

## Né men con l'ombra

Romilda's aria from the opera *Serse* (soprano)

Text by *Nicola Minato* and *Silvio Stampiglia* (1664-1725)

Set by *George F. Händel* (1685-1759)

### *Recitative*

**Aspide**    **sono.**    **A**    **detti**    **tuoi**    **d'amore,**  
[ˈa.spi.de    ˈso:.no    a    ˈdet.ti    tuo:i    da.'mo:.re]  
Viper    I-am.    With    words    yours    of-love,  
(*I am as low as a snake. With your words of love,*)

né vuo' macchiar d'infedeltà il mio core.

### *Aria*

**Né**    **men**    **con**    **l'ombra**    **d'infedeltà**  
[ne    mme:ŋ    kon    ˈlom.bre    din.fe.dɛl.'ta]  
Not    even    with    the-shadow    of-infidelity  
(*Not even with a whisper of infidelity*)

voglio tradire l'anima mia;  
e se'l mio bene suo mal si fa,  
incolpi amore, non gelosia.

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