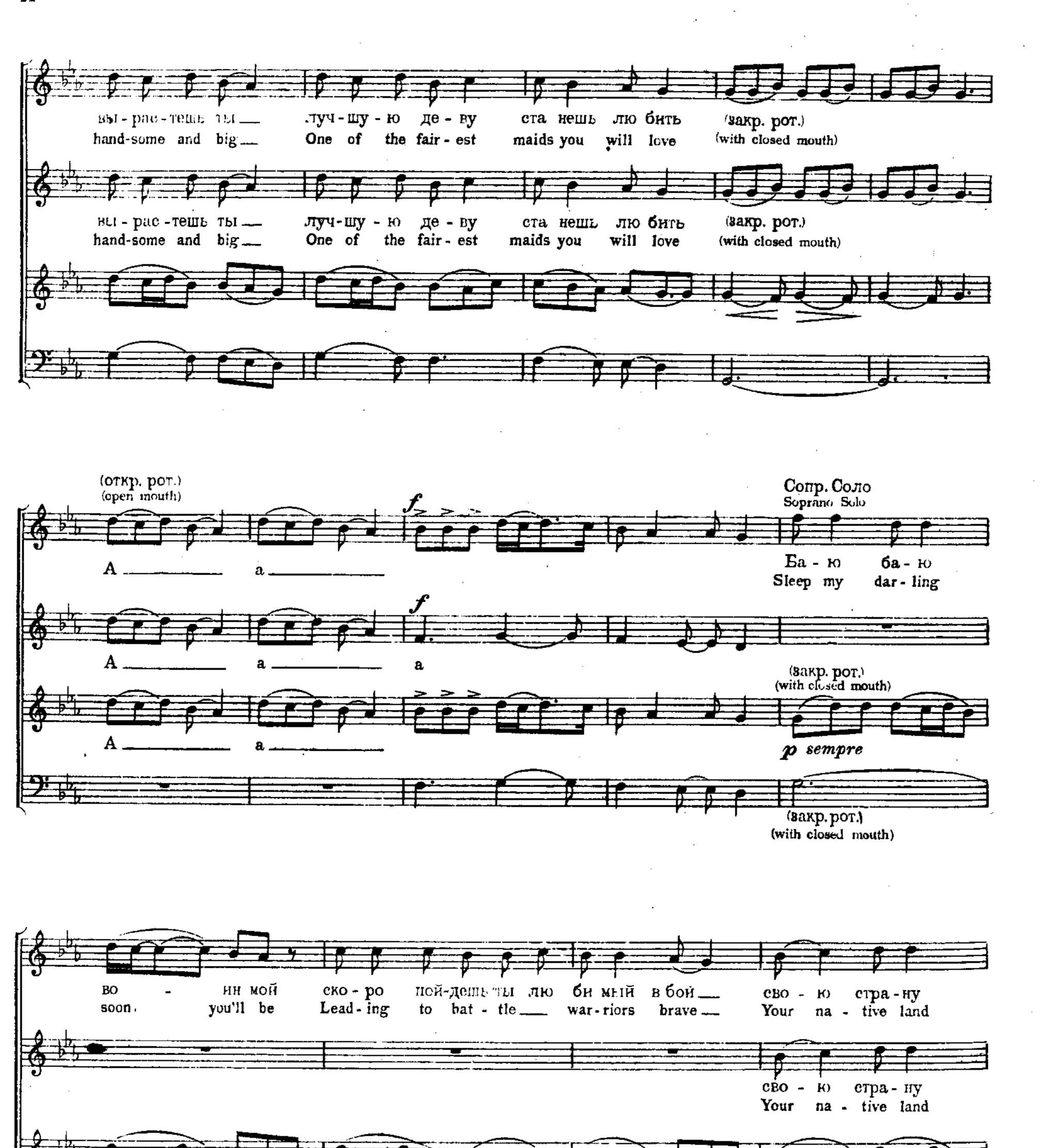
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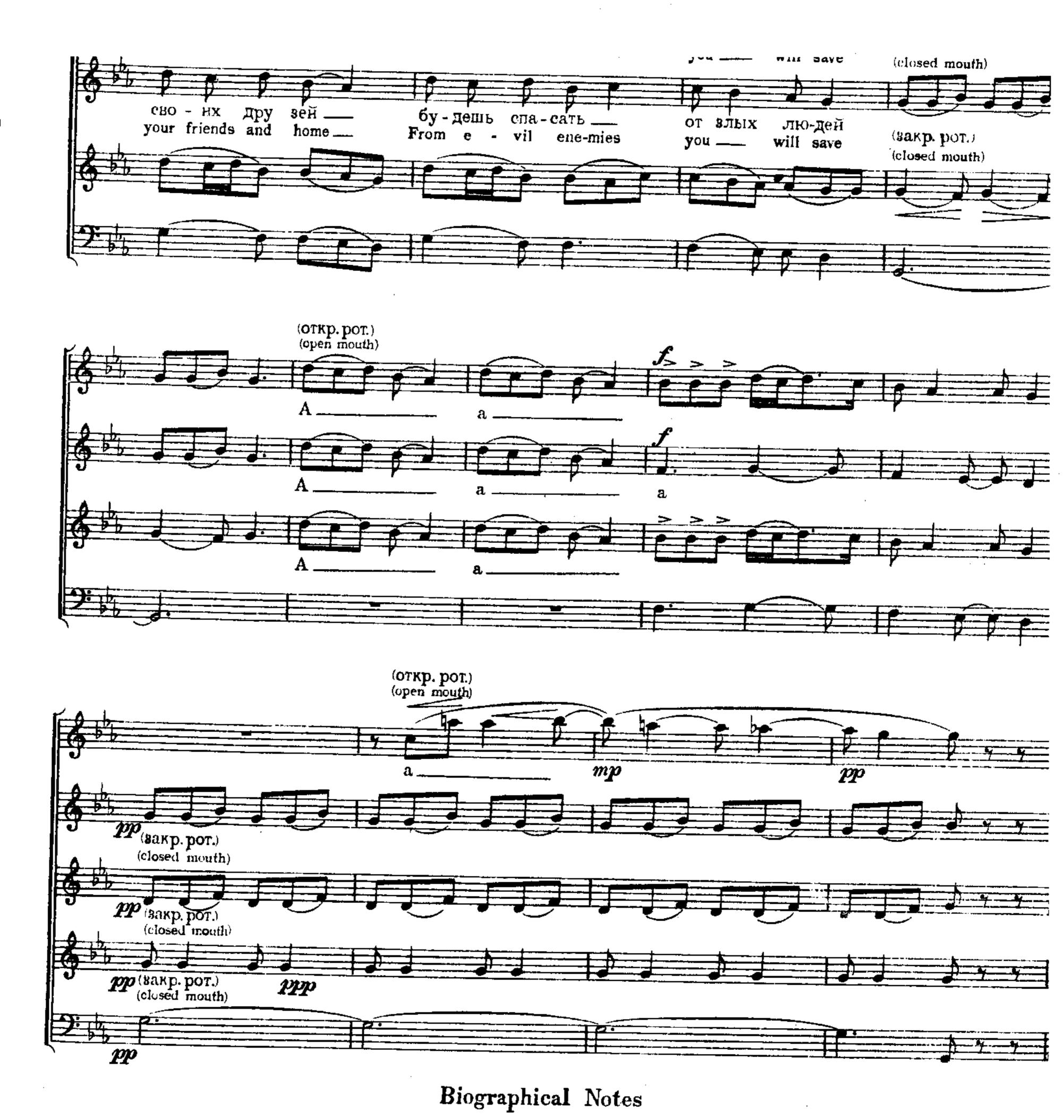
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Alexander Vassilievich Mossolov was born in 1900. Studied musical composition under Miaskovsky. His first independent work was written in 1924. Mossolov composed "The Factory" for symphonic orchestra, two piano concertos a string quartett, five piano sonatas, and a number of minor works for piano and solo voice.

At the early stages of his creative development Mossolov was strongly influenced by ultra modernist tendencies in mi sic, particularly by urbanism. In his later work he has paid much attention to the folk music of the different peoples inhabiting the Soviet Union.