Le berger fidèle [lə bɛʀ.ʒe fi.dɛl] (The Faithful Shepherd)

Text by an anonymous poet
Set by *Jean-Philippe Rameau* (1683-1764)

Recitative:

Prêt	**à**	**voir**	**immoler**	**l'objet**	**de**	**sa**	**tendresse,**
[pʀɛ.	ta	vwa.	ʀi.mɔ.le	lɔb.ʒɛ	də	sa	tɑ̃.dʀɛ.sə]
Ready	to	see	sacrificed	the-object	of	his	affection,

(Prepared to see the object of his affection sacrificed,)

Le	**fidèle**	**Myrtille**	**déplore**	**ses**	**malheurs,**
[lə	fi.dɛ.lə	miʀ.til	de.plɔ.ʀə	sɛ	ma.lœʀ]
the	faithful	Myrtle	laments	his	woes,