

After

an opera in two acts and one part

Act 2

for two principle voices, chorus, dance
and modified pit orchestra

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A reflection from Berg's Wozzeck:

After as Marie:
Der Nachttau fällt
Der Nacht ist Kalt

Men's chorus as Wozzeck:Den friert nicht mehr
Marie:Der Nacht ist Kalt
Men's chorus as Wozzeck:Dich wird bem Morgen tau nicht frieren.
After as Marie: Was sagst Du da?
Men's chorus as Wozzeck: Ich nicht Marie Und kind auch nicht

After/Before/Women's Chorus:
Into the after...

From Verdi's Otello
Before as Otello: Diceste questa sera le vostre preci?
After as Desdemona: Orai
Before: Se vi sovviene di qualche colpa commessa che attenda
grazia dal ciel, imploratela tosto.
After: Perche?
Before: T'affretta. Uccidere non voglio l'anima tua.
After: D'uccider parli?
Before: Sì.
After: Pietà di me, mio Dio!
Before: Pensa ai tuoi peccati.
After: Mio peccato è l'amor.
Before: Perciò tu muori.
After: E perchè t'amo m'uccidi?
Before: Ami Cassio.
After: No! sull'anima mia!
Before:[cupo] Quel fazzoletto ch'io ti donai gli desti. After: Non è
vero!
Before: Nella sua man lo vidi.
After: Io rea non sono!
Before: Confessa!
After: Giuro!
Before: Bada allo spergiuro. . .
Before: Muto è per sempre.
After: Cielo! Morto?
Before: Morto.

From Puccini's Tosca:
Tenors as solo tenor: E luce van le stelle...
e un passo sfiorava la rena...
Oh! dolci bacio
languida carezze l'o rae
fuggita e muo io disperato e muoio disperato.
E non ho ma to mai tanto la vita tanto la...

The night dew falls
The night is cold

The dew doesn't freeze
The night is cold
You will be in the morning
What are you saying?
If not me Marie then no one...

Have you said your prayers tonight?
Always
I am aware of the sin you have committed and you must
implore the grace of heaven.
Why?
Haste. I do not want to kill your soul.
You speak of killing?
Yes.
Have mercy, my God!
Think of your sins.
My sin is pride.
So you die.
And because I love I must die?
You love Cassio.
No! On my soul!
He has that handkerchief that I gave to you.
It's not true!
I saw it in his hand
I am not guilty!
Confess!
I swear!
You lie...
Silent forever.
Death?
Death...

And the stars shone
And a footstep rustled the sand to the path
Oh soft kisses
Oh sweet abandon
Fled is that hour,
And never before have I loved so much and desperately I die.

From Verdi's La Trovatore:
Men's chorus: Miserere d'un'alma già vicina
alla partenza che non ha ritorno;
miserere di lei, bontà divina;
preda non sia dell'infernal soggiorno.

Before: Quel suon, quelle preci, solenni, funeste,
empires quest'aere di cupo terror!
Contente l'ambascia, che tutta m'investe,

al labbro il respiro, i palpiti al cor...
Quel suon, quelle preci

From Gluck's Orfeus:
After: laissez c'est vous toucher par mes pleurs
Spectres Larvae O...
Men's chorus: Miserere d'un'alma già vici-
After: Was sagst du?
Men's chorus: Miserere

Have mercy on this soul
at the start of a journey with no return
Have mercy, divine goddess
prey it is not the infernal stay.

That sound, those prayers, solemn, deadly
on this axis of terror!
Content with the anguish of everything

the lips breathing. the heart beating...
That sound, those prayers,

Let me touch you with my tears
Spectres Larvae O...
Have mercy on this-
What are you thinking?
Have mercy

Into the after go the words of time
Once loved, will love, forever and always
Trailing behind comes grief and pain
My own and no return from its depth
But none of that goes with you, the after is impermeable
I see everything I loved you for
Tinged with guilt and my own heartache
You see only love
Did you know, was there a moment?
I want to believe there was
The last breath the end of time, forever on its threshold
Let me follow you into the after

Linda LeFauve

On the stage - running time ca. 26 minutes

As in Act 1, the staging below is strongly suggested but not required. It is a guide to best representing the nature of the work on the stage.

Act 2 begins with the chorus, principles (in matching medium gray costume), and dancers on stage in blackout. The chorus is in the same location as act 1. The principles are in the downstage stage left and stage right downstage location also as in act 1 in the same gray costumes and remain on the stage throughout acting as a visual frame for the dance. The dancers occupy center stage in a dance that mirrors the extroverted/lashing out nature of this act.

Between 3:00 (m62) and 3:45 (m80) The dance slowly begins to come to an end. The paraphrase of Berg's Wozzeck begins at this point in the act. The duet here is between Before as Marie and the men's chorus as Wozzeck. Dance here is more reflective the interaction between Marie and Wozzeck.

At 5:20 (m111) sudden blackout at the beginning of second iteration of Wozzeck B natural crescendo.

At 5:40 (m118) lights slowly up. At 5:52 (m122) full light for one more iteration of extroverted/lashing out dance.

At 6:42 (m132) dance ends and Before/After duet begins. Dancers exit the stage.

At 11:00 (m205) New dance begins. More restrained in nature, as a paraphrase of 19th century sensibilities in slow, restrained and reluctant movement. A sense of dread slowly enters the dance culmination in a paraphrase of Berlioz's March to the Scaffold at 13:45 (m252). Dance slowly ends and dancers exit the stage by 14:30 (m257).

At 14:30 (m257) Quotations and paraphrases of Verdi's Otello begins and continues through 16:27 (m308) with Before as Desdemona and After as Otello. Distortions and exaggerations are interpolated into the passage at 16:27 (m308).

At 18:00 (m343) Otello transforms into Puccini's Tosca with the chorus' tenors as Cavaradossi at 18:39 (m360). A solo tenor may be used as the voice of Cavaradossi in this passage.

At 20:52 (m416) Tosca transforms into a paraphrase of Wagner's Tristan und Isolde.

At 21:45 (m435) Verdi's Il Trovatore appears as quotations from Aria and Misere with Before as Leonora with men's chorus. It is interpolated with moments from Gluck's Orpheus at 22:41 (m449) through 24:57 (m478).

As orchestra performs from 24:57 (m478) to the end of the act the principles slowly exit the stage. B exits stage right and A exits stage left. The lights slowly go to blackout during orchestral outro.

Full Score

After

Act 2 Violent

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(F#, B, C)

Timpani

Crotales

Vibraphone

Suspended Cymbal

Bass Drum

Marimba

Harp

Piano

Soprano (After)

Mezzo-Soprano (Before)

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Violin 1

Violin 2

Violin 3

Violin 4

Viola 1

Viola 2

Cello 1

Cello 2

Double Bass

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Timp. *mp* *pp* *mp* *pp*

Crt.

Vib. *mf*

S. Cym.

B. Dr. *mp* *p*

Mrb. *mf*

Hp.

Pno. *mp*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S.

A.

T.

B.

Vln. 1 *pp* *mf* *pp* *pp* *mf* *pp* *mf* *pp* *mf*

Vln. 2 *pp* *mf* *pp* *mf* *pp* *pp* *mf* *pp* *mf* *pp*

Vln. 3 *pp* *mf* *p* *pp* *mf* *p* *mp* *f* *p*

Vln. 4 *pp* *mf* *p* *pp* *mf* *p* *pp* *f* *p*

Vla. 1 *p* *mf* *p* *p* *mf* *p* *mp* *f* *p* *pp*

Vla. 2 *mp* *mf* *p* *mp* *mf* *p* *mp* *mf* *p*

Vc. 1 *mp* *p* *f* *mp* *mf* *mp* *f* *mp*

Vc. 2 *mf* *mp* *pp* *mf* *mp* *mf* *mp*

D.B. *mf* *mp* *pp* *mp* *pp*

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Timp. *pp* *mp* *pp* *pp* *pp*

Crt.

Vib. *p* *mp* *pp*

S. Cym.

B. Dr. *mf* *p* *mf* *p* *ff*

Mrb. *p* *mp*

Hp.

Pno. *mf* *ff*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1 *ppp* *ppp* *p* *mf* *f* *pp* *mf*

Vln. 2 *ppp* *p* *mf* *f* *pp* *mf*

Vln. 3 *p* *f* *pp* *mp* *mf*

Vln. 4 *p* *f* *pp* *mp* *mf*

Vla. 1 *mp* *p* *p* *mf* *pp* *p* *mp* *f*

Vla. 2 *ppp* *mp* *p* *p* *mf* *pp* *p* *mp* *f*

Vc. 1 *p* *pp* *mf* *f* *p*

Vc. 2 *p* *pp* *mf* *pp* *mf* *f* *pp* *p*

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

44

Timp. *mp*

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr. *p* *f* *p*

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno. *mp* *f* *mp*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1 *p* *f* *pp*

Vln. 2 *p* *f* *pp*

Vln. 3 *p* *f* *pp*

Vln. 4 *p* *f* *pp*

Vla. 1 *p* *mf* *pp* *mf* *p* *mp* *pp*

Vla. 2 *p* *mf* *pp* *pp* *mp* *pp*

Vc. 1 *mp* *mf* *pp* *pp* *f* *pp*

Vc. 2 *mp* *mf* *pp* *f* *pp*

D.B. *mp* *mf* *p* *mp* *f* *mp* *p*

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This page of a musical score, likely for a symphony, features a variety of instruments and vocal parts. The instruments listed on the left include Timpani (Timp.), Cymbals (Crt.), Vibraphone (Vib.), Snare Cymbal (S. Cym.), Bass Drum (B. Dr.), Maracas (Mrb.), Harp (Hp.), Piano (Pno.), Soprano (Sop. (A)), Mezzo-Soprano (M. Sop. (B)), Soprano (S.), Alto (A.), Tenor (T.), Bass (B.), Violin 1 (Vln. 1), Violin 2 (Vln. 2), Violin 3 (Vln. 3), Violin 4 (Vln. 4), Viola 1 (Vla. 1), Viola 2 (Vla. 2), Violoncello 1 (Vc. 1), Violoncello 2 (Vc. 2), and Double Bass (D.B.).

The score is written in 4/4 time and includes a rehearsal mark 53. The music is in G major, indicated by the key signature of one sharp (F#). The dynamics range from *p* (piano) to *f* (forte), with intermediate markings like *mp* (mezzo-piano) and *mf* (mezzo-forte). The score includes various musical notations such as eighth notes, sixteenth notes, and triplets, as well as rests and accidentals.

The instruments are arranged in a standard orchestral layout. The woodwinds (Sop., M. Sop., S., A., T., B.) are in the upper middle section. The strings (Vln. 1-4, Vla. 1-2, Vc. 1-2, D.B.) are in the lower section. The percussion (Timp., Crt., Vib., S. Cym., B. Dr.) is in the upper left section. The keyboard instruments (Mrb., Hp., Pno.) are in the middle left section.

The score is a page from a larger work, as indicated by the rehearsal mark 53. The page number 53 is also visible in the top left corner. The score is written in a standard musical notation with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a time signature of 4/4.

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Timp. *pp* *ff* *p* *f*

Crt.

Vib. *f*

S. Cym. *p* *ff*

B. Dr. *p* *ff* *mf* *mf*

Mrb.

Hp. *f*

Pno. *p* *f*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1 *f* *pp* *f* *f*

Vln. 2 *mf*

Vln. 3 *pp* *f* *mp* *mf*

Vln. 4 *pp* *f* *f*

Vla. 1 *mp* *f*

Vla. 2 *mp* *f* *mf*

Vc. 1 *f* *mf* *f*

Vc. 2 *mf* *f* *mp*

D.B. *f* *mp* *f* *mp* *f* *mp* *f*

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The score is written in 4/4 time. It includes dynamic markings such as *ff* (fortissimo), *f* (forte), *mf* (mezzo-forte), and *mp* (mezzo-piano). The score is divided into measures, with some measures containing triplets (indicated by a '3' over the notes). The score is written in a key signature of one sharp (F#).

The instruments are arranged in a standard symphonic layout. The woodwinds (Sop. (A), M. Sop. (B), S., A., T., B.) are in the upper middle section. The strings (Vln. 1-4, Vla. 1-2, Vc. 1-2, D.B.) are in the lower section. The percussion (Timp., Crt., Vib., S. Cym., B. Dr.) is in the upper section. The keyboard instruments (Mrb., Hp., Pno.) are in the middle section.

The score is a page from a larger work, as indicated by the measure numbers 61, 62, 63, and 64. The page is numbered 100 at the bottom right.

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Timp. *pp* *ff*

Crt.

Vib. *ff*

S. Cym. *pp* *ff*

B. Dr. *pp* *ff* simile

Mrb. *ff*

Hp. *ff*

Pno. *ff*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1 *f* *fff* *ff*

Vln. 2 *f* *fff* *ff*

Vln. 3 *f* *fff* *ff*

Vln. 4 *f* *fff* *ff*

Vla. 1 *f* *fff* *p* *fff*

Vla. 2 *f* *fff* *p* *fff*

Vc. 1 *f* *fff* *p* *fff*

Vc. 2 *f* *fff* *p* *fff*

D.B. *f* *fff* *p* *fff*

73

Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno.

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

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Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

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S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno.

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M. Sop. (B)

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Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

mp

p

mf

pp

Der — Nacht - tau — fällt — — — — — Der — — — — — Nacht

This musical score is for the song "Der Mond ist aufgegangen" by Franz Schubert. It is a full orchestral score with vocal parts. The score is written for a soprano (Sop. (A)), mezzo-soprano (M. Sop. (B)), and a four-part vocal ensemble (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass). The instrumental parts include Timpani (Timp.), Cymbals (Crt.), Vibraphone (Vib.), Snare Drum (S. Cym.), Bass Drum (B. Dr.), Maracas (Mrb.), Harp (Hp.), Piano (Pno.), Violins 1 and 2 (Vln. 1, Vln. 2), Violins 3 and 4 (Vln. 3, Vln. 4), Violas 1 and 2 (Vla. 1, Vla. 2), Violoncellos 1 and 2 (Vc. 1, Vc. 2), and Double Bass (D.B.). The score is in 5/4 time and features a key signature of one flat (B-flat major/D minor). The lyrics are in German, and the vocal parts include the lyrics: "ist Kalt", "Der Nacht ist Kalt", "Was sagst Du da?", "Was sagst Du da?", "den friert nicht mehr", "Dich wird beim Mor", "Dich wird beim Mor", "gen tau nicht", "frie ren", "Nix". The score includes various musical notations such as dynamics (ppp, mf, mp, p), articulation (accents, slurs), and performance instructions (e.g., "ist Kalt", "Der Nacht ist Kalt", "Was sagst Du da?", "Was sagst Du da?", "den friert nicht mehr", "Dich wird beim Mor", "Dich wird beim Mor", "gen tau nicht", "frie ren", "Nix").

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119 (Bb)

Timp. *fff*

Crt.

Vib. *fff*

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb. *fff*

Hp. *fff* C D E F# G A B

Pno. *fff*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1 *fff* *pp* *fff*

Vln. 2 *fff* *pp* *fff*

Vln. 3 *fff* *pp* *fff*

Vln. 4 *fff* *pp* *fff*

Vla. 1 *fff* *pp* *fff*

Vla. 2 *fff* *pp* *fff*

Vc. 1 *fff* *pp* *fff*

Vc. 2 *fff* *pp* *fff*

D.B. *fff* *pp* *fff*

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Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno.

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

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Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

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The musical score is for the 'The Two Towers' theme from 'The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers'. It is a complex orchestral and vocal arrangement. The score is written in 4/4 time and features a variety of instruments and vocal parts. The instruments include Timp., Crt., Vib., S. Cym., B. Dr., Mrb., Hp., Pno., Vln. 1, Vln. 2, Vln. 3, Vln. 4, Vla. 1, Vla. 2, Vc. 1, Vc. 2, and D.B. The vocal parts include Sop. (A), M. Sop. (B), S, A, T, and B. The score is divided into measures, with some measures containing rests and others containing notes. The tempo is marked 'Andante' and the mood is 'Majestic'. The score is a full orchestral score, including all instruments and vocals.

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187

Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno.

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

time for e ver a on for e ver on in to the af ter Let me fol low you

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to fol low you in re Mi ser re

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[illegible]

After

32

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236

Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

236

Mrb.

236

Hp.

236

Pno.

236

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

236

S

A

T

B

236

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

251

Timp. *mp* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym. *mp* *ff* *ff*

B. Dr. *ff*

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno. *ff*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1 *ff* *p* *mp* pizz.

Vln. 2 *ff* *ppp* *mp*

Vln. 3 *ff*

Vln. 4 *ff*

Vla. 1 *ff* *mp* pizz. arco *pp* *mf*

Vla. 2 *ff* *pp* *mf*

Vc. 1 *ff* *mp* *mf* arco

Vc. 2 *ff* *mf*

D.B. *ff* *mf*

[illegible]

After

[illegible]

290

Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

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Mrb.

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Hp.

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Pno.

290

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

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S

A

T

B

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Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

pp

p

mp

mf

ppp

senza misure

Tempo

ra le vos tre pre ci? Se vi sov vie ne di

qual che col pa com me sa che atten da gra

xhe? D'uc

[illegible]

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This musical score is for the opera 'L'Espresso' by Giuseppe Verdi. It features a variety of instruments and vocal parts. The instruments include Timpani (Timp.), Cymbals (Crt.), Vibraphone (Vib.), Snare Cymbal (S. Cym.), Bass Drum (B. Dr.), Maracas (Mrb.), Harp (Hp.), Piano (Pno.), Soprano (Sop. (A)), Mezzo-Soprano (M. Sop. (B)), Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), Bass (B), Violin 1 (Vln. 1), Violin 2 (Vln. 2), Violin 3 (Vln. 3), Violin 4 (Vln. 4), Viola 1 (Vla. 1), Viola 2 (Vla. 2), Violoncello 1 (Vc. 1), Violoncello 2 (Vc. 2), and Double Bass (D.B.). The score is written in 2/4 time and includes dynamic markings such as *mf*, *mp*, *p*, *pp*, and *mf*. The vocal parts include lyrics in Italian and French. The score is divided into measures, with some measures containing rests and others containing notes. The score is written in a standard musical notation with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a time signature of 2/4.

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The musical score is for the opera 'L'Espresso' by Giuseppe Verdi. It features a variety of instruments and vocal parts. The instruments include Timp., Crt., Vib., S. Cym., B. Dr., Mrb., Hp., Pno., Vln. 1, Vln. 2, Vln. 3, Vln. 4, Vla. 1, Vla. 2, Vc. 1, Vc. 2, and D.B. The vocal parts include Sop. (A), M. Sop. (B), S, A, T, and B. The score is written in 3/4 time and includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and dynamic markings. The lyrics are in Italian and are written below the vocal parts. The score is divided into measures, with some measures containing multiple notes or rests. The dynamic markings range from *pp* (pianissimo) to *ff* (fortissimo). The tempo is marked 'Non Div.' (Non Diviso) and 'Unis.' (Unison). The score is a full orchestral score with vocal parts.

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355

Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno.

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

pp

mp

mf

p

ppp

mf (tenor soloist optional)

E lu ce van le stel le...

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

48

427

Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno.

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

mf

pp

ff

p

f

molto rit.

a tempo

Act II, Scene I

Measures 445-456

Tempo: ♩ = 56

Instruments: Timp., Crt., Vib., S. Cym., B. Dr., Mrb., Hp., Pno., Sop. (A), M. Sop. (B), S., A., T., B., Vln. 1-4, Vla. 1-2, Vc. 1-2, D.B.

Vocal Lyrics:

- Tenore (T.):** ma gia vi ci na a la par ten za che non ha ri ten za che non ha ri mi se di lei di re re di ei bon ta se vi na, Pre da gior no, sia del l'in fer nal
- Basso (B.):** re d'un' al ma gia vi ci na a la par u: words of time tor no; tor no; mi se re re bon ta di vi na, Pre da non mi se sia del l'in fer gior no. Mi se re re d'un' —

Dynamics: pp, mf, mp, tutti

454 B, Bb, Ab

Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno.

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3

Vln. 4

Vla. 1

Vla. 2

Vc. 1

Vc. 2

D.B.

sol en ni fu ni _____ ste, em pe ron que st'a _____ e re che tut ta m'in ve ste, al labbro il re spi ro, i pal pi tial cor. tan to la Mi se

sog

al

p < *mp* > *p* *p* < *mp* > *p* *pp* < *mp* > *pp*

mf

The musical score for 'L'Espresso' by Georges Bizet is presented in a standard orchestral format. The score includes parts for a full orchestra and vocal soloists. The instruments and voices are listed on the left side of the page, including Timp., Crt., Vib., S. Cym., B. Dr., Mrb., Hp., Pno., Sop. (A), M. Sop. (B), S., A., T., B., Vln. 1, Vln. 2, Vln. 3, Vln. 4, Vla. 1, Vla. 2, Vc. 1, Vc. 2, and D.B. The score is in 3/4 time and features various musical notations including chords, triplets, and dynamic markings. The vocal parts for Sop. (A) and M. Sop. (B) include lyrics in French. The score is divided into measures, with some measures containing multiple staves for different instruments or voices. The overall structure of the score is typical of a full orchestral score, with a clear hierarchy of parts and a focus on the vocal soloists.

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465

Timp.

Crt.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

466

Mrb.

466

Hp.

466

Pno.

466

Sop. (A)

par mes pleur Spec tres Lar vae O Ich nicht Ma

M. Sop. (B)

466

S

A

T

B

466

Vln. 1

arco

pp

f

Vln. 2

arco

pp

f

Vln. 3

arco

pp

f

Vln. 4

arco

pp

f

Vla. 1

p

f

Vla. 2

mp

ppp

pp

f

p

f

Vc. 1

f

f

Vc. 2

f

f

D.B.

f

f

mf

mf

p

ma — gia

ma — gia

[illegible]

482 $\text{♩} = 56$ $\text{♩} = 88$

Timp. *ff* *mp* *mf* *ff*

Crt.

Vib. *f* *mf* *ff* *f*

S. Cym. *mf* scrape

B. Dr. *ff* *mp* *mf* *ff* *ff*

Mrb. *mp* *mf* *ff*

Hp. *f* *ff* *mf*

Pno. *mp* *mf* *ff* *mp*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T *mf* re _____ re Quel son

B *mf* $\text{♩} = 56$ quel _____ le pre ci sagst _ af ter *mf*

Vln. 1 *f* *p* *ff* *pp* *ff* *f* *p* *ff*

Vln. 2 *f* *p* *ff* *pp* *ff* *f* *p* *ff*

Vln. 3 *mp* *f* *p* *ff* *pp* *ff* *p* *ff*

Vln. 4 *mp* *f* *p* *ff* *pp* *ff* *p* *ff*

Vla. 1 *ff* *pp* *f* *mp* *f* *p* *mf* *p* *ff*

Vla. 2 *ff* *pp* *f* *mp* *f* *p* *mf* *p* *ff*

Vc. 1 *ff* *pp* *f* *mp* *f* *p*

Vc. 2 *ff* *pp* *f* *mp* *f* *p* *f* *mp*

D.B. *f* *mp*

$\text{♩} = 78$

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Timp. *ff* *f* *fff*

Crt. *fff*

Vib. *ff* *f* *fff*

S. Cym.

B. Dr. *ff* *f* *fff*

Mrb. *f* *ff* *mf* *ff*

Hp. *ff* *fff*

Pno. *f* *ff* *f* *ff*

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

A

T

B

Vln. 1 *mf* *f*

Vln. 2 *mf* *f*

Vln. 3 *mf* *f*

Vln. 4 *mf* *f*

Vla. 1 *f* *ff* *f* *ff* *f* *ff* *f* *ff*

Vla. 2 *f* *ff* *f* *ff* *f* *ff* *f* *ff*

Vc. 1 *mf* *ff* *f* *ff* *f* *ff*

Vc. 2 *ff* *f* *ff* *f* *ff* *f* *ff*

D.B. *mf* *f* *mf* *f* *mf* *f* *mf* *f*

60

510

Timp.

Cr.

Vib.

S. Cym.

B. Dr.

Mrb.

Hp.

Pno.

Sop. (A)

M. Sop. (B)

S

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Vln. 1

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Vln. 4

Vla. 1

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Vc. 1

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