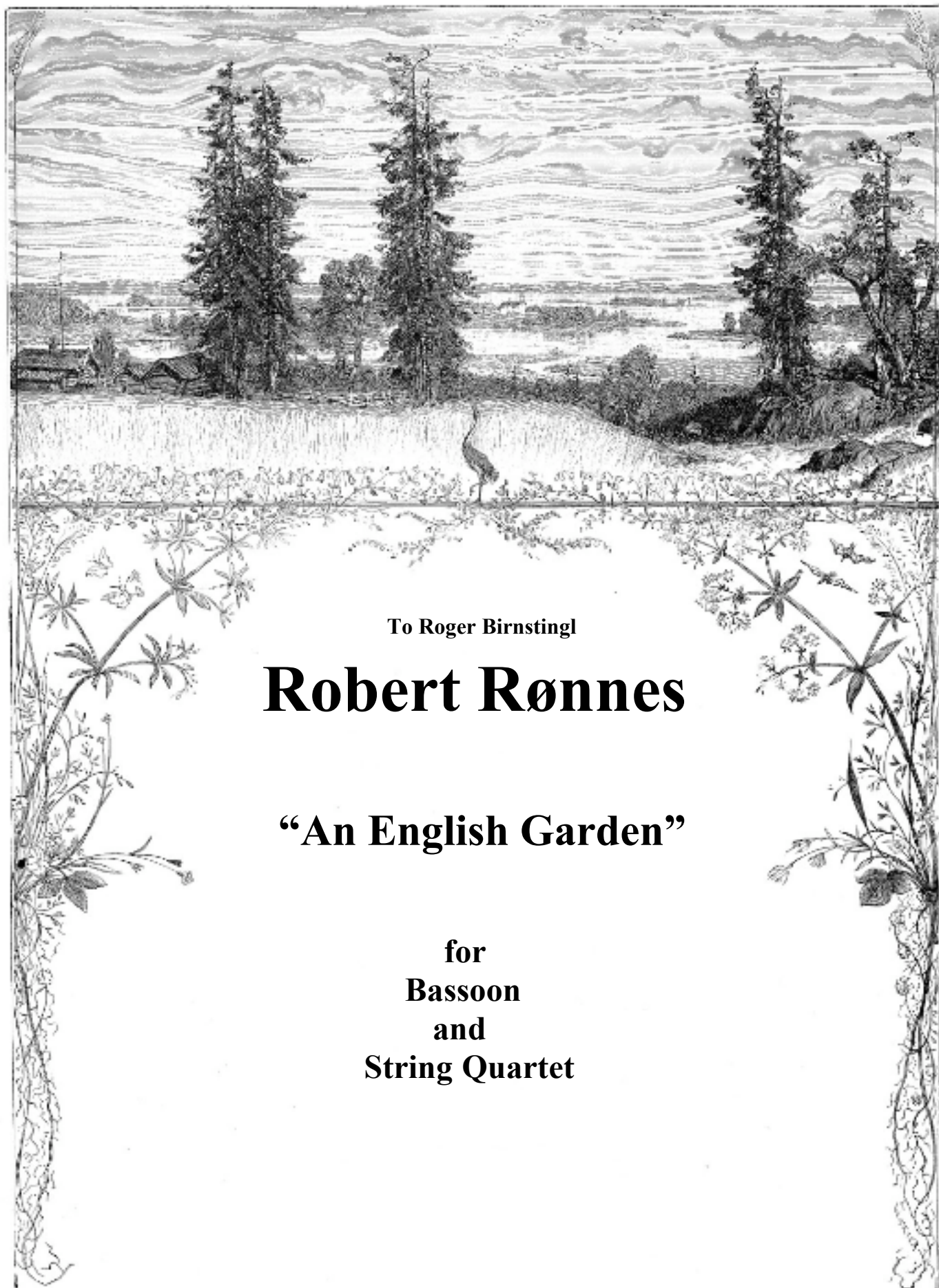




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Is written to my former teacher Roger Birnstingl.

I have written this Quintet in English romantic style.

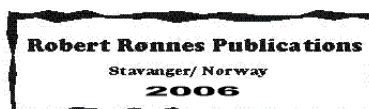
The movements illustrates an English garden
through one year.

1. Last Autumn Days
2. Early Spring
3. Summer Night Walz
4. Snow Dancing In The Trees.

All the movements should be performed with
A songful and light phrasing.

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An English Garden

Quintet For Bassoon and Stringquartet

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I Last Autumn Days

♩ = 80 Cantando

Bassoon

mf

Violin 1

Violin 2

mp

Viola

mp

Cello

mp

Bsn.

4

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

7

Bsn.

mf

Vln. 1

mf

Vln. 2

mp

Vla.

mp

Vlc.

mp

10

Bsn.

10

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

13

Bsn.

13

Vln. 1

mp

Vln. 2

mp

Vla.

p

Vlc.

p

Detailed description: This is a musical score for a piece titled 'I :Last Autumn Days'. The score is written for five instruments: Bassoon (Bsn.), Violin 1 (Vln. 1), Violin 2 (Vln. 2), Viola (Vla.), and Violoncello (Vlc.). The music is in 3/4 time and features a key signature of one flat (B-flat major or D-flat minor). The score is divided into three systems, each starting with a measure number in a box: 7, 10, and 13. The first system (measures 7-9) shows the Bassoon and Violoncello playing a melodic line, while Violin 1 and Violin 2 play a rhythmic accompaniment. The second system (measures 10-12) continues the melodic and rhythmic patterns. The third system (measures 13-15) shows the Bassoon and Violoncello playing a melodic line, while Violin 1 and Violin 2 play a rhythmic accompaniment. The Viola part is mostly silent, with a few notes in measure 13. Dynamics include *mf* (mezzo-forte), *mp* (mezzo-piano), and *p* (piano).

17

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

p

mp

p

mp

21

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

25

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

f

mf

f

mf

f

mf

f

mf

29

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

f

34

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

<mp

mf

mp

mf

mp

mf

39

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mf

mf

mp

mf

mp

44

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

Measures 44-47. The Bsn. part features a complex melodic line with numerous slurs. Vln. 1 is silent. Vln. 2 and Vla. play a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. Vlc. plays a similar eighth-note pattern.

48

Bsn.

Vln. 1

mf

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

Measures 48-51. The Bsn. part continues its melodic line. Vln. 1 enters with a melodic line marked *mf*. Vln. 2 and Vla. continue their eighth-note patterns. Vlc. continues its eighth-note pattern.

52

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

Measures 52-55. The Bsn. part continues its melodic line. Vln. 1 continues its melodic line. Vln. 2 and Vla. continue their eighth-note patterns. Vlc. continues its eighth-note pattern.

56

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mf

mp

mp

59

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mf

f

f

f

f

mf

mf

mf

f

mf

63

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

f

f

f

f

f

mp

mp

mp

mp

f

mp

II Early Spring

Robert Rønnes

♩ = 44 Amabile

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The score is written for Bassoon (Bsn.), Violin 1 (Vln. 1), Violin 2 (Vln. 2), Viola (Vla.), and Cello (Vlc.). The key signature is B-flat major (two flats) and the time signature is 12/8.

The first system shows the Bassoon part with a whole rest. Violin 1 plays a melody starting on G4, marked *mp*. Violin 2 plays a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes, marked *p*. Viola and Cello have whole rests, with Cello marked *p*.

The second system begins with a measure rest of 4 measures for the Bassoon. Violin 1 continues its melody, marked *p*. Violin 2 continues its pattern, marked *mp*. Viola plays a melody starting on G3, marked *p*. Cello continues its pattern, marked *p*.

The third system shows the Bassoon entering with a melody, marked *mp*. Violin 1 continues its melody, marked *p*. Violin 2 continues its pattern, marked *p*. Viola continues its melody, marked *p*. Cello continues its pattern, marked *p*.

II Early Spring

8

8

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

11

Bsn.

f

Vln. 1

mf

mp

Vln. 2

mf

mp

Vla.

mf

Vlc.

mf

14

Bsn.

Vln. 1

mf

Vln. 2

mf

Vla.

mp

mp

Vlc.

p

mp

16

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

18

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

20

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mf

mp

mp

p

p

II Early Spring

10

22

Bsn.

mp

Vln. 1

mf

Vln. 2

mf

Vla.

mp

Vlc.

mp

25

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

27

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

29

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

p

p

p

mf

p

32

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

34

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

mf

f

mf

f

mf

f

mf

f

II Early Spring

Freely

36

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

fp

3 3 3 3

38

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

a tempo

40

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mp

p

p

p

p

43

Bsn.

f

rit.

Vln. 1

mf

rit.

Vln. 2

mf

rit.

Vla.

mf

rit.

Vlc.

mf

rit.

46

$\text{♩} = 40$

Bsn.

Vln. 1

p

rit.

Vln. 2

p

rit.

Vla.

p

rit.

Vlc.

p

rit.

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3: Summer Night Walz

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$\text{♩} = 96$ Gracioso

Bassoon

mf

Violin 1

mf

Violin 2

mf

Viola

mf

Cello

mf

7

Bsn.

Vln. 1

mf

Vln. 2

mf

Vla.

Vlc.

3: Summer Night Walz

15

14

Bsn. *mp*

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla. *mp*

Vlc. *mp*

20

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

25

Bsn. *mp* *f*

Vln. 1 *mp* *f*

Vln. 2 *mp* *f*

Vla. *mp* *f*

Vlc. *mp* *f*

30

Bsn. *mf*

Vln. 1 *mp*

Vln. 2 *mp*

Vla. *mp*

Vlc. *mp*

36

Bsn. *f*

Vln. 1 *mf*

Vln. 2 *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Vlc. *mf*

40

Bsn. *rit.*

Vln. 1 *rit.* *mp*

Vln. 2 *rit.*

Vla. *rit.*

Vlc. *rit.*

3: Summer Night Walz

17

45

♩ = 72

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

p

p

p

49

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

♩ = 60

53

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

rit. *f*

rit. *p*

rit. *p*

58

Bsn.

mp *mf* *p* *mf*

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mp

mp

mp

mp

63

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

68

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

73

Bsn. *mp*

Vln. 1 *mf*

Vln. 2 *mf*

Vla. *mp*

Vlc. *mp*

mp

mf

mf

mp

mp

♩ = 60

79

Bsn. *mf* rit.

Vln. 1 *mf* rit. *fp* >

Vln. 2 *mf* rit. *fp* >

Vla. *mf* rit. *fp* >

Vlc. *mf* rit. *fp* >

mf rit.

mf rit. *fp* >

mf rit. *fp* >

mf rit. *fp* >

mf rit. *fp* >

86

Bsn. *mp* *pp*

Vln. 1 *p*

Vln. 2 *p*

Vla. *p*

Vlc. *p*

mp *pp*

p

p

p

p

4. Snow Dancing In The Trees

Robert Rønnes

 $\text{♩} = 80$ Giocoso

Bassoon

Violin 1

Violin 2

Viola

Cello

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

4

7

mf

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

10

Bsn.

mf sempre

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mp sempre

13

Bsn.

mf

Vln. 1

mf

Vln. 2

Vla.

mf

Vlc.

16

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

18

Bsn. *f*

Vln. 1 *f*

Vln. 2 *f*

Vla. *f*

Vlc. *f*

21

Bsn. *mf* *f*

Vln. 1 *mf*

Vln. 2 *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Vlc.

23

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

The musical score is written for five instruments: Bassoon (Bsn.), Violin 1 (Vln. 1), Violin 2 (Vln. 2), Viola (Vla.), and Violoncello (Vlc.). The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The score is divided into three systems, with measures 18, 21, and 23 marked at the beginning of each system. In the first system (measures 18-20), the Bassoon, Violin 1, Violin 2, and Viola all play a melody starting on a whole note, marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The Violoncello plays a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes, also marked *f*. In the second system (measures 21-23), the Bassoon has a more complex, melodic line with slurs and accents, marked *mf* then *f*. The Violin 1, Violin 2, and Viola continue with their melodic lines, marked *mf*. The Violoncello remains silent. The third system (measures 23-25) shows the Bassoon continuing its melodic line, while the Violin 1, Violin 2, and Viola continue theirs. The Violoncello remains silent.

23

25

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

28

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

30

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

5.Snow Dancing In The Trees

24

32

Bsn.

mf *mp*

Vln. 1

mf *mp*

Vln. 2

mf *mp*

Vla.

mf *mp*

Vlc.

mf *mp*

35

Bsn.

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

37

Bsn.

f

Vln. 1

f

Vln. 2

f

Vla.

f

Vlc.

f

39

Bsn. *ff* *f* *mf*

Vln. 1 *f* *mf* *mp*

Vln. 2 *f* *mf* *mp*

Vla. *f* *mf* *mp*

Vlc. *f* *mf* *mp*

42

Bsn. *mp*

Vln. 1 *p*

Vln. 2 *p*

Vla. *p* *p*

Vlc. *p* *p*

45

Bsn.

Vln. 1 *mp*

Vln. 2 *mp*

Vla. *mp*

Vlc. *mp*

5.Snow Dancing In The Trees

26 48

Bsn. *f*

Vln. 1 *mf*

Vln. 2 *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Vlc. *mf*

50

Bsn.

Vln. 1 *f*

Vln. 2 *f*

Vla. *f*

Vlc. *f*

52

Bsn. *ff*

Vln. 1 *ff*

Vln. 2 *ff*

Vla. *ff*

Vlc. *ff*

The musical score is for a piece titled "5. Snow Dancing In The Trees". It is arranged for Bsn., Vln. 1, Vln. 2, Vla., and Vlc. The score is divided into three systems. The first system starts at measure 48 and ends at measure 50. The second system starts at measure 50 and ends at measure 52. The third system starts at measure 52 and ends at measure 54. The key signature is one flat (Bb). The time signature is 4/4. The dynamics are marked as *f* (forte), *mf* (mezzo-forte), and *ff* (fortissimo). The Bsn. part has a melodic line with many slurs and ties. The Vln. 1 and Vln. 2 parts have a similar melodic line. The Vla. and Vlc. parts have a more rhythmic, arpeggiated line. The score ends with a double bar line at measure 54.

