

Caro Nome

Verdi

The musical score consists of two staves of music in common time. The top staff uses a soprano clef, and the bottom staff uses an alto clef. The key signature changes throughout the piece, indicated by Roman numerals above the staff. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first staff starts with a C major chord, followed by a G⁷ chord, and ends with a C major chord. The second staff starts with a C major chord, followed by an F⁶ chord, a G⁷ chord, and ends with a C major chord. The lyrics describe various emotions and thoughts, including love, desire, and longing.

Ca-ro no - me, che-il mio cor, fe - sti pri - mo pla - pi - tar, le de-
li - cie del - l'a - mor mi deisem - pre ram - men - tar! Col pen-
sier il mio de - sir a te semp - re vo - ler - à, e pur
l'ul - ti - mo sos - pir, ca - ro no - me, tuo sa - rà.

Caro nome, che-il mio cor,
festi primo plapitar,
le delicie dell'amor
mi deiempre rammentar!
Col pensier il mio desir
a te sempre volerà,
e pur l'ultimo sospir,
caro nome, tuo sarà.