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Good Night

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INSTRUMENTATION

Alto Flute (d. Picc.)
Harp
Violin
Viola
Cello

Duration circa 10 minutes.

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This score is a facsimile of the composer's manuscript

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For Bill Colleran.

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4/4 36 3/4 72 'dark'

flute (alto)
harp
violin con sord.
viola con sord.
cello con sord.

flute
harp
violin
viola
cello

flute
harp
violin
viola
cello

3/4 5/8 \downarrow 60 accel 3/4 7/8

flute
pp *sub marcato* mf p *sub* mp

harp
pp mf mp Flg 4#

violin
ord *flautando* mf mp

viola
pp *sub v* mf mp

cello
ord pp mf p *sub* mp p

7/8 (accel) 3/4 \downarrow 84 4/4

flute
mf f ppp *sub!*

harp
mf #0 stacc p

violin
mf f sul tasto *espress* ppp *sub tasto espress* p

viola
mf f ppp *sub sul tasto* p

cello
mf f ppp *sub!*

3/4 3/8 4/4 \downarrow 72 5/8 4/4

flute
ppp *sempre* mf gliss *espress* f p *molto*

harp
f sfz sfz let ring Ch Gb

violin
ppp *sempre* mf gliss *espress* f

viola
ppp *sempre* mf gliss *espress* f

cello
ppp *sempre* mf gliss *espress* f p *molto*

4 3 4

flute *gliss espress* (b.m.) *thin/piercing*

harp *f* *ff* *pés de la tabla* *ff tim* *ff* *ff* *ff*

violin *gliss espress* (b.m.) *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

viola *gliss espress* (b.m.) *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

cello *f* *ff* *b.m.* *poco sul pont sempre* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

84 7 3 160

flute *ff* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *ff* *pp* *ff* *pp* *ff*

harp *ff ord* *ff* *fff* *let ring*

F# ped gliss Ab → Ah C# → Ch D# D# → Db E# → Eh

violin *ff* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *ff* *pp* *ff* *pp* *ff* *pp* *ff*

viola *ff* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *ff* *pp* *ff* *pp* *ff* *pp* *ff*

cello *ff* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *ff* *pp* *ff* *pp* *ff* *pp* *ff*

4 poco ritard 5 8 (4)

flute *ff* *gliss* *legato* *ten* *mp*

harp *fff* *ff* *f*

violin *ff* *gliss* *legato* *ten* *mp* *ord* *mp* *ord*

viola *ff* *gliss* *legato* *ten* *mp* *ord* *mp* *ord*

cello *ff* *gliss* *legato* *ten* *mp* *ord* *mp* *ord*

12/16 5/8 3/4 184

flute
mf pp p

harp
mf pp
Ab Ab Ab Db Eb Bb C# C#

violin
ARCO PIZZ mf pp (60) poco sf sf

viola
ARCO PIZZ mf pp

cello
ARCO PIZZ mf pp poco sf p sf

9/16 5/8 4/8 5/8 (3/4)

flute
change to piccolo

harp
mf staccato f poco f poco f f

violin
mf (65) f poco f poco f f

viola
mf f poco f poco f f

cello
mf f poco f poco f f

3/4 7/8 3/4 2/4

piccolo
mp poco a poco diminuendo pp

harp
f diminuendo dim p

violin
ARCO sfzpp ff gradually → ord mf b sim gradually → cut tasto

viola
ARCO sfzpp ff gradually → ord mf b sim gradually → cut tasto

cello
sfzpp ff f mf p