

Finché lo strale

Aria of Oronte, King of Persia, from the opera *Floridante* (bass)
Text by *Paolo Antonio Rolli* after *Francesco Silvani's La costanza in trionfo*
Set by *Georg Friedrich Händel* (1685-1759)

Finché lo strale non giunge al segno,
[finj.'ke lo 'stra:.le non 'dʒun.dʒe al 'seŋ.no]
Until the arrow not reaches to-the mark,
(Until the arrow has reached its mark, (Until an action is taken,))

pensier regale, no, non si sa.

Chi non discopre l'idee d'un regno,
il corso all'opre non troverà, no.

Finché lo strale...

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