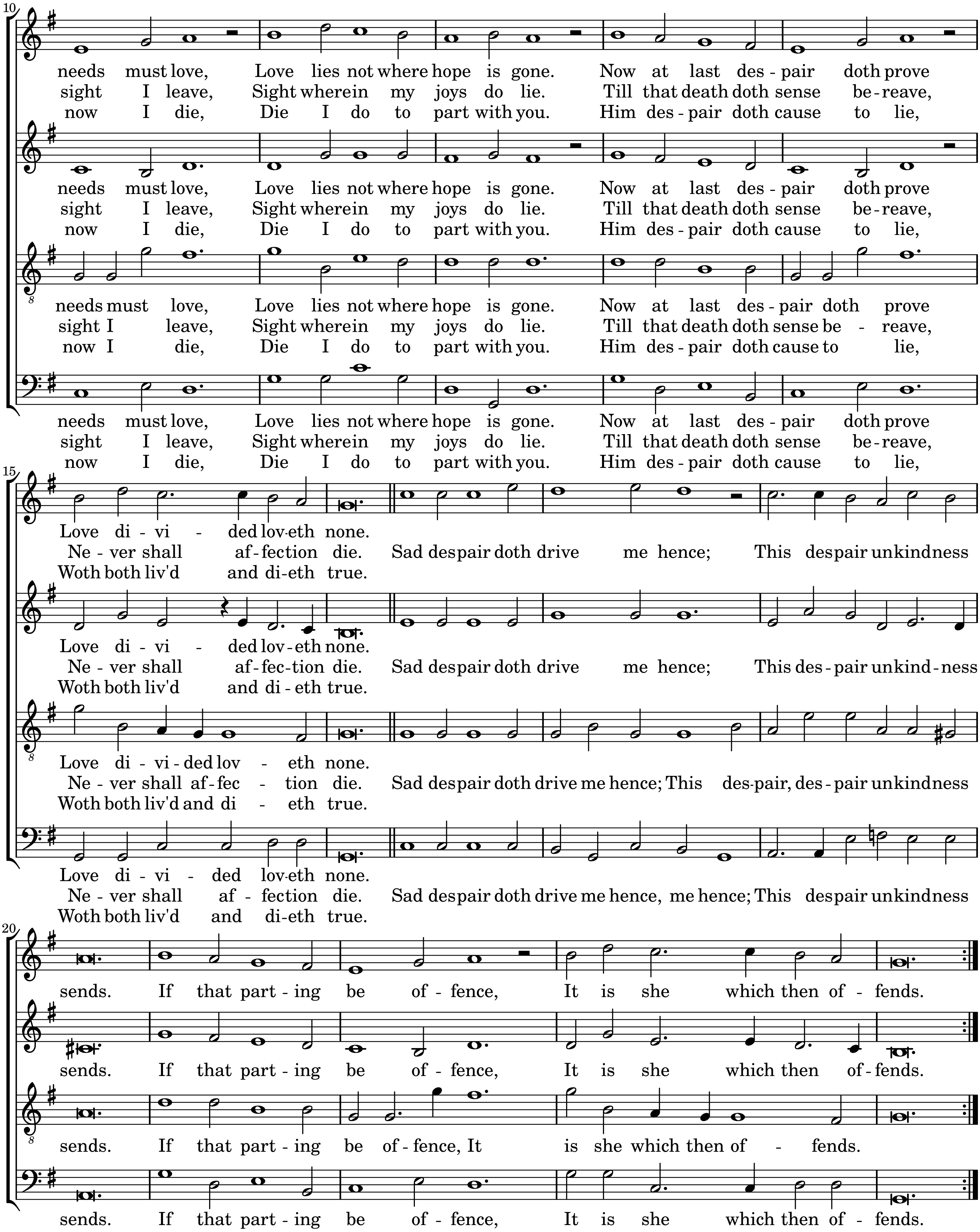
joy im-part; joy once fled can-not re-turn. While I live I
thee a-lone, In whole love I joy-ed once. And al-though your
ne-ever mourn Whom you might have joy-ed ever; Part we must though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needs must love, Love lies not where hope is gone. Now at last des - pair doth prove
sight I leave, Sight wherein my joys do lie. Till that death doth sense be - reave,
now I die, Die I do to part with you. Him des - pair doth cause to lie,
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Ne - ver shall af - fection die. Sad despair doth drive me hence; This despair unkindness
Woth both liv'd and di - eth true.
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