

## Armatae face et anguibus

Second aria of Vagaus<sup>1</sup> from *Juditha triumphans* (soprano)

Text by *Iacopo Casseti* (fl. 1716), after the *Book of Judith* from the Christian Old Testament of the Bible  
Set by *Antonio Vivaldi* (1678-1741), RV 644

<b>Armátæ</b>	<b>fáce</b>	<b>et</b>	<b>ánguibus,</b>
[ar.'ma:.tɛ	'fa:.	tʃɛt	'aŋ.gwi.bus]
Armed-with	torches	and	serpents,

<b>coéco</b>	<b>régno</b>	<b>squállido,</b>
['tʃɛ:.ko	'rɛŋ.ŋɔ	'skwal.li.dɔ]
from-dark	kingdom	wretched,
<i>(from your dark and dreadful kingdom,)</i>		

furóris sóciæ bárbari,  
fúriæ, veníte ad nos.

Mórte, flagélló, strágibus,  
vindíctam tánti fúneris,  
iráta nóstra péctora,  
dúces docéte nos.

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<sup>1</sup> Also known as the *Altra Aria del Vagante* in the Ricordi Edition.