

To EDWIN EVANS.

Quintet

In G minor

For Piano and Strings.

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QUINTET.

1st Violin.

Nº 1.

Arnold Bax.

Tempo moderato. Con passione.

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5

Cello *f*

p *pp sotto voce* *sempre piano*

mark now. *sonore* *sonorous*

f

sf (A) *p* *f* *p* *f*

dim. *p* *f* *p*

pizz. *ff* *arco*

sfz (B)

ff 3

1st Violin.

pizz.
f

arco
p

Tempo un poco più tranquillo.

p dolce serioso
soft and serious

(C) *a tempo primo* 3 pizz.

arco
sf *f every rhythmic*
molto ritmico

arco

D pizz.
sf

Più mosso.

accel. *ff*

ff

1st Violin.

(H) *not much expression at first*

poco sf.

pp

a little stronger

poco più f

f < ff

dim. - - *pp* - - *accel.* 1

a tempo

(I)

pp

trm. *trm.* *trm.* *trm.* *trm.* *trm.* *trm.* *trm.* *trm.*

rather strong *f* - - *sf* 1 *senza sord.*

poco f *p* *p* *cresc.*

(K)

ff

fff

Allargando.
Broaden

L *a tempo* 2

rit. *a tempo*

p *pp* *p* *sighing*
sospirando

1st Violin.

5

Tempo primo con sord. 2

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Viola 3 con sord. pp rit.

ppp close to bridge

M Tempo I. 3 pizz. poco sf arco mf dim.

pp pp *ppp close to bridge*

rit. N Tempo I. 2 sul IV p

poco f dim.

rit. 1 O Tempo I. pp

senza sord. 1

rit. Tempo I. f dim. p

Viola & Cello

1

1st Violin.

(P)

pp

poco - a - poco cresc. -

ff

pp

Rough and fierce.
Feroce.

poco cresc. *f*

(Q) Poco lento accel.
pizz. molto.

cresc.

arco

Tempo I poco largamente

ff p

cresc.

Tempo I.

f

pp sotto voce

sempre p

*mark now sonorous
markato sonore*

f

R

3

Cello

2

1st Violin.

7

pp

p *very expressive*
molto espressivo

p *>* *f* *f*

p *pp* *fp* *dim.* *pp*

poco rit. *con sord.* *1*

S *pp*

p *very expressive*
molto espressivo

pp *pp* *pp* *pp*

a tempo *p* *p* *fp* *pp* *ppp*

T *jfp* *trm* *trm* *trm* *trm* *trm* *trm* *trm*

sf *rit.* *rather loud* *p* *poco f* *Più lento*

cantabile dolcissimo
singing very quietly

ppp

1st Violin.

Nº 2.

*Slow and serious.**Lento serioso.**pizz.*

senza sord. *dim.* *p* *always soft* *sempre piano*

cresc. *decisive deciso* *arco* *p*

very expressive *molto espressivo*

pp *pp* *p* *mf*

cresc.

dim. *- p* *f*

(A)

p *cresc.* *-* *f*

p *f* *dim.* *- p*

a little faster *cold and unemotional*
poco più mosso *freido senza espressione*

con sord. *2* *pp* *1*

1st Violin,

9

senza sord.
1
pizz.
con sord.
1
arco
pp
senza sord.
1
pizz.
p dim.
- pp
2
p
mf
dim.
p
3
arco
(B)
f
f
f
f
f
f
cresc.
sffz
f
dim. p
5

1st Violin.

(C)

pp

pp *possible very quiet* *cresc.*

Tempo I.

accel.

p *sf* *sf* *f* *ff*

p *cresc.* *f*

Più e più tranquillo,
more and more tranquil

p *cresc.* *f* *p*

6 (D) *ff* *sfz*

pp *mf* *dim.*

pp *f*

pp *arco* *pp* *ppp*

Nº 3.

Moderate Tempo. *Tempo Moderato.*

Sheet music for piano, page 1. The music consists of eight staves of musical notation with various dynamics, articulations, and performance instructions.

1. Staff 1: Measure 5, dynamic **p**, instruction *expressively* (*espressivo*). Measures 2-4, dynamic **p**. Measures 5-6, dynamic **f**.

2. Staff 2: Measure 1, dynamic **mf**. Measures 2-3, dynamic **p**. Measures 4-5, dynamic **mf**, instruction *cresc.*. Measures 6-7, dynamic **f**.

3. Staff 3: Measure 1, dynamic **pp**. Measures 2-3, dynamic **ff**. Measures 4-5, dynamic **dim.**. Measure 6, dynamic **f**.

4. Staff 4: Dynamic **p**, instruction *cresc.*. Measures 2-3, dynamic **poco**. Measures 4-5, dynamic **poco**. Measures 6-7, dynamic **f**, instruction *accelerando*.

5. Staff 5: Measures 1-2, dynamic **poco**. Measures 3-4, dynamic **f**. Measures 5-6, dynamic **ff**.

6. Staff 6: Measures 1-2, dynamic **sfz**. Measures 3-4, dynamic **f**. Measures 5-6, dynamic **f**.

7. Staff 7: Measures 1-2, dynamic **f**. Measures 3-4, dynamic **f**.

8. Staff 8: Measures 1-2, dynamic **f**. Measures 3-4, dynamic **f**.

1st Violin.

a tempo

f *ff* *ff*

(B)

fp *ff*

p *f* *p expressive*
espressivo *cresc.* *f*

very expressive
molto espressivo

p *f* *pp*

p *p* *pp* *p* *fp*

expressively
espressivo

pp *p* *pp* *p* *fp*

fp *f* *f*

p *f* *pizz.* *arco* *pizz.* *arco* *pizz.* *sf*

p *sfz* *f*

arco

ff *f sempre*



Poco più lento. viola

p

pp

ppp

un poco più f

più f

=p

=p dolce

con sord.

Piano

rit.

A tempo ma non troppo presto.

very rhythmical
molto ritmico

p

p

cresc.

dim.

pp

mf

p

pp

0

very expressive
molto espressivo

sempre pp

senza sord.

accel.

2

1st Violin.

Tempo I.

Poco tenuto. 1

a tempo *molto rit.*

p *f* *p expressively espressivo*

cresc. *f* *p* *f*

pp *p* *p* *very expressive*
molto espressivo

pp *p* *fp* *pp* *poco a*

poco *cresc.* *f*

Più largamente.

Tempo del Introduzione.
Tempo of the Introduction.

f *sf* *ff* *dim.*

pp *cresc.* *ff* *dim.*

Sheet music for violin and piano, page 10, showing measures 11-18. The music is in 2/4 time. The violin part includes dynamic markings such as *pp*, *cresc.*, *f*, *p*, *sfz*, *p*, *mf*, *mf cresc.*, *f*, *sf = p*, *p = pp*, *p*, *con sord. 1*, *mf*, *f*, *sf*, *p*, *cresc.*, *f = sf*, *sf dim.*, *p*, *pp*, *f*, *f dim.*, *pp non rit.*, *p*, *mp*, *pp*, *Cantabile.*, *morendo*, *Piano*, *Viola*, *pizz*, *arco*, *ff dim. pp*, *f dim.*, *sf dim.*, and *p*. The piano part consists of eighth-note chords. Measure 18 ends with a repeat sign and the letter 'C' above it.

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