

# PORTRAITS de PEINTRES

(1907)



ALBERT CUYP

Cuyp, soleil déclinant dissois dans l'air limpide  
Qui un vol de ramiers gris trouble comme de l'eau.  
Moiteur d'or, nimbe au front d'un bœuf ou d'un bouleau,  
Encens bleu des beaux jours fumant sur le coteau,  
Du marais de clarté stagnant dans le ciel vide.  
Des cavalières vont prêter, plume rose au chapeau,  
Raume au côté; l'air vif qui fait rose leur peau  
S'inspire légèrement leurs fines boucles blondes;  
Et tentés par les champs ardents, les fraîches ondes,  
Sans troubler par leur trot les baraf's dont le troupeau,  
Rêve dans un brouillard d'or pâle et de repos.  
Ils partent respirer ces minutes profondes.

Marcel Proust

1896

# ALBERT CUYP

REYNALDO HAHN

Andante. ( $\text{♩} = 69$ ). Aérien, très calme, très égal.

PIANO.

*pp*

*sans nuances.*

*legatissimo.*

*pp*

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8 -

*p*

8 -

*crescendo.*

*ff*

*dimin.*

Un peu plus animé.

*ppp sans ralentir.*

*pp*

Un peu lourd, comme la croupe des chevaux flamands.

*Avec bonne humeur.*

*p*

*pp*

*p*

*pp*

*p*

*en dehors.*

Musical score for piano, two staves. Measure 1: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 2: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 3: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Dynamics: *p*, *pp*.

Musical score for piano, two staves. Measure 4: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 5: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 6: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes.

*Très franchement.*

Musical score for piano, two staves. Measure 7: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 8: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 9: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Dynamics: *p*.

Musical score for piano, two staves. Measure 10: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 11: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 12: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes.

Musical score for piano, two staves. Measure 13: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 14: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes. Measure 15: Treble staff has eighth-note chords. Bass staff has eighth notes.

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*moins f*

*pp*   *p*   *pp*   *p*

*diminuendo.*

*pp*

*en s'éloignant.*

*1<sup>er</sup> Tempo.*

*ILS SONT PARTIS.*

*Très reposé... un peu vague.*

*pp*

*Ped.*

*pp*   *3*   *3*   *3*   *3*   *3*   *3*

*C*   *3*   *3*   *3*   *3*   *3*   *3*

*Ped.*

*p mais en dehors.*

*m.g. 3.*      *m.d. 3.*      *m.g. 3.*

*encore diminuendo.*

*m.d. 3.*      *m.d. 3.*

*m.g. 3.*      *m.g. 3.*

*SANS RALENTIR.*      *pia - - - nis - - - si - - - mo . . . .*



### PAULUS POTTER

Sombre chagrin des ciels coutumièrement gris,  
Plus tristes d'être bleus aux rares éclaircies  
Et qui laissent alors sur les plaines transies  
Filtrer les tièdes pleurs d'un soleil incompris;  
Potter, mélancolique humeur des plaines sombres  
Qui s'étendent sans fin, sans joie et sans couleur,  
Les arbres, le hameau ne répandent pas d'ombres,  
Les maigres jardinetts ne portent pas de fleur.  
Un laboureur tirant des seaux ventre, et, chétive,  
Sa jument résignée, inquiète et révant,  
Anxieuse, dressant sa cervelle pensive,  
Hume d'un souffle court le souffle fort du vent

Marcel Proust

# PAULUS POTTER

REYNALDO HAHN

### Andante.

*en trainant un peu*

*...désolé.*

## PIANO.

A musical score for piano, 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. Measure 11 starts with a dynamic **p**. Measure 12 begins with a dynamic **f**. Both measures include performance instructions: "en trainant un peu" above the first measure and "3" over several eighth-note groups. Measures 11 and 12 conclude with fermatas.

Musical score page 10, measures 11-12. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, G major (two sharps), common time. The bottom staff is in bass clef, C major (no sharps or flats). Measure 11 starts with a half note followed by a dotted half note. Measure 12 begins with a half note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern: (dot, eighth, dot, eighth) repeated three times. Measure 13 starts with a half note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern: (dot, eighth, dot, eighth) repeated three times.

A musical score for piano, showing 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. Measure 11 starts with a forte dynamic (f) in the treble staff, followed by a half note and a quarter note. The bass staff begins with a half note. Measure 12 starts with a dynamic of 'p' (pianissimo) in the bass staff, followed by a half note and a quarter note. The treble staff continues with eighth-note patterns.





Douce fierté des cœurs, grâce noble des choses  
 Qui brillent dans les yeux, les velours et les bois,  
 Beau langage élevé du maintien et des poses,  
 Héritaire orgueil des femmes et des rois!  
 Tu triomphes, d'au Dyck, prince des gestes calmes,  
 Dans tous les élres beaux qui vont bientôt mourir  
 Dans toute belle main qui soit encor ouverte,  
 Sans s'en douter, qu'importe? elle te tend les palmes!  
 Galles de cavaliers, sous les pins, près des flets  
 Calmes comme eux (comme eux bien proches des sanglots),  
 Enfants royaux déjà magnifiques et gracieux,  
 Vêtements résignés, chapeaux à plumes bravos,  
 Et bijoux en qui pleure - onde à travers les flammes.  
 L'amerume des pleurs dont sont pleines les âmes  
 Trop hautes pour les laisser monter aux yeux;  
 Et loi par dessus tous, promeneur précieux  
 En chemise bleu-pâle, une main sur la hanche,  
 Dans l'autre, un fruit feuillu détaché de la branche,  
 Je rêve, sans comprendre, à ton geste et tes yeux:  
 Debout, mais reposé, dans cet obscur asile,  
 Duc de Richmond, ô jeune sage - ou charmant fou?  
 Je te reviens toujours. - Un saphir, à ton cou,  
 A des feux aussi doux que ton regard tranquille.

Marcel Proust

# ANTON VAN DYCK

REYNALDO HAHN

*Avec élégance et mélancolie.*

PIANO.

The musical score consists of four staves of piano music. The first staff begins with a dynamic of *p* and includes a performance instruction "Avec élégance et mélancolie.". The second staff begins with a dynamic of *p* and is marked *espress.*. The third staff begins with a dynamic of *p*. The fourth staff concludes with a dynamic of *pp* and includes performance instructions *m.g.* and *rit.*

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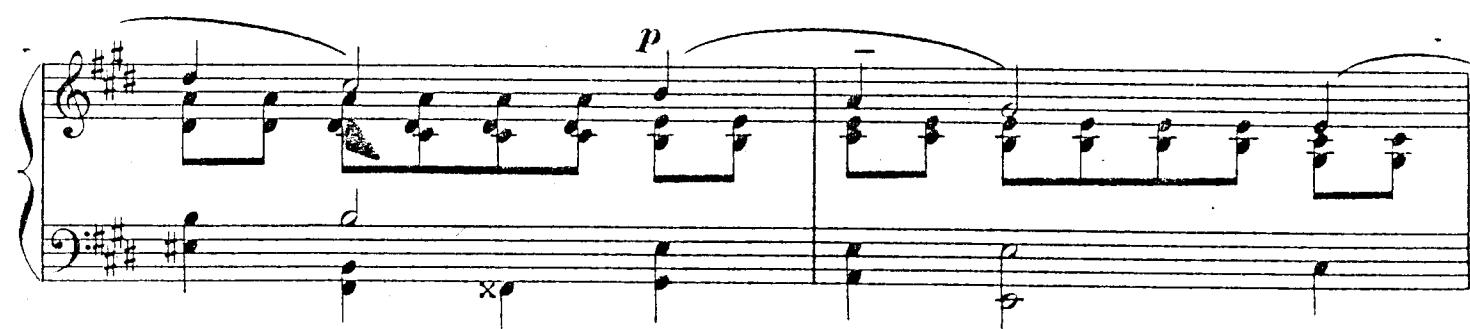
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*Plus grave, mais avec charme.*



*espress.*

*dim.*



*espress.*

*p*

*pp*

*p*

*rallentando.*

*m.g.*

*poco sf*

*tr*

*pp en cédant très peu.*

*3*

*3*

*3*

*3*

*3*

*3*

*Ped.*



### ANTOINE WATTEAU

Crépuscule grimpant les arbres et les faces  
Avec son manteau bleu, sous son masque incertain,  
Roussière de buissons autour de bouches lassées...  
Le vague devient tendre et le tout-près, lointain,

La mascarade, autre lointain mélancolique,  
Fait le geste d'aimer plus faux, triste et charmant.  
Caprice de poète, ou prudence d'amant,  
L'amour ayant besoin d'être orné sauvagement.  
Voici barques, goûters, silences et musique.

Marcel Proust

# ANTOINE WATTEAU

REYNALDO HAHN.

Andantino quasi allegretto. Fantasque et langoureux.

PIANO.

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*Effleuré...*

*Tendre, expressif*

*dolce.*

*léger.*

*Poétique.*

Musical score for piano, page 3, showing measures 5 through 8.

The score consists of two staves. The top staff uses a treble clef and the bottom staff uses a bass clef. Both staves are in common time and key signature of B-flat major (two flats).

Measure 5: The treble staff has six eighth-note chords with slurs and '5' above them. The bass staff has three eighth-note chords.

Measure 6: The treble staff has six eighth-note chords with slurs and '5' above them. The bass staff has three eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *pp* (pianissimo) in the bass staff.

Measure 7: The treble staff has four eighth-note chords with slurs and '5' above them. The bass staff has three eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *pp* (pianissimo) in the bass staff.

Measure 8: The treble staff has six eighth-note chords with slurs and '5' above them. The bass staff has three eighth-note chords. Dynamics: *pp* (pianissimo) in the bass staff. Measure number '8-' is written above the treble staff.

Measure 9: The treble staff has six eighth-note chords with slurs and '5' above them. The bass staff has three eighth-note chords. Key signature changes to C major (no sharps or flats). Measure number '8-' is written above the treble staff.

Measure 10: The treble staff has six eighth-note chords with slurs and '5' above them. The bass staff has three eighth-note chords. Key signature changes to C major (no sharps or flats). Measure number '9-' is written above the treble staff.

4

Animez un peu.

*légér.*

*pp*

*pp* *légér.*

*sans retenir.*

*ppp* 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5

*Egalement* — — — — — — — — *A l'ombre,* — — — — — — — — *avec* — — — — — — — — *une* — — — — — — — —

— — — — — — — — *sonorité* — — — — — — — — *chaude et douce...*

*ri - te - nu - to*

Un peu alangui... comme un souvenir...

*ppp*



(ces cinq mesures-ci, sans grande rigueur)

*pp*



Un peu plus lent.

*ppp*



1<sup>er</sup> mouvement.

8  
Très baigné de Pédale..

(mesuré.)

*pp*

*m.g.*  
*m.d.*

Ped.