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Métamorphoses
sur un thème
de Wolfgang Rihm

pour septuor à cordes



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I - Le cercle (fantaisie)

Senza tempo (em. 4'') Accelerando molto - - - - - Senza tempo (em. 3'')

Precipitato !

Violon I G.P. pizz. **ff** G.P.

Violon II pizz. **mp** pizz. **fff**

Alto I pizz. **p** pizz. **fff**

Alto II pizz. **f** pizz. **fff**

Violoncelle I pizz. **mf** pizz. **sfz**

Violoncelle II pizz. **mf** pizz. **sfz**

Contrebasse gliss. (vibr.) **sfz**



4 **Molto vivace, giocoso e scorrevole** (♩ ~ 132)

V. I

V. II

A. I arco sul pont. **pp**

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II arco sul pont. **pp**

Cb.

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7

arco sul pont.
pp

arco sul pont.
ppp

10

arco sul pont.
pp

arco sul pont.
pp

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12

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

arco sul pont.

pp

sul tasto

poco

14

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

sul tasto

poco

sul tasto

pp

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16

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

ord.

mf

ord.

pp

ord.

18

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

ord.

p

ord.

ord.

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20

ord.

p *f*

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

22

sul tasto,
alla punta

pont.

p *pp*

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

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24

V. I *mf*

V. II

A. I *mf*

A. II

Vc. I *mf*

Vc. II *mf* ord.

Cb. *mf*

sul tasto, alla punta

ord.

26

V. I *pp* ord. l.v.

V. II *p* ord. l.v.

A. I *pp* ord. l.v. +

A. II *mf* ord. l.v. + *ppp*

Vc. I *ppp* ord. +

Vc. II *ppp* pizz. *ppp* ord.

Cb. *ppp*

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Score for measures 28-29. The score is for a string quartet and two violas. The instruments are V. I, V. II, A. I, A. II, Vc. I, Vc. II, and Cb. The music is in 3/4 time. Measure 28 starts with a '+' above the first violin staff. Dynamics include ppp, pp, and pont. Measure 29 continues with dynamics pp, ppp, pizz., and arco. There are fermatas and slurs throughout the measures.

30

Score for measures 30-31. The score is for a string quartet and two violas. The instruments are V. I, V. II, A. I, A. II, Vc. I, Vc. II, and Cb. The music is in 3/4 time. Measure 30 starts with a '+' above the first violin staff. Dynamics include ppp, pp, mp, p, and ppp. Measure 31 continues with dynamics ppp, p, ppp, p, ppp, and ppp. There are fermatas and slurs throughout the measures.

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32 poco ritenuto - - - - - ord. - - - - - ,

V. I *mf* *pp* *ppp*

V. II *p* *ppp*

A. I *mf* *pp*

A. II *p* *mp* *ppp*

Vc. I *pizz.*

Vc. II *p* *pizz.*

Cb. *pp*

34 A tempo, ma più agitato

V. I *sfz* *f*

V. II *col legno, batt. balz.* *sfz* *arco ord. alla corda* *f*

A. I *alla corda* *f* *col legno, batt. balz.* *sfz* *arco ord.*

A. II *col legno, batt. balz.* *sfz* *arco ord. alla corda* *f* *batt. balz.* *sfz*

Vc. I *alla corda* *f* *col legno, batt. balz.* *sfz*

Vc. II *arco alla corda* *f* *col legno, batt. balz.* *sfz*

Cb. *col legno, batt. balz.* *sfz* *arco ord. alla corda* *f* *batt. balz.* *sfz*

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batt. balz. arco ord.

V. I *sfz* batt. balz. arco

V. II *sfz* arco *mf* batt. balz.

A. I *sfz* arco ord. batt. balz.

A. II *sfz* arco ord. batt. balz.

Vc. I *sfz* arco ord. batt. balz. *mf* arco ord.

Vc. II *sfz* arco ord. batt. balz.

Cb. *sfz* arco ord. batt. balz.

38

pont. ord. pizz. gliss.

V. I *mp* *ff* *sfz*

V. II arco *f* pizz. *sfz* arco *fff*

A. I *p* pont. *ff* pizz. *sfz* arco

A. II *mf* arco ord. *sfz* pizz. *ff* arco

Vc. I *pp* pont. (trem.) *ff* ord. pizz. *gliss.*

Vc. II *mf* pont. *sfz* pizz. (ord.) *ff* arco *ff*

Cb. *p* arco ord. *ff* pizz. *gliss.* *sfz*

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40

V. I pont. *ff* pizz. (dolciss.) *mf* 3

V. II pizz. (dolciss.) *mp* 5

A. I arco sul pont. *ff* *gliss.* *mf*

A. II pizz. *mf* 3 arco sul pont. *mf*

Vc. I arco sul pont. *f* *mp*

Vc. II pont. *f* *mp*

Cb. *gliss.*

42

V. I 5 *quasi niente*

V. II 6 *quasi niente*

A. I *pp*

A. II *p* *pp*

Vc. I *p* *pp*

Vc. II *pp* *p*

Cb.

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44

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

ord.

f agitato

ord.

f agitato

p

mf

molto

46

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

pp

pp

ppp poss.

arco

I - Le cercle (fantaisie)

48

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

ord.

ppp

p

espr.

pp

sul pont. (ad lib.)

p

Detailed description: This system covers measures 48 and 49. The strings (Violins I and II, Violas I and II, and Cello) are mostly silent, indicated by a horizontal line with a bar. The double bass (Cb.) plays a single note in measure 48. In measure 49, the double bass plays a half note. The first violins (V. I) and second violins (V. II) are silent. The first violas (A. I) play a half note. The second violas (A. II) play a half note. The first violins (Vc. I) play a half note. The second violins (Vc. II) play a half note. The double bass (Cb.) plays a half note. Dynamics include ppp, p, and pp. Performance instructions include 'ord.', 'espr.', and 'sul pont. (ad lib.)'.

50

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

ord.

ppp

p

espr.

pp

arco

pochiss.

Detailed description: This system covers measures 50 and 51. The strings (Violins I and II, Violas I and II, and Cello) are mostly silent, indicated by a horizontal line with a bar. The double bass (Cb.) is silent. In measure 50, the first violas (A. I) play a half note. The second violas (A. II) are silent. The first violins (Vc. I) play a half note. The second violins (Vc. II) play a half note. In measure 51, the first violas (A. I) play a half note. The second violas (A. II) are silent. The first violins (Vc. I) play a half note. The second violins (Vc. II) play a half note. The double bass (Cb.) is silent. Dynamics include ppp, p, and pp. Performance instructions include 'ord.', 'espr.', and 'arco'.

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52

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

arco

pp

espr.

mp

pp

54

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

pp

espr.

mf

p

poco

I - Le cercle (fantaisie)

56

arco *espr.*

V. I *f*

V. II *mf* (vibr.) arco *f*

A. I *f*

A. II *mf*

Vc. I

Vc. II *mf*

Cb.

58

V. I *mp* *ff* *mf*

V. II *f poss.* (senza vibr.) *poco f*

A. I *f poss.* (senza vibr.)

A. II *mf*

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

I - Le cercle (fantaisie)

60

Score for measures 60-61. The score includes staves for Violin I (V. I), Violin II (V. II), Viola I (A. I), Viola II (A. II), Violoncello I (Vc. I), Violoncello II (Vc. II), and Contrabasso (Cb.).

- V. I:** Rest.
- V. II:** Rest.
- A. I:** Rest.
- A. II:** Rest.
- Vc. I:** *mp* (measures 60-61), *mf* (measure 61), *(senza vibr.)* (measure 61).
- Vc. II:** *p* (measures 60-61).
- Cb.:** Rest.

62

Score for measures 62-63. The score includes staves for Violin I (V. I), Violin II (V. II), Viola I (A. I), Viola II (A. II), Violoncello I (Vc. I), Violoncello II (Vc. II), and Contrabasso (Cb.).

- V. I:** Rest.
- V. II:** Rest.
- A. I:** *pp* (measures 62-63).
- A. II:** *p* (measures 62-63), *(senza vibr.)* (measure 63).
- Vc. I:** *pp* (measures 62-63), *pont.* (measure 63).
- Vc. II:** Rest.
- Cb.:** Rest.

I - Le cercle (fantaisie)

poco ritenuto

64

V. I

V. II

A. I con sord., senza vibr. *pp*

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II con sord., senza vibr. *ppp*

Cb. pont. *ppp* *poco*

67

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II con sord. *pppp*

Vc. I sul pont. *ppp* *poco*

Vc. II

Cb. con sordi, ord. e senza vibr. *pppp*

„Wie ein Hauch“...

II - Aber nun ruhet er eine Weile *

Adagio placido (♩ = 48)

À Lucia Peralta.

Violon I

Violon II

Alto I

Alto II

Violoncelle I

Violoncelle II

Contrebasse

quasi senza vibr.

ppp

pochiss. vibr.

pppp *quasi niente* *pochiss.*

senza sord.

ppp *pochiss.*

senza sord. quasi senza vibr.

pp *ord.* *senza vibr.* *mp*

ppp *poco*

senza sord.

pp *pp*

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

ppp *poco*

pochiss. vibr.

pp *pp* *ppp poss.* *p* *ord., poco vibr.*

III sul tasto, senza vibr.

pp *ppp* *poco vibr.*

pp *pochiss. vibr.* *poco vibr.*

p

(*) « Mais à présent il se repose un peu » (Friedrich Hölderlin, fragment 14)

II - Aber nun ruhet er eine Weile

9

pochiss. vibr.

V. I *p* *mp* *p* *p* *mf*

V. II *pp* *mf* *mp*

A. I *p* *mf*

A. II *poch.* *pochiss. vibr.* *pp*

Vc. I *più vibr.* *pp* *mf*

Vc. II *(più vibr.)* *pp* *mf* *(poco vibr.)* *pp*

Cb.

13

molto sul tasto, poco vibr.

V. I *pp* *pochiss.*

V. II *quasi f* *pp* *senza vibr.*

A. I *III* *sul tasto, senza vibr.* *pp* *poco vibr.* *poco*

A. II *pochiss. vibr.* *ppp*

Vc. I *(vibr.)* *mp* *poco vibr.* *pp* *IV*

Vc. II *poco* *pp* *ppp poss.* *pp*

Cb. *V* *pp*

III - Scherzino pizzicato

À Jill McCoy

A capriccio (♩. = 88 - 104)

(rest strokes)

(vibr. ad lib)

Contrebasse

molto libero *ad lib.*

Cb.

Cb.

accel. e cresc. molto *rall.* *pesante* *p*

² **colla parte** (♩. = 104) **a tempo** **a tempo** *simile*

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

mp *mf* *mf* *mf* *mp* *mf* *più p* *rubato* *rubato*

III - Scherzino pizzicato

a tempo (♩ = 63)

9

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

meno rubato

in tempo

f

sfz l.v.

17

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

mp

pp sempre

pp sempre

pp

(pizz. ord.)

III - Scherzino pizzicato

23

Score for measures 23-28. The score includes parts for Violin I (V. I), Violin II (V. II), Viola I (A. I), Viola II (A. II), Violoncello I (Vc. I), Violoncello II (Vc. II), and Contrabasso (Cb.). The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The time signature is 3/4. The music is marked *pp* (pianissimo) in measures 23-28. The Cb. part has a *pp sempre* marking in measure 23. The Cb. part has a *pp* marking in measure 28.

29

Score for measures 29-34. The score includes parts for Violin I (V. I), Violin II (V. II), Viola I (A. I), Viola II (A. II), Violoncello I (Vc. I), Violoncello II (Vc. II), and Contrabasso (Cb.). The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat). The time signature is 3/4. The music is marked *f* (forte) in measures 29-34. The Cb. part has a *f* marking in measure 29. The Cb. part has a *f* marking in measure 34.

III - Scherzino pizzicato

34

V. I *mf*
molto vibr.

V. II *f*

A. I *sfz*
p

A. II *p*
sfz
p

Vc. I *sfz*
mf
ben in rilievo

Vc. II *p*
sfz
p l.v.

Cb. *sfz*
p

39

V. I *pp*
mp

V. II *pp*
mp

A. I *f*
mp

A. II *pp*
f

Vc. I *f*
mf

Vc. II *pp*
mf

Cb. *f*
mf
(rest strokes)
ossia
f

III - Scherzino pizzicato

44

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

mf

f

ff

tr

sfz

mf

f

sfz

tr

mf

sfz

f

tr

mf

sfz

ff (pizz. ord.)

ppp subito

(ne pas étouffer !)

50

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

mf

p

mp

tr

sfz

(ord.)

sfz

ppp sempre

III - Scherzino pizzicato

68

ord.

V. I *mp* *pp*

V. II *mp* *pp*

A. I *pp*

A. II *pp* *ppp*

Vc. I *pp*

Vc. II *ppp*

Cb. *mf*

- Presto possibile

senza rallentare

74

V. I *ppp* *pppp* *quasi niente*

V. II *ppp* *pppp*

A. I

A. II

Vc. I *sfz* *l.v.* *

Vc. II

Cb. *f* *molto* *pppp* *quasi niente*

IV - Hälfte des Lebens*

(lied sans paroles...)

À Wolfgang Rihm.

Largo e nobile (♩ = 52)

Violon I
f poco vibr. e molto intenso
 portato

Violon II
f poco vibr. e molto intenso
 portato

Alto I
f poco vibr. e molto intenso
 portato

Alto II
pp con delicata espressione
 con sord.

Violoncelle I
pp con delicata espressione
 con sord.

Violoncelle II
pp con delicata espressione

Contrebasse

(*) Les changements de coup d'archet doivent, autant que possible, être imperceptibles sur toute la phrase.

V. I
mf
mp

V. II
mf
mp

A. I
mf
mp

A. II
pp con delicata espressione
poco

Vc. I
pp con delicata espressione
 con sord.

Vc. II
pp con delicata espressione
poco
 con sord.

Cb.
pp con delicata espressione

(*) « Milieu de la vie », d'après Friedrich Hölderlin...

Hälfte des Lebens

Mit gelben Birnen hänget
Und voll mit wilden Rosen
Das Land in den See,
Ihr holden Schwäne,
Und trunken von Küssen
Tunkt ihr das Haupt
Ins heilignüchterne Wasser.

Weh mir, wo nehm' ich, wenn
Es Winter ist, die Blumen, und wo
Den Sonnenschein,
Und Schatten der Erde?
Die Mauern stehn
Sprachlos und kalt, im Winde
Klirren die Fahnen.

Friedrich Hölderlin (1805)

*Lourde de poires jaunes,
Et pleine de roses sauvages
La terre est penchée sur le lac,
Et vous, cygnes charmants,
Enivrés de baisers,
Vous trempez votre tête
Dans l'eau sobre et sacrée.*

*Où, malheureux, irai-je prendre,
Quand vient l'hiver, les fleurs, où
L'or du soleil,
Et l'ombre de la terre ?
Les murs sont là
Muets et froids, dans le vent
Les bannières tintent.*

(traduction : Jean-Pierre Lefebvre)

V - Soliloques

Con moto, tenebroso (♩ = 92)

À Frédérick Kojevnikov.

arco ord. quasi senza tempo all'inizio ↑ ord. - - - - -

Alto I *ppp* *sfzpp* *sussurando*

A. I *ppp* *poco* *(pp)* *sul tasto*

Vc. II *ppp* *sfzpp* *sussurando*

A. I *ppp* *poco* *(pp)* *sul tasto*

Vc. II *ppp* *sfzpp* *sussurando*

Cb. *pp* *sfzppp* *sussurando*

A. I *ppp* *poco* *(pp)* *sul tasto*

A. II *pp*

Vc. II *ppp* *poco* *(pp)* *sul tasto*

Cb. *ppp* *poco cresc.* *sul tasto*

10

A. I *pp sempre*

A. II *sfzpp* *sussurando* ord. - - - - -

Vc. I

Vc. II *pp sempre*

Cb. *pp sempre*

12

A. I *pp ma più e più in rilievo* ord.

A. II *pp agitato* *sul tasto*

Vc. I *pp* *senza sord.* *sfzpp* *sussurando* ord. - - - - -

Vc. II *pp agitato*

Cb. *pp agitato*

14

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

arco ord.

p

sfzpp

sussurando

ord. - - - - -

p più e più agitato

cresc.

pp sempre

sul tasto

pp sempre

ord.

pp
ma più e più in rilievo

pp

16 arco ord. \square \uparrow *sussurando* ord. - - - - -

V. I *mp* \curvearrowright *sfz pp*

V. II \dashrightarrow sul tasto *pp agitato*

A. I *poco* *p agitato*

A. II *p agitato* *pp*

Vc. I *p agitato* *pp*

Vc. II *fp agitato* *mf agitato*

Cb. *mf pp* *molto*

Detailed description: This page of a musical score, numbered 16, features seven staves. The Violin I staff begins with a rest, followed by a note marked 'arco ord.' and a square symbol. The music then continues with dynamic markings 'mp' and 'sfz pp'. The Violin II staff has a 'sul tasto' instruction with a dashed arrow. The Viola I staff includes a 'poco' marking. The Viola II staff has a 'p agitato' marking. The Violoncello I staff has a 'p agitato' marking. The Violoncello II staff has 'fp agitato' and 'mf agitato' markings. The Contrabasso staff has 'mf pp' and 'molto' markings. The score is divided into two measures by a vertical line.

V - Soliloques

18 *sul tasto*

V. I *alla punta, ord.*
p capriccioso

V. II *alla punta, ord.*
p capriccioso

A. I *âpre*
mf *molto capriccioso*
p

A. II *tr^(h)*
pp molto agitato

Vc. I

Vc. II *cresc.*

Cb. *ord.* *savage, al tallone*
pp *quasi f e molto agitato*

Detailed description: This page of a musical score, titled 'V - Soliloques', contains measures 18 through 31. It features seven staves: Violin I (V. I), Violin II (V. II), Arco I (A. I), Arco II (A. II), Violoncello I (Vc. I), Violoncello II (Vc. II), and Contrabasso (Cb.). The Violin parts are marked 'sul tasto' and 'alla punta, ord.', with dynamics 'p' and 'p capriccioso'. The Arco parts are marked 'âpre' and 'molto capriccioso', with dynamics 'mf' and 'p'. The Arco II part includes a trill marked 'tr(h)' and 'pp molto agitato'. The Violoncello II part is marked 'cresc.'. The Contrabasso part is marked 'ord.', 'savage, al tallone', 'pp', and 'quasi f e molto agitato'. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, accents, and dynamic markings.

20

V. I *mp agitato*

V. II (stacc. ord.) *sfz mp agitato*

A. I *mf*

A. II

Vc. I *tr* *pp molto agitato*

Vc. II *l.v.* *mp* *5* *âpre* *5* *5* *mf* *molto capriccioso*

Cb. *l.v.* *âpre* *mp*

Detailed description: This page of a musical score, titled 'V - Soliloques', contains measures 20 through 23. It features seven staves: Violin I (V. I), Violin II (V. II), Viola I (A. I), Viola II (A. II), Violin I (Vc. I), Violin II (Vc. II), and Cello (Cb.).
- V. I: Starts at measure 20 with a melodic line in treble clef, marked *mp agitato*.
- V. II: Also starts at measure 20, marked *sfz*. At measure 21, it changes to a staccato order marked *(stacc. ord.) mp agitato*.
- A. I: Features a melodic line in bass clef, marked *mf*.
- A. II: Provides harmonic support with sustained notes and a wavy line, marked with accents and dynamic markings like *v*.
- Vc. I: Includes a trill marked *tr* and a dynamic marking of *pp molto agitato*.
- Vc. II: Features a complex passage with five-fingered chords (*5*) and a dynamic marking of *mp*. It includes the instruction *âpre* and *molto capriccioso*, with a dynamic shift to *mf*.
- Cb.: Provides a bass line, marked *l.v.* and *âpre*, with a dynamic marking of *mp*.

22 (stacc. ord.)

V. I

V. II

A. I *simile*

A. II *âpre* *mf* *sul pont.* *tr* *molto capriccioso*

Vc. I *(b)* *âpre* *mp* *3*

Vc. II *mp* *simile*

Cb. *molto capriccioso* *mf*

Detailed description: This page of a musical score, numbered 22, is titled 'V - Soliloques'. It features seven staves for different instruments: Violin I (V. I), Violin II (V. II), Arco Bass I (A. I), Arco Bass II (A. II), Viola I (Vc. I), Viola II (Vc. II), and Cello (Cb.). The score is divided into two systems by a vertical bar line. The first system (measures 22-25) includes the instruction '(stacc. ord.)' at the top left. The second system (measures 26-29) includes 'simile' for A. I, 'âpre' and 'mf' for A. II, 'âpre' and 'mp' for Vc. I, and 'mp' for Vc. II. The Cello part in the second system is marked 'molto capriccioso' and 'mf'. Various musical notations are present, including slurs, accents, trills (tr), triplets (3), and quintuplets (5). The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4.

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V. I *più feroce* *mf* *espr.* *mf* *âpre* 5 5 5

V. II *âpre* *mf* *p intenso*

A. I 5 *♯ sul pont.* *ord.* *mf*

A. II 3 *ord.* *mf* *sul pont.* 3

Vc. I *sul pont.* *molto capriccioso* *ord.*

Vc. II *mf* *sul pont.*

Cb. *p*

26

molto capriccioso

V. I

5

più f

V. II

mf

A. I

sul pont.

ord.

più f

A. II

ord.

mf

Vc. I

sul pont.

ord.

mf

3

3

Vc. II

ord.

5

5

5

5

mf

Cb.

pizz.

sfz

(pizz.)

p (non cresc.)

28

V. I

sul pont.

ord. b

più f

V. II

più f

A. I

pp

A. II

più f

Vc. I

più f

Vc. II

più f

Cb.

arco

pp

cresc. molto -

Detailed description: This page of a musical score, titled 'V - Soliloques', contains measures 28 through 31. It features seven staves: Violin I (V. I), Violin II (V. II), Viola I (A. I), Viola II (A. II), Violoncello I (Vc. I), Violoncello II (Vc. II), and Contrabasso (Cb.).
- **Violin I (V. I):** Starts at measure 28 with a 'sul pont.' instruction. It features a melodic line with a 'ord. b' (ordine b) marking. Dynamics include *più f*.
- **Violin II (V. II):** Mirrors the Violin I part with similar dynamics and phrasing.
- **Viola I (A. I):** Provides harmonic support with a *pp* dynamic.
- **Viola II (A. II):** Features triplet patterns with a *più f* dynamic.
- **Violoncello I (Vc. I):** Features quintuplet patterns with a *più f* dynamic.
- **Violoncello II (Vc. II):** Provides harmonic support with a *più f* dynamic.
- **Contrabasso (Cb.):** Enters at measure 31 with an 'arco' instruction and a *pp* dynamic, followed by a 'cresc. molto' marking.

senza rallentare!

30

V. I *p* *cresc. molto* *ff* *molto vibr.*

V. II *mf* *cresc. molto* *ff* *molto vibr.*

A. I *cresc. molto* *ff* *molto vibr.*

A. II *mp* *cresc. molto* *ff* *molto vibr.*

Vc. I *p* *cresc. molto* *ff* *molto vibr.* (non harm.)

Vc. II *p* *cresc. molto* *ff* *molto vibr.*

Cb. *ff* *molto vibr.*

Subito come all'inizio,
ma più tranquillo e rubato (♩ = 84)

rallentando - - - -

32

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

espr.

p subito

sul tasto

ppp subito, mormorando

poco

con delicatezza

34

V. I

V. II

A. I

A. II

Vc. I

Vc. II

Cb.

ppp dolcissimo

ppp dolcissimo

sul pont.

ppp

ord.

calando

espr.

Adagio sereno (♩ = 54) Ancora più lento

V. I *ppp* *dolcissimo*

V. II *ppp* *dolcissimo*

A. I

A. II

Vc. I *ppp* *dolcissimo*

Vc. II *ppp* *dolcissimo*

Cb. *pp* (*pizz.*) *ma ben in rilievo* (A - ber nun ru - bet er — ei - ne Wei-...)

ppp *gliss. lento*



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