

Matière: Le Palais de la mort
for mezzo-soprano/speaker and
six instrumentalists

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Dedicated to Christopher Fox

Composed April-June 2021

First Performance: 14 June 2021
Summer Sounds Festival, City, University of London
Georgia Mae Bishop (mezzo/speaker),
City Pierrot Ensemble, conducted
Joshua Ballance

Voices and Instruments

Mezzo-soprano/speaker

Flute

Percussion (Snare Drum, 4 Tom-Toms, Pedal Bass Drum, 4 Suspended Cymbals, 5 Temple Blocks, 2 Gueros, Vibraphone, Flexatone, Whip, Thunder Sheet, Xylophone, Whistle, Paper to crumble)

Electric Organ

Piano

Violin

Violoncello

First performance: Georgia Mae Bishop, mezzo-soprano/speaker; City Pierrot Ensemble: Nancy Ruffer, flute; Emma Arden, percussion; Ben Smith, electric organ; Ian Pace, piano; Madeleine Mitchell, violin; Joseph Spooner, violoncello; Joshua Ballance, conductor

Programme note

1. A very untidy state
2. Cannot go
3. Cold, selfish, animal and inferior
4. And pleasures banish pain
5. Le Palais de la mort

This piece began to form in my mind at the time of a visit to Haworth Parsonage in summer 2019, looking round the house and in particular the square piano in one of the front rooms, and collections of music owned by Emily and Anne Brontë in particular. After reading further about the musical dimensions to the Brontë family, I began to form fantasies in my mind of a certain bombastic playing on the part of Emily (the most talented pianist of the siblings), incorporating some of the (then) popular pieces which she and Anne had in her collection, and developed an interest in creating a work of music which would be unquestionably from the present day, but incorporated aspects of the music which would have been heard in the Brontë household.

The original idea was for a piano piece, which became *Pitter-Pottering* (2021), and consists essentially of the piano part to the first movement. This consists of a continuous thread of material, derived obliquely from the *Pastoral Rondo* by Daniel Steibelt (1765-1823), which was in the Brontë music collection, and which in other guises also underpins the third and fifth movements. This is combined with derivations from a range of marches, waltzes, quadrilles, operatic overtures, and sonatas. I also started to imagine that this piece might be part of a wider work for ensemble attempting to capture something of the wider world of the Brontë sisters, and Emily in particular. I was not interested in writing some sort of musical evocation of the moors, nor really in setting Emily's remarkable mature poems (as various others have done, but these do not seem to me literary works requiring of any musical elaboration). Rather, the world of the Brontë sisters was the starting point for a free creative fantasia informed by aspects of their biographies, musical interests, and wider aspects of their writings. A wish to emphasise the contemporary perspective suggested to me use of some sounds, for example percussion instruments such as the flexatone and vibraslap, or a whistle, to emphasise the sense of artifice, together with the use of a synthetic electric organ (never to be played on any type of real organ), to counteract any wider assumptions of aspirations to verisimilitude. Gradually, from reading more of the work, biographies, letters, diaries and occasional writings of the Brontës, and scholarship thereupon, the piece began to take shape in my mind, and was composed relatively quickly during an otherwise troubled period between late April and June 2021.

Music played a prominent place in the Brontë household. Branwell studied the flute and organ, while Emily and Anne studied the piano, while Anne also sang. Emily was probably the most talented pianist, while Charlotte was the least musically inclined, in part because of having to give up piano study because of acute short-sightedness. Another important musical presence in the Brontë milieu was the organ installed at Haworth in 1834. Branwell in particular was deeply excited by the installation of this new instrument, parodied by Charlotte in her juvenile writing 'My Angria and the Angrians')

Anne Brontë collected a song book in 1843, consisting of a range of hymns, folk-songs and a few classical numbers. Branwell Brontë, kept a flute book, from as early as 1831 (aged 14), consisting of similar music for flute and piano accompaniment. These have been published in rare but invaluable scholarly annotated editions by Akiko Higuchi – *Anne Brontë's Song Book/Branwell Brontë's Flute Book: An Annotated Edition* (Tokyo: Yushodo Press, 2002) – as a companion volume to the same author’s *The Brontës and Music: Music in the seven novels by the three Brontë sisters* (Tokyo: Yushodo Press, 2005), tracing the many allusions to music throughout the sisters’ works. These, together with John Hennessy’s *Emily Jane Brontë and her Music* (York: York Publishing Services, 2018), are my most important sources. Other studies include Robert K. Wallace’s attempt to map *Wuthering Heights* onto three Beethoven Sonatas (*Emily Brontë and Beethoven: Romantic Equilibrium in Fiction and Music* (Athens, GA and London: University of Georgia Press, 1986)), and Gregory Pepetone’s similar comparison of Charlotte Brontë’s *Villette* with Robert Schumann’s *Kreisleriana* (‘Kaleidoscopic imagination: a comparison of Robert Schumann and Charlotte Brontë’ (DMA Dissertation: University of Iowa, 1984)), but these are both highly speculative, and afford a central role for now-canonical works of Beethoven and Schumann which they had by no means yet securely achieved during the Brontë sisters’ lifetimes. There is no evidence that the family owned a single complete Beethoven sonata.

Anne and Branwell’s collections, together with a range of music collected by Anne and Emily as catalogued in Hennessy, served as source materials for this work, not so much to directly quote (except in the singing of ‘Ye banks and braes o’ bonny Doon’ and ‘As down in the sunless retreats’, both in Anne’s songbook, which appear in the final movement), as to plunder for musical attributes, though clearer allusions to the hymns in particular surface during some of the mezzo’s arias in the third and fourth movements, as well as in the organ part. The flute part is derived almost wholly from material in Branwell’s book (not least also his rendition of ‘Ye banks and braes o’bonny Doon’) but heavily modified – subject to quasi-serial techniques, cut up, with pitches and rhythms displaced, and developed in various other ways.

The first movement, ‘A very untidy state’ is a somewhat cacophonous portrait of the world of the Brontë household, with the *Pitter-Pottering* piano part as the fundamental thread, combined in places with the flute material, distant sounds of the organ vaguely heard, free elaboration or ‘commentary’ from the percussion, and occasionally sonic ‘background’ from the strings.

The second movement, ‘Cannot go’ is a free setting of part of a relatively juvenile 1837 poem (whose relative simplicity made it more apt to set to music), to represent the apprehensive young Emily, afraid of but fascinated by the external world, with its strange sounds and sensations.

Both Charlotte and Emily Brontë travelled to Brussels in February 1842, where they were taught languages by Constantin Heger, at the Pensionnat Heger. Charlotte remained in Belgium for two years, and the country featured in her novels *Villette* and *The Professor*, though she was extremely rude about the country and its people in a letter to her friend Ellen Nussey, probably from July 1842, part of which I quote in the introduction to movement 3 (met by an evocation of *charivari*, which Charlotte herself describes in *Jane Eyre* as ‘the “rough music” made with kettles, pans, tea-trays, etc., in public derision of an unpopular person’). Emily, who

had less of a cosmopolitan inclination than her sister, was notoriously ill-at-home in Belgium and unlike her sister made little attempt to integrate into this new milieu. Some have speculated that she might have heard performances by Berlioz and Liszt during her time in Brussels, but there is no evidence available to substantiate this. Both sisters returned to England after the death of their aunt Elizabeth Branwell in October 1842; Charlotte would return the following January and stay another year, but Emily never did so.

The third movement, ‘Cold, selfish, animal and inferior’, named after Charlotte’s atrocious characterisation of Belgians, attempts however to imagine Emily playing in a piano trio with representatives of the then new Belgian schools of violin and cello playing. Taking a basic rhythmic and gestural structure from Daniel Auber’s duet ‘Amour sacré de la patrie’, from *La Muette de Portici*, a performance of which preceded the beginnings of the Belgian Revolution on 25 August 1830 (the revolutionary crowds sang this duet following the performance), I combine this with material and stylistic allusions to the violin playing of Charles de Bériot and cellist François Servais, while the piano clumsily attempts to provide a half-hearted accompaniment to them in the right hand, whilst continuing with the basic Steibelt-derived material in the left, mostly in a different metre. The movement ends with a setting of the text from Mendelssohn’s *Infelice*, of which he made two versions, the first from 1834 featured a concertante part for de Bériot to play alongside the singing of his Spanish wife Maria Malibran, representing Emily’s yearnings to return home.

The fourth movement, ‘And pleasures banish pain’, is a counterpart to the second. I use the text of the Hymn ‘Prospect’, collected by Anne, but in a very different musical setting (with a nod in the direction of Charles Ives), to symbolise the more mature Emily, after her Brussels trip, rooted in the domestic environment but still drawn to the mysterious forces which she perceived in the immediate natural vicinity.

The gothic elements in Emily’s writing in particular are notorious, and can be dated back to her early juvenile writings, not least the poems about the fictional island of Gondal. These elements can be found in her siblings’ writings from the time as well, but it was Emily, much more than the others, who developed these into her mature work. Not to respond to these seemed to me to miss a vital dimension, so I deliberately chose some of the most manneristic musical representations – xylophone, temple blocks (or ‘skulls’) and thunder sheet, all of which are extremely prominent in the last movement, ‘Le Palais de la mort’. This movement, and the work as a whole, takes its title from one of the *devoirs*, essays which served as French writing exercises, which both Charlotte and Emily wrote under the tutelage of Monsieur Heger, and which have been published complete in an authoritative edition (Charlotte Brontë and Emily Brontë, *The Belgian Essays: A Critical Edition*, edited and translated Sue Lonoff (New Haven, CT and London: Yale University Press, 1996)).

The Haworth parsonage was a scene of death, a ‘Palais de la mort’ of its own, during 1848-49; Branwell died on 24 September 1848 (aged 31), Emily on 19 December 1848 (aged 30), then Anne on 28 May 1849 (aged 29), all probably from a variety of tuberculosis. Charlotte a further six years, and died on 31 March 1855 (aged 38) probably for different reasons related to complications with pregnancy. Their father, Irish Anglican priest Patrick Brontë, outlived all of them and died on 7 June 1861 (aged 84); his oldest daughter Maria and Elizabeth had both died in 1825 (aged 12

and 11 respectively); their mother, his wife, Maria Branwell, had died in 1821 (aged 38). In the final movement, the flute, piano and voice could be said to ‘represent’ the characters of Branwell, Emily and Anne respectively, all of whose material comes to an end, with two of them leaving the stage in the manner of Haydn’s ‘Farewell’ Symphony. But this is superseded by the world of Emily’s gothic fantasies, with two pieces of text from her ‘*Le Palais de la mort*’. The organ remains a persistent background presence (as in the whole work, except for the ‘Belgian’ third movement), representing the world of Patrick which continues after all the siblings are gone.

Matière: Le Palais de la mort is dedicated to long-term collaborator, friend and confidante, composer and writer Christopher Fox.

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Performance Instructions

The piece can be adapted to the dimensions of various different stages or other environments, but the basic principles should apply to the layout:

- The two string players should be positioned together, stage left, facing each other but not directly facing the audience.
- The percussionist should be in the centre of the stage, with however much room they require for their instruments.
- The flautist should be stage right, almost opposite the string players, but a little further back in the stage.
- The pianist should play an upright piano (if this piano is a little out-of-tune, though not very seriously so, it is better to keep it in this way rather than tune it), and should also be stage right, towards the side of the stage, but so that they do not block the view of the flautist.
- The organist should play any type of electric organ or keyboard which has an organ ‘setting’ – it is absolutely fine, even desirable, for this setting to sound a little synthetic. They should ideally be placed off-stage, not visible, but connected to an amplifier placed in the middle of the stage. If not possible, they should be at an place well to the side of other players.
- The singer/speaker should be at the front of the stage, but off-centre, towards stage left. For the final section of movement 5, after finishing singing, they should shift to a parallel position towards stage right, so away from the string players. They must not block the view of the percussionist. The singer/speaker should also have a chair, and sit down when they have no activity.
- A mirror image of the above can also be adapted.

The piece runs *attacca* in the order Introduction – Movement 1 – Movement 2 – Transition – Movement 3 – Movement 4 – Movement 5.

All ‘notated’ spoken text is an approximation, essentially little more than a guide to help coordinate with the other players. The speaker should not adopt here any artificially rhythmically defined manner of delivery, nor anything resembling *Sprechgesang*. The speaker should use a microphone, in order to project, in each of the spoken passages, and also for the sung material in movement 5.

In movements 1 and 5, the piano and the organ provide the basic ‘threads’ running through each. Otherwise, rhythmic synchronisation is indicated approximately – it is essentially important that other players start and end their segments at around the times indicated, but not a problem if this is not achieved exactly. Similarly, the microtones for the string parts in these movements are more indications of pitch distortions than very precise pitches, while many of the more intricate rhythms should be interpreted as means of avoiding unwanted metrical regularity or synchronisation, rather than needing to be extremely precise.

The piece can be performed with or without a conductor.

Text sources

Introduction: Emily Brontë, diary entry for 24 November 1834

Cannot go (Movement 2): Emily Brontë, poem ‘The Night is Darkening Round Me’ (1837)

Transition: Charlotte Brontë, letter to Ellen Nussey, probably July 1842

Cold, selfish, animal and inferior (Movement 3): Italian text by Pietro Metastasio for Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy, concert-aria *Infelice* (1834).

And pleasures banish pain (Movement 4): Isaac Watts, hymn, ‘There is a land of pure delight’ (1704)

Le Palais de la Mort (Movement 5): Reverend Patrick Brontë, letter to Ebenezer Rand, 26 February 1849; folksongs Ye banks and braes o’ bonny Doon’ and ‘As down in the sunless retreats’; French text from Emily Brontë, *Matière: Le Palais de la Mort, devoir* written in Brussels, 1842.

Translations

Infelice

Ah ritorna, età dell'oro, alla terra abbandonata, se non fosti immaginata nel sognar felicità. Fu il mondo allor felice che un tenero arboscello, un limpido ruscello le genti alimentò. Ah ritorna, bell'età.

Ah return, golden age, to your abandoned land, if you were more than the fancy of happy dreams. The world was merry then when a young sapling, a limpid stream, sustained the people. Ah, return, beautiful age.

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inspirés par moi l'ami fidèle deviendra un ennemi mortel, la femme trahira son mair, le domestique son maître; nul sentiment ne peut me resister; je traverserai la terre sous les bannières du ciel et les couronnes seront comes des pierres sous mes pieds. Quant aux autres candidats ils ne sont pas dignes d'attention; la Colère est irrationnable [barbarisme']; la vengeance est partielle; la Famine peut être vaincue par l'industries; la Peste est capricieuse. Votre premier minister doit être quelqu'un qui est toujours près des hommes, qui les entoure et les possède; décidez donc entre l'Ambition et moi, nous sommes les seuls sur lesquels votre choix peut ['or puisse'] hésiter.

inspired by me, the faithful friend will become a mortal enemy, the wife will betray her husband, the domestic his master. No sentiment can withstand me; I will traverse the earth between heaven’s banners and crowns will be as stones beneath my feet. As for the other candidates, they are unworthy of attention; Wraths is irreasonable [barbarism]; vengeance is partial; Famine can be conquered by industry; Plague is capricious. Your prime minister must be someone who is always close to men, who surrounds and possesses them. Decide then between Ambition and me; we are the only ones between whom your choice can [*might*] hesitate.

les voûtes, les chambres et les galeries résonnaient du bruit des pas qui allaient et venaient, comme si les ossements qui jonchaient leur pavé s'étaient subitement réanimés [breath] et la Mort, regardant du haut de son trône, sourit hideusement [organ chord held on this word] de voir quelles multitudes accouraient à lui servir.

the vaults, the chambers, and the galleries resounded with the noise of steps that came and went, as if the bones that lay strewn about the pavement had suddenly come back to life; and Death, looking down from the height of her throne, smiled hideously to see what multitudes hastened to serve her.

(From translations in Charlotte and Emily Brontë, *The Belgian Essays: A Critical Edition*, edited and translated by Sue Lonoff (New Haven, CT and London: Yale University Press, 1996). Passages in square brackets indicate corrections made by Constantin Heger to Emily Brontë's text.)

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For mezzo-soprano/speaker, flute, percussion,
electronic organ, piano, violin, cello

Introduction

Here and elsewhere in the piece, noteheads with an x for the speaker indicate that the text is to be spoken (not in the manner of *Sprechgesang*), not sung. The 'pitches' indicate just approximate inflection, and the rhythms are similarly approximate, to indicate a mostly prosaic delivery, but sometimes avoiding coincidence with the organ.

4

With microphone formal, as if self-chiding

somewhat dreamy

It is past twelve o'clock Anne and I have not ti-died our-selves, done our bed-work or done our les-sons

Sedate ♩ = 84

pp always calm

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff is in G major (one sharp) and the bottom staff is in C major (no sharps or flats). Both staves begin with a quarter note followed by a half note. The melody continues with eighth notes and quarter notes, primarily in the treble clef. The bass staff provides harmonic support with sustained notes and occasional eighth-note chords. The dynamic instruction *pp always calm* is placed below the first measure.

returning back to reality

8

as if somewhat excited

beginning formal, self-chiding again, becoming dreamy once more

11

5:4

lost in a new thought strident suddenly childish, approaching the rhythm of a nursery rhyme

14

5:4

3:2

suddenly formal again wide-eyed half-childish

17

5:4

3:2

3:2

20 *dreamy again* 3:2
pa - pa go - ing to walk

3 literal, as if reading a note 3:2
M - r. Sun-der-land ex - pec.

3

23 Replace microphone
— ted

attacca

attacca

1. A very untidy state

Allegretto $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 56$

The musical score consists of six staves, each with a unique rhythmic pattern. The Flute staff has three vertical dashes. The Percussion staff features a dynamic range from ***ff*** to ***mf*** with a performance instruction: *a presence, but not dominant*. The Electric Organ and Piano staves both have two measures of music. The Electric Organ's first measure is labeled *pp still calm*. The Piano's first measure is labeled *falla marcia* above the notes and *mp pastoral* below the notes. The Violin and Violoncello staves are entirely blank.

Flute

Percussion

Electric Organ

Piano

Violin

Violoncello

Allegretto $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 56$

4 Tom-Toms,
Pedal Bass Drum
7:5

2 Gueros, different pitches
3:2

ff — *sfz*

mf a presence, but not dominant

pp still calm

falla marcia

mp pastoral

Musical score page 5, featuring four systems of music for two staves (treble and bass). The score is in common time (indicated by a 'C') throughout.

System 1: Treble staff has a rest. Bass staff has a sixteenth-note pattern: $\text{B} \# \text{A} \text{G}$, $\text{F} \# \text{E} \text{D}$, $\text{B} \# \text{A} \text{G}$, $\text{F} \# \text{E} \text{D}$. Measure endings: $5:4\text{♪}$, $3:2\text{♪}$, $3:2\text{♪}$, $5:4\text{♪}$.

System 2: Treble staff has a rest. Bass staff has a sixteenth-note pattern: $\text{B} \# \text{A} \text{G}$, $\text{F} \# \text{E} \text{D}$, $\text{B} \# \text{A} \text{G}$, $\text{F} \# \text{E} \text{D}$. Measure endings: $3:2\text{♪}$, $3:2\text{♪}$, $5:4\text{♪}$.

System 3: Treble staff has a rest. Bass staff has a sixteenth-note pattern: $\text{B} \# \text{A} \text{G}$, $\text{F} \# \text{E} \text{D}$, $\text{B} \# \text{A} \text{G}$, $\text{F} \# \text{E} \text{D}$. Measure endings: $5:4\text{♪}$.

System 4: Treble staff has a rest. Bass staff has a sixteenth-note pattern: $\text{B} \# \text{A} \text{G}$, $\text{F} \# \text{E} \text{D}$, $\text{B} \# \text{A} \text{G}$, $\text{F} \# \text{E} \text{D}$. Measure endings: $5:4\text{♪}$.

poco sfz

6

12

—

6

12

3:2

niente

12

5:4

5:4

8vb

12

12

12

12

6

8

6

8

This page contains two staves of musical notation. The top staff uses a treble clef and has a time signature of 12/8. Its key signature is one sharp. The bottom staff uses a bass clef and also has a 12/8 time signature. Both staves feature six measures each. Measure 6 starts with a sixteenth-note pattern in the treble staff, followed by a measure of rests and another measure of rests. The bass staff follows with a sixteenth-note chord pattern, then rests. Measure 12 begins with a sixteenth-note pattern in the treble staff, followed by a measure of rests and another measure of rests. Various dynamics and performance instructions are included, such as 'niente' in the bass staff and '8vb' in the treble staff.

8

3 8

3 8

3 8

3 8

3 8

3 8

3 8

3 8

10

Vibraslap

4 Tom-Toms,
Pedal Bass Drum

ff

ff 7:5♪

3:2.

3:2.

3:2.

3:2.

3:2.

3:2.

11

12

H 12 8

sffz

niente ————— *pp*

Using a swell pedal or volume control, fade the sound in from nothing at the beginning of each section, and fade out at the end, even if this means missing some notes.

pointed, very rhythmic

12 8

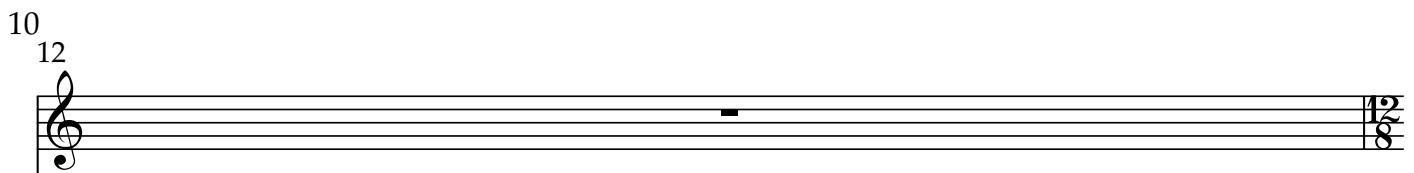
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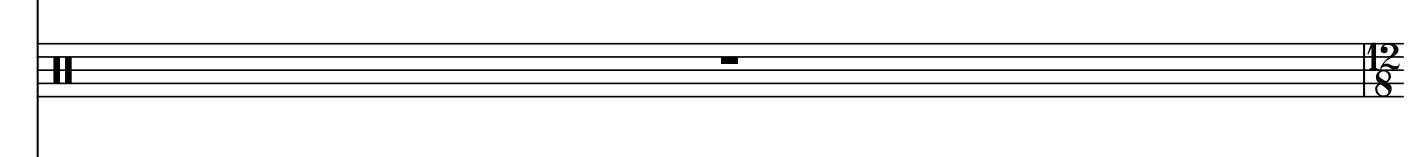
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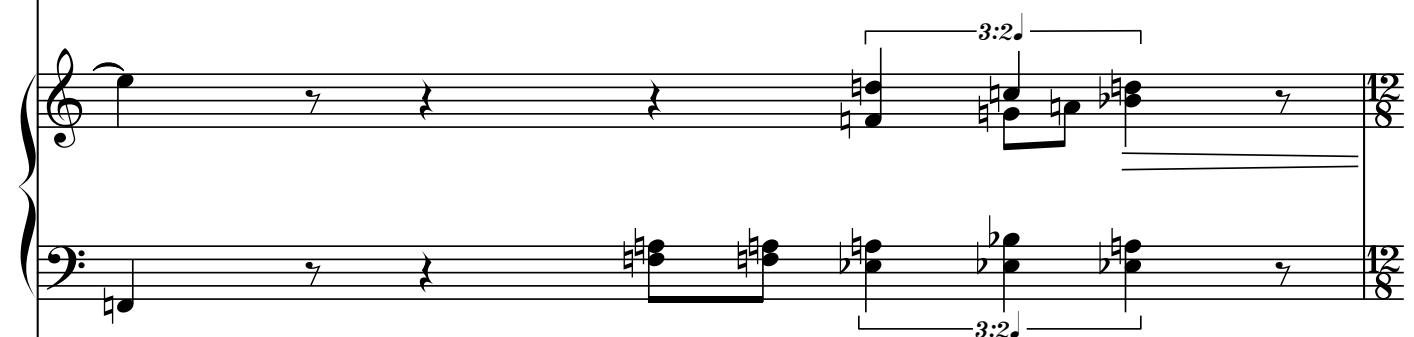
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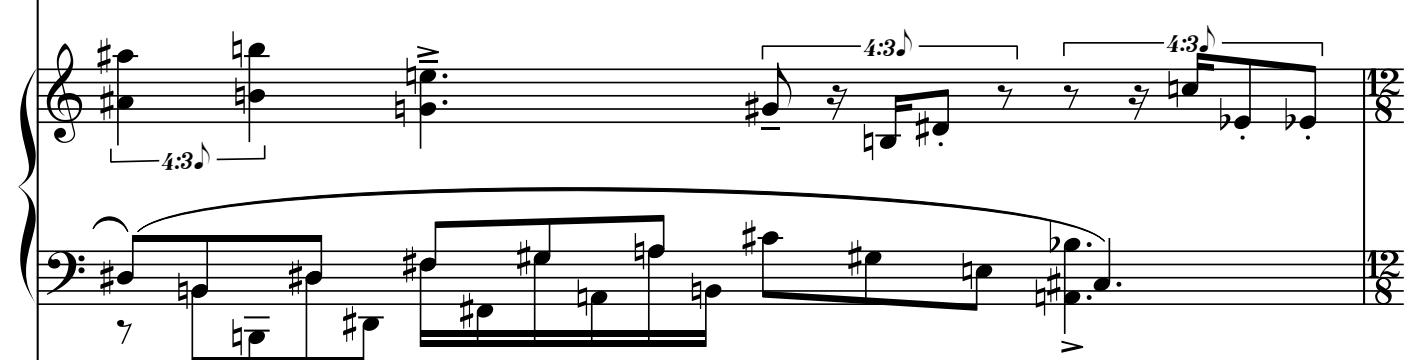
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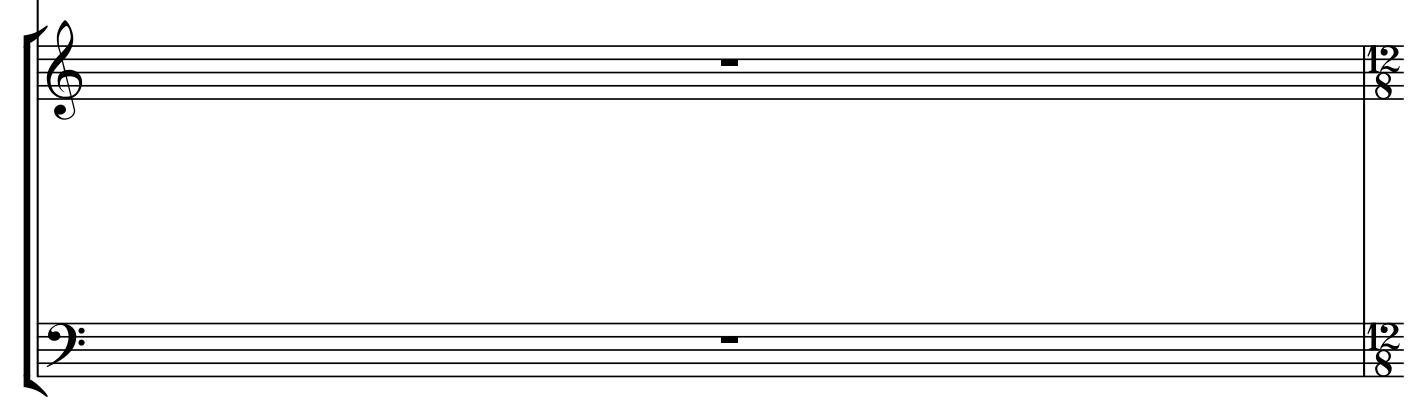
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13

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4 Suspended
Cymbals



ppp! a distant shimmer

niente

ff

tr

5:4

tr

5:4

ppp! a distant shimmer

3:2

5:4

ppp! a distant shimmer

5:4

12
14

f

f subito

$\text{4:3} \text{♪}$

$\text{4:3} \text{♪}$

$\text{4:3} \text{♪}$

$\text{4:3} \text{♪}$

$\text{5:4} \text{♪}$

15

8

15

15
8

15
g

18

15
8

1

niente ————— ^{6.58} ————— *ppp*

p

sfz subito

A musical score for piano, showing two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and the bottom staff uses a bass clef. Measures 1 and 2 are shown, with measure 2 continuing from measure 1. The music includes various note heads, rests, and dynamic markings like a crescendo dot.

10

sfz

15

8

15

14
16

15

II 15 8

3:2

niente

3:2

Free, cadenza

mp cresc. e. accel

5:4

5:6

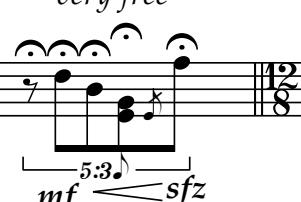
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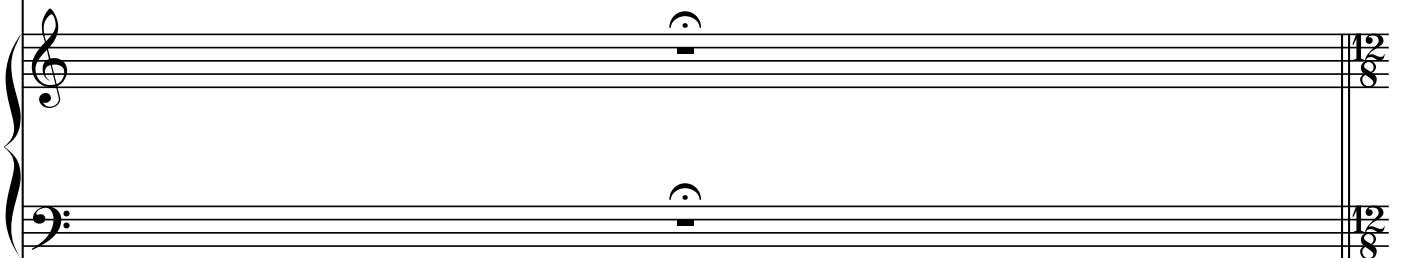
15 8

This musical score page contains measures 14 through 19 for a piano piece. The score is divided into two staves: a treble staff and a bass staff. Measure 14 starts with a fermata over four measures. Measures 15 and 16 are blank. Measure 17 begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a 15/8 time signature. It features a 3:2 hemiola pattern with sixteenth-note chords. The bass staff also shows a 3:2 hemiola pattern with eighth-note chords. A dynamic instruction 'niente' is placed between the two staves. Measure 18 continues the 15/8 time with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a 15/8 time signature. The bass staff shows a 3:2 hemiola pattern with eighth-note chords. Measure 19 begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a 7/8 time signature. The bass staff shows a 5:6 hemiola pattern with eighth-note chords. The score concludes with a fermata over four measures.

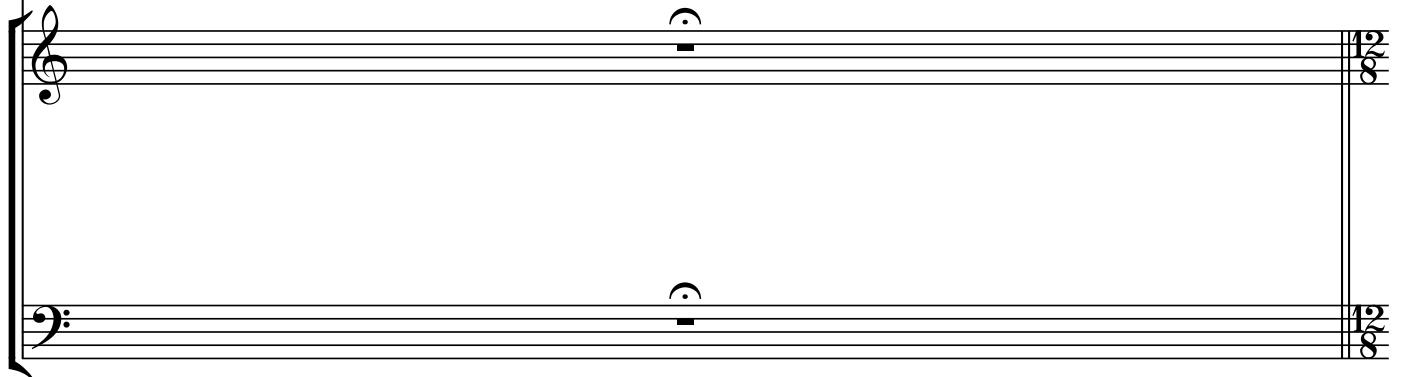
17

Five temple blocks,
felt mallets *very free*









16
18

f always bright and spiritful

High suspended cymbal,
2 higher tom-toms
Pedal bass drum

f in waltz time

19

4 Suspended Cymbals

ppp! a distant shimmer

5:4 5:4 5:4 5:4

5:4

ppp! a distant shimmer

3:2 5:4 5:4

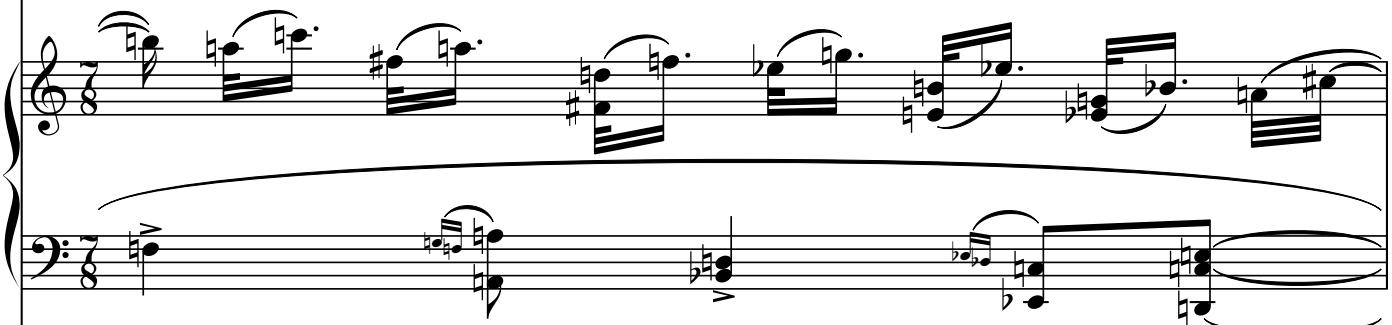
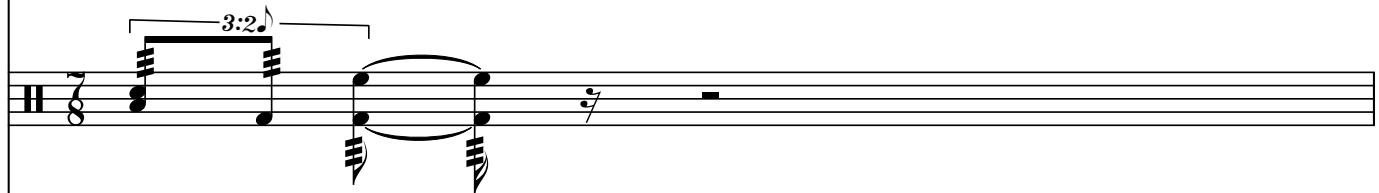
ppp! a distant shimmer

18

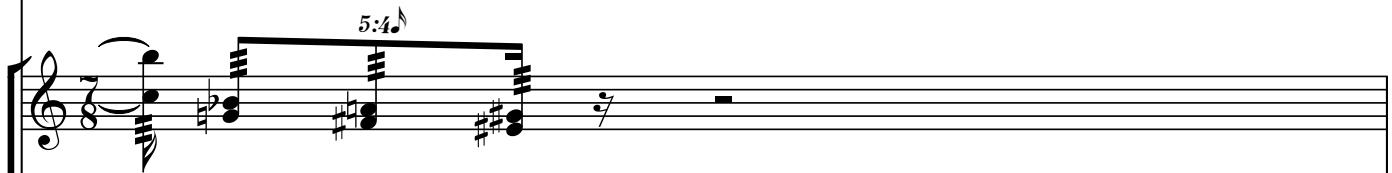
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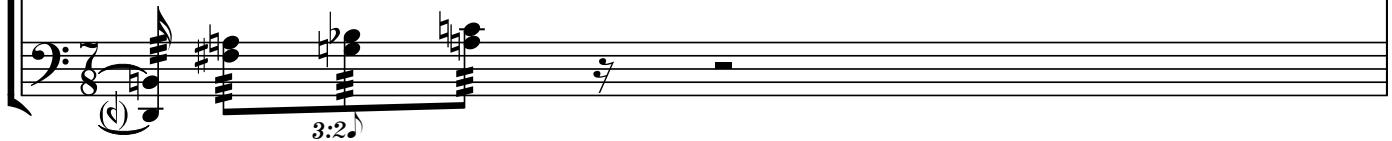
3:2



5:4



3:2



21

niente

3:2

7:6

20
22

9:7

5:4

pp

sfz

7:6

10:7

23

5:4 ♩

10:7 ♩

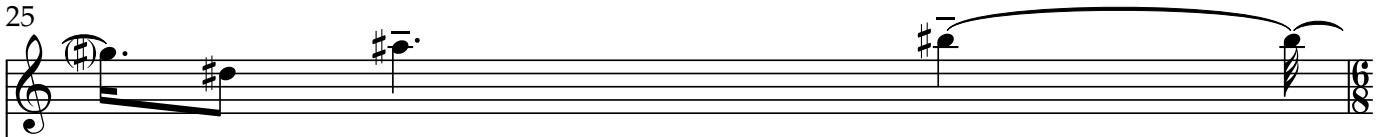
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f robust

melodic

dr~
(lower note only)

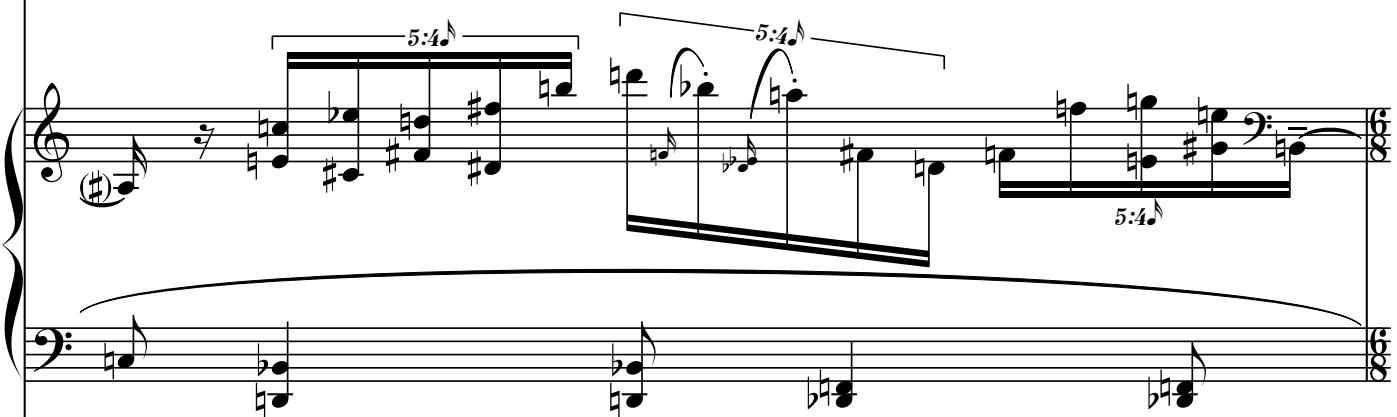
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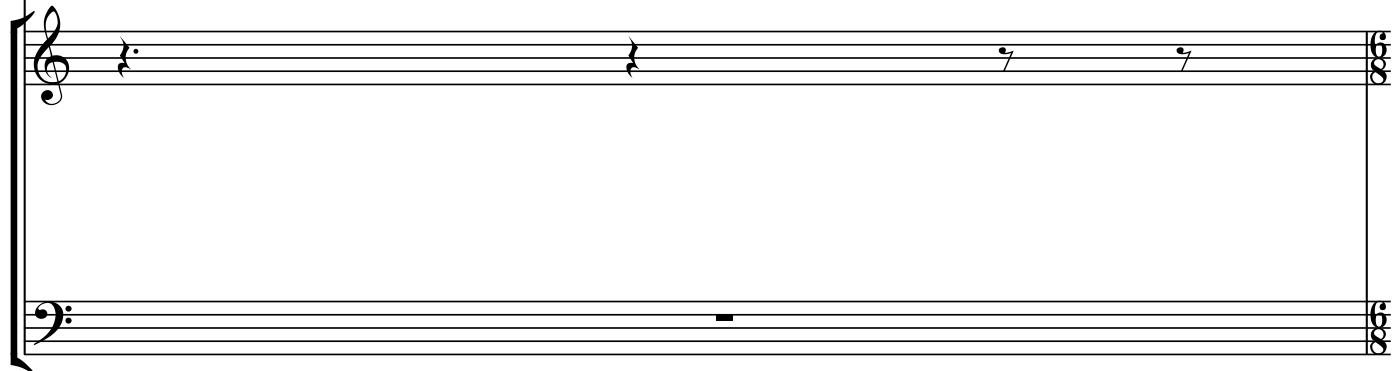


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molto bravura

5:4

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26

p misterioso

8:7

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3:2. 3:2. 3:2.

13 8

9 8 13 8

3:2. 3:2. 3:2.

8:7. f 8:7. sfz 8:7.

9 8 13 8

9 8 13 8

28

niente

ff reckless and wild, detached

4:3. 4:3. 4:3. 4:3. 4:3.

(sempre mp)

26
29

4 Suspended Cymbals

ppp! a distant shimmer

15
8

15
8

4:3 ♩ 4:3 ♩ 4:3 ♩ 4:3 ♩ 3:2 ♩

15
8

ppp! a distant shimmer

15
8

ppp! a distant shimmer

30

15
8

6:5

3:2

15
8

15
8

4:3

4:3

3:2

15
8

15
8

28
31

5:4
6:4

3:2

5:3

Flexatone

p mf mp

12/8

12/8

3:2

7:6

7:6

7:6

7:6

12/8

12/8

32

12/8

f

mf < ff

3:2

12/8

12/8

12/8

7:6

10:7

fz fz fz

7:6

12/8

12/8

30

33



f ————— fff

niente ————— *pp*

fz ff

4:3 ♫ 4:3 ♫ 4:3 ♫ 4:3 ♫ 5:4 ♫

8:6 ♫ 8:6 ♫ 8:6 ♫

34

8:2

3:2

3:2

5:3

3:2

p misterioso

4:3

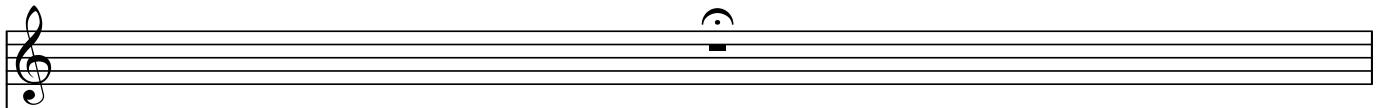
4:3

4:3

5:3

32

35



Vibraslap

4 Suspended
Cymbals*p**ppp! a distant shimmer*

Musical score page showing two staves. The top staff is in treble clef with a 3:2 time signature, featuring dynamic markings "niente" and a fermata. The bottom staff is in bass clef, also with a fermata.

(mp sempre)

rapido

Musical score page showing two staves. The top staff is in treble clef with a fermata and dynamic marking "(mp sempre)". The bottom staff is in bass clef with a fermata and dynamic marking "rapido".

ppp! a distant shimmer

4:3

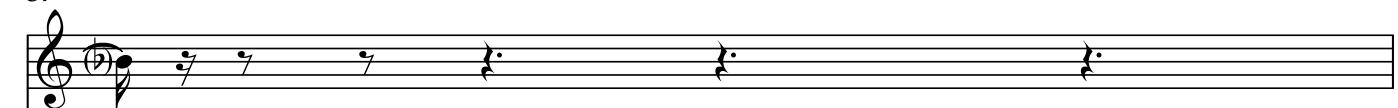
Musical score page showing two staves. The top staff is in treble clef with a dynamic marking "ppp! a distant shimmer" and a 4:3 time signature. The bottom staff is in bass clef with a 4:3 time signature.

36

f alla marcia, somewhat strident

34

37



Two staves are shown. The top staff begins with a treble clef and has a single eighth-note rest. The bottom staff begins with a bass clef and also has a single eighth-note rest.

A musical score featuring two staves. The top staff shows a melodic line with various note heads and stems, some with small vertical dashes. The bottom staff shows a harmonic or rhythmic pattern. A dynamic marking "ff" (fortissimo) is placed above the top staff. A tempo marking "6.5" with a small note head is placed above the bottom staff. There are several slurs and grace notes throughout the measures.

Two blank horizontal lines representing staves.

Musical score page 38-35 featuring two staves of music.

The top staff (Treble clef) consists of three measures. The first measure contains a single note. The second measure has a grace note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. The third measure has a grace note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 35 begins with a grace note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. The dynamic is *pp*. The bassoon part (Bass clef) consists of three measures. The first measure contains a single note. The second measure has a grace note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. The third measure has a grace note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 35 begins with a grace note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern.

niente

8:5

36

39

Musical score page 39, measures 36-39.

The score consists of two systems of music. The top system has a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bottom system has a bass clef and a key signature of three sharps (G major).

Measure 36: Both systems are silent.

Measure 37: Both systems are silent.

Measure 38:

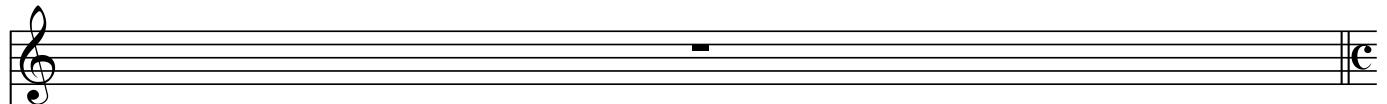
- Treble (Top System):** Starts with a sixteenth-note chord (F# major). The first two notes are highlighted with black bars. A bracket above the third note indicates a sixteenth-note value. The measure ends with a sixteenth-note chord (B major) and a fermata.
- Bass (Bottom System):** Starts with a sixteenth-note chord (D major). The first two notes are highlighted with black bars. A bracket above the third note indicates a sixteenth-note value. The measure ends with a sixteenth-note chord (G major) and a fermata.

niente

Measure 39:

- Treble (Top System):** Four eighth-note rests.
- Bass (Bottom System):** Starts with a sixteenth-note chord (D major). The first two notes are highlighted with black bars. A bracket above the third note indicates a sixteenth-note value. The measure ends with a sixteenth-note chord (G major) and a dynamic marking $\text{p} \cdot$.

40



High suspended cymbal, snare drum
four tom-toms, pedal bass drum

f

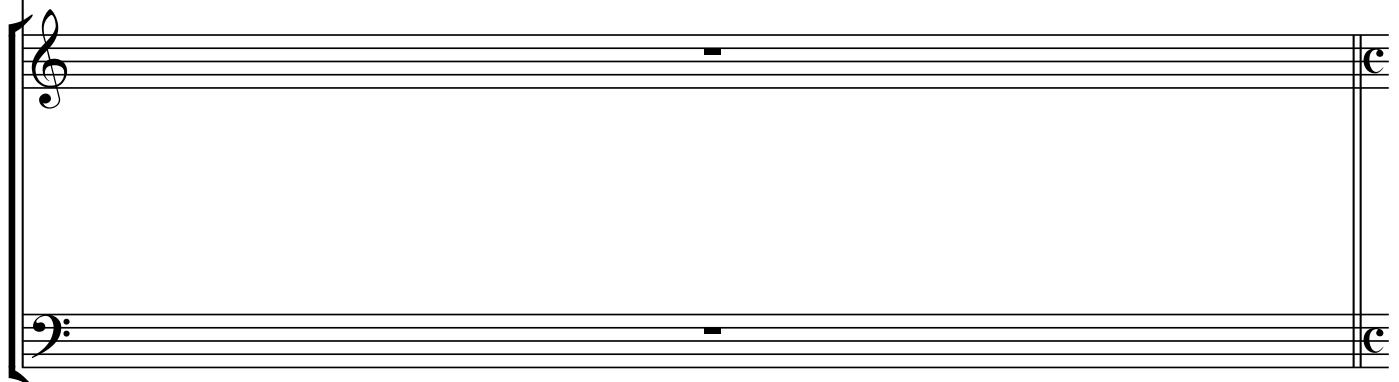
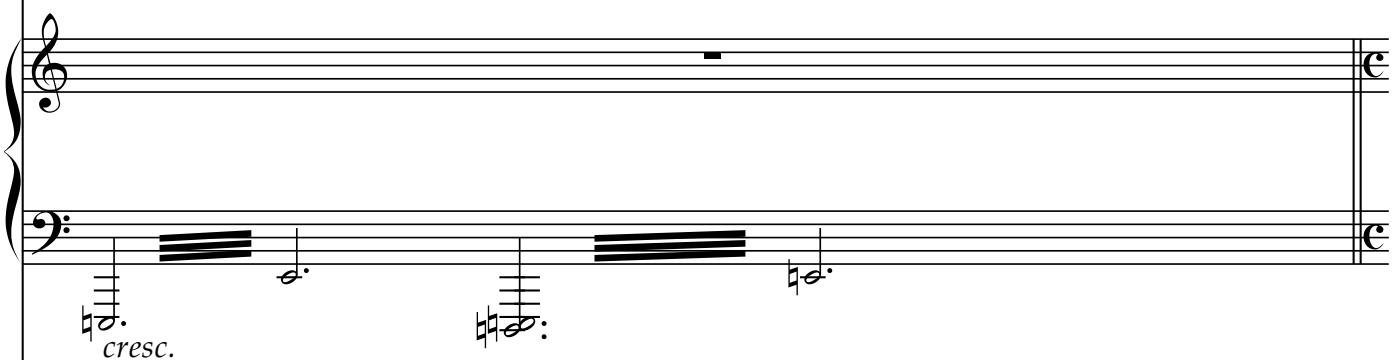
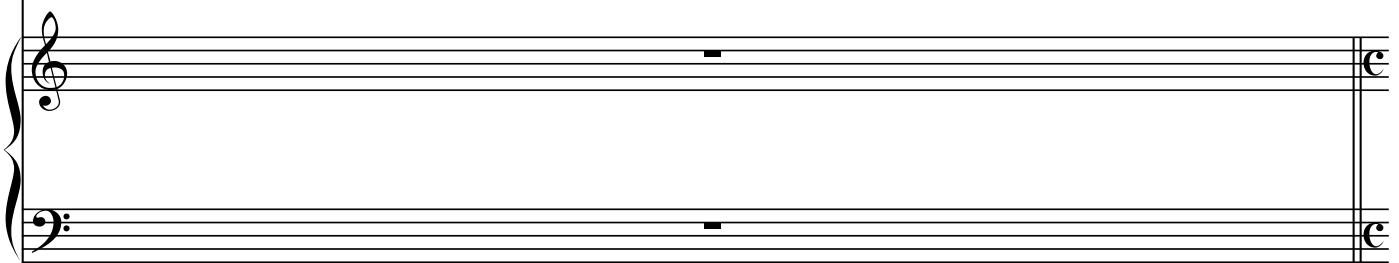
6:4

5:4

6:4

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Allegro moderato ♩ = 112

38

41

Musical score for the first movement of Beethoven's 5th Symphony. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is for the strings (Violin I) and the bottom staff is for the bassoon. The key signature is one sharp (F# major). The time signature changes from common time to 7/8. The strings play sustained notes with dynamic markings: 'let ring' (slurs), 'sfz' (staccato), and 'sfz' (staccato). The bassoon plays eighth-note patterns with dynamic markings: 'fffz' (fortissimo), 'sfz' (staccato), and 'sfz' (staccato).

Musical score for orchestra, page 10, measures 11-12. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, C major, and dynamic *f*. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern. The bottom staff is in bass clef, C major, and dynamic *p*, with the instruction *misterioso*. It includes a measure with a 3:2 hemiola and a measure with a bracket labeled "7". Measure 12 concludes with a repeat sign.

Allegro moderato ♩ = 112

A musical score consisting of two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and the bottom staff uses a bass clef. Both staves have five horizontal lines. Vertical bar lines divide the score into measures. The first measure ends with a 'c' (caesura). The second measure ends with a '7'. The third measure ends with a '8'. The fourth measure ends with a 'c'.

44

f very metronomic, without nuance

Vibraslap

sfz

ff

niente

c

mp

mp pastoral

c

c

40

46

3:2

3:2

$\leq p$

3:2

3:2

f

3:2

3:2

5:4

5:4

4:3

4:3

8

8

19

16

19

16

19

16

48

Guitar 1:

Guitar 2:

5 Temple Blocks,
hard mallets

f-ff menacing

Guitar 1:

Guitar 2:

Guitar 1:

Guitar 2:

Guitar 1:

Guitar 2:

42

49

A musical score for piano, showing two measures of music. The key signature is one sharp (F#). Measure 1 starts with a half note on A, followed by a quarter note on B, a half note on C, and a quarter note on D. Measure 2 starts with a half note on E, followed by a quarter note on F, a half note on G, and a quarter note on A.

The musical score consists of two staves. The top staff shows a continuous eighth-note pattern on the B string, indicated by six 'v' symbols above the string. The bottom staff starts with a half note on the A string followed by a dotted half note on the G string. This is followed by a series of eighth notes on the A string (dotted half note, quarter note, dotted quarter note) and the G string (dotted quarter note). A vertical bar line separates this from the next section. The section following the bar line begins with a half note on the D string, followed by a dotted half note on the C string. This is followed by a series of eighth notes on the D string (dotted half note, quarter note, dotted quarter note) and the C string (dotted quarter note).

f sempre

mp pastoral

51

43

5:4

5:3

5:4

3:2

3:2

3:2

5:4

4:3

3:2

3:2

3:2

44

52

4 Suspended Cymbals

(soft mallets)

p slightly more than sstrings

4:3:—

6:4

ppp! a distant shimmer

5:4:—

5:4:—

niente

6:4

7:4:—

7:4:—

7:4:—

7:4:—

8:5:—

p misterioso

ppp! a distant shimmer

ppp! a distant shimmer

3:2:—

6:4

53

spirited again

3:2 | 3:2 | C

46

54

p

fff

f again

mp pastoral

ff rinforzando

3:2

ppp! a distant shimmer

3:2

3:2

3:2

ppp! a distant shimmer

This page contains five staves of musical notation. The first two staves are in common time (indicated by 'C') and feature eighth-note patterns. The first staff uses a treble clef, and the second staff uses a bass clef. Measure 54 concludes with a dynamic marking 'p'. Measures 55 and 56 begin with dynamic markings '*fff*' and '*f again*'. The third staff is blank. The fourth staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of four sharps, followed by a dynamic '*mp pastoral*'. Measure 56 ends with a dynamic '*ff rinforzando*'. The fifth staff begins with a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. Measure 57 starts with a dynamic '*ppp!* a distant shimmer' over a 3:2 rhythm pattern. This pattern repeats in measures 58 and 59, with the dynamic '*ppp! a distant shimmer*' appearing again in measure 59.

55

3:2

mp

p

ff

mp pastoral

5:4

5:4

5:4

rinforzando

48

56

ff

ppp!

mp pastoral

ff

57

6:4

6:5

6:4

6:4

3:2

niente

increasingly reckless

5:4

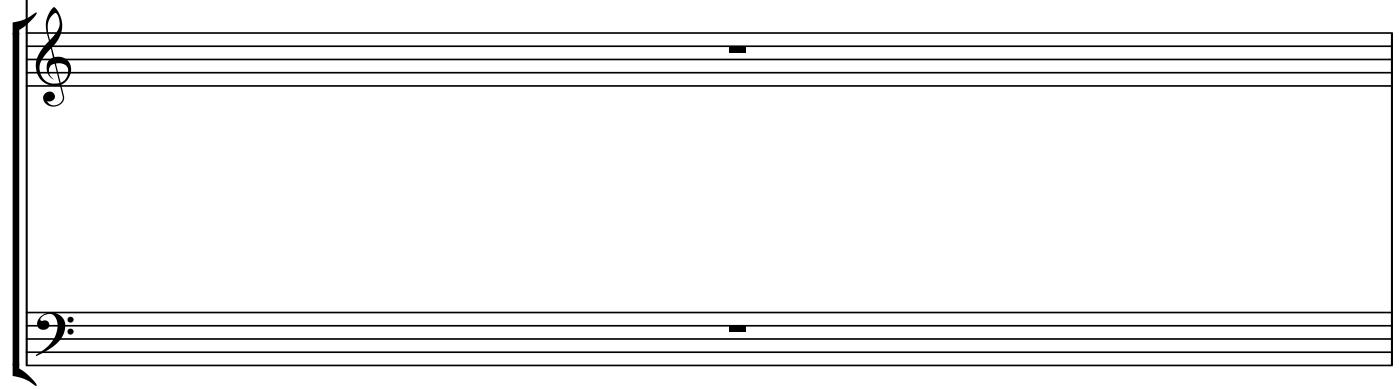
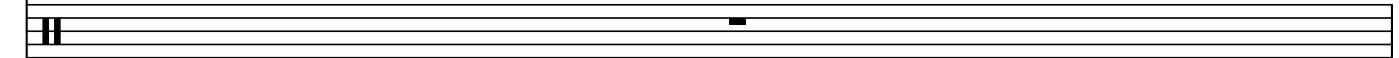
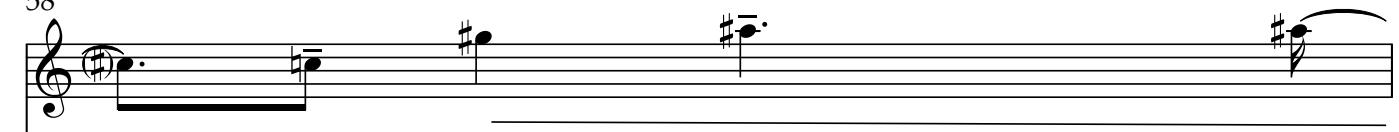
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5:4

rinforzando

50

58



59

Treble clef, 1 sharp, 3/2 time.

Bass clef, 1 sharp.

Treble clef, 1 sharp, 3/2 time.

accel.

Treble clef, 1 sharp, 5:4 time.

Bass clef, 1 sharp, 5:4 time.

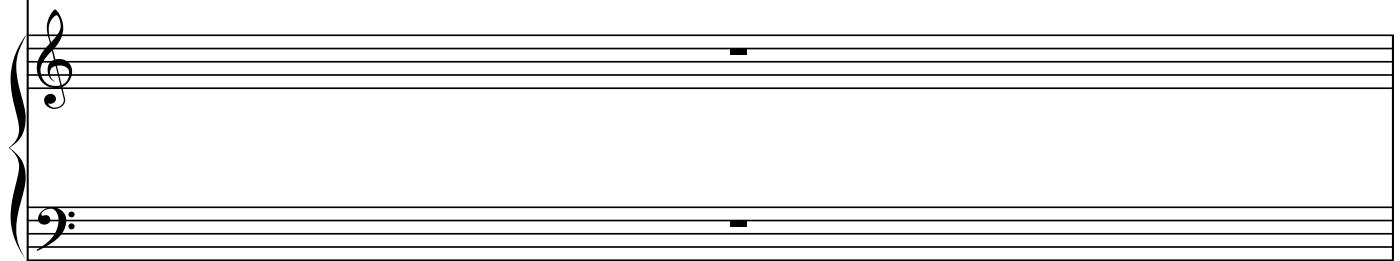
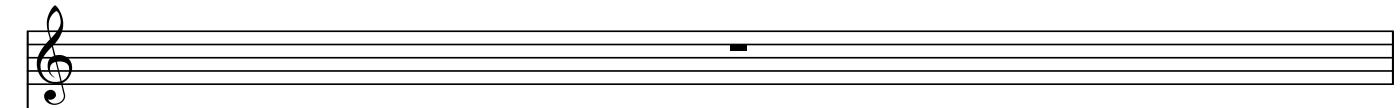
accel.

Treble clef.

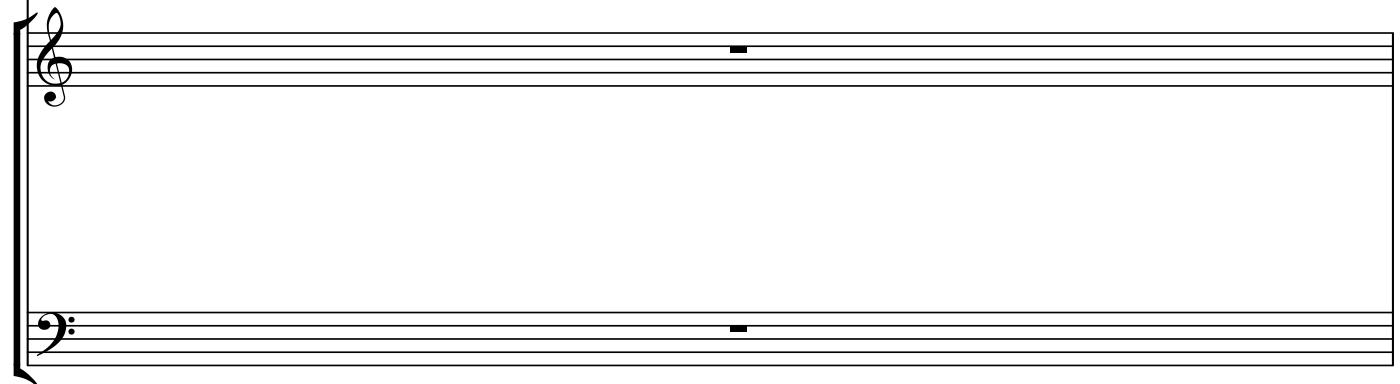
Bass clef, 5:4 time.

52

60



A musical score page featuring two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and has a key signature of one sharp. The bottom staff uses a bass clef and has a key signature of one sharp. The music consists of several measures separated by vertical bar lines. Above each measure, a bracket indicates its duration. The first measure is 5:4. The second measure is 5:4. The third measure is 5:4. The fourth measure is 4:3. The fifth measure is 6:4. The sixth measure is 7:4. The notes are primarily eighth and sixteenth notes, with some quarter notes and half notes. The bass staff features prominent bass notes and some eighth-note patterns.



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61

High suspended cymbal,
Four tom-toms

sempre accel possible

sempre accel possible

54 Allegretto $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 56$

62

4 Suspended
Cymbals

$\approx\text{sffz}$

$\text{fff! a distant shimmer}$

$\text{f alla marcia, somewhat detached}$

mp pastoral

Allegretto $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 56$

$\text{fff! a distant shimmer}$

$\text{fff! a distant shimmer}$

63

mp somewhat forlorn

6:4

3:2

ppp! a distant shimmer

legatissimo

3:2

5:4

5:4

5:4

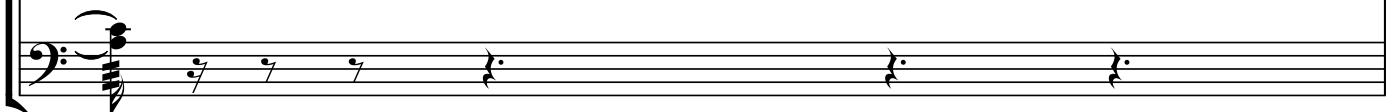
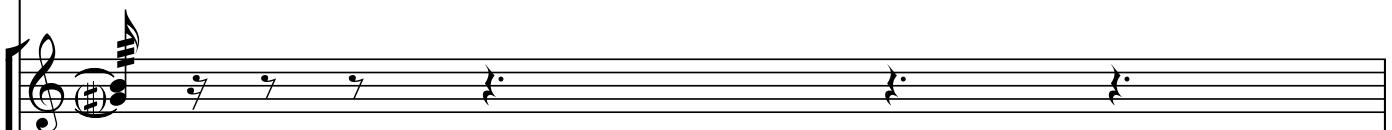
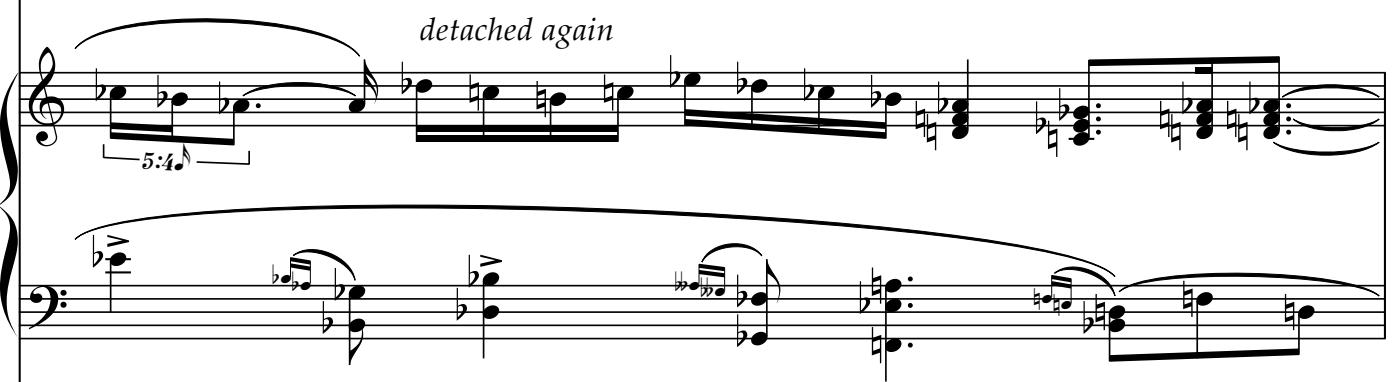
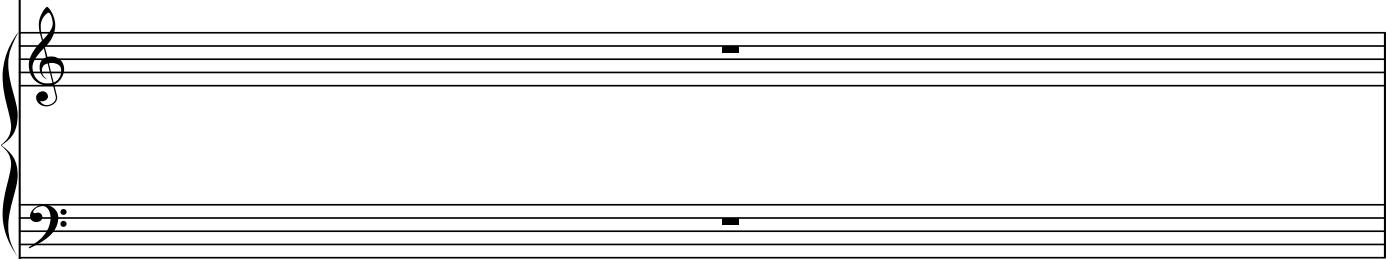
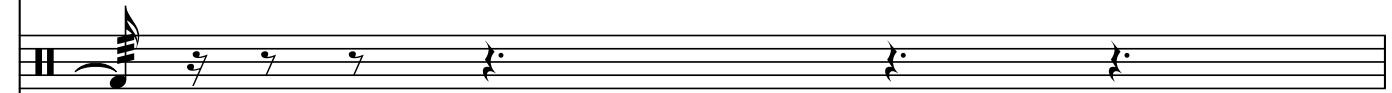
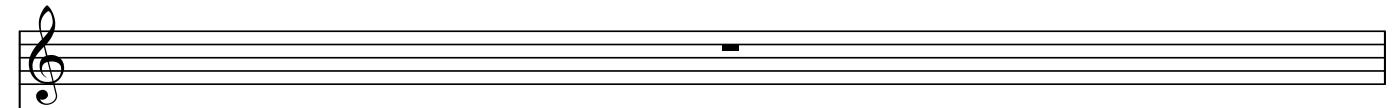
3:2

ppp! a distant shimmer

ppp! a distant shimmer

56

64



65

f

p

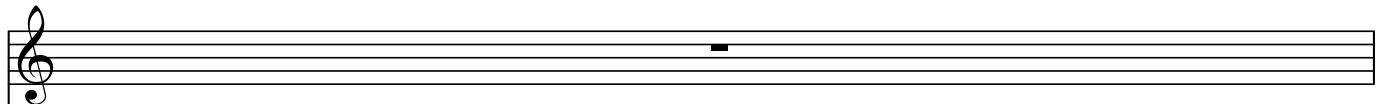
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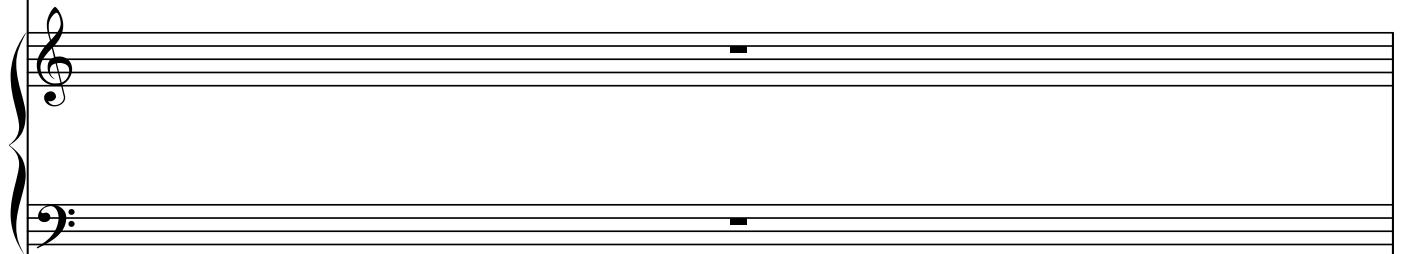
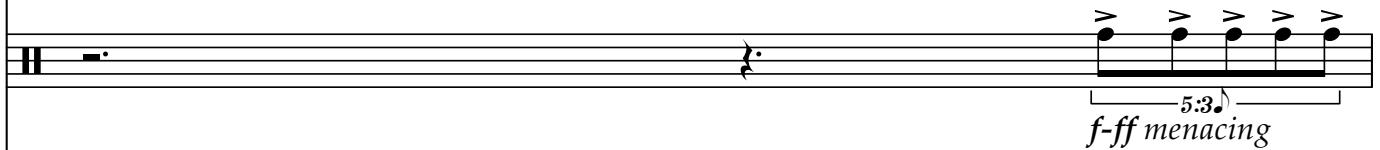
f

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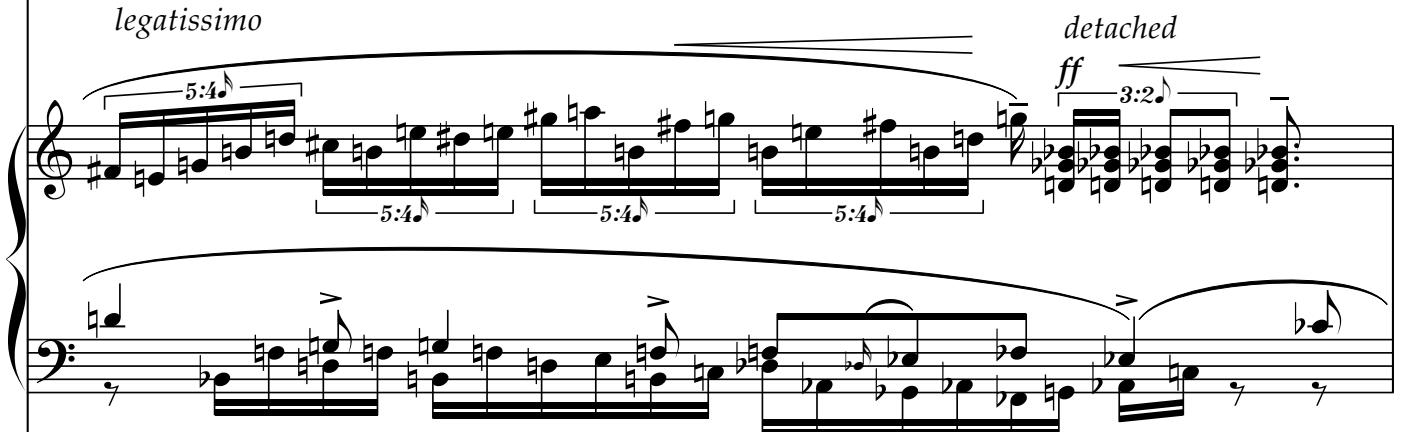
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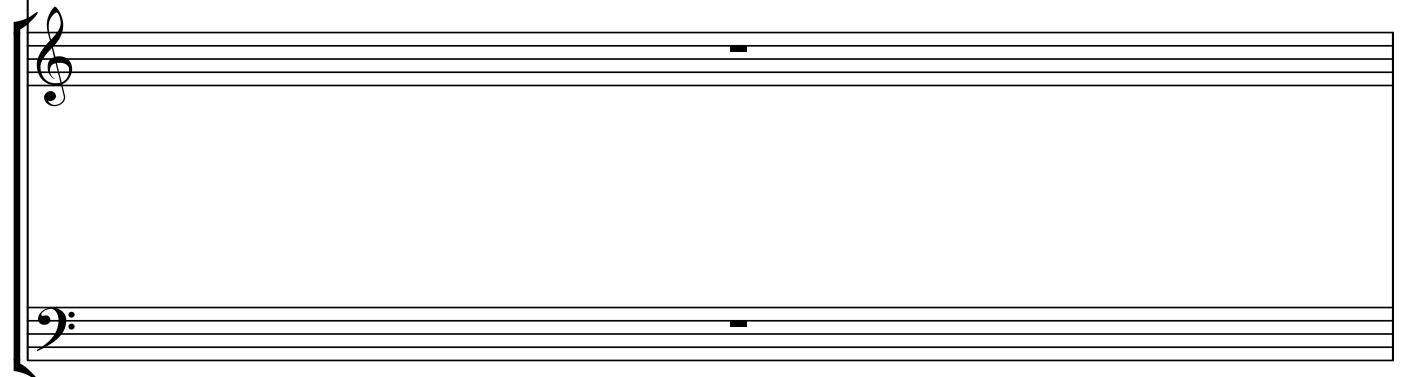
5 Temple Blocks,
hard mallets



legatissimo



detached



67

Musical score page 67, measures 1-2. The score consists of two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and has a key signature of one sharp. Measure 1 starts with a sixteenth-note rest followed by a sixteenth-note rest. Measure 2 begins with a sixteenth-note rest, followed by a sixteenth-note rest, then a sixteenth-note rest, and finally a sixteenth-note rest. Measure 2 concludes with a fermata over the last note.

Musical score page 67, measures 3-4. The score consists of two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and has a key signature of one sharp. Measure 3 starts with a sixteenth-note rest followed by a sixteenth-note rest. Measure 4 begins with a sixteenth-note rest, followed by a sixteenth-note rest, then a sixteenth-note rest, and finally a sixteenth-note rest. Measure 4 concludes with a fermata over the last note.

Musical score page 67, measures 5-6. The score consists of two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and has a key signature of one sharp. Measure 5 starts with a dynamic *ff*, followed by a sixteenth-note rest, then a sixteenth-note rest, and finally a sixteenth-note rest. Measure 6 begins with a sixteenth-note rest, followed by a sixteenth-note rest, then a sixteenth-note rest, and finally a sixteenth-note rest. Measure 6 concludes with a fermata over the last note.

Musical score page 67, measures 7-8. The score consists of two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and has a key signature of one sharp. Measure 7 starts with a sixteenth-note rest followed by a sixteenth-note rest. Measure 8 begins with a sixteenth-note rest, followed by a sixteenth-note rest, then a sixteenth-note rest, and finally a sixteenth-note rest. Measure 8 concludes with a fermata over the last note.

60
68

4 Suspended Cymbals

ppp! a distant shimmer

legatissimo

5:4 ♩ 5:4 ♩ 5:4 ♩ 5:4 ♩ 5:4 ♩ 5:4 ♩

4:3 ♩

5:4 ♩

3:2 ♩ 3:2 ♩

ppp! a distant shimmer

3:2 ♩ 3:2 ♩

ppp! a distant shimmer

69

detached

6:4 6:4 6:4

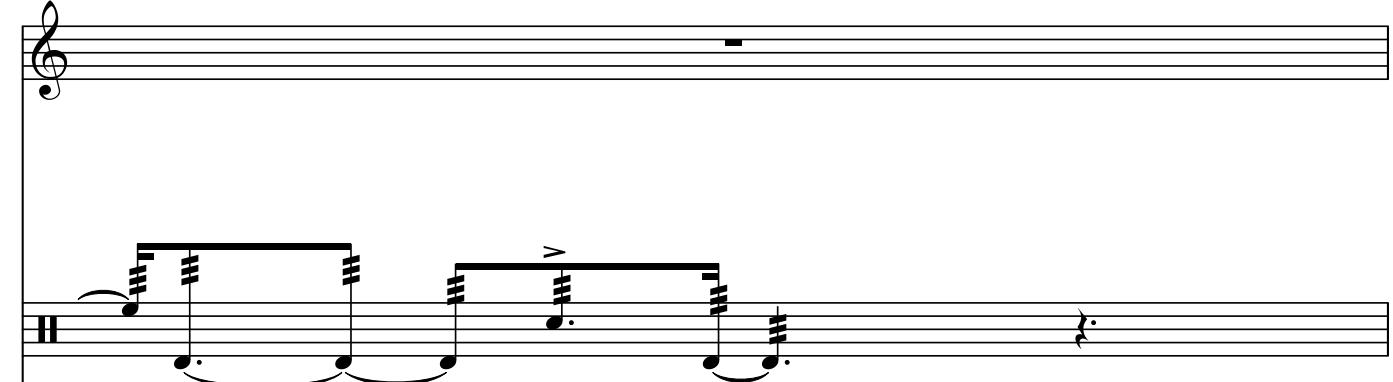
3:2 3:2 3:2

4:3

3:2

62

70



Musical score page 62, measures 3-4. The top staff shows a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. The bass staff shows a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. Measure 3 features eighth-note pairs in the treble and bass staves. Measure 4 continues with eighth-note pairs, with a fermata over the last note of the measure.

(*f somewhat detached*)

Musical score page 62, measures 5-6. The top staff shows a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. The bass staff shows a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. Measure 5 begins with eighth-note pairs in the treble staff, followed by a sixteenth-note run in the bass staff. Measure 6 starts with a fermata over a single eighth note in the treble staff, followed by a sixteenth-note run in the bass staff.

Musical score page 62, measures 7-8. The top staff shows a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. The bass staff shows a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. Measure 7 starts with a sixteenth-note run in the treble staff, followed by eighth-note pairs. Measure 8 starts with a sixteenth-note run in the bass staff, followed by eighth-note pairs.

71

Musical score page 71, measures 1 through 10. The score consists of two staves: Treble and Bass. The key signature changes frequently, indicated by various sharps and flats. Measure 1: Treble staff has a sharp, Bass staff has a double sharp. Measure 2: Treble staff has a flat, Bass staff has a double sharp. Measure 3: Treble staff has a double sharp, Bass staff has a double sharp. Measure 4: Treble staff has a double sharp, Bass staff has a double sharp. Measure 5: Treble staff has a double sharp, Bass staff has a double sharp. Measures 6-10: Both staves show complex rhythmic patterns with sixteenth-note figures and rests. Measure 10 concludes with a bass note followed by a rest.

64

72

Flexatone

*mf**ff**attacca**legatissimo**sffz**sfz*

2. Cannot Go

L'istesso tempo $\text{J} = 84$

Electric Organ

Using a swell pedal or volume control, fade the sound down to nothing, even if this means missing some notes. The same technique should be used for subsequent fade-ins and fade-outs.

very free and expansive throughout, rhythmic relationship to organ approximate

Voice

The night _____ is dar-ken-ing round me, The
f mf f

Perc.

E. Org.

niente

Voice

wild winds cold - ly blow
wedges wedges wedge wedge
(molto)

Four suspended cymbals, soft mallets

Perc.

ppp!

a little strident, but mezza voce

Voice But *mp* a ty-rant spell has bound me *mf* *f subito mp*

Perc.

E. Org. *niente*

still full voice, but 'veiled'

Voice And I can-not can-not go *mf*

Perc. Flexatone *p* *p* *mp* *f (max)*

E. Org. *pppp!*

different character to 'But a tyrant'
freer and more flexible

Voice The *mp* gi - ant trees are ben - ding Their bare boughs weighed *mf*

E. Org. *niente*

Voice with snow; The storm is fast des
pp

E. Org. niente < *pppp!* > niente

Voice almost coy
 cen-ding; And yet I can - not go.
pp

Perc. Whip
poco sfz sempre — *sffz* *poco sfz*
 $\underbrace{\quad\quad\quad}_{3}$

Voice flowing
 Clouds be-yond clouds a-bove me, wastes be-yond wastes be-low;
mf — *subito p* *mp* *f*

Perc. Crumpling paper
 $\underbrace{\quad\quad\quad}_{3}$ $\underbrace{\quad\quad\quad}_{3}$ $\underbrace{\quad\quad\quad}_{3}$ $\underbrace{\quad\quad\quad}_{3}$
mf

Voice resolute
 But no-thing dread can move me; I will not can-not go
f = *f*

Perc. irregular crumpling, reasonably prominent, allowing for some dynamic variation

Transition (Movement 2 to Movement 3)

Speaker (using microphone): I have been happy in Brussels because I have always been fully occupied with the employments that I like—Emily is making rapid progress in French, German, Music and Drawing—Monsieur & Madame Heger begin to recognise the valuable points of her character under her singularities.

If the national character of the Belgians is to be measured by the character of most of the girls in this school, it is a character singularly cold, selfish, animal and inferior—they are besides very mutinous and [difficult for the teachers to manage—and their principles are rotten to the core—we avoid them—which is not difficult to do—as we have the brand of Protestantism and Anglicism upon us.]

[*The percussionist should continue making irregular sounds with the crumpling paper from the end of the second piece. From the first word 'difficult' above, the percussion shifts suddenly to the material below, in a frenzied manner. The speaker should continue the same tone and basic rhythm as before, so as not to suggest any shift in delivery other than raising her voice and shouting (and using the microphone) more to try and be heard over the percussion.*

The rhythms for the speaker are very approximate, and only a rough guide. If the percussionist reaches the end of their part before the speaker does, they should improvise in the same manner. Whatever happens, the percussionist should stop very soon after the final 'upon us']

Fast and furious $\text{♩} = 144$

Voice

Fast and furious $\text{♩} = 144$

2 Kettles,
2 Pans,
2 Tea Trays

$ff \text{ furioso}$

2

and their prin - ci - ples are rot - ten to the core

6:4

5:4

3

we av-oid them whichis not dif-fi cult to do as we have the brand of Pro tes-tant-is

6:4

7:4

6:4

7:4

5

Microphone down, off.

*Short pause
(5"-10")
before
Movement 3*

m and Ang-li-ci-sm u-upon us

6:4

7:4

fffff possible

3. Cold, selfish, animal and inferior

Allegro non troppo ($\bullet = 104$ or more if possible)

Soprano Solo Violin Violoncello

Piano

ff

mp pastoral (sempre)

tr~

11:8

tr~

11:8

3

Violin

f-ff sempre - sprightly, brilliant, gallant

mp pastoral

4

f sempre

11:8

5

pizz.

arco

11:8

11

72

6

pizz.

11:8.

11

7

arco

5:4

10:9

11:8.

9

trrmmm

6:5

11:8.

10

ii:8.

ii:8.

11

ii:8.

ii:8.

12

Violin

Cello

(f-ff)

*f-ff sempre
brilliant,
bold*

6:5

5:4

ii:8.

ii:8.

74

13

7

7 10

14

(f-fff)

tr.

7:6 7:6 5:4

15 (tr)

(f-ff)

11:8

16

11:8

76

17

11:8

18

11:8

tr.

19

77

ii:8

20

ii:8

78

21

This musical score page contains two staves of music. The top staff uses a treble clef and has a key signature of one flat. The bottom staff uses a bass clef and has a key signature of one sharp. Measure 21 begins with a half note followed by a series of eighth-note patterns. Measure 22 starts with a half note, followed by a measure of rests, and then a measure of eighth-note patterns. Measure 22 concludes with a bracket under the bass staff labeled "11:8".

22

This musical score page continues from the previous page. It features three staves. The top staff has a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The middle staff has a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. The bottom staff has a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. Measure 22 continues with eighth-note patterns. Measure 23 begins with a measure of rests, followed by a measure of eighth-note patterns. A bracket under the bass staff in measure 23 is labeled "11:8".

23

79

11:8.

24

11:8.

11:8.

80

25

6:4

6:4

6:4

6:4

11:8

26

6:4

11:8

7:6

7:6

7:6

27

This musical score page contains two staves of music for a piano. The top staff is in treble clef and the bottom staff is in bass clef. Measure 27 begins with a single note in the treble clef staff followed by a series of eighth-note chords. The bass staff has six eighth-note chords. Measure 28 starts with a series of eighth-note chords in the treble clef staff, followed by a bass line with a '3' below it. The bass staff then continues with eighth-note chords.

28

This continuation of the musical score page 81 shows the progression of the piece. Measure 28 continues with a treble clef line featuring eighth-note chords and a bass line with a '3' below it. Measure 29 begins with a bass line in the treble clef staff, followed by a treble clef line with eighth-note chords. The bass staff then continues with eighth-note chords.

82

29

pizz arco

6:4

11:8

30

11:8

31

83

11:8

32

11:8

11:8

84

33

11:8.

11:8.

34

3:2.

11:8.

35

85

36

11:8

86

37

ff

ff

ff

38 Andante sostenuto $\text{♩} = 52$

p tender

p softly accompanying

Andante sostenuto $\text{♩} = 52$

pppp!

p lyrical and expansive

87

42

Voice

Ah__ ri - torna e -

light, slightly detached

(*p sempre*)

46

tà_____ del' o - ro, al - la ter - ra ab ban-don - a - ta se no

pppp

88

50

fosto im-mag-i - na - ta nel__ sog - nar fe - li - i -

p-mp espressivo

54

54

tà nel sog - nar nel sog- nar fe - li - ci -

poco rit.

ppp

58 a tempo

89

Musical score for piano and voice. The vocal part is in soprano clef, and the piano part is in bass clef. The vocal line includes lyrics: "tà fuil mon - - do allor fe -". The piano accompaniment features eighth-note patterns. Measure 59 begins with "a tempo" and ends with a dynamic marking of *ppp*.

60

Musical score for piano and voice. The vocal part is in soprano clef, and the piano part is in bass clef. The vocal line includes lyrics: "li - ce cheun te - - nero ar - bo -". The piano accompaniment features eighth-note patterns.

90
62

scel - lo un lim - - pi - do ru -

ppp

64

scel - lo le genti a - li - men - tò _____ le

67

*Brief pause
(10"-12")*

gen - ti al - i men - tò

ppp

4. And pleasures banish pain

Slow, almost timeless ♩ = 40

*extremely free,
quasi senza tempo*

Voice

Slow, almost timeless ♩ = 40

*extremely free,
quasi senza tempo*

Electric Organ

Slow, almost timeless ♩ = 40

*extremely free,
quasi senza tempo*

Piano

very free and expansive

pp

Molto Ped

pppp!

There is a land
pp hushed and veiled
through to bar 9

(No microphone throughout movement)

4

Voice of pure_____ de - light_____ Where

E. Org.

Pno. *pppp!* *niente* *pp*

6

Voice sain - ts Im - mor -

E. Org. *niente*

Pno.

8

Voice

- tal reign;

Pno.

Slow Andante ♩ =56
always flexible beat

11

poco accel.

dolce

mp

Pno.

14

Voice

In - fi - nite day ex -

mp

Pno.

19

Voice

cludes - the night And plea - sures ba - nish

hold back
a little $\frac{3}{2}$

Pno.

24

Voice

pain. There - on a throne how_ daz - zling

E. Org.

niente \equiv ppp

Pno.

28

Voice bright Th'ex al - ted Sa - - - viour

E. Org. *niente*

Pno.

32

Voice shi - nes

Pno.

38

Voice

ef - - - fa - ble de-light

Pno.

40

Voice

dreamy

On all - - - the heav'n - -

Pno.

41

Voice

*somewhat abrupt
ending*

- ly minds

10" pause
before
Movement 5

E. Org.

niente

5:4

p

senza dim.

Pno.

Pno.

pp

6:8

ppp

12:8

5: Le Palais de la mort

Speaker (*slightly under-tempo, very enunciated tone of voice; with microphone for whole movement*): I have indeed had my ample share of trouble - But it has been the Lord's Will - and it is my duty to resign - My Only Son has died and soon after him, a beloved Daughter died also - For these things we may weep, since Christ himself wept over his dead friend - and also over the living inhabitants of Jerusalem - Yet, while we grieve, it should be without hope. [Slight pause, 3"-5", before flute begins]

Furioso ♩ = 112

Flute

Fl.

Fl.

Fl.

Perc.

5 Temple Blocks,
hard mallets

f-ff menacing

100

11

Fl.

Perc.

This measure shows the Flute playing eighth-note patterns with grace notes, and the Percussion playing sixteenth-note patterns. The time signature changes from 4/4 to 3/4, then to 8/8, and finally to 4/4. Measure numbers 11, 12, and 13 are indicated above the staff.

==

14

Fl.

The Flute continues its eighth-note patterns with grace notes. Measure numbers 14, 15, 16, and 17 are indicated above the staff.

Perc.

The Percussion plays sixteenth-note patterns. Measure numbers 14, 15, 16, and 17 are indicated above the staff.

==

17

Fl.

The Flute plays eighth-note patterns. Measure numbers 17, 18, and 19 are indicated above the staff.

Perc.

The Percussion plays sixteenth-note patterns. Measure numbers 17, 18, and 19 are indicated above the staff.

Allegretto $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 56$

Fl. 12/8 18 *ff semper*

Perc. 12/8

To Thundersheet
Notes in square brackets can be omitted if found impractical

As if singing to oneself, though projected. Using microphone to ensure audibility.

Voice 12/8 *mf-f*

bon____nie Doon,___ How can____ye bloom

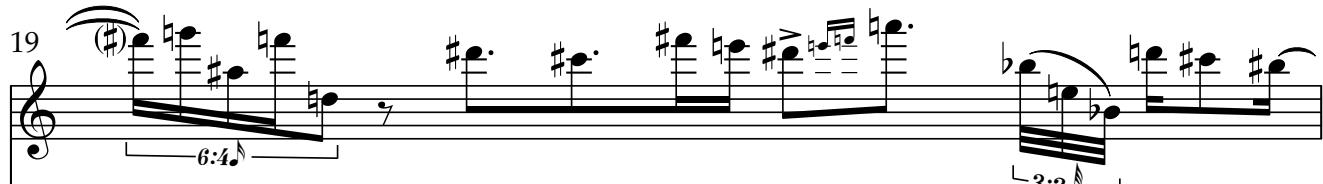
Throughout this movement, the organist can alter their volume to ensure the presence of their sound, so long as the effect remains of an instrument 'in the background'

E. Org. 12/8 *p*

Pno. 12/8 *f alla marcia*
mp pastoral

102

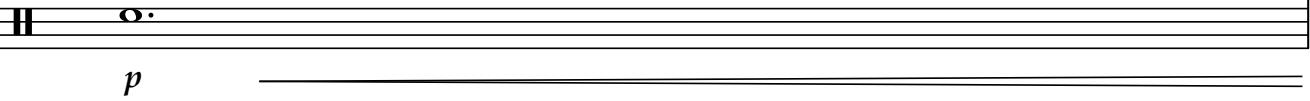
Fl.



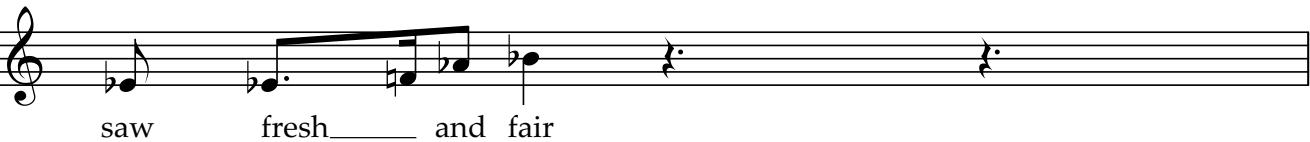
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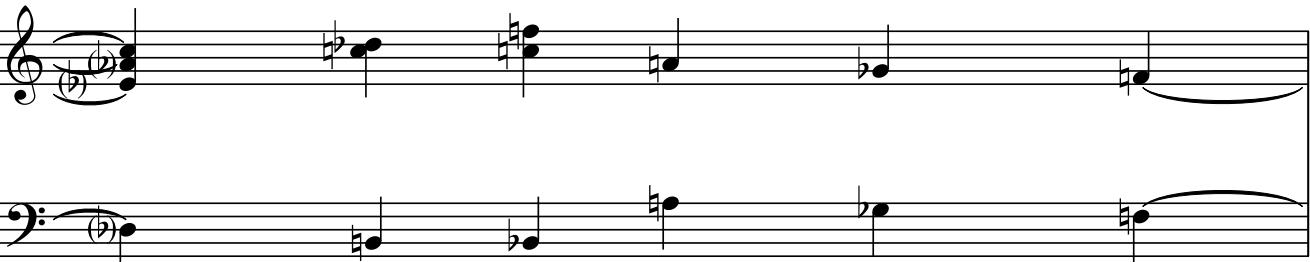
Perc.



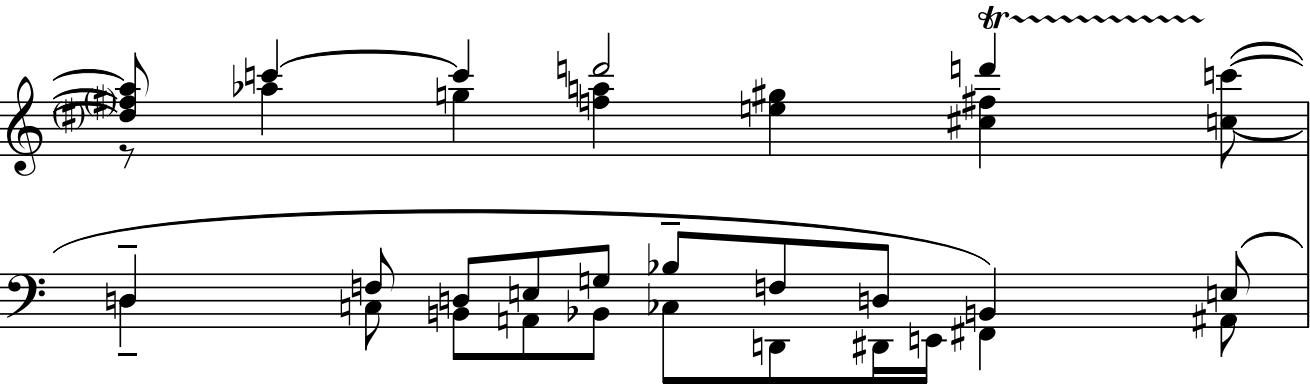
Voice



E. Org.



Pno.



20

Fl.

103

Perc.

Voice

How_ can ye chant ye lit_ tle birds_

E. Org.

Pno.

104

Fl.

21

l.v.

Perc.

fff *ff* *fff* *mf-f continually waver*

Voice

And I sae wea ry fu;

E. Org.

f

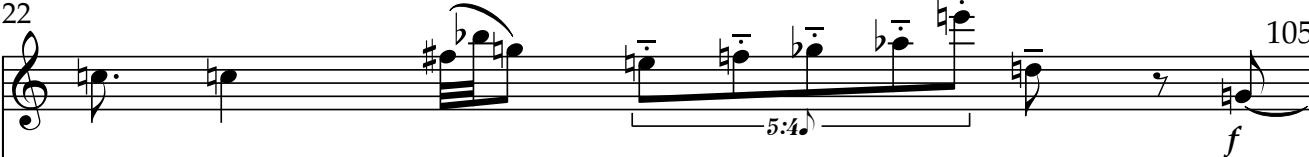
f subito

Pno.

4:3 *4:3* *4:3* *4:3*

22

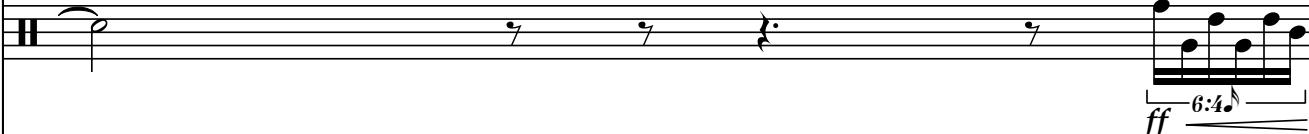
Fl.



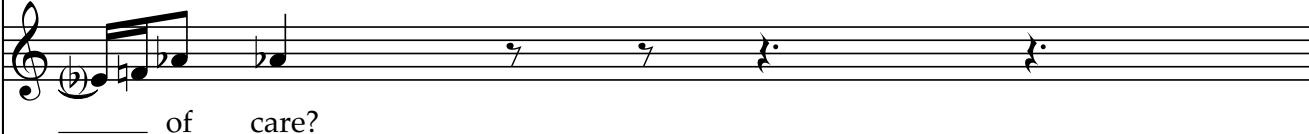
105

4 Tom-Toms,
Pedal Bass Drum

Perc.



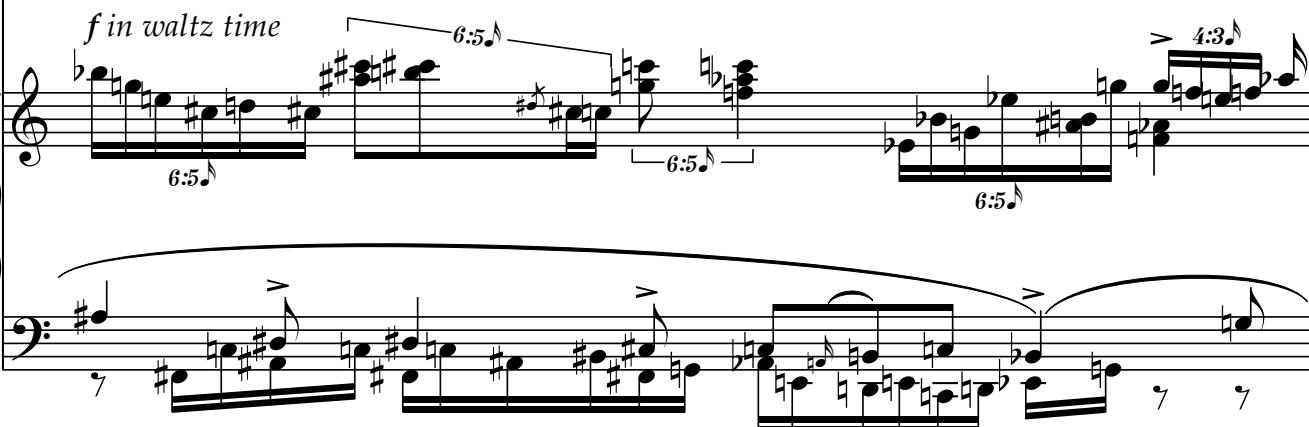
Voice



E. Org.



Pno.



106

23

Fl.

Perc. *2 Gueros, different pitches*
ff trying to cut through

Voice
Thou'l break my heart_ thou war - bling bird

E. Org.

Pno.

24

Fl.

107

Perc.

3:2

5:4

Voice

That wan - tons through

E. Org.

3:2

Pno.

5:4

7:6

4:3

25

Fl.

Perc.

Voice
— the flower - ing thorn

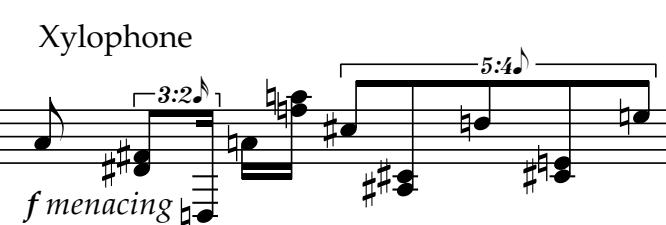
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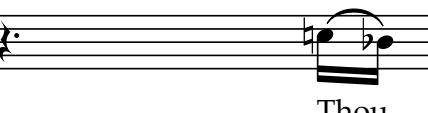
Pno.
sffz
10.7 ♩ 7:6 ♩

Vln.
fff
3:2 ♩ 5:4 ♩ 5:4 ♩

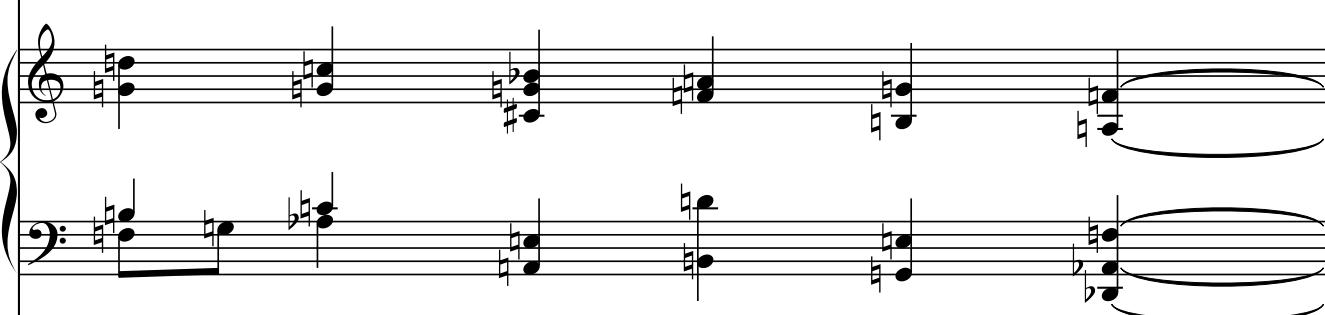
Vc.
fff
5:4 ♩

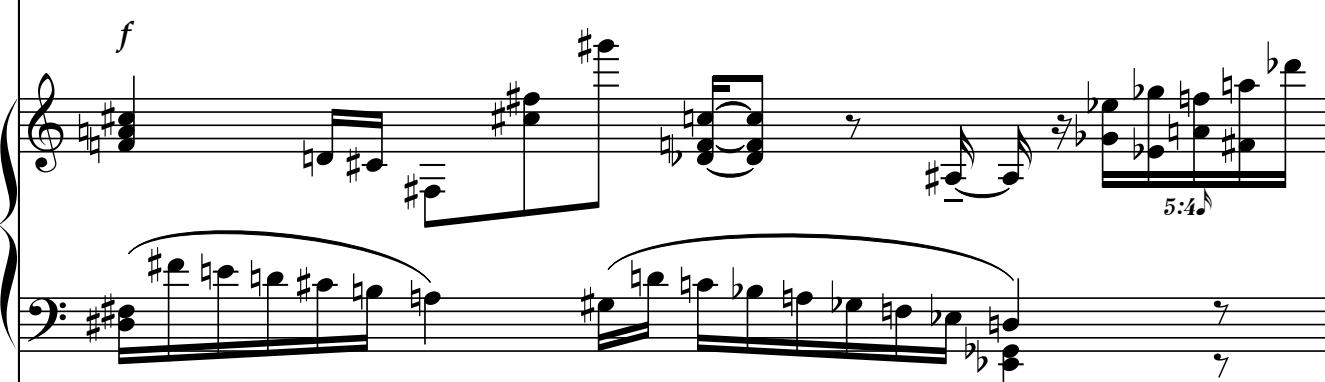
26 Fl. 

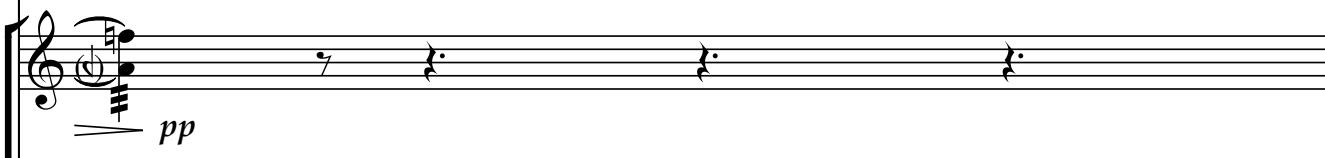
 Perc. Xylophone 

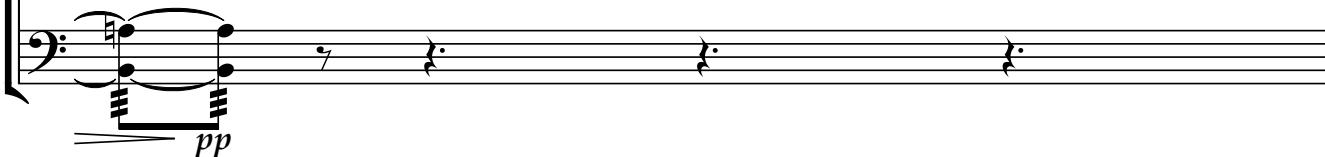
 Voice - 

 Thou

E. Org. 

Pno. 

Vln. 

 Vc. 

27

Unobtrusively and without show, put flute down on chair and walk off stage

Fl.

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

Pno.

5 Temple Blocks,
hard mallets

ff

mind'st me of de -

7:6

5:4

Thunder Sheet

28

Perc.

111

Voice

par - ted joys, De - par - ted ne - ver

E. Org.

p misterioso

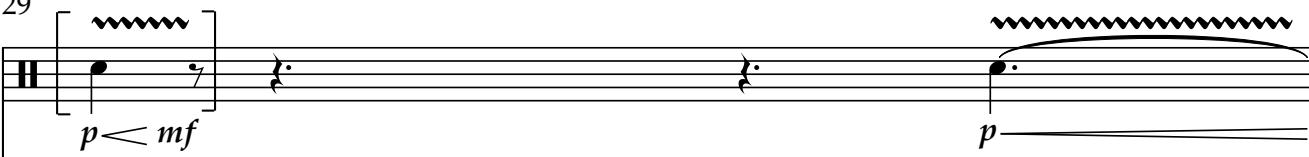
8:7 8:7

Pno.

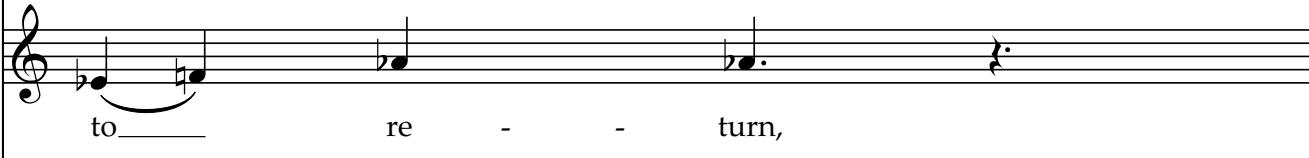
This musical score page is titled "Thunder Sheet". It features four staves: Percussion, Voice, E. Org., and Pno. The Percussion staff at the top begins with a dynamic of *p* followed by *mf*. The Voice staff contains lyrics: "par - ted joys, De - par - ted ne - ver". The E. Org. staff has a tempo marking of 6:4. The Pno. staff includes dynamic markings of *p misterioso* and *8:7*. The page number 28 is at the top left, and the measure number 111 is at the top right. The music consists of several measures of rhythmic patterns and rests.

29

Perc.



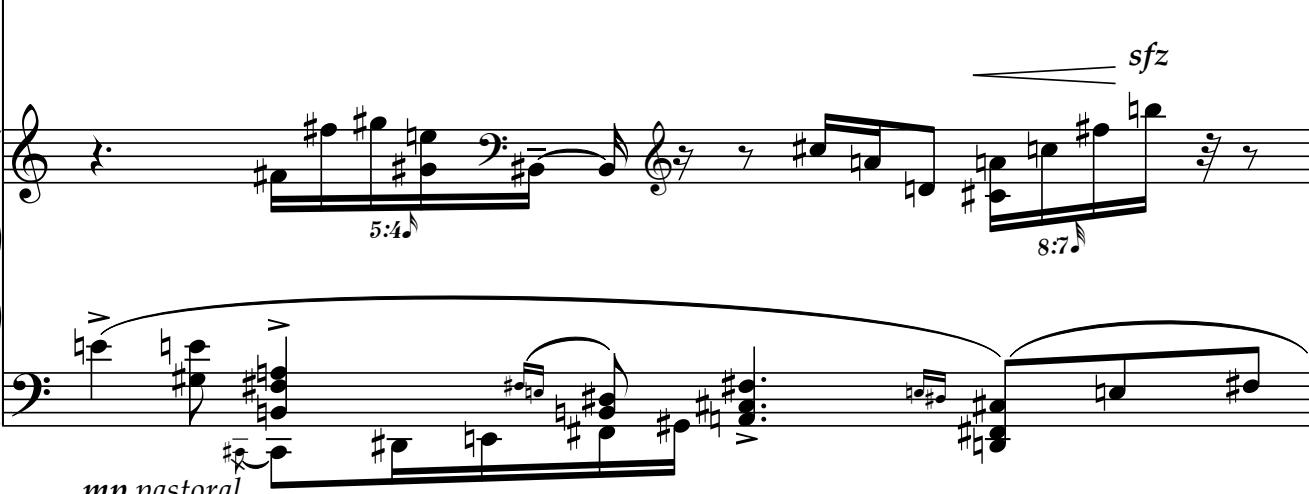
Voice



E. Org.



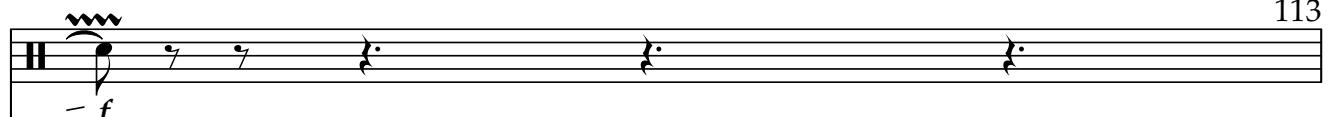
Pno.



mp pastoral

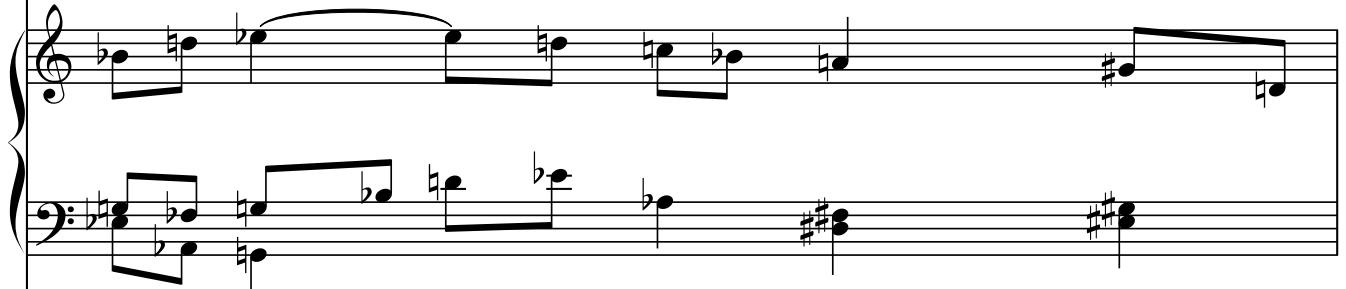
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Perc.

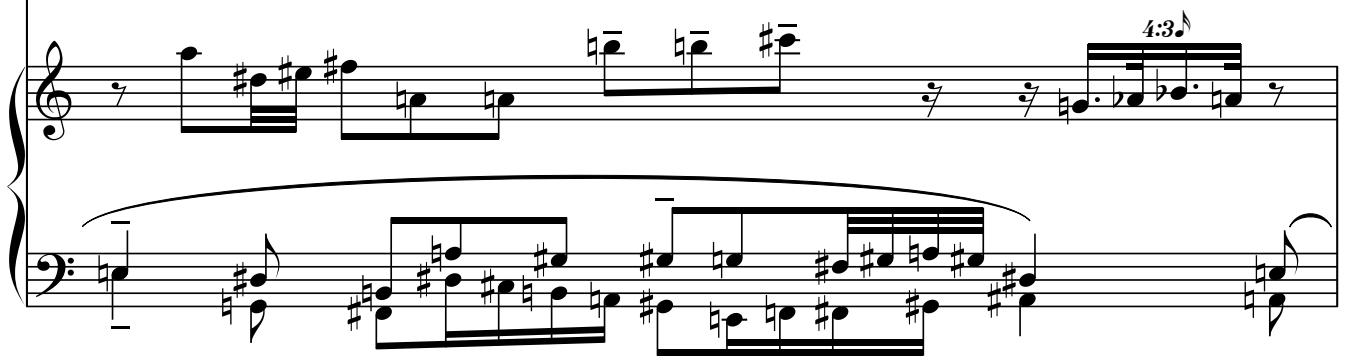


113

E. Org.

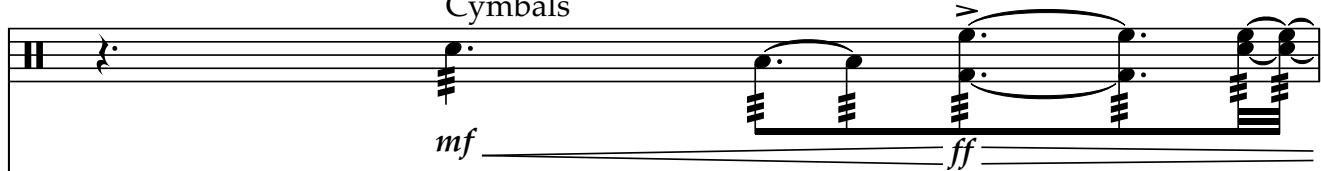


Pno.



4 Suspended
Cymbals

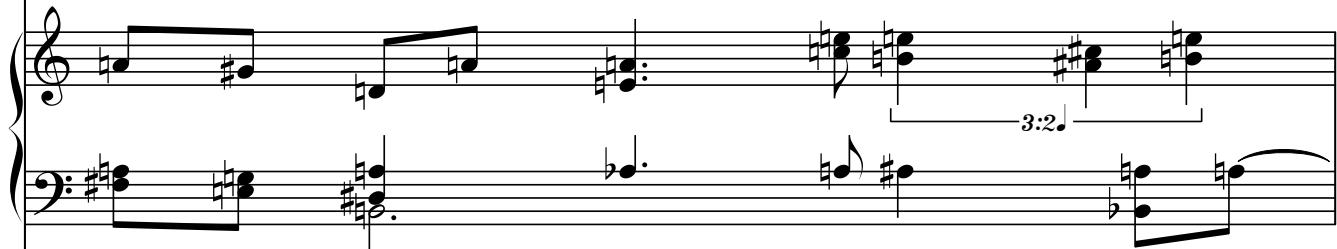
Perc.



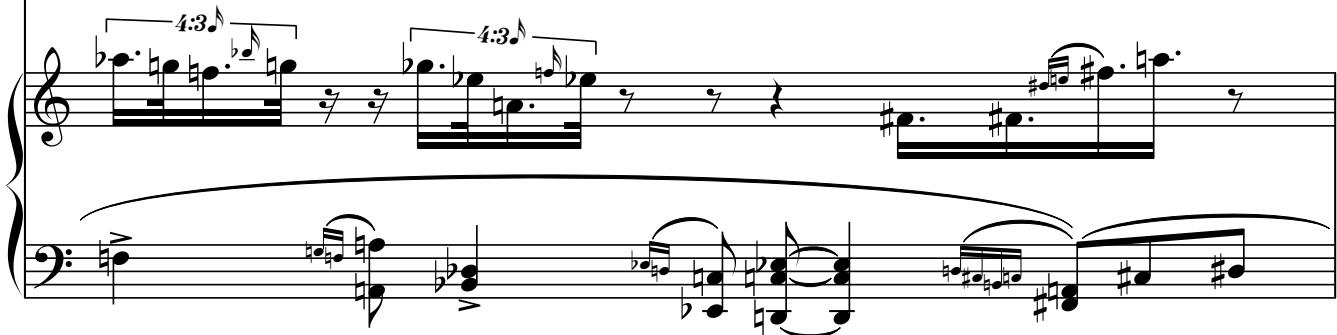
Voice



E. Org.



Pno.



32

Perc.

3:2

Voice cean Sweet

E. Org.

Pno.

f alla marcia

trill
(lower note only)

3:2

4:3

4:3

5 Temple Blocks

33

Perc.

Musical score for Percussion (Perc.) part 33. The score consists of two staves. The top staff shows a single note followed by a fermata, then a sixteenth-note pattern: eighth note, sixteenth note, eighth note, sixteenth note. A dynamic marking *mf* is placed under the sixteenth-note pattern. A bracket below the staff indicates a 5:3 time signature. The bottom staff shows a sustained note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern: eighth note, sixteenth note, eighth note, sixteenth note. The sixteenth-note pattern is repeated twice more, each time starting with a fermata.

Voice

Musical score for Voice part 33. The vocal line consists of a series of eighth notes and sixteenth notes. The lyrics are: "flo-wers are spring-ing no mor - tal can". The vocal line ends with a sustained note.

E. Org.

Musical score for Electric Organ (E. Org.) part 33. The score consists of two staves. The upper staff shows a sustained note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern: eighth note, sixteenth note, eighth note, sixteenth note. The lower staff shows a sustained note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern: eighth note, sixteenth note, eighth note, sixteenth note.

Pno.

Musical score for Piano (Pno.) part 33. The score consists of two staves. The upper staff shows a sustained note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern: eighth note, sixteenth note, eighth note, sixteenth note. A bracket below the staff indicates a 5:4 time signature. The lower staff shows a sustained note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern: eighth note, sixteenth note, eighth note, sixteenth note.

34

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

Pno.

see,
So deep in my soul the still prayer of de -

4.3

4.3

Snare Drum

Flexatone

Perc.

Musical score for Percussion and Flexatone. The Percussion part consists of a single note on a bass staff with a dynamic of *sffz*. The Flexatone part is indicated by a treble staff with a dynamic of *p*.

Voice

Musical score for Voice. The vocal line consists of a series of notes on a treble staff with lyrics: "vo - tion", "Un - heard", "by", and "the". The vocal line ends with a melodic flourish.

E. Org.

Musical score for Electric Organ. The organ part features a rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes on both the treble and bass staves. A bracket indicates a duration of $4:3\delta$.

Pno.

Musical score for Piano. The piano part is divided into two staves. The upper staff shows a rhythmic pattern with dynamic markings *fz* above each note. The lower staff shows a bassline with a dynamic marking *(sempre mp)* at the end.

36

Perc.

world, ri - ses si - lent to thee.

E. Org.

Pno.

37 Xylophone
Perc. *ff always intense and threatening*

Voice My God!

E. Org.

Pno.

The musical score consists of four staves. The top staff is for 'Perc.' (percussion), featuring a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp. It contains a single measure of music with a dynamic marking of 'ff' and a performance instruction: 'always intense and threatening'. The second staff is for 'Voice', also in treble clef and one sharp. It contains the lyrics 'My God!' in a single measure. The third staff is for 'E. Org.' (Electric Organ), shown in two octaves (treble and bass) with a key signature of one sharp. The fourth staff is for 'Pno.' (Piano), also in two octaves (treble and bass) with a key signature of one sharp. The piano staff shows a series of eighth-note chords and sustained notes. Measure numbers 37 are indicated above the first two staves.

38

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

Pno.

si - lent to

5 Temple Blocks

Thunder Sheet

122

39

Perc.

ff

6:5

f

The Percussion part consists of a single staff. It starts with a dynamic ff. The first measure shows a sixteenth-note pattern. The second measure shows another sixteenth-note pattern. A bracket covers the next two measures, labeled 6:5. The final measure shows a eighth-note followed by a rest, then a dynamic f.

Voice

The Voice part consists of a single staff. It starts with a note followed by a dynamic ff.

thee.

E. Org.

The Electric Organ part consists of a single staff. It starts with a note.

Pno.

The Piano part consists of two staves. The top staff starts with a dynamic ff. A bracket covers the next four measures, labeled 5:4. The bottom staff starts with a dynamic ff. Brackets cover the next three measures, labeled 7:6, and the following three measures, also labeled 7:6.

40

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

Pno.

damp

ffff

ffff

Pure,

p misterioso

8:5

7:6

7:6

This musical score page contains four staves. The top staff is for Percussion, featuring a dynamic marking of fff and two 'damp' instructions. The second staff is for Voice, with a sustained note and a sharp sign. The third staff is for E. Org. (Electric Organ), showing a sequence of chords. The bottom staff is for Pno. (Piano), with a bass line consisting of eighth-note patterns in 7:6 time and a treble line with a 8:5 time signature. The piano part includes dynamic markings of p misterioso and 7:6.

Xylophone

41

Perc.

ff

$8:5\text{♪}$ $8:5\text{♪}$ $6:4\text{♪}$

Voice

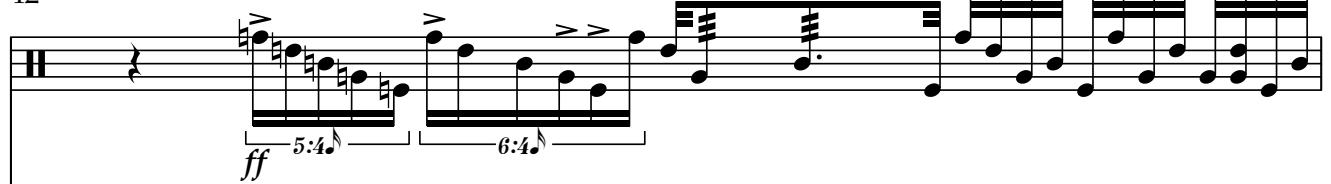
warm, si - lent to thee.

E. Org.

Pno.

42

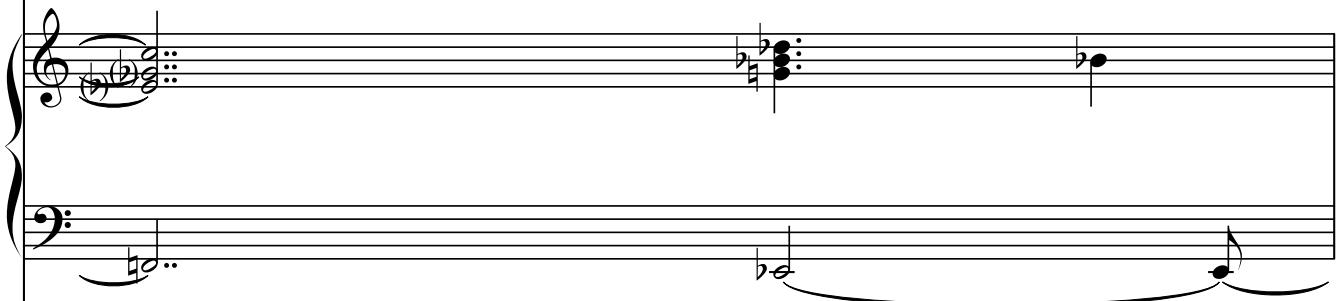
Perc.



Voice

So deep in my

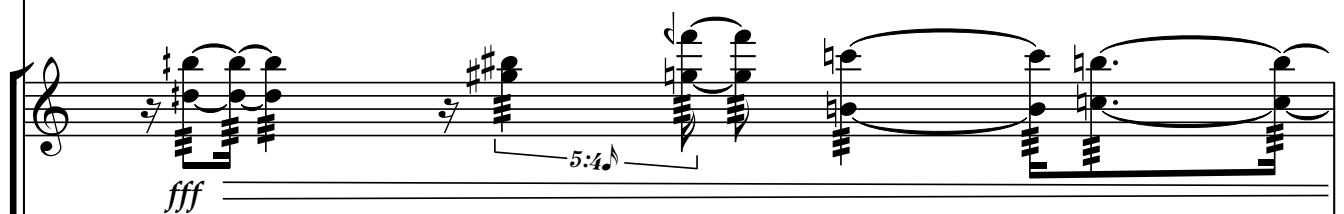
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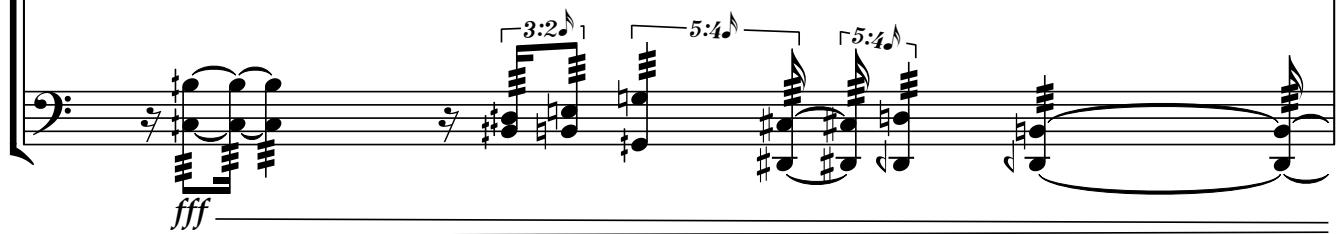
Pno.



Vln.



Vc.



43

Perc.

Xylophone

Voice

soul the still prayer of de -

E. Org.

Pno.

Vln.

Vc.

ffff

3:2

5:4

ppp

3:2

ppp

This musical score page contains six staves of music. The top staff is for Percussion, featuring two vertical bars with 'V' markings. The second staff is for Xylophone, with a dynamic instruction 'ffff' and a '4:3' note value bracket. The third staff is for Voice, with lyrics: 'soul the still prayer of de -'. The fourth staff is for Electric Organ, showing sustained notes with a '3:2' ratio bracket. The fifth staff is for Piano, also showing sustained notes with a '3:2' ratio bracket. The bottom two staves are for Violin (Vln.) and Cello (Vc.), both showing sustained notes with a '5:4' ratio bracket. Dynamics 'ppp' are marked below the Vln. and Vc. staves.

44

Perc.

Voice vo - tion, Un - heard by the world, ri - ses si - lent to

E. Org.

Pno.

Unobtrusively and without show,
get up and walk off stage



45

Perc.

Voice thee

E. Org.

128

Perc.

46

7:5 ♩ 5:4 ♩ 10:7 ♩

Voice

si - lent to

E. Org.



Perc.

47

ff semper

5 Temple Blocks

7:5 ♩ 7:5 ♩ 5:4 ♩ f

Voice

thee,

si-lent to thee,

E. Org.

Thunder Sheet

129

49

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

My God,

Wavy lines above the notes indicate sustained sounds. The vocal line begins with a rest, followed by a melodic line starting with 'My God,'. The dynamic level changes from *f* to *ff*.



51

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

ri - ses

3:2

3:2

Wavy lines above the notes indicate sustained sounds. The vocal line begins with a rest, followed by a melodic line starting with 'ri - ses,'. The dynamic level changes from *fff* to *damp*. The organ part includes 3:2 time signature markings.

Xylophone

130

52

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

Vln.

Vc.

si - lent to thee

fff ppp

fff ppp



53

Perc.

Turn and sit with back to audience

Voice

E. Org.

54

Perc.

E. Org.

131

=

55

Perc.

E. Org.

=

Vibraslap

56

Perc.

Walk to position stage right, with microphone

Voice

E. Org.

58

E. Org.



59 Xylophone

Perc.

f *fff* *f* *ff*

In a charged manner, eyes wide, staring at audience, as if possessed

Voice

in-spi-rés par moi l'a-mi fid - è - le de-vi-en-dra un en-ne-mi mor-tel, la

E. Org.

60

Perc.

Voice femme tra hi ra son ma- ri, le do mes tiqueson maître; nul sen - ti ment ne peut me re

E. Org.



61

Perc.

Voice sis ter je tra ver - se rai la terre sous les ban-nières du ciel et les cou - ronnes

E. Org.

62

Perc.

Voice

se-ront commes des pierres sous mes pieds. Quant aux autres cardidats ils ne

E. Org.



5 Temple Blocks

63

Perc.

ff

Voice

sont pas dig nes d'att en tion; la Co - lère est ir rais on - na - ble; [NON!]

E. Org.

64

Perc.

bar-bar - is-me] la ven-geance est par-ti - al - e; la Fam

E. Org.



Xylophone

65

Perc.

ff 3:2. 5:4. 5:4. 3:2. 6:5. 3:2.

Voice

ine peut êt - re vain - cue par_ l'in-du - stries; la Peste est ca-pric - ieuse.

E. Org.

66

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

Vo-tre pre-mi - er min-is - ter doit êt - re quel-qu'un qui est tou-jours



Thunder Sheet

67

Perc.

Voice

E. Org.

près des hommes qui les en-tou-re et le poss-e - de; de - ci-dez donc en-tre l'Am-bi-

Perc.

68

fffff manic

sffffz

Voice

E. Org.

E. Org.

69

Vln.

Vc.

ppp! a distant shimmer

4:3

ppp! a distant shimmer

4:3

70

Voice

E. Org.

Vln.

Vc.



Utter contrast to previous text, plain, sober, almost as if reading from a newspaper

71

Voice

E. Org.

voûtes, les cham-bres et les gal-le-ries ré-son naient du bruit des pas qui all-aient et ven-aient,

72

Voice

comme si les os-ses-ments qui jon-chaient leur pa-vé s'ét-aient su-bit-e-ment ré-an-i-més

E. Org.



4 Suspended Cymbals
(soft mallets)

73

Perc.

p slightly more than strings

Voice

et la Mort, re gar dant du haut de son trône, sou - rit hi die us e ment de voir quelles mul ti tu des

E. Org.

Vln.

Vc.

ppp! a distant shimmer

ppp! a distant shimmer

3:2

74

Voice

ac - cour-aient à lui ser - ver.

E. Org.

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75

Perc.

4 Suspended Cymbals
(soft mallets)

ppp! a distant shimmer

E. Org.

Vln.

ppp! a distant shimmer

Vc.

ppp! a distant shimmer

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76

Fl.

Pause of 8"-12",
abrupt stop

E. Org.