

What is a youth

From the Paramount Picture "Romeo And Juliet"

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The first system of musical notation consists of a grand staff with a treble clef on the upper staff and a bass clef on the lower staff. The time signature is 3/4. The music begins with a whole rest in the treble staff, followed by a series of eighth and quarter notes. The bass staff features a steady accompaniment of chords, with some notes marked with a wavy line to indicate a tremolo effect.

The second system of musical notation continues the grand staff. The treble staff contains the vocal line with lyrics: "what is a youth? im-pet-uous fire what is a". The bass staff continues the piano accompaniment with chords and some melodic lines.

The third system of musical notation continues the grand staff. The treble staff contains the vocal line with lyrics: "maid? ice and de-sire, the world wags on, a rose will bloom, it then will". The bass staff continues the piano accompaniment.

The fourth system of musical notation continues the grand staff. The treble staff contains the vocal line with lyrics: "fade: so does a youth so does the fai-rest maid." Above the staff, the marking "rit.." is present. The bass staff continues the piano accompaniment, ending with a final chord.