

DREAM VARIATIONS

Bassoon (Orch.)

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THEME

♩ = 76-80, slow, simple

14 Poco piu mosso, with anticipation

12 Musical notation for the bass line of 'The Rose Tree'. The staff is in bass clef. The melody starts with a half note G#2 (labeled mp), followed by a quarter rest, then a half note F#2 (labeled p), and a quarter note E2 (labeled pp). There is a double bar line. After the double bar line, there is a quarter rest, then a half note D2 (labeled p), and a quarter note C2 (labeled mf). The piece ends with a double bar line. Above the staff, there is a box containing the text 'The Rose Tree, with underpiano'.

22 Calmer, morendo

18

Example 18 is a musical score for a bass line. It consists of six measures. The first measure starts with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. The second measure features a piano-piano (*pp*) dynamic. The third measure is marked piano (*p*). The fourth measure returns to piano-piano (*pp*). The fifth measure is marked mezzo-piano (*mp*). The sixth measure ends with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The score includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and slurs, indicating a complex melodic and harmonic structure.

VAR. 1. Vertigo

30 in time, ♩ = 72-76 solo

24

pp *mp* *pp*

3 2

3/4

in time (♩ = 72-76)

solo

in time (♩ = 72-76)

solo

33

in time (♩ = 72 bpm), forte

2

in time (♩ = 72 bpm)

fp *mf* *pp*

39 in time, rall. molto

solo

(solo)

44 in 4 (easing into m. 48 tempo)

Musical notation for the bass line of 'The Rose Tree'. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The notation consists of two measures, each with a whole note. The first measure is labeled with a '3' above it, and the second measure is labeled with a '4' above it. The notes are G2 and F2, respectively.

48 ♭ = 58-60, whimsical, unpredictable

a tempo

The bass line is written on a single staff. It begins with a 9-measure rest, followed by a half note B-flat. This is followed by a 4-measure rest, then a half note G, and finally a half note A-sharp. Dynamic markings are placed below the staff: *mp* and *p* under the first half note, *p* and *mp* under the second half note, and *mp*, *mf*, and *f* under the final half note. Slurs connect the first two half notes and the last two half notes.

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rit. molto a tempo

65

4 4 3 2 3/4

mp > *pp* > *n*

VAR. 2. High Living

81 ♩. = 80, high-spirited, extravagant, wild

81

ff *f* *ff*

87

3 11 104 8

sffz *f* *f*

112

16

p *mp* *mf espr.*

134

2 136 12

fp *fp*

152

155

fp < *f* *fp* < *f* *fp* < *f* *mp* *f* < *mp*

159

f *mp* *f* *ff* *f* *ff*

166

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

3

184

rit.

4

4/4

192 ♩ = 144, soaring, animated 201 206

8 4 3

[illegible]

217 220

3 3

228

3

232

5

3

3

5

3

255 *poco rit.* 260 *a tempo*

The musical score for measures 255-260 is written on a single staff. Measure 255 begins with a bass clef and a whole note G2. A crescendo hairpin starts below the staff, with *mp* at the beginning and *pp* at the end of the measure. Measure 256 contains a half note G2 and a half note F2, connected by a slur. Measure 257 contains a half note F2 and a half note E2, also connected by a slur. Measure 258 contains a half note E2 and a half note D2, connected by a slur. Measure 259 contains a half note D2 and a half note C2, connected by a slur. Measure 260 contains a whole note C2. A decrescendo hairpin starts below the staff, with *n* at the end of the measure. The piece concludes with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

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262 *tr* *rit. molto*

fp $\triangleleft$ *f* *fp* $\triangleleft$ *f* *fp* $\triangleleft$ *f* *f* $\triangleright$ *p* *fp* $\triangleleft$ *f* *fp* $\triangleleft$ *f*

268 *tr* *fp* $\triangleleft$ *f* $\triangleright$ *p* *fp* $\triangleleft$ *f* $\triangleleft$ *ff* $\triangleleft$ *fff*

VAR. 4. Carillon Tower

274 $\text{♩} = 72$, spectacular, imposing, overwhelming

3 *p* $\xrightarrow{\text{molto}}$ *fff* *p* $\xrightarrow{\text{molto}}$ *fff*

282 286 294 *mf* $\triangleleft$

295 *f* $\triangleright$ *mp* *mf* $\triangleleft$ *ff* $\triangleright$ *mf* $\triangleleft$ *ff* $\triangleright$ *f* $\triangleleft$

301 305 *ff* $\xrightarrow{\quad}$ *fff* *fff* $\triangleright$ *mf* $\triangleleft$ *fff*

307 *f* $\triangleright$ *ff* $\triangleright$ *mf* *mf* $\triangleright$ *mp* $\triangleright$ *p* $\triangleright$ *pp*

VAR. 5. Falling

313 long 319 $\text{♩} = 104$, dizzying, ephemeral

5 6 5 *fp* $\triangleleft$ *mf* $\triangleright$ *p*

332

ppp *pp* *< f > pp* *< f > pp* *mf* *pp*

337

ppp *whispered, sotto voce* *pp* *molto* *f* *molto* *pp* *n*

blend with horns

345

pp *molto* *ff*

353

mp *pp* *pp*

VAR. 6. Haunted Terrain

375 ♩ = 54, dark, still

bring out

p *pp* *p* *pp* *p* *mp*

381

p *mp* *p* *pp* *p* *mf*

387

p *ppp* *p* *mf* *p* *pp*

392 same tempo, rubato ad lib.

ppp *mp* *pp*

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403 *tr* random broken pattern, like Morse code

pp *molto* *ff* *pp*

409

f *sfz* *p* *ff*

sim.

415 in time (♩ = 54) poco rit.

mp *mf* *f* *mp*

4

424 ♩ = 50-52 (poco meno mosso), very dark rit. molto a tempo

p *pp*

8 3

437 rit.

mf espr. *p* *pp*

2

VAR. 7. Apparition

442 ♩ = 76, mystical, ethereal

444

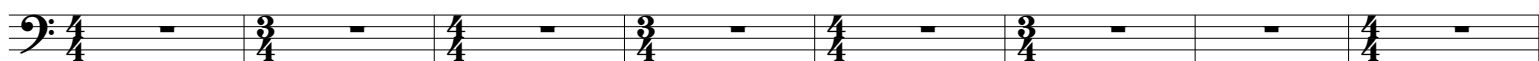
450 poco rit.

456 a tempo

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462 poco rit. a tempo rit. rit. molto

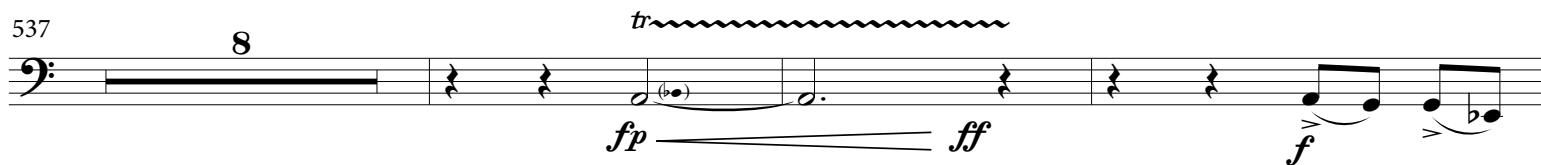
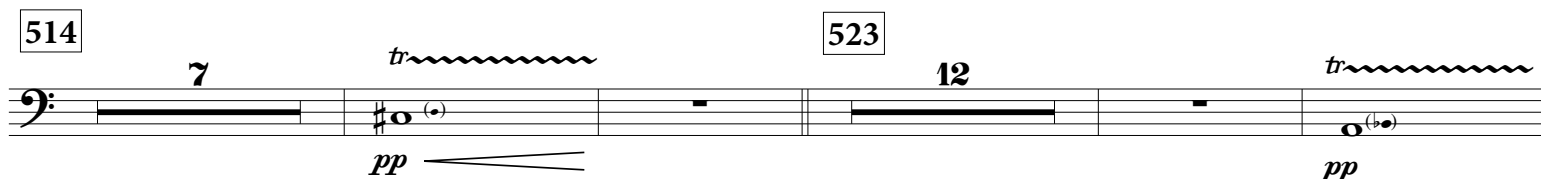
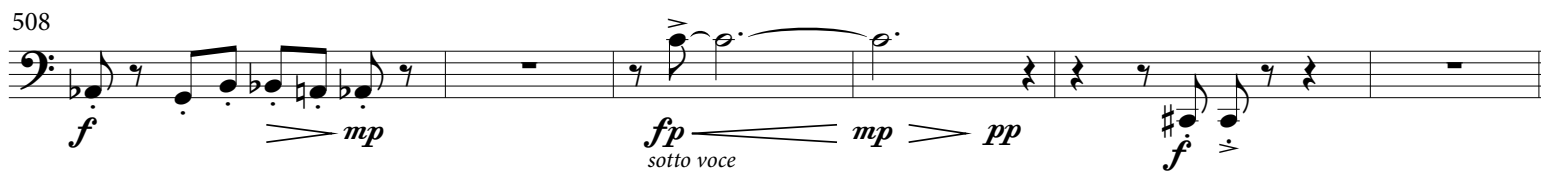
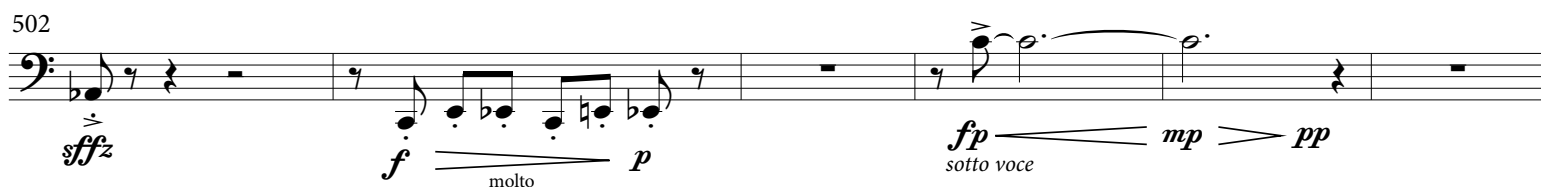
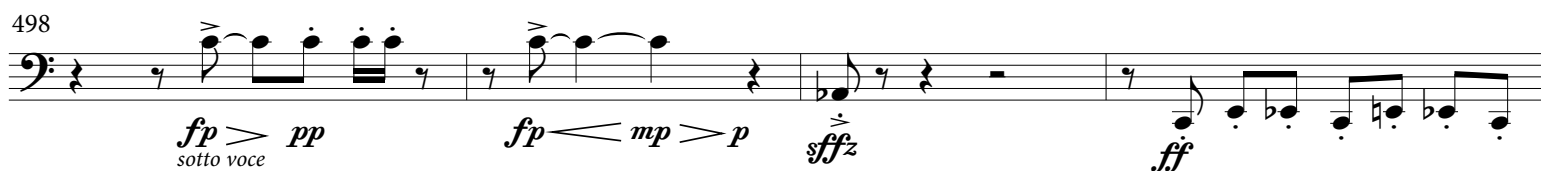
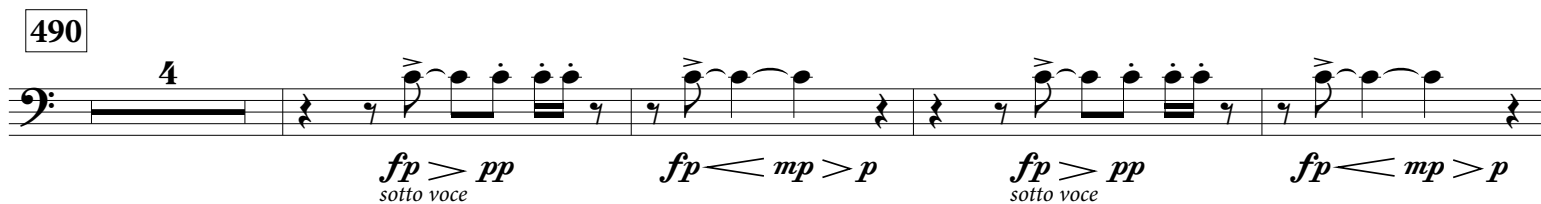


470 ♩ = 66, withdrawn



VAR. 8. Hysteria

484 ♩ = 160, frantic



553 a tempo



557



561

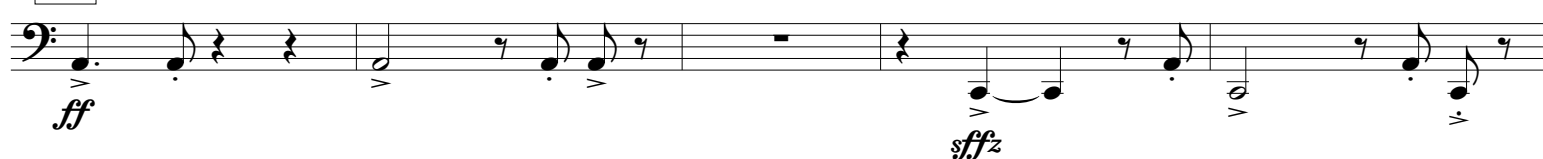


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569

rit. molto



574

575 ♩ = 52, intense

CADENZA

578 ♩ = 76-80, slow, simple



587

bring out

589

8

597

4



601

603 rall. to end

7

