

for the Dr. K Sextet, with admiration and gratitude

Expressions of Sea Level

Score in C

$\text{♩} = 80$ in motion, eroding and building again
airy, unfocused sound

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The musical score consists of two systems of music. The first system, starting with a piccolo part, includes parts for Piccolo, Clarinet in B \flat , Bass Clarinet in B \flat , Percussion (3 Triangles, Vibraphone, Bass Drum), Violin, and Violoncello. The second system, starting with a piano part, includes parts for Piano, Clarinet in B \flat , Bass Clarinet in B \flat , Percussion (3 Triangles, Vibraphone, Bass Drum), Violin, and Violoncello. The score is in common time (indicated by a '4' over a '4') and uses a soprano clef for the piccolo and violin, and a bass clef for the bass clarinet, bass drum, cello, and piano. Various dynamics and performance instructions are included, such as *pp*, *mf*, *pp*, *full bows*, *gliss.*, *8va*, *3*, *5*, *ppp fragile (loco)*, and *non Ped.*. Measure numbers 5 and 10 are indicated above the staves.

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Picc. 3 *sffz* *poco f espress.* 5 *ffp* 3 *f espress.* 5 *sffz*

B♭ CLARINET

Cl. *p* *pp*

TRIANGLES (damp)

Tri *p* *mp* *mf*

Vln. *pp* *p non cresc.* slow bow *tr* IV (♩) □

Vc. *mf pp sub.* *p non cresc.* *tr* *gliss.* □

Pno. (8) □ 3 *p*

11 solo, molto legato

Picc. *poco f cantabile*

Cl. (tr) *=mf*

Tri

Vln. *slow bow*
arco, full bow

Vc. *fpp*

Pno. *pp*

sudden and violent!

14

Picc.

Cl.

Tri.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f 5 (gradually release/open) *ff*

f 3 *ffp* *f*

f *poco f*

gliss.

pizz., violent and extreme

mf

ff sudden and violent! *8va*

f 5 *ff* *p*

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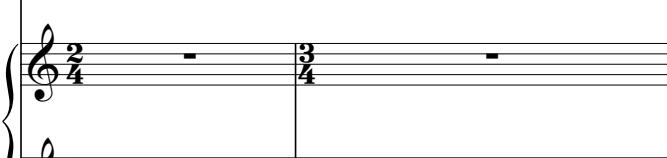
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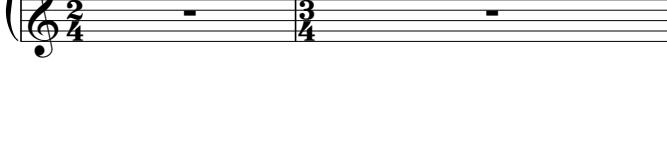
Cl. 

VIBRAPHONE
slow motor on 

Tri. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Pno. 

21

Picc. 

Cl. 

Vib. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Pno. 

24

Picc. 

Cl. 

Vib. 

Vln. 

Vc. 

Pno. 

27

Picc. -

Cl. *mp* *p* *pp* *pure and still* *p* *f*

Vib. *secco, with piccolo* *p* *f*

Vln. *mfp* *pizz.* *I* *0* *calando*

Vc. -

Pno. -

6

 $\text{♩} = 80$ Tempo I

30 match dim of vibraphone

Picc. p

Cl.

Vib. TRIANGLES p pp (dampen) mp

Vln. p

Vc. p

$\text{♩} = 80$ Tempo I

Pno. pp p

Reed.

35

Picc.

Cl.

Tri p 3 sfz (p) mf p

Vln. v IV tr

Vc. III tr non tr. mp mfp sub.

Pno. mp mp mf p

Reed.

39

Picc. *pp poss.*

Cl.

Tri *mf* *p* *tr*

Vln. *full bow* *mf* *p sub.* *mp*

Vc. *mp*

Pno. *mp* *p* *non Ped.*

7

$\text{♩} = 52 - 60$ flexible, coming in slow, rolling waves

41

Picc.

B. Cl. *B♭ Bass Clarinet* *lip bend*

Vib. *VIBRAPHONE* *p* *mp* *f* *p* *f*

Vln. *tr* *ff* *ff*

Vc. *ped.* *mp* *pp* *f* *f:sfz* *mf*

Vln. *slow bow* *b. gliss.* *p* *poco f* *gliss.* *5*

Vc. *slow bow* *mp* *f* *v*

Pno. *p dolce* *mf sub.*

shadowing the bass clarinet

46

Picc.

B. Cl. solo, powerful and fluid

Vib.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

p *f poss.*

pp *ped.*

49

Picc.

B. Cl.

Vib.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

lip bend

ff *mf*

f sub. *p*

(mf) *ped.*

full bow *ped.* *slow bow*

ff p sub.

ff p sub.

f *(mf)* *ped.*

53

Picc.

B. Cl.

Vib. freely, solo rubato

Vln. **TRIANGLES**
with vibraphone mallets

Vc.

Pno.

molto pont. at tip ord. senza vib.

full downbows ffp (non cresc.) ord. senza vib.

molto pont. at tip ffpffpp ffp (non cresc.)

57

Picc.

B. Cl.

Tri

Vln. slow bow

Vc. slow bow

Pno. p dolce

61

Picc. *mf*

B. Cl.

Tri *p* *mp* *l.v. sempre* duet with piano (metal beater)

Vln. *gliss.* *fpp* *sempre* full bow ord.

Vc. *pp* *sempre*

Pno. *p* *duet with triangles* *8va* *mf* *(loco)* *Ped.* *p sub.* *f* *Ped.*

in time (non rit.)

11

64

in time (non rit.)

Picc. *tr* ff
B. Cl. *fp* *pp*
Tri *VIBRAPHONE* *ff* *f* *poco f dolce*
Vln. *mf*
Vc. *poco f* *mp*
Pno. *sffz* *f* *p dolce (loco)*

69 tr $\text{J} = 80 \text{ Tempo I}$

shadowing the vibraphone
pp dolce
solon cantabile
p dolce
arco
gliss
f

73

Picc. B. Cl. Vib. Vln. Vc. Pno.

p

mf

f

mf

p picking up energy

mp

p

8va

8va

Reed.

$\bullet = 100$ raging, violent and unpredictable

78

Picc. -

B. Cl. **ff**

Vib. [BASS DRUM] **$ff:sfz$** sudden

Vln. **mf** **f** **ff** pizz., violent and extreme **ff gritty**

Vc. **ff** **$sffz$**

Pno. **poco f** **ff** (loco) **ff** (loco)

14

81

Picc. - *sffz*

B. Cl. *ff*

B. D. *ff*

Vln. *f* (tr) *ff*
arco, on the string, violent

Vc. *ff gritty*

Vln. solo espressivo

Vc. *ff*

Pno. *sffz*

ff

84

Picc. *f* *ff*

B. Cl. *f* *ff*

B. D. *sffz*

Vln. *f* *ff*

Vc. *f* *ff*

Vln. violent and extreme *pizz.*

Vc. *f* *ff* *ff* *(ff)*

Pno. *f* *ff*

p *ffpp*

tr *f*

tr *f*

p *ff*

88

Picc.

B. Cl. *ff* *f*

B. D. *damp with other mallett* *f* *ff* *ff* *pp* *p*

Vln. *ff* *f dolce* *ff*

Vc. *ff* *f* *ff*

Pno. *f* *ff* *ff*

91

Picc.

B. Cl. *f dolce* *f* *5*

B. D. *sffz* *pizz. violently* *arco* *pp*

Vln. *sffz* *pizz. violently* *0* *p dolce* *arco* *f* *5*

Vc. *sffz* *p dolce* *(loco)* *f* *5*

Pno. *(loco)* *15ma* *(loco)* *(loco) p sub. e dolce* *f sub.* *5*

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16

95

Picc.

B. Cl.

(damp) (l.v.)

B. D. *p* (p)

Vln.

Vc.

Pno. *Eflat*

ff *vb*

97

Picc.

B. Cl. *ff* *p*

B. D. *mp* *mf p sub.*

Vln.

Vc. 5

Pno. (loco) *ff powerful and full*

ff

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99

Picc. - flz.

B. Cl. f ff sudden

B. D. ff

Vln. -

Vc. sffz sffz

Pno. (8)

101

Picc. p light and frivolous 5 ff sub. p sub.

B. Cl. ff

B. D. -

Vln. -

Vc. sff (b) (s) tr~~~~~

Pno. ff

103

Picc. *ff sub.* *p sub.* *mp*

B. Cl. *p* *f* *ffpp* *poco*

B. D. *l.v. sempre*

TRIANGLES *5* *BASS DRUM*

Vln. *(tr)* *(non tr.)* *p* *f* *<ff* *sffz* *forceful, at the heel*

Vc. *p* *(tr)* *f* *<ff* *sffz*

Pno. *f* *non Ped. clean and rhythmic*

Ei

108 *tr* *tr* *f sempre* *tr* *tr* *f sempre* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr*

B. Cl. *f sempre* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr*

B. D. *f = p* *mf > pp*

Vln. *f > ffp* *f* *ff express.* *tr* *tr*

Vc. *f > ff* *f* *tr*

Pno. *pp* *f*

112

Picc. *tr!* *tr!* *tr!* *flz.*

B. Cl. *ff* *ffff*

Tri *ff* *ffff*

Vln. *fff* *pp sub.* *IV* *heavy bow, gritty tr*

Vc. *ff* *ffff*

Pno. *ppp light and fragile*

Red.

115

Picc. *p* *mp* *mf*

B. Cl.

Tri *mf*

Vln. *p*

Vc. *pp* *3* *p* *pp sempre*

Pno. *secco* *p* *f*

118

Picc. bell-like
fp *pp* *p dolce*

B. Cl. *f*

Tri. l.v. sempre 5
f *ff p sub.* *f*

Vln. bell-like
fp *pp* *p dolce*

Vc. bell-like
fp *pp* *p mf* *p dolce*

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gliss.

Pno. *ff*
p dolce

Reo.

121

Picc. *p* *mf* *p*

B. Cl. *pp sempre* *(pp)*

B. D. [BASS DRUM]

Vln. *pp < p*

Vc. *p*

Pno. *mp*

gliss.

BASS DRUM

f *ff driving swells* *f* *sffz f sub.*

sub. fp

f

ff

p

f

ff

gloss.

f

f > p

8va

sffz

8va

8vb

Reo.

126

Picc. *sffz* *p* *fp non cresc.*

B. Cl. *tr* *f* *ff* *p*

B. D. *p* *(p)* *f* *p* (as needed)

Vln. *gliss.* *p* *mf* *<f*

Vc. *tr* *mf* *f* *p*

$\text{♩} = 50 \text{ half speed}$

128

Picc. *f sub.* *ffpp poss.* *p* *pp*

B. Cl. *flz. b* *tr* *ffpp poss.* *pp*

B. D. *full bow* *slow bow* shadowing the cello

Vln. *gritty* *ff pp sub.* *full bow* *at the heel* *slow bow* *3* *p* *mp* *espress.*

Vc. *full bow* *at the heel* *ff pp sub.* *p* *mp* *espress.*

$\text{♩} = 50 \text{ half speed}$

Pno. *p* mysterious and distant

ped.

132

Picc. -

B. Cl. -

B. D. -

Vln. -

Vc. -

Pno. -

pp *p*

p

gliss.

pp

mp *pp* *espress.*

non Ped.

p (*loco*)

135

Picc. -

B. Cl. -

B. D. -

Vln. -

Vc. -

Pno. -

pp *p*

pp

pp

pp

gliss.

pp *p*

(8)

pp