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DUE SONATE A DUE FLAUTI E BASSO

Zwei Sonaten für zwei Altblockflöten und B. c.

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Due Sonate a due flauti e basso

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I

Anonym, um 1700

Andante

Flauto
dolce I

Musical score for Flauto dolce I. The music is in common time (indicated by '3') and consists of six measures. The first measure starts with a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The second measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The third measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The fourth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The fifth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The sixth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs.

Flauto
dolce II

Musical score for Flauto dolce II. The music is in common time (indicated by '3') and consists of six measures. The first measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The second measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The third measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The fourth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The fifth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The sixth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs.

Cembalo
[Basso]

Musical score for Cembalo [Basso]. The music is in common time (indicated by '3') and consists of six measures. The first measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The second measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The third measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The fourth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The fifth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs. The sixth measure has a breve rest followed by eighth-note pairs.

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Sheet music for a three-part composition (Treble, Alto, Bass) in common time and G major.

The music consists of 12 staves of musical notation, divided into sections by measure numbers:

- Measures 1-19: Treble part starts with eighth-note pairs, followed by sixteenth-note patterns with grace notes. Alto part has eighth-note pairs. Bass part has eighth-note pairs. Dynamics include p , $[f]$, and $[ff]$. Measure 19 ends with a repeat sign.
- Measures 20-26: Treble part has eighth-note pairs. Alto part has eighth-note pairs. Bass part has eighth-note pairs. Measures 24-26 show harmonic changes with p , $\frac{4}{3}$, $\frac{9}{6}$, and $\frac{4}{3}$ markings.
- Measures 27-30: Treble part has eighth-note pairs. Alto part has eighth-note pairs. Bass part has eighth-note pairs. Measure 30 ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.
- Measures 31-33: Treble part has eighth-note pairs. Alto part has eighth-note pairs. Bass part has eighth-note pairs. Measure 33 ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.
- Measures 34-37: Treble part has eighth-note pairs. Alto part has eighth-note pairs. Bass part has eighth-note pairs. Measure 37 ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.
- Measures 38-40: Treble part has eighth-note pairs. Alto part has eighth-note pairs. Bass part has eighth-note pairs.

Dynamics and Articulations:

- Measure 1: p
- Measure 2: $[f]$
- Measure 3: $[ff]$
- Measure 19: p
- Measure 24: $\frac{4}{3}$
- Measure 26: $\frac{9}{6}$
- Measure 27: $[f]$
- Measure 30: Double bar line and repeat dots
- Measure 33: Double bar line and repeat dots
- Measure 37: Double bar line and repeat dots
- Measure 38: $[f]$

A musical score for piano, featuring six staves of music. The music is in common time and consists of 64 measures. The key signature is one flat. Measure numbers 46, 52, and 64 are explicitly marked on the left side of the page. The score includes dynamic markings such as *f*, *p*, *tr.*, and *[f]*. The piano part features various note heads, stems, and rests, with some notes connected by horizontal lines. Measures 46 through 51 show a pattern of eighth-note pairs and sixteenth-note chords. Measures 52 through 57 show a continuation of this pattern with some eighth-note pairs and sixteenth-note chords. Measures 58 through 63 show a more complex harmonic progression with various note heads and stems. Measure 64 concludes the piece with a single eighth-note pair.

69

f

p

74

p

[*f*]

Largo

6

Musical score for two staves, measures 11 to 23.

The score consists of two staves, treble and bass, separated by a brace. The key signature is one flat, and the time signature is common time (indicated by 'C').

Treble Staff:

- Measures 11-15: The staff begins with a dotted half note followed by eighth-note pairs. Measures 12-15 feature sustained notes with sixteenth-note patterns above them.
- Measure 16: A measure of eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 17: A measure of eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 18: A measure of eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 19: A measure of eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 20: A measure of eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 21: A measure of eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 22: A measure of eighth-note pairs.
- Measure 23: A single eighth note followed by a fermata.

Bass Staff:

- Measures 11-15: The staff features sustained notes with sixteenth-note patterns above them.
- Measures 16-20: The staff features sustained notes with sixteenth-note patterns above them.
- Measures 21-23: The staff features sustained notes with sixteenth-note patterns above them.

Key Changes:

- Measure 19: The key changes to G major (one sharp).
- Measure 20: The key changes back to E major (two sharps).

Allegro

The sheet music is divided into ten staves. The first four staves begin with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 2/4 time signature. The first staff starts with a single note followed by eighth-note pairs. The second staff features eighth-note pairs and sixteenth-note patterns. The third staff includes eighth-note pairs and quarter notes. The fourth staff ends with a dynamic instruction *[p]*. The fifth staff begins with a bass clef and continues the eighth-note patterns. The sixth staff ends with a dynamic *p* and a dynamic instruction *[p]*. The seventh staff begins with a treble clef and eighth-note pairs. The eighth staff ends with a dynamic *f*. The ninth staff begins with a bass clef and a dynamic *f*, followed by eighth-note pairs. The tenth staff begins with a treble clef and eighth-note pairs, ending with a dynamic *b*.

14

20

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25

[*p*] [*f*] [*p*] [*f*]

31

37

44

Musical score page 10, measures 51-52. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, B-flat key signature, and common time. It features eighth-note patterns with grace notes and dynamic markings *p* and [p]. The bottom staff is in bass clef, B-flat key signature, and common time. Measure 51 starts with a forte dynamic. Measure 52 begins with a piano dynamic [p]. Measure numbers 51 and 52 are indicated above the staves.

II

Allegro

Allegro section. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, common time, and A major (no key signature). The bottom staff is in bass clef, common time, and A major. The music features eighth-note patterns and quarter notes.

Musical score page 10, measures 6-7. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, common time, and A major. The bottom staff is in bass clef, common time, and A major. Measure 6 starts with a rest followed by eighth-note patterns. Measure 7 continues with eighth-note patterns and includes a dynamic marking *[w]*.

Musical score page 10, measures 12-13. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, common time, and A major. The bottom staff is in bass clef, common time, and A major. Measure 12 starts with a forte dynamic. Measure 13 continues with eighth-note patterns.

17

22

28

33

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Musical score for two staves, measures 39-56.

The score consists of two staves: Treble and Bass.

Measure 39: The Treble staff features eighth-note patterns with grace notes. The Bass staff has eighth-note patterns with some bass notes.

Measure 44: The Treble staff shows eighth-note patterns with grace notes. The Bass staff has eighth-note patterns with some bass notes.

Measure 50: The Treble staff has a sustained note followed by eighth-note patterns with grace notes. The Bass staff has eighth-note patterns.

Measure 56: The Treble staff has eighth-note patterns with grace notes. The Bass staff has eighth-note patterns.

62

The musical score consists of two systems of music. The top system spans measures 62 to 68. It features two staves: treble and bass. The treble staff has a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. The bass staff has a bass clef and a common time signature. Measure 62 begins with eighth-note pairs followed by a short rest. Measures 63 and 64 continue with eighth-note pairs and rests. Measures 65 through 68 feature sixteenth-note patterns, some with grace notes and slurs. The bottom system starts with a measure labeled 'Largo' in bold. It also has two staves: treble and bass. The treble staff uses a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. The bass staff uses a bass clef and a common time signature. This section includes measures 69 through 84, with measure 84 ending with a fermata over the bass staff.

Largo

3

68

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Musical score for page 14, measures 16 to 23. The score consists of two systems of music. The top system has two staves: Treble (G-clef) and Bass (F-clef). The bottom system also has two staves: Treble (G-clef) and Bass (F-clef). Measure 16 starts with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves, followed by sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 17 continues with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves and sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 18 begins with a bass note followed by eighth-note patterns in the treble staves and sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 19 starts with a bass note followed by eighth-note patterns in the treble staves and sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 20 begins with a bass note followed by eighth-note patterns in the treble staves and sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 21 starts with a bass note followed by eighth-note patterns in the treble staves and sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 22 begins with a bass note followed by eighth-note patterns in the treble staves and sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 23 begins with a bass note followed by eighth-note patterns in the treble staves and sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves.

Allegro

Allegro section, measures 1-4. The score consists of two systems of music. The top system has two staves: Treble (G-clef) and Bass (F-clef). The bottom system has two staves: Treble (G-clef) and Bass (F-clef). Measure 1 starts with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves, followed by sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 2 starts with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves, followed by sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 3 starts with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves, followed by sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 4 starts with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves, followed by sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves.

Measures 5-7. The score consists of two systems of music. The top system has two staves: Treble (G-clef) and Bass (F-clef). The bottom system has two staves: Treble (G-clef) and Bass (F-clef). Measure 5 starts with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves, followed by sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 6 starts with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves, followed by sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves. Measure 7 starts with eighth-note patterns in the treble staves, followed by sixteenth-note patterns in the bass staves.

13

19

24

30

Musical score for two staves, measures 36-54.

The score consists of two staves, treble and bass, separated by a brace. The music is in common time.

Measure 36:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns. Dynamics: [p] at the beginning of each measure.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns. Dynamics: [p] at the beginning of the measure.

Measure 37:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns. Dynamics: [f] at the beginning of each measure.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns. Dynamics: [f] at the beginning of the measure.

Measure 38:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns. Dynamics: [p] at the beginning of each measure.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns. Dynamics: [f] at the beginning of the measure.

Measure 39:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 40:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 41:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 42:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 43:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 44:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 45:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 46:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 47:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 48:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 49:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 50:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 51:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 52:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 53:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Measure 54:

- Treble staff: Two measures of eighth-note patterns.
- Bass staff: One measure of eighth-note patterns.

Musical score for two staves (Treble and Bass) across 10 measures (60-69, 73, 79). Measure 60: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 61: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 62: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 63: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 64: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 65: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 66: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 67: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 68: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 69: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 73: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs. Measure 79: Treble staff has eighth-note pairs; Bass staff has eighth-note pairs.

Diese beiden anonymen Sonate / A due Flauti e Basso – so lautet der Originaltitel – sind einem Manuskriptband in der Biblioteca Querini Stampalia von Venedig (Ms. Cl. VIII, Cod. 29) entnommen, der eine große Vielzahl an Kompositionen für verschiedene Instrumente, vorwiegend Tasteninstrumente, verschiedener Epochen, Länder und Autoren enthält. Insbesondere zwei der 15 Hefte, aus denen sich der Band zusammensetzt (die Familie Querini hat sie in den Anfängen des 19. Jahrhunderts binden lassen), weisen zahlreiche Originalkompositionen für Altblockflöte in f auf, so benannt in Italien in der ersten Dekade des 18. Jahrhunderts, als dieses Instrument besonders bei den Dilettanten unter der einfachen Bezeichnung flauto sehr in Mode war, während die Traversflöte, um sie von der vorgenannten zu unterscheiden, traversa oder traversiere genannt wurde.

Genauer gesagt, das 12. Heft (cc. 83-96) enthält 6 Sonaten für Altblockflöte und B. c. (Nr. 6: Sonate / à Flauto e Basso) eines gewissen Alessandro Santini, eines uns gänzlich unbekannten Komponisten, um dessen einzige überlieferte Komposition es sich hier offensichtlich handelt: Es sind Arbeiten von einem Wert, geschrieben mit Sorgfalt und leidlicher Fähigkeit, die expressiven und zeitweise virtuosen Mittel des Instruments auszunutzen, auch wenn es, wie bei vieler Musik der Zeit, an wahrer Inspiration und Originalität mangelt. Nach unserem Urteil würde Santini es verdienen, der Vergessenheit entrissen zu werden.

Das folgende Heft, das 13. (cc. 97-115), enthält 10 Triosonaten, häufig mit der Bezeichnung versehen *Sonata à 3*, für 2 Altblockflöten und B. c., alle ohne jegliche Angabe des Autors. Leider sind nur zwei dieser Triosonaten, gerade die, die Gegenstand der vorliegenden Ausgabe sind, vollständig in all ihren Stimmen, bezeichnet als Flauto Primo, Flauto Secondo und Cembalo; für letzteres Instrument ist nach dem Gebrauch der Zeit nur die Baßlinie mit sehr wenigen Ziffern bezeichnet. Die verbleibenden 8 Sonaten sind alle unvollständig, insofern als das Manuskript nur eine oder zwei getrennte Stimmen wiedergibt, und zwar beide vollständig. Das ist zweifellos auf die Tatsache zurückzuführen, daß der Band schon in alter Zeit um mehrere Seiten verstümmelt worden ist (die gegenwärtige fortlaufende Numerierung der Hefte und Karten mit Bleistift ist neueren Datums).

Die beiden uns vollständig verbliebenen Triosonaten, die hier zum erstenmal veröffentlicht werden, sind von der Struktur und vom Stil her einander recht ähnlich. Beide basieren auf der üblichen Folge von zwei schnellen Sätzen, zwischen die ein langsamer eingeschoben ist, was die barocke Kammersonate charakterisiert (tatsächlich versteht sich das Andante, das die erste Sonate eröffnet, wie es damals gebräuchlich war, im

These two anonymous Sonate / A due Flauti e Basso (so the original title) are taken from a volume of manuscripts in the Biblioteca Querini Stampalia in Venice (Ms. Cl. VIII, Cod. 29). This volume contains a large number of compositions for diverse (mostly keyboards) instruments dating from different periods, originating in different countries and written by different composers. In particular, two of the fifteen books of which the volume consists (the Querini family had them bound together at the early part of the 19th century) contain numerous original compositions for the alto recorder in F, which was known by the simple name of flauto in Italy during the first decade of the 19th century, when it became the rage among the dilettanti, to distinguish it from the transverse flute, which was called traversa or traversiere.

To be more specific, Book 12 (cc. 83-96) contains six sonatas for alto recorder and basso continuo (No. 6: Sonate / à Flauto e Basso) by a certain Alessandro Santini, a composer about whom we know absolutely nothing. This work is apparently his one and only known composition. The sonatas are works of some merit, written with care and reasonable aptitude for exploiting the expressive and virtuosic characteristics of the instrument, even if, as was the case with so much music of the period, they do not reflect true inspiration and originality. In our opinion, Santini deserves to be rescued from the obscurity which has surrounded him.

The next book Book 13, (cc. 97-115) contains ten trio sonatas, often preceded by the term *Sonata à 3*. None of them give any indication as to the author. Unfortunately, only two of these trio sonatas, namely those which are presented in this edition, are complete with all of their parts, indicated as Flauto Primo, Flauto Secondo and Cembalo. For the latter instrument, consistent with the customs of the times, only the bass line with very few figurings is given. The remaining eight sonatas are all incomplete, insofar as the manuscript contains only one or two individual parts, though each of these is complete. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that the volume was damaged many years ago, and numerous pages were lost (the present consecutive numbering of the books and cards, in pencil, is of a more recent date).

The two complete sonatas which remain to us, here published for the first time, are quite similar to each other in style and structure. Both are based on the customary sequence of two fast movements between which a slower movement was inserted, characteristic of the baroque sonata (in fact, the Andante which opens the first sonata is to be understood, as was then customary, in the sense of a *tempo spedito, con moto*, i.e. an Allegro Moderato). Both solo instruments enter one after the other with the same (identical) theme, while

Ces deux sonates anonymes Sonate / A due Flauti e Basso sont prises d'un manuscrit de la Biblioteca Querini Stampalia de Venise (Ms. Cl. VIII, Cod. 29). Dans ce manuscrit se trouve un grand nombre de compositions pour différents instruments, surtout pour des instruments à clavier, de différents pays, époques et compositeurs. Parmi les 15 cahiers (la famille Querini les a fait relier au début du 19^e siècle) qui composent le volume sont présents deux cahiers avec de nombreuses compositions originales pour flûte à bec en fa. En Italie la flûte à bec en fa a trouvé son nom au début du 18^e siècle lorsque cet instrument était très à la mode chez les amateurs. A l'époque on l'appelait «flauto» alors que la flûte traversière était nommée traversa ou traversiere. Les morceaux pour flûte à bec en fa se trouvent dans le 12^e cahier (cc. 83-96) qui contient six sonates pour flûte à bec et basse continue (Nr. 6: Sonate / à Flauto e Basso) d'un certain Alessandro Santini. Il s'agit d'un compositeur inconnu. Ce sont apparemment les seules compositions qui ont été transmises. Ce sont des travaux de grande valeur, écrites avec soins et avec une capacité moyenne d'exploiter l'expression et la virtuosité de l'instrument, même s'ils manquent, comme beaucoup de musique de cette époque, d'inspiration et d'originalité. D'après notre jugement, Santini mériterait d'être plus connu.

Deuxièmement, le treizième cahier (cc. 97-115) contient dix sonates pour trois instruments, souvent avec l'indication *Sonata à 3* pour deux flûtes et basse continue, toutes sans aucune désignation de l'auteur. Parmi ces sonates il n'y en a malheureusement que deux à être complet dans toutes leurs voix. Ce sont celles qui sont dans cette édition. Les trois voix sont: la première flûte, la deuxième flûte et le clavecin. Pour ce dernier instrument, d'après l'usage de l'époque, la ligne de basse est écrite avec peu de chiffres. Les huit sonates restantes sont toutes incomplètes dans la mesure où le manuscrit donne seulement une ou deux voix séparées, mais complètes en elles-mêmes. Celà vient sans doute du fait que déjà à l'époque le volume a été sérieusement endommagé (la numérotation actuelle et régulière au crayon des cahiers et des cartes est beaucoup plus récente).

Les deux sonates à trois voix complètes, publiées pour la première fois dans notre édition, se ressemblent en style et structure. Toutes des deux sont basées sur l'ordre habituel de deux mouvements rapides où un mouvement lent vient s'intercaler. Celà caractérise la sonate de chambre baroque (l'Andante qui commence la première sonate, comme c'était l'usage à l'époque, signifie en effet *tempo spedito, con moto* ce qui veut dire Allegro moderato). Dans les sonates, les deux instruments solo rentrent quasiment toujours l'un après l'autre en jouant seul le même thème. La suite est un dialogue qui alterne entre des passages

eigentlichen Sinn eines *tempo spedito, con moto*, d. h. Allegro moderato). Sie lassen quasi immer die beiden solistischen Instrumente eins nach dem anderen mit demselben (identischen) Thema einsetzen, während das andere Instrument schweigt, um sie dann in Dialogform fortfahren zu lassen, wobei gleichrhythmische Passagen von parallelen Terzen mit anderen von markantem kontrapunktischen Charakter abwechseln, basiert auf kluger Verwendung von lebhaftem Fortschreiten bis zum Verlangsamten, (*per lo più di nona?*).

In beiden Fällen ist die Schreibweise einfach, in dem Sinn, daß sorgfältig jede mögliche technische Schwierigkeit für den Spieler vermieden wird (z.B. wird das hohe f'', das dreimal vorkommt, immer in Legatophrasen verwendet, was die Ansprache dieses Problemtones einigermaßen erleichtert); aber trotz der Einfachheit der angewendeten Mittel erscheint diese Schreibweise unbestreitbar brillant und reich an hübschen Effekten. Die schnellen Sätze sind thematisch gut festgelegt, ordentlich und folgerichtig entwickelt und ausgestattet mit lebhaftem und getragenem Rhythmus; diese langsamten Sätze haben – natürlich in geziemendem Verhältnis – den schmelzenden Lyrismus vieler Vivaldi-Themen ... Diese und andere Analogien lassen uns annehmen, daß die beiden Sonaten Werke desselben Komponisten sind, vielleicht eines der vielen *dilettanti di contrapunto* – wie Benedetto Marcello es nicht ohne ein wenig Koketterie definierte – die im Zeitalter der Aufklärung mit Eifer und mitunter unleugbarem Talent das Studium der Musik betrieben...

In unserer Ausgabe – direkt nach dem Originalmanuskript ausgeführt (wir danken der Direktion der *Biblioteca Querini Stampalia* für ihre wertvolle Unterstützung und für die bereitwillige Genehmigung zur Veröffentlichung) – haben wir jeden Eingriff unsererseits auf ein unerlässliches Minimum beschränkt, wobei der Bezug auf das Original immer gut zu identifizieren ist: So sind die einzogenen Änderungen über den Noten, auf die sie sich beziehen, eingefügt (während die vor die Noten gesetzten original sind), die von uns hinzugefügten Verzierungen sind in eckige Klammern gesetzt, und die im Original ausgelassenen Ligaturen, die jedoch aus Gründen der Analogie unterstellt werden können, sind gestrichelt.

Was schließlich die Realisierung des Basso continuo durch das Cembalo angeht, so sind wir gezwungen, sie in einem mehr melodisch-kontrapunktischen Stil auszuführen als angemessen, um auf diesen Part größeres Interesse zu übertragen und auch, um ihn möglichst der Praxis der Alten anzugeleichen, die heute besser bekannt ist als zur damaligen Zeit.

Wir haben im Originalmanuskript folgende Korrekturen vorgenommen:

the other pauses, and then both continue in somewhat of a dialogue form, whereby rhythmical passages in parallel thirds alternate with others of a more marked contrapuntal nature, an intelligent use of developmental techniques (*per lo più di nona?*).

In both cases the style is simplistic in the sense that every possible technical difficulty for the player is carefully avoided (for example, the high f'', which appears three times, is always taken in a combination which eases the responsiveness of this problematic tone); yet in spite of this simplicity of means, the style is undoubtedly brilliant and rich in pleasing effects. The fast movements are well-established thematically, developed in an orderly and logical manner, and imbued with a good proportion of contrasting rhythms. The slow movements have the same type of melting lyricism found in many a Vivaldi theme, though obviously not as masterfully written.

These and other analogies lead us to the conclusion that the two sonatas are the work of one and the same composer, perhaps one of the many *dilettanti di contrapunto*, as Benedetto Marcello liked to call them (though not without a bit of coquetry), who during the Age of Enlightenment diligently and occasionally with undisputable talent pursued the study of music.

In our edition, taken directly from the original manuscript (we thank the directors of the *Biblioteca Querini Stampalia* for their valuable support and their willingness to permit publication), we have reduced our revisions to an absolute minimum. The relationship to the original is always easily identifiable. For example, accidentals appearing over the notes to which they refer are our insertions, while those which appear before the notes occur in the original; ornaments which we have added are set in brackets; the ligatures missing in the original, yet which can be assumed by analogy, are indicated by dotted lines.

Finally, regarding the realization of the continuo on the cembalo, we find ourselves forced to write it out in a somewhat more melodic-contrapuntal fashion than might seem appropriate, in order to make the part more interesting and also to approach more closely the performance practice of the period, about which we know much more today than previously.

The following are our corrections from the original manuscript:

en tierces du même rythme et des passages du style contrepoint, basés subtilement sur une impression d'accélération et de ralentissement (*per lo più di nona?*).

Dans les deux cas, l'écriture est simple. Toutes les difficultés techniques possibles pour le musicien sont évitées. (exemple: le fa dans la cinquième octave qui vient trois fois, est bien intégré dans une phrase ce qui facilite le problème d'attaque de cette note difficile pour le joueur). Malgré la simplicité des moyens utilisées cette écriture est sans doute brillante et riche en jolis effets. Les mouvements rapides sont thématiquement bien fixés, ils sont développés soigneusement et logiquement et possèdent un rythme vif et posé. Les mouvements lents ont le lyrisme sensuel de beaucoup de thèmes de Vivaldi, naturellement en bonne harmonie. Ces analogies et bien d'autres nous font penser que ces deux sonates sont les œuvres du même compositeur. Il s'agit peut-être d'un des nombreux compositeurs nommés *dilettanti di contrapunto* comme Benedetto Marcello aimait les appeler non sans un peu de coquetterie. A l'époque des Lumières, beaucoup de gens écrivaient de la musique avec passion et talent indéniable.

Dans notre édition, faite d'après le manuscrit original (nous remercions la direction de la *Biblioteca Querini Stampalia* du soutien de grande valeur et de l'autorisation spontanée de publication) nous avons réduit au minimum les interventions de notre part. Les modifications sont facilement reconnaissables: par les notes rapportées au dessus et devant les notes originales, par les ornements rajoutés, mis entre crochets et par les ligatures manquantes dans l'original qui peuvent être attribuer par analogie. Elles sont hachurées.

En ce qui concerne la réalisation de la basse continue par le clavecin, nous avons été obligés de l'exécuter dans un style plus mélodique et de contrepoint pour la rendre plus intéressante et l'adapter le plus possible à la pratique des anciens, une pratique qui est mieux connu aujourd'hui qu'à l'époque?

Suivent maintenant les corrections dans le manuscrit original:

Sonata prima in F-Dur

- Andante, Takt 8, B. c., 1. Note: korrigiert in analog zu Takt 4
- Largo, Takt 6, B. c., 4. Note: korrigiert in analog zu Takt 3
- Largo, Takt 13, B. c., 3. und 4. Note; Takt 19, B. c., 1. und 2. Note: korrigiert in analog Takt 10 und um den Baß den Stimmen der beiden Flöten anzupassen
- Allegro, Takt 15, B. c. korrigiert in
- Allegro, Takt 46, B. c., 2. Note: h korrigiert in
- Allegro, Takt 47, B. c., 4. Note und Takt 53, B. c., 4. Note: f korrigiert in e, um die Sequenz zu erhalten und die Harmonie zu verbessern

Sonata seconda in C-Dur

- Largo, Takt 20, Fl. II: Das Gis von 3/4 Dauer ist im Wert verkürzt um eine Viertelnote aus harmonischen Gründen und analog zu Takt 25, Fl. I.
- Largo, Takt 16, B. c., 3. Note: gis korrigiert in g analog zu Takt 21
- Largo, Takt 18, B. c., 1. Note: Die 9 unter dieser Note wurde korrigiert in eine 6.
- Allegro, Takt 24, B. c., 3. Note: e korrigiert in d
- Allegro, Takt 78, Fl. II, 1. Note: e korrigiert in f analog zu Takt 57

Sonata prima in F major

- Andante, bar 1, b. c. 1st note: B flat corrected into A, in analogy to bar 4
- Largo, bar 6, b. c., 4th note: B flat corrected into A, in analogy to bar 3
- Largo, bar 13, b. c., 3rd and 4th note as well as bar 19, b. c., 1st and 2nd note: corrected into in analogy to bar 10 and in order to parallel bass and flutes
- Allegro, bar 15, b. c.: corrected into
- Allegro, bar 46, b. c., 2nd note: B corrected into B flat
- Allegro, bar 47, b. c., 4th note and bar 53, b. c., 4th note: F corrected into E in order to keep the progression and to ameliorate the harmony

Sonata seconda in C major

- Largo, bar 20, fl. II: The G sharp has been shortened into a half note for reasons of harmony and in analogy to fl. I, bar 25.
- Largo, bar 16, b. c., 3rd note: G sharp corrected into G in analogy to bar 21
- Largo, bar 18, b.c., 1st note: The figure 9 under the note has been corrected into 6.
- Allegro, bar 24, b. c., 3rd note: E corrected into D
- Allegro, bar 78, fl. II, 1st note: E corrected into f in analogy to bar 57

Sonata prima en fa majeur

- Andante, mes. 8, b. c., 1^{ère} note: si corrigé en la analogue à la mes. 4
- Largo, mes. 6, b. c., 4^{ème} note: si corrigé en la analogue à la mes. 3
- Largo, mes. 13, b. c., 3^{ème} et 4^{ème} note; mes. 19, b. c., 1^{ère} et 2^{ème} note: corrigé en analogue à la mes. 10 et pour adapter la basse aux parties des 2 flûtes
- Allegro, mes. 15, b. c., corrigé en
- Allegro, mes. 46, b. c., 2^{ème} note: si corrigé en si
- Allegro, mes. 47, b. c., 4^{ème} note et mes. 53, b. c., 4^{ème} note: fa corrigé en mi pour maintenir la progression et pour améliorer l'harmonie

Sonata seconda en do majeur

- Largo, mes. 20, fl. II: le sol de la durée de 3/4 était raccourci dans la valeur d'une noire pour des exigences harmoniques et analogue à la mes. 25, fl. I.
- Largo, mes. 16, b. c., 3^{ème} note: sol corrigé en sol analogue à la mes. 21
- Largo, mes. 18, b. c., 1^{ère} note: le 9 mis sous cette note était corrigé dans un 6.
- Allegro, mes. 24, b. c., 3^{ème} note: mi corrigé en ré
- Allegro, mes. 78, fl. II, 1^{ère} note: mi corrigé en fa analogue à la mes. 57