



A WANDERER'S PSALM

[CANTUS PEREGRINUS]



SET TO MUSIC FOR
SOLI, CHORUS & ORCHESTRA

by
Horatio Parker
(Op. 50)

Violin II

COVER IMAGE

‘Moses Leading the Israelites Out of Egypt’

by

József Molnár

1821



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Although a number of those works were engraved, printed and are regularly performed today, performance scores for a considerable number of compositions, both large-scale and more intimate works, are not available. These works were either never engraved or were engraved and printed but are no longer available in the publishers’ catalogues. While the existence of these works is documented in biographies of the composers, the ability to study and, most importantly, to perform these compositions is not possible.

Changes in the International copyright laws, coupled with changing musical tastes, played a pivotal role in creating this void. As a result, music publishers lost the ability to generate revenue from the sale/rental of such music. In 1964, holograph and copyist scores from both Novello and from publishers it represented were offered to the British Library and the Royal College of Music Library (see The RCM Novello Library – The Musical Times, Feb. 1983 by Jeremy Dibble).

These autograph full score manuscripts along with copies of engraved vocal scores, widely available through various online library sources, are now the only resources available for studying and performing these works.

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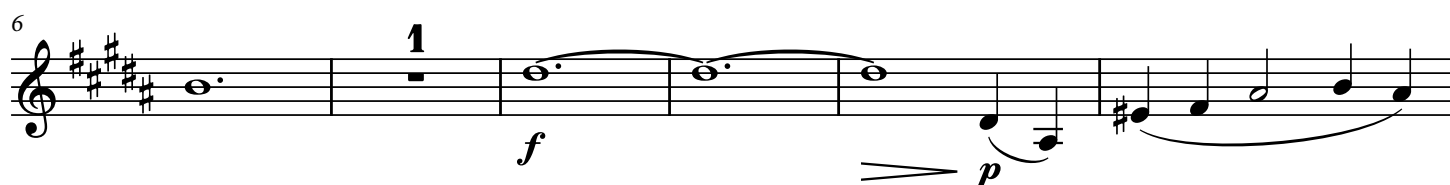
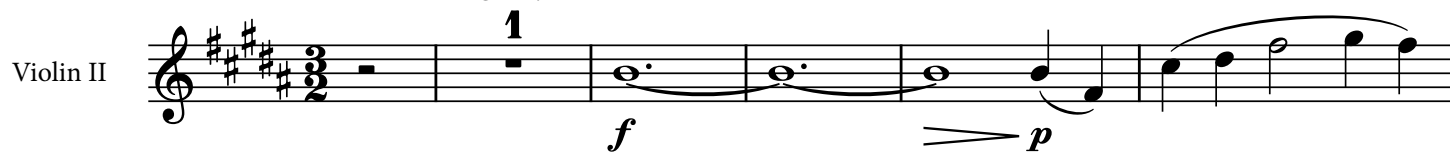
A WANDERER'S PSALM

Psalm 107

Horatio Parker

No. 1 - "O Give Thanks Unto The Lord"

Slow, with dignity



37

Staff 37-40: Treble clef, key of D major (F# C# G# D). Measure 37 starts with a whole note D4, followed by a half note E4, quarter notes F#4, G#4, A5, and B5. Measure 38 has a half note A5, quarter notes G#4, F#4, and E4. Measure 39 has a half note D4, quarter notes E4, F#4, and G#4. Measure 40 has a whole note D4. A dynamic marking *f* is placed below the first measure.

41

Staff 41-44: Treble clef, key of D major. Measure 41 has a whole note D4. Measure 42 has a whole note D4. Measure 43 has a whole note D4. Measure 44 has a whole note D4. A dynamic marking *sfz* is placed below measure 42, and *ff* is placed below measure 43.

45

Staff 45-48: Treble clef, key of D major. Measure 45 has a whole note D4. Measure 46 has a whole note D4. Measure 47 has a whole note D4. Measure 48 has a whole note D4. A dynamic marking *f* is placed below measure 45.

49

Staff 49-54: Treble clef, key of D major. Measure 49 has a whole note D4. Measure 50 has a whole note D4. Measure 51 has a whole note D4. Measure 52 has a whole note D4. Measure 53 has a whole note D4. Measure 54 has a whole note D4. A dynamic marking *ff* is placed below measure 52. A box containing the number 2 is placed above measure 52.

55

Staff 55-57: Treble clef, key of D major. Measure 55 has a whole note D4. Measure 56 has a whole note D4. Measure 57 has a whole note D4.

58

Staff 58-60: Treble clef, key of D major. Measure 58 has a whole note D4. Measure 59 has a whole note D4. Measure 60 has a whole note D4. A dynamic marking *dim.* is placed below measure 59.

61

Staff 61-66: Treble clef, key of D major. Measure 61 has a whole note D4. Measure 62 has a whole note D4. Measure 63 has a whole note D4. Measure 64 has a whole note D4. Measure 65 has a whole note D4. Measure 66 has a whole note D4. A dynamic marking *mf* is placed below measure 61, *dim.* is placed below measure 63, and *p* is placed below measure 65.

67

Staff 67-74: Treble clef, key of D major. Measure 67 has a whole note D4. Measure 68 has a whole note D4. Measure 69 has a whole note D4. Measure 70 has a whole note D4. Measure 71 has a whole note D4. Measure 72 has a whole note D4. Measure 73 has a whole note D4. Measure 74 has a whole note D4. A dynamic marking *dim.* is placed below measure 67, *pp* is placed below measure 69, and a box containing the number 3 is placed above measure 70. A box containing the number 4 is placed above measure 72.

75

p

80

p

84

poco animato
div.

p

87

unis.

pp

92

4

p

96

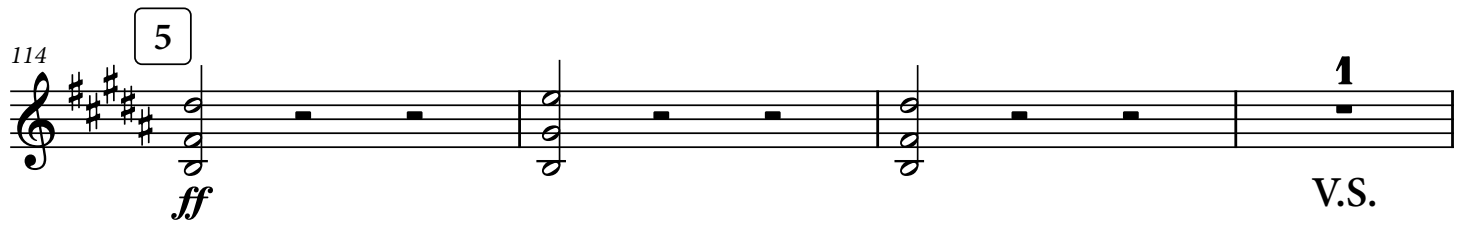
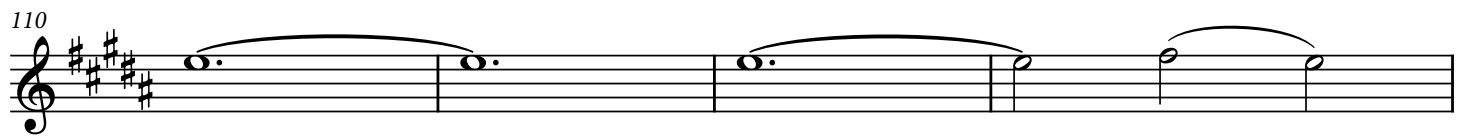
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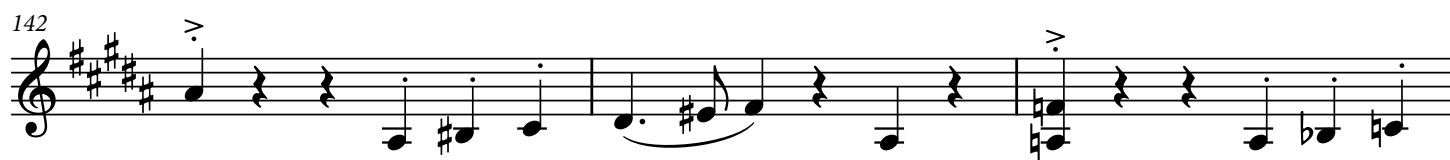
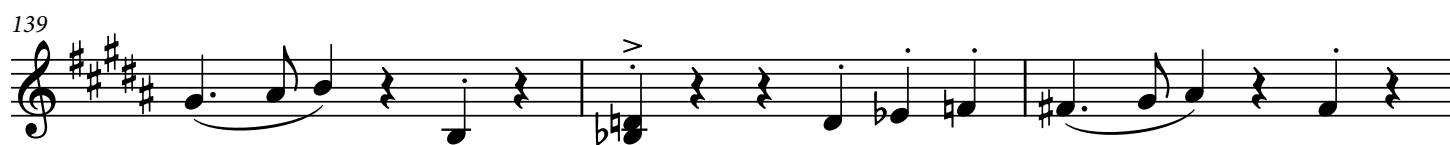
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ff

106

p





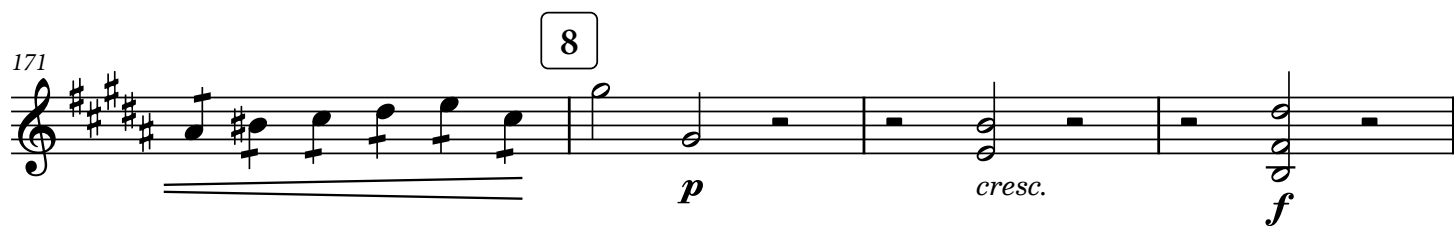
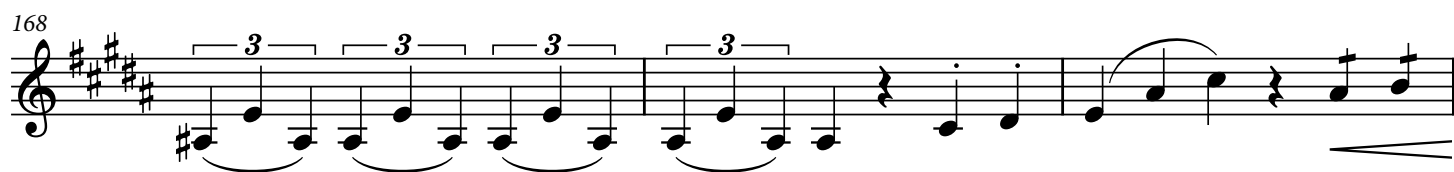
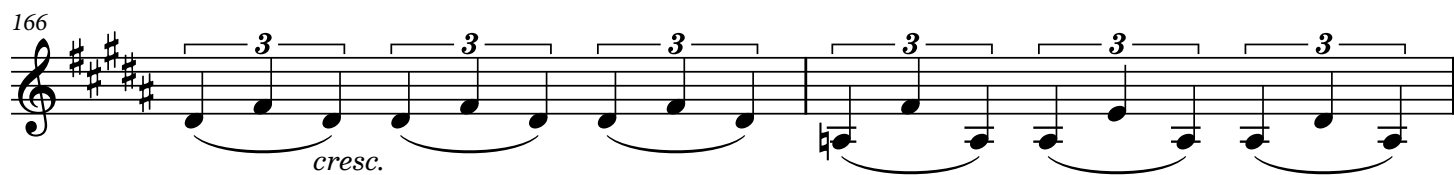
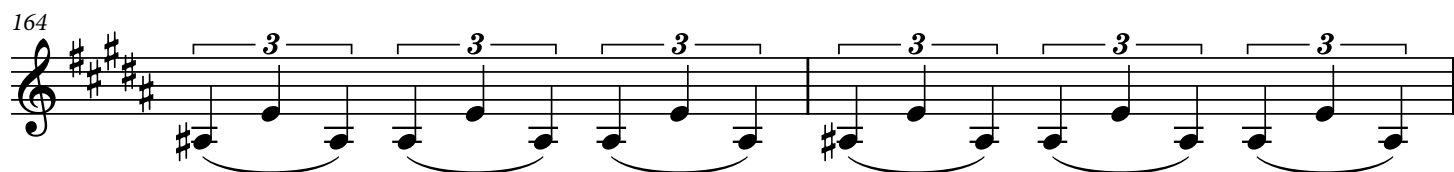
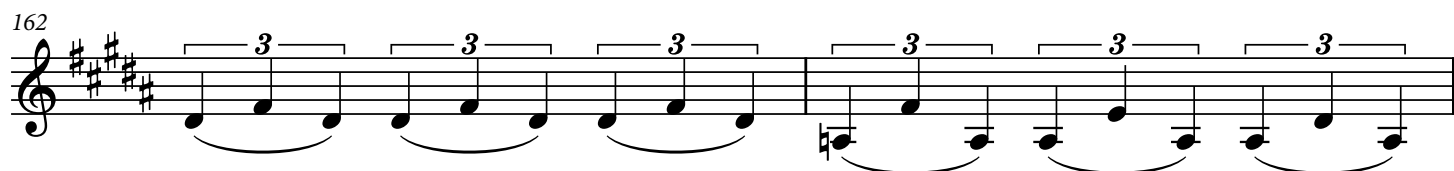
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150



V.S.



175

ff

179

184

188

192

p

198

Poco meno mosso

10

3

201-203

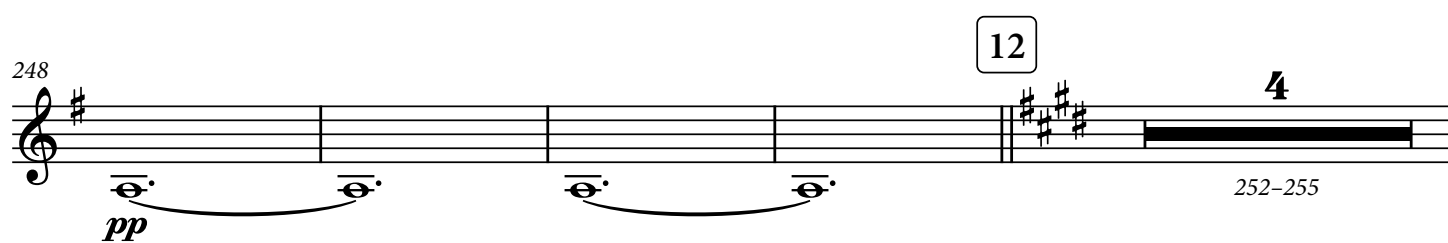
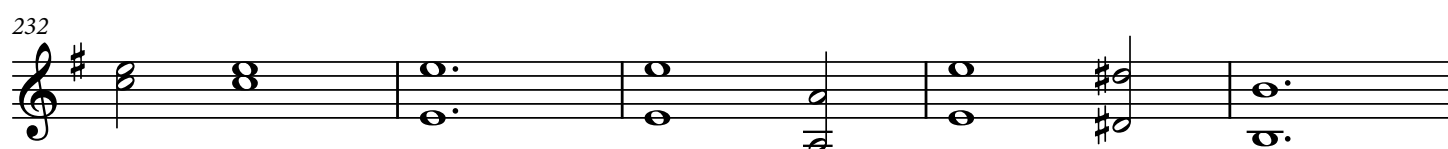
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11

210-220

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256

p *cresc.*

261

cresc.

265

13 poco animato

cresc.

268

cresc.

Poco più mosso
div.

271

poco cresc.

274

cresc.

277

14 Poco mosso

p

280

cresc.

283

cresc.

286

f

290

mf

294

f

297

f

300

15

pp

303

cresc. *p* *cresc.* *ff*

309

V.S.

313

16

317

320

324

327

4

poco rit.

330-333

fff

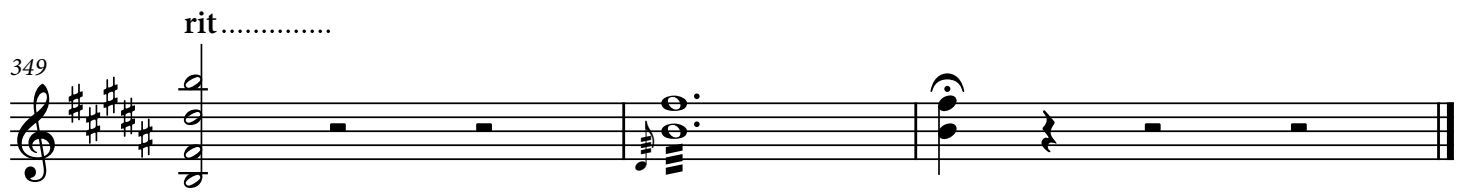
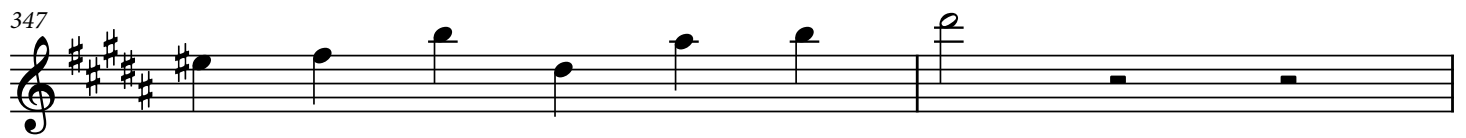
ff

335

17

339

343



No. 2 - "They That Sit In Darkness"

Allegro moderato

Violin II

9

1-9

18

16

div.

1

div.

pp

24

12

28-39

mf

42

19

mf

Animato

46

pf

cresc.

50

20

56

poco rit.

f

61

21

10

62-71

a tempo

Solo Alto

Such as sit - in dark - ness, and in the sha -

77 22

- dow of death, be - ing fast bound, *pf*

83 *div.*

86 *2* *pizz.* *1*

p *88-89*

92 23 *arco* *ppp*

98 *pizz.* *poco cresc.* *f*

104 24 *con anima* *arco*

109 *div.* *unis.* *3* *3*

115 *pizz.* *Più mosso* *3*

f *3* *118-120*

121 25

arco

p

126

cresc.

p cresc.

131

f

136 26

5

138-142

pp

147

3

148-150

rit. con sordini

pp

154

pp

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No. 3 - "For He Hath Broken The Gates of Brass"

Allegro [With Rough Vigor] ♩. = 100

Violin II

1-2

f *cresc.*

6

ff

11

f

18

27

24

30

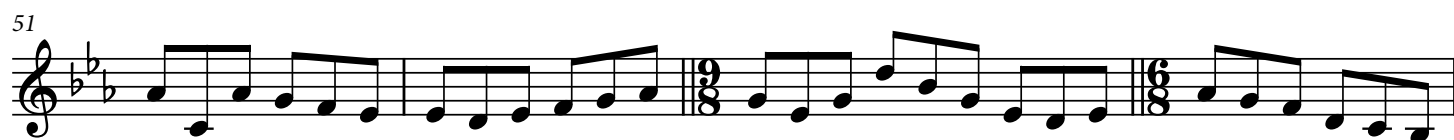
35

cresc.

40

28

ff



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94

p *ff*

99

31

103

8

dim.

106-113

114

VIIa
con sordini

p

VIIb
con sordini

p

122

32

1

unis.

unis.

129

33

5

11

135-139

140-150

151 *arco* **1** *mf*

159 *dim.* *p*

168 *Tranquillo* **1** *poco rit.* **2** **34** *div.* *p* *f*

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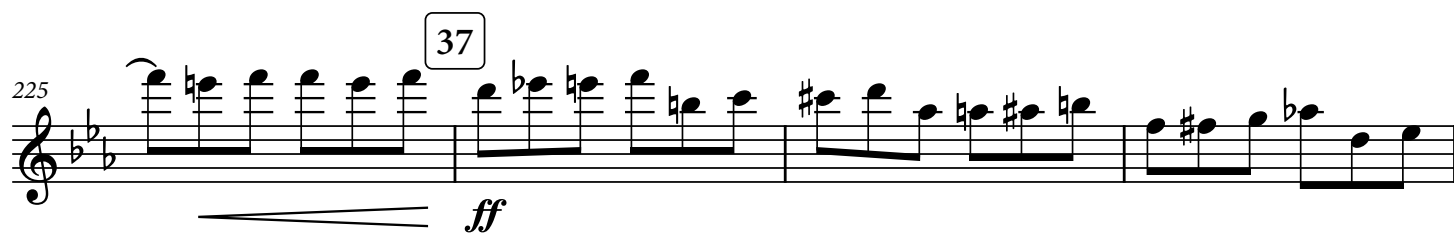
35 *Più animato senza sordini*

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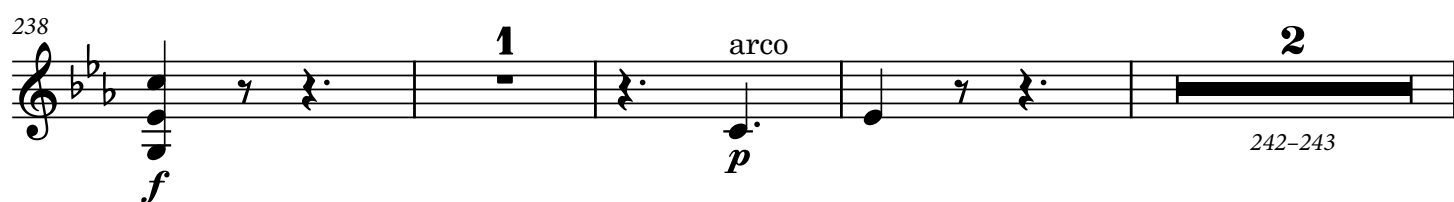
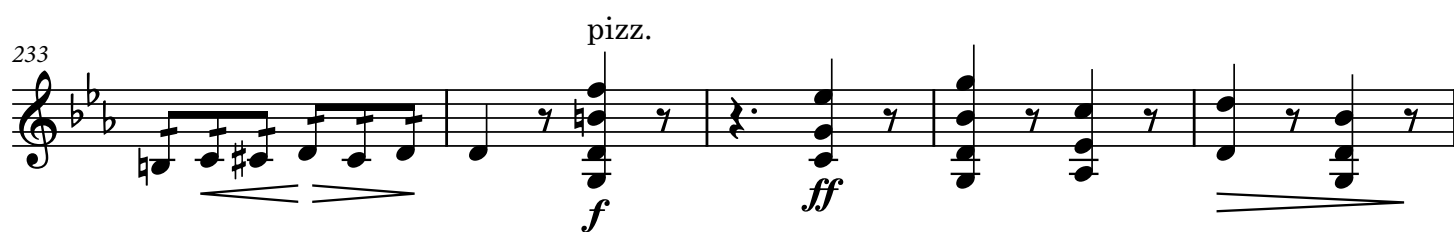
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200 *Poco animato* *cresc.*

36



37



244 pizz. arco

1

p

250 pizz. 38

1

pp

257 39

16

260-275

arco

pp

277 sul pont.

dim.

287

ppp *cresc.* *f* *cresc.*

293

ff 8

297

302

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No. 4 - "They That Go Down To The Sea In Ships"

Violin II

Fast ♩ = 138

ff

dim.

5

9

mf

14

19

40

pizz.

f

24

29

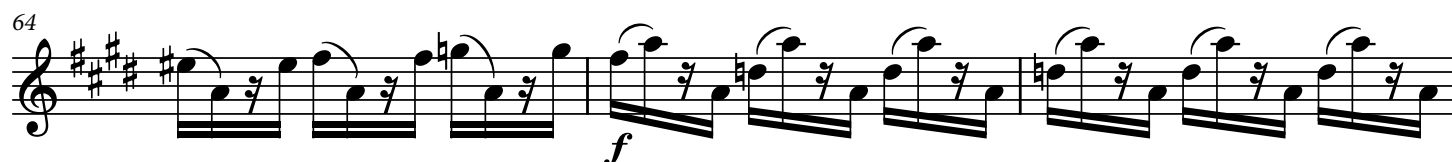
cresc.

34

arco

mf

p



72 43 **1** *pp* *cresc.* *div.*

80 *ff* *pp* *cresc.*

86 *f* *ff*

92 44 **3** 93-95 *cresc.*

100 *ff* *p* 102-103 **2** *f*

105 *p* *f*

110 45 **1** *pp* *ff*

119 *pizz.* *arco* *pf* *ff*

125

46

fff

131

ff

8

137-144

145

47

f

ff

153

2

159-160

161

48

f

animato

Più largo e rit. molto

166

fff

sfz

p

172

7

174-180

Andantino tranquillo

Solo

181 con sordini

p

p gli altri

pp

188

49 Allegretto sempre

p

195

202

210

218

50

un poco più mosso

p

224

p

227

p

230

Animato e crescendo
unis.

unis.

234

51 Largo ma non lento

8

239-246

247 **Animato e crescendo**
pizz.
p

250 *mf* arco

254 *f*

258 *ff*

263

268 *p*

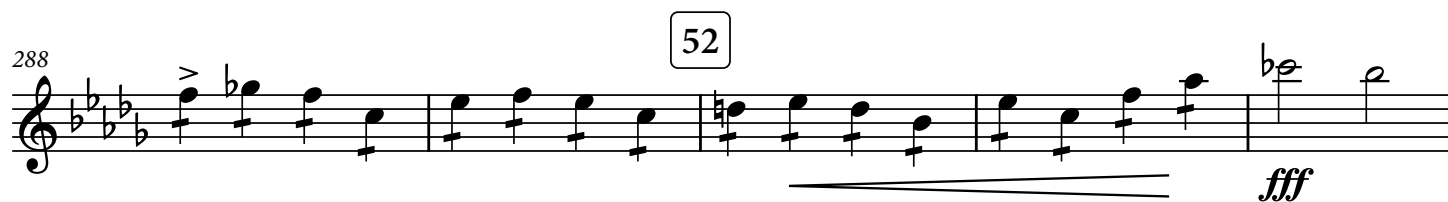
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278 *cresc.*

283



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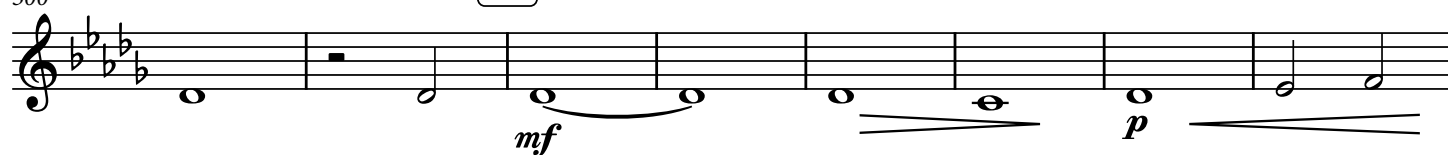


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300

53 Più tranquillo

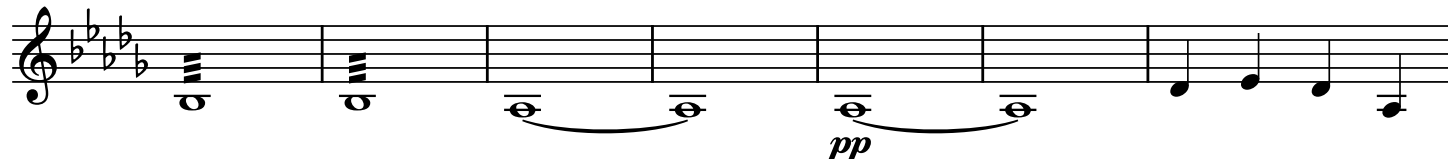


308

sul ponticello



316



323

div.



No. 5 - "He Turneth The Floods Into A Wilderness"

Violin II

Andantino

p

5-6

p

8

54

9-10

mf

cresc.

16

3

19-21

f

p

div.

24

55 Più mosso

unis.

pp

p

div.

29

3

31-33

p

56

36

cresc.

f

41

57

1

pf

risoluto

div.

47

53

cresc. *f*

59

58

dim. *p* *poco rit.*

65-66

67

a tempo

div.

p *f dim.*

72-74 75-76

77

pizz.

arco

pizz.

fp *mf*

83

arco

div.

f *pp*

88

con sordini

dolce

pp

94

99-100

101 61

pp *f*

106

dim. 2 *poco rit.* *pp*

108-109

No. 6 - “The Righteous Will Consider This”

Tacet

No. 7 - "O Give Thanks Unto the Lord"

Lento, sostenuto

Violin II

1

p

5

1

11

67 Più mosso

4

14-17

pp cresc.

21

f

cresc.

26

68

ff

30

f

35

3

41-43

44

69

ff

49

p cresc.

53

ff

56

ff

60

ff

64

poco rit

70

Tempo del con primo

ff

68

dim.

72-74

75

pp

77-78

81-84

85 71

mf

Musical staff 85-90: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 85-90. Measure 85 has a whole rest. Measure 86 has a half note D4. Measure 87 has a half note E4. Measure 88 has a half note F#4. Measure 89 has a half note G4. Measure 90 has a half note A4. Dynamics: *mf*.

91

cresc.

Musical staff 91-95: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 91-95. Measure 91 has a half note A4. Measure 92 has a half note B4. Measure 93 has a whole rest. Measure 94 has a whole rest. Measure 95 has a half note C5. Dynamics: *cresc.*

96

f

Musical staff 96-100: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 96-100. Measure 96 has a half note D5. Measure 97 has a half note E5. Measure 98 has a half note F#5. Measure 99 has a half note G5. Measure 100 has a half note A5. Dynamics: *f*.

100 72 Faster

p

Musical staff 100-105: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 100-105. Measure 100 has a half note A4. Measure 101 has a half note B4. Measure 102 has a half note C5. Measure 103 has a half note D5. Measure 104 has a half note E5. Measure 105 has a half note F#5. Dynamics: *p*.

106 *più animato*

Musical staff 106-110: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 106-110. Measure 106 has a half note A4. Measure 107 has a half note B4. Measure 108 has a half note C5. Measure 109 has a half note D5. Measure 110 has a half note E5. Dynamics: *più animato*.

110

mf *cresc.*

Musical staff 110-112: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 110-112. Measure 110 has a half note A4. Measure 111 has a half note B4. Measure 112 has a half note C5. Dynamics: *mf*, *cresc.*

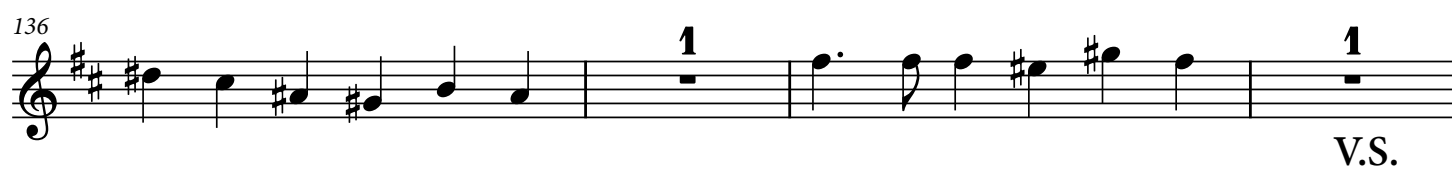
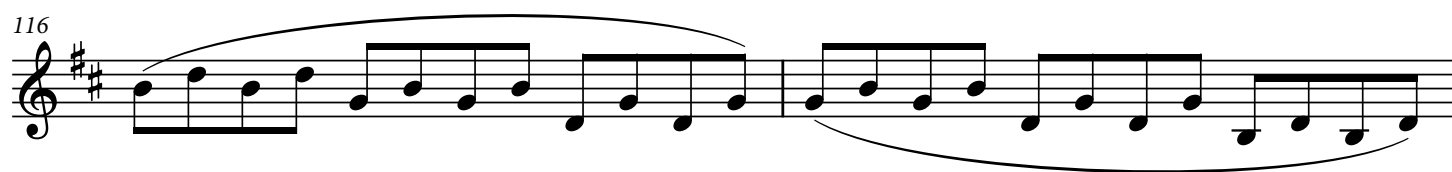
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f

Musical staff 112-114: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 112-114. Measure 112 has a half note D5. Measure 113 has a half note E5. Measure 114 has a half note F#5. Dynamics: *f*.

114

Musical staff 114-116: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 114-116. Measure 114 has a half note G5. Measure 115 has a half note A5. Measure 116 has a half note B5. Dynamics: *f*.



74

140



143



146



150



154



157



160



75

163



166

cresc. *p* *cresc.* *ff*

172

176

76

180

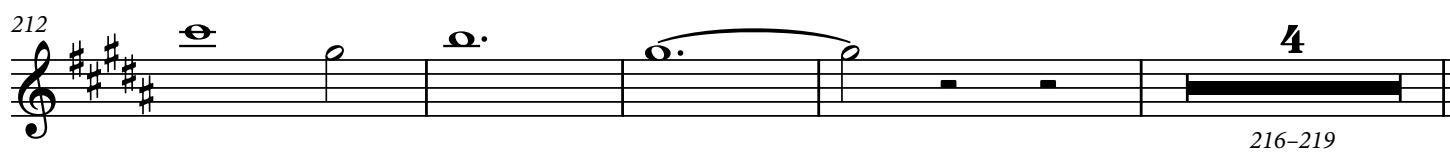
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Allegro





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