night, good and sweet night

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I. the sun sets unevenly

delicate, coquettish

♩ = 66

Clarinet in B♭

Violin

Violoncello

Piano

solo, esp.

pizz.

arco

brilliant, precise

Ped. * Ped.

4

white-tone, flautando

ord.

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

sul pont.

p sub.

marcato

8

Ped.

11

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

pp *sul pont.*

mp *ff* *f*

14

♩ = 96

fff

ff *p* *f sub.* *p* *f sub.*

17

p *mf*

p sub.

20

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f

3

f

mf

pizz.

f

mf *sub.*

23

Cl.

mp

f

Vln.

sul pont.
"over-bow"

f

mf

f *ff*

Vc.

Pno.

f

mf *sub.*

f

26

Cl.

3

ugly, growling

ff

f

ord.

f

Vln.

ord.

f

mf

pizz.

Vc.

arco
sul pont.

f *ff*

Pno.

f

29

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mp 3 *f sub.*

3 *mf* *f* *arco*

ff

32

declamatory, triumphant

♩ = 66

ff

solo, molto esp.

spiccato

Ped. *

35

guttural

♩ = 96

p *mf*

f *p* *f sub.* *p sub.*

39

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf *f*

f

f

sul pont.

ord.

f

f

42

barrelling forward

f

ff

pizz.

f

barrelling forward

ff

f

46

f

f

49

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

arco

52

gracefully, as a song

♩ = 48

p dolce

55

esp.

58

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf

Ped. * Ped. *

61

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f

Ped. * Ped.

64

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf

* Ped. *

67

with longing

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

pp

mp

pp

mp

with longing

Ped.

*

70

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

pp

mp

73

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

76

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf

f

79

poco rall.

ff

82

deliberate and grand

♩ = 36

molto accel.

fff

86

♩ = 72 rit. ♩ = 48

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

89

graceful, inviting

♩ = 60

pp mp pizz. arco mf p

Pno. Ped.

92

pp p

Cl. Vln. Vc. Pno.

95

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mp

pp

p

mp

3

6

3

3

3

7

mp

98

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

ff

3

Ped.

*

agitated

♩ = 96

101

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

fff

p

3

3

p

f

agitated

♩ = 96

p

104

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf f mf f f p p f p

3

107

grand, declamatory!

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f f f f

3

Ped.

110

with growing incessance

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf mp mp f mp sub.

3

Ped.

113

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f *ff* *mf* *f* *ff* *mf* *f* *ff* *f* *ff* *ff*

Ped. *

116

piercing, furious

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

p *ff* *fp* *ff* *ff* *ff* *f* *ff* *fp* *fp* *ff* *ff* *fff*

piercing, furious

119

nostalgic

♩ = 48

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

fff *fff* *fff* *fff* *p*

chromatic cluster,
slam hand on lowest
register

nostalgic

♩ = 48

Ped.

122

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

n. *p*

sul pont.

pp

sul pont.

pp

pp

125

flautando

3

pp

pp *mp* *n.*

pp *mp* *n.*

pp

n.

128

3

n. *pp*

ppp

II. stamping on the stairs

with relentless vigour!

♩. = 126

Cl.

Vln. *pizz.*

Vc. *pizz.*

Pno.

with relentless vigour!

♩. = 126

Vln. *arco*

6

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

lightly, jocular

11

Cl. *solo*

Vln. *arco* *sim.*

Vc.

Pno.

lightly, jocular

16

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf

mf

mf

p

mf

21

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf

f

pizz.

f

f

f

26

primitive, percussive

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

pizz.

f

f

mf

primitive, percussive

31

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

arco

f

f

36

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

sarcastically

p

pizz.

p

sarcastically

mp

p

41

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

dark, ominous

arco

p

f *sub.*

p *sub.*

f

dark, ominous

fp

46

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

p *f*

f

f

f

50

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f

arco

f

solo, molto esp.

f

55

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mp *f*

f

mp

mf

60

angrily, harsh

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

sul pont.

pizz.

ord.

angrily, harsh

65

arco

70

pizz.

75

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

sul G
arco

f

sul G
arco

f

80

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mp

f

f

f

f

Ped.

85

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f

f

f

f

*

90

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

pizz.

mp

pizz.

mp

mp

95

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mf

mf

mf

mf

100

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

(♯)

tr

fp

f

f

f

arco

p

p

p

(♮)

tr

8vb

105

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f

p

110

arco

ff

mf

Ped.

115

pizz.

pp

fff

arco

III. the edge of her warmth

delicate

♩ = 48

Cl.

Vln. *flautando* 3 *pp*

Vc. n *pp*

delicate

♩ = 48

Pno.

6

Cl.

Vln. *flautando* 3 *pp* *esp.* 3 *p*

Vc. n *pp* *esp.* 3 *mp* *p*

Pno.

11 **grand**

Cl.

Vln. *f* 3 3 3 *mp*

Vc. *f* 3 3 *mp*

grand

Pno.

15

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

crystalline

ppp

pp

n.

crystalline

pp

pp

8vb

Ped.
(until indicated)

20

plaintive

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

pp

p

3

p

3

3

3

(8)

25

Cl.

mf

mp

melancholy

pp

Vln.

Vc.

p

mp

p

Pno.

mp

mp

3

3

melancholy

(8)

* Ped.

* Ped.

30

slowly, an obscure tango

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

slowly, an obscure tango

34

pizz.

pedal ad lib.

38

with greater and greater fury

flautando

sul pont.

sul pont.

with greater and greater fury

41

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

f

mf

ff

Ped.

43

ff

45

allow piano to decay to (mf) before entering, "sneak in"

non vib.

resigned

fff

pp

con sord. non vib.

49

Cl.

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

sneak in

pp

senza sord.
ord. vib.

pp

non vib.

3

ord.

pp

53

with less and less vibrato until the end . . . . . moving towards sul pont.

with less and less vibrato until the end . . . . . moving towards sul pont.

56

sul pont. non vib.

ppp

sul pont. non vib.

ppp

sul pont. non vib.

ppp