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three sonnets for soprano and piano
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1. SCENE

horses
low field

tree
sky

house
fence

bare
tree

bare tree
gray

green
tree

blue
blue

sky
green

horse
field

low
green

tree
sky

fence
house

horse
blue

sky
green

2. FUCKING ALWAYS SUNDAY

morning
adorn

broken
been

yellow
no

wet
where

next
there

may or
may not

light
honey

shit
glory

graffiti
church

possum
confetti

holy
jasmine

spelunk
profane

sacred
sidewalk

weird
birch

3. SONG

I
know

God
not sky

or grass
red

leaf
gas or

liquid
star

solid
fire

air
deity

water
felicities

nothing
ain't nothing

blue
rose

true
more

is more
& more

for Sophie Wingland

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1. Scene

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♩ = ca. 60

Soprano

Piano

5

8

12

hor - ses hor -

ses

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ASCAP

15

s

low field tree sky

pno

p mp pp p

ppp mp ppp

pp

18

s

sky

pno

mf f p

pp ppp pp p mp ppp

mp p mf

21

s

sky

pno

p

mp p mp pp

mp p pp

24

s

house fence

pno

mp pp

ppp p ppp

p pp

26 *mf*

s bare bare bare

pno *p* *mp* *p*

29 *p* *mp* *p*

s tree bare tree bare tree

pno *pp* *mp* *p*

32 *mp* *p* *mp* *p*

s bare green green green

pno *mp* *pp* *mp* *pp*

suddenly faster, ♩ = ca. 76

36 *f* *ff* *p* *pp*

s green tree blue sky blue sky

pno *f* *ff* *p* *pp*

ppsub

molto rit. tempo 1, ♩ = ca. 60

41

s *p* *mp* *pp* *mf*

green house field low green house field

pno *mp* *p* *pp* *mf*

pp *p* *ppsub* *p*

46

s *p* *mp* *ppsub* *p* *mp*

low green tree sky fence house horse

pno *mp* *p* *pp* *p* *pp* *p* *mf*

p *pp*

tempo 2, ♩ = ca. 76

50

s *mf* *p* *pp* *ppp* *pppp*

sky sky green

pno *mp* *p* *pp* *ppp* *pppp*

tempo 1, ♩ = ca. 60

rit.

2. Fucking Always Sunday

$\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 40 / \text{♩} = \text{ca. } 80$

System 1: *f* *ff* *mf* *mp*
s: morn - ing a - dorn _____ bro - ken _____ been
pno: *sfz* *sfz* *mf* *mp*

System 2: *f* *ff* rit. *mp*
s: morn - ing a - dorn _____ bro - ken been bro - ken been _____
pno: *sfz* *sfz* *f* *p* *tr*

System 3: a tempo *p* *mp* *pp* *mf* *f*
s: yel - low yel - low el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low yel - low yel - low no
pno: *pp* *p* *pp* *mp* *pp* *mf* *sfz*

System 4: *mf* *f* *p*
s: yel - low yel - low no yel - low _____ yel - low
pno: *mp* *ff* *p* *pp*

12

s

f *p* *mp* *mf*

el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low yel - low yel - low no

pno

mf *p*_{sub} *f* *pp* *mf*_{sub} *mp* *p* *mp*

8va

20

s

f *ff* *fff* *p*

yel - low yel - low no no no(!) yel - low

pno

mf *f* *ff*

8va ca. 5"

23

s

mp *p* *mf* *p*

el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low o el - low el - low el - low yel - low

pno

pp *p* *pp*_{sub} *mp* *p* *mp*_{sub} *p* *mf*

8va

26

s

f *p* *mf* *f*

el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low el - low yel - low yel - low no

pno

p *f* *pp* *f*

mf *p* *sfz*

rit. *p* a tempo *mp* *mf*

29 s yel-low yel-low no no wet where next

pno *p* *mp* *mf*

pp *p* *mp* *pp*

32 s there may or may

pno *p* *f* *ppsub* *f* *mf* *pp*

36 s not

pno *mp* *pp* *p* *pp* *p* *pp* *ppp*

pp *ppp*

41 s

pno *ppsub* *mp* *p*

45

s *p* *f* *mf*

light light light hon - ey light hon -

pno *mp* *pp* *p* *sfz* *mp* *mf*

p *f*

l.v. l.v. l.v.

49

s *ppp*

ney

pno *p* *mp* *pppp* *ppp*

pppp

acc. $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 80$ molto rit.

53

s *sfz*

shit

pno *f* *ff*

56

s *fp* *mf* *fp* *mp* *mf*

glo - ry glo - ry glo - ry glo - ry

pno *ppp* *p* *f* *pp* *ppp* *sfz* *mp*

tempo 1, $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 80$

61 *fp* *f* *p* *ff*

s glo - ry glo - ry glo - ry glo - ry glo - ry graf - fi - ti chur -

pno *mf* *f* *p* *f* *p*

65 *p* *pp* *p* *pp* *p* *mp*

s ch pos - sum pos - sum p - p - p - pos - sum con -

pno *fsub* *p* *sfz* *psub* *pp* *p* *pp* *sfz* *p*

70 *f* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr*

s fet - - - ti con - fet -

pno *mp* *f* *p* *sfz*

74 *p* *p*

s ti pos - sum pos - sum con - fet - ti

pno *pp* *f* *pp* *sfz* *p*

78 *ff*

s ho - - - - - ly

pno *f* *ff* 3 3 3 5 10 10

79 *f* *mp*

s jas - - - - - mine spe-

pno 10 10 9 *p*

82 *p* *pp* *f* *p*

s lunk pro - fane sac-red side - walk weird

pno *pp* *pp* *p* *ppsub* *mf*

87 *mp* *p*

s bir - ch

pno *pp* *mpsub* *p* *pp* *ppp*

3. Song

♩ = ca. 54

pp *p* *pp* *p* *pp*

mf *p*

pp *p* *mf* *mp*

mf *mp* *p* *f* *tr* *tr* *ff*

f *p* *mf*

p, *pp* *p*

accel. *f*, *pp* *a tempo* *pp* *p*

mp *f* *mf* *pp*

know
I know I know God not sky
or grass red leaf gas or or li - quid star
so - lid fire fire fire air de - i - ty wa - ter
fe - li - ci - ties no - thing no - thing ain't no - thing
blue rose true more more is more and
more goes and go say don't sup - pose