

## THE THRILL OF THE CHASE | TEXT AND TRANSLATION

DON GIOVANNI

Là ci darem la mano,  
Là mi dirai di sì.  
Vedi, non è lontano;  
Partiam, ben mio, da qui.

There, you'll give me your hand.  
There, you'll tell me "yes."  
Look, my home isn't far—  
Come, let's go, my love.

ZERLINA

*To herself*  
Vorrei e non vorrei,  
Mi trema un poco il cor.  
Felice, è ver, sarei, It's true:  
Ma può burlarmi ancor.

I want to, and I don't want to  
My heart is racing.  
I could be happy.  
But he could still deceive me.

DON GIOVANNI

Vieni, mio bel diletto!

Come, my beautiful darling!

ZERLINA

*Still to herself*  
Mi fa pietà Masetto.

But I feel sorry for Masetto.

DON GIOVANNI

Io cangierò tua sorte.

I'll change your fate.

ZERLINA

*Now speaking to Giovanni*  
Presto ... non son più forte.

Quick now ... I can no longer resist!

DON GIOVANNI

Vieni! Vieni!

Come, come!

DON GIOVANNI & ZERLINA

Là ci darem la mano, ... /  
Vorrei e non vorrei ...  
Andiam! Let's go!

There, you'll give me your hand, ... /  
I want to, and I don't want to ...

TOGETHER

Andiam, andiam, mio bene.  
a ristorar le pene  
D'un innocente amor.

Let's go together, my beloved,  
To enjoy the pains and pleasures  
Of an innocent, love.

*Arm in arm, they walk together to Giovanni's house.*