

ما-آ-أ-بَا أُود مِنَا-غُنْ ما-آ دِي-إِن

(أين المستقبل كالماضي؟ إلام مصيري؟)

Ma-a a-ba ud me-na-gin Ma-a di-di-in

(Where is the future like the past? Where will I go?)

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بتكليف من، وألّفت له مع رباعي جاك بين نيو يورك و برلين ٢٠١٩-٢٠٢٢ كجزء من مشروع جاك استوديو. تم التأليف في آذار/مارس ٢٠٢٢. عرضة لأول مرة من قبل رباعي جاك ٢٠ نيسان/أبريل ٢٠٢٢ في مركز كاوفمان للموسيقى، نيو يورك، الولايات المتحدة.

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تدوين كامل

Full Score

تقريباً ٢٠ دقيقة

approx. 20 min

1

PART 1

ALL: Play with top third of bow, in bow position that sounds fullest/rounded.
At peak of *cresc.* use more bow rather than more pressure.

A $\text{♩} = 140$

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

Play 4 times **rall.**

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 1

2

B a tempo

5

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

9

Play 3 times

rall.

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 1

Musical score for strings (Vln 1, Vln 2, Vla, Vc) in 2/4 time. The score shows two measures of music. Measure 24 consists of eighth-note patterns. Measure 25 begins with a dynamic of *pp*, followed by *mf* markings with a '3' over them. The section ends with a dynamic of *rall.* (rallentando). The strings play eighth-note patterns throughout both measures.

PART 1

4

35

D a tempo

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

40

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 1

E

45

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

rall.

51

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 1

ALL: Start as before, but play slightly more *detaché* during repeat

57

F a tempo

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

60

ALL: Slowly shift from *detaché* to on-string whilst muting strings with L. H. and moving bow towards *sul tasto*.
3rd time should be fully muted with L. H.

Play 3 times

rall.
ALL: Slowly fade in the pitched note in and shift bow to normal position whilst *cresc.* exponentially

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 1

ALL: Play with top third of bow, in bow position that sounds fullest.
At peak of *cresc.* use more bow rather than more pressure.

G a tempo

63

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

ALL: mute strings with L. H. and play *sul tasto*
2nd time Vla & Cl play mf only

66

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

40

40

40

40

PART 1

Start a tempo then slowly rall. by approx 10 bpm in order to play each repeat approx. 10 bpm slower than previous so that by end of repeats (Bar 72) you are approx. 100 bpm

H rall.

69

Vln 1 : $\frac{10}{4}$ $p \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$

Vln 2 : $\frac{10}{4}$ $p \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$

Vla : $\frac{10}{4}$ $mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$

Vc. : $\frac{10}{4}$ $p \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$

Play 3 times approx. $\text{♩} = 100$

71

Vln 1 : $\frac{10}{4}$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$

Vln 2 : $\frac{10}{4}$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$

Vla : $\frac{10}{4}$ $mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$

Vc. : $\frac{10}{4}$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$ $pp \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} mf \overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^{3} pp$

PART 1

ALL: Slightly *detaché* in fixed bow position, try to bring out 11th-15th partials.

I approx. $\text{♩} = 100$

Vln 1 $\text{♩} = 100$
 pp mf p
 Vln 2 pp mf p mf
 Vla pp mf p mf
 Vc. pp mf p mf

accel.
 ALL: Do not let ring

Vln 1 mf p ff
 Vln 2 p mf mp ff
 Vla p mf mp ff
 Vc. p mf p ff

PART 1

10

ALL: Independently drift between *sul tasto* on *f* and *poco sul pont* on *p*

81 **J** ♩ = 140

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

88

rall.....

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 1

ALL: First time WITHOUT tremolo as dotted quarter notes only. Second time WITH, as written.

K a tempo

95

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

103

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 1

12

L

107

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

fp

fp

fp

fp

pp — *f*

fp

fp

fp

fp

pp — *f*

fp

fp

fp

fp

fp

fp

fp

fp

120

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

fp

fp

fp

fp

pp — *f*

pp — *ff*

8

8

8

8

pp — *f*

pp — *ff*

8

8

pp — *ff*

8

8

pp — *ff*

13

PART 1

ALL: Independently *ad lib.* bow position and bow length, bring out partials, swells in dynamic range (f>mp<f), small *accel./rall.* but stay close together.

127 **M** ♩ = 140

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

rall.....

ALL: Together *rall.* so that you reach approx. 60bpm by the end, in order to set the tempo for the next page

ALL: Mechanical - much less variation of *ad lib.* approx. ♩ = 60

130

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

N approx. $\text{♩} = 120$

133

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

f

This section of the musical score features four staves for string instruments: Violin 1 (Vln 1), Violin 2 (Vln 2), Cello (Vc.), and Double Bass (Vla). The time signature is 4/4 throughout. The key signature is A major, indicated by two sharps. The tempo is marked as approximately quarter note = 120. The dynamic is forte (f). The music is divided into six measures. In each measure, the instruments play eighth-note patterns. The patterns are mostly eighth-note pairs, with some eighth-note triplets and sixteenth-note figures. The overall texture is dense and rhythmic.

136

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

This section continues the musical score from the previous page. The instrumentation remains the same: Vln 1, Vln 2, Vla, and Vc. The time signature is 4/4. The key signature is A major (two sharps). The dynamic is f. The music is divided into six measures. The patterns for each instrument are similar to the ones in the previous section, maintaining the eighth-note rhythmic style.

PART 1

139

(round two)

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

This section of the score features four staves for Violin 1, Violin 2, Viola, and Cello. The key signature is A major (no sharps or flats). Measure 139 starts with eighth-note patterns. Measure 140 begins with a dynamic 'v' over Violin 2, followed by eighth-note patterns. Measure 141 begins with a dynamic 'v' over Viola, followed by eighth-note patterns. Measure 142 begins with a dynamic 'v' over Cello, followed by eighth-note patterns. Performance markings like 'gliss.' and 'v' are placed above specific notes.

142

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

This section continues the musical score for strings. The key signature remains A major. Measures 142-145 show eighth-note patterns. Measures 146-148 begin with dynamics 'v' over Violin 2, Viola, and Cello respectively, followed by eighth-note patterns. Performance markings like 'gliss.' and 'v' are placed above specific notes.

PART 1

16

145

Vln 1
Vln 2
Vla
Vc.

148

Vln 1
Vln 2
Vla
Vc.

PART 2

A CL Leads

accel. *rall.*

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

155

accelerando.....

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

a tempo

PART 2

a tempo

B VL1 Leads

162

accel..... rall..... accel..... rall.....

Vln 1

$\frac{11}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{8}{4}$ $\frac{7}{4}$ $\frac{10}{4}$

mp

Vln 2

$\frac{11}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{8}{4}$ $\frac{7}{4}$ $\frac{10}{4}$

pp

Vla

$\frac{11}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{8}{4}$ $\frac{7}{4}$ $\frac{10}{4}$

pp

Vc.

$\frac{11}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{8}{4}$ $\frac{7}{4}$ $\frac{10}{4}$

pp

Musical score for strings (Vln 1, Vln 2, Vla, Vc) showing measures 169-170. The score consists of four staves. Measure 169 starts with a dynamic of **10**, followed by a measure of **5**, then **3**, **5**, **2**, **8**, **11**, and **11**. Measure 170 starts with a dynamic of **10**, followed by a measure of **5**, then **3**, **5**, **2**, **8**, **11**, and **11**. The first three measures are labeled **accel.** and the last three measures are labeled **rall.**.

PART 2

a tempo

C VLA Leads

176

accel.

rall.

Vln 1

Vln 2

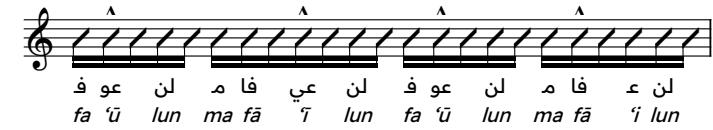
Vla

Vc.

البحر الطويل: فعولن مقاعيلن فعولن مقاعيلن

fa 'ū lun ma fā 'ī lun fa 'ū lun ma fā 'ī lun

ALL - FULL PAGE: Independently modulate speed of tremolo (*rall.*->*acc.*), bow position (*tasto* <-> *poco sul ponte*) and dynamics (<->) but change chords at the same time. Where possible try to use a rhythmic grouping or full phrase the Arabic poetry meter (slash phrase). Feel free to slightly extend the lengths of measures in order to change together, but keep the 2/4, 3/4 and 4/4 measures tight if not a little faster. Violin 2 should lead and be slightly louder (*mp*<*mf*>*mp*) than everyone else (*pp*<*mp*>*pp*).



accel.

rall.

183

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

ALL: Let ring naturally always. Find the groove and play confidently, but not louder than written.
 Commas delineate phrasing. All two beat rests should be slightly longer than written.
 Use the colours of the chords to create subtle dynamic shifts.

PART 2

D VL2 Leads

a tempo

190

Vln 1 pp

Vln 2 mp

Vla pp

Vc. pp

197

rall.....

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 3

204

A $\text{♩} = 63$

Vln 1 poco rall. a tempo

Vln 2 poco rall. a tempo

Vla poco rall. a tempo

Vc. poco rall. a tempo

209

C

poco rall. molto accel. a tempo

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

PART 3

22

214

Vln 1 poco accel. a tempo

Vln 2 *p* *mp* *p*

Vla *mp* *p*

Vc. *mp* *p*

D *mp* poco rall. a tempo

Vln 1 *p*

Vln 2 *p*

Vla *p*

Vc. *p*

E a tempo

Vln 1 *mp* *p*

Vln 2 *mp* *p*

Vla *mp* *p*

Vc. *mp* *p*

F poco rall. a tempo

Vln 1 *mp* *p*

Vln 2 *mp* *p*

Vla *mp* *p*

Vc. *mp* *p*

PART 3

228 **a tempo**

G

Vln 1 *mp*

Vln 2 *mp*

Vla *mp*

Vc. *mp*

H

I

Vln 1 *mp*

Vln 2 *mp*

Vla *p*

Vc. *p*

Vln 1 *mf*

Vln 2 *mf*

Vla *mf*

Vc. *mf*

237

J

Vln 1 *mp*

Vln 2 *mf* > *mp*

Vla *mp*

Vc. *mp*

mf > *p* *mp*

mf > *mp*

mf > *mp*

mf > *mp*

PART 3

24

247

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

K

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

L

rall.

262

Vln 1

Vln 2

Vla

Vc.

mp

mp *poco a poco*

mp *poco a poco*

mp *poco a poco*

mp *poco a poco*