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# CENTER OF THE UNIVERSE

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Fanfare Band

Deciso (♩ = 68) Solo

Es Soprano Saxophone

Es Alto Saxophone 1

Es Alto Saxophone 2

B♭ Tenor Saxophone

Es Baritone Saxophone

Es Cornet

B♭ Flugel Horn 1

B♭ Flugel Horn 2

B♭ Flugel Horn 3

Deciso (♩ = 68)

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2, 3

F Horn 1, 2

F Horn 3, 4

Trombone 1

Trombone 2

Trombone 3

B♭ Baritone 1

B♭ Baritone 2

B♭ Euphonium

Es Bass

B♭ Bass

Timpani

Percussion 1

Percussion 2

Percussion 3

Percussion 4

Vibraphone (motor on - slow fan, hard mallets)

Low Tom

Snare Drum

Tubular Bells

Concert Bass Drum

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B♭ S. Sax.

Es A. Sax. 1

Es A. Sax. 2

B♭ T. Sax.

Es B. Sax.

Es Cnt.

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3

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B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3

F Hn. 1, 2

F Hn. 3, 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

B♭ Bar. 1

B♭ Bar. 2

B♭ Euph.

Es Bs.

B♭ Bs.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

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return to seat

All

pp

p

f

sim.

ppp



Reconstruction

28 Allegro con fuoco, doppio movimento (♩ = 128)

(2 + 2 + 3)

Bi S. Sax. *All* *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Bi T. Sax. *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

E♭ B. Sax. *f* *mf* *f* *mf*

E♭ Cnt. *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Bi Fl. Hn. 1 *mp* *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Bi Fl. Hn. 2 *mp* *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Bi Fl. Hn. 3 *mp* *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Reconstruction

28 Allegro con fuoco, doppio movimento (♩ = 128)

Bi Tpt. 1 *open* *mf* *ff* *ff*

Bi Tpt. 2, 3 *open* *mf* *ff* *ff*

F Hn. 1, 2 *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff* *All*

F Hn. 3, 4 *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Tbn. 1 *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Tbn. 2 *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Tbn. 3 *mf* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Bi Bar. 1 *mp* *mf* *ff* *ff*

Bi Bar. 2 *mp* *mf* *ff* *ff*

Bi Euph. *All* *mf* *ff* *ff*

E♭ Bs. *mf* *f* *mf*

Bi Bs. *mf* *f* *mf*

Timp. *f* *mf* *ff* *f* *mf*

Perc. 1 *f* *mf* *ff* *f* *mf*

Perc. 2 *S.D.* *ff* *f* *mf* *f* *mf*

Perc. 3 *Floor Tom* *f* *mf* *ff* *f*

Perc. 4 *f* *mf* *ff* *f*

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(2 + 2 + 3)

Bi S. Sax. *ff* *mf* *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *ff* *mf* *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *ff* *mf* *ff*

Bi T. Sax. *ff* *mf* *ff*

E♭ B. Sax. *ff* *mf* *ff*

E♭ Cnt. *ff* *mf* *ff*

Bi Fl. Hn. 1 *ff* *mf* *ff*

Bi Fl. Hn. 2 *ff* *mf* *ff*

Bi Fl. Hn. 3 *ff* *mf* *ff*

Bi Tpt. 1 *ff* *mf* *ff* *(2 + 2 + 3)*

Bi Tpt. 2, 3 *ff* *mf* *ff*

F Hn. 1, 2 *ff* *mf* *ff*

F Hn. 3, 4 *ff* *mf* *ff*

Tbn. 1 *ff* *mp* *ff*

Tbn. 2 *ff* *mp* *ff*

Tbn. 3 *ff* *mp* *ff*

Bi Bar. 1 *ff* *mf* *ff*

Bi Bar. 2 *ff* *mf* *ff*

Bi Euph. *ff* *mf* *ff*

E♭ Bs. *mp sub.* *mf*

Bi Bs. *mp sub.* *mf*

Timp. *mp sub.* *mf*

Perc. 1 *mp sub.* *mf*

Perc. 2 *mp sub.* *mf*

Perc. 3 *mp sub.* *mf*

Perc. 4 *mp sub.* *mf*

43 (4+2) 47

B♭ S. Sax. *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ T. Sax. *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

E♭ B. Sax. *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

E♭ Cnt. *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

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B♭ Tpt. 1 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

F Hn. 1, 2 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

F Hn. 3, 4 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Tbn. 1 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Tbn. 2 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Tbn. 3 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Bar. 1 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Bar. 2 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Euph. *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

E♭ Bs. *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Bs. *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

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

Perc. 1 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Perc. 2 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Perc. 3

Perc. 4 *ff*

Xylophone *ff*

B.D. *ff*

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B♭ S. Sax. *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

B♭ T. Sax. *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

E♭ B. Sax. *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

E♭ Cnt. *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

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B♭ Tpt. 1 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

F Hn. 1, 2 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

F Hn. 3, 4 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

Tbn. 1 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Tbn. 2 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Tbn. 3 *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Bar. 1 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

B♭ Bar. 2 *f* *mf* *mf* *mf* *f*

B♭ Euph. *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

E♭ Bs. *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

B♭ Bs. *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

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

Perc. 1 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Perc. 2 *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf*

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

60

B♭ S. Sax. *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *f*

B♭ T. Sax. *f*

E♭ B. Sax. *f*

E♭ Cnt.

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *f*

B♭ Tpt. 1 *f marcato*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *f marcato*

F Hn. 1, 2 *f sost.*

F Hn. 3, 4 *f sost.*

Tbn. 1 *f sost. marcato*

Tbn. 2 *f sost.*

Tbn. 3 *f sost.*

B♭ Bar. 1 *f sost.*

B♭ Bar. 2 *f sost.*

B♭ Euph. *f sost.*

E♭ Bs. *f*

B♭ Bs. *f*

Timp. *f*

Perc. 1 *f*

Perc. 2 *f*

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

67

68

76

B♭ S. Sax. *mf p*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *mf p*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *mf p*

B♭ T. Sax. *mf p*

E♭ B. Sax. *mf p*

E♭ Cnt. *p poco marcato*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *mf p*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *mf p*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *mf p*

B♭ Tpt. 1 *f marcato*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *f marcato*

F Hn. 1, 2 *p poco marcato*

F Hn. 3, 4 *p poco marcato*

Tbn. 1 *f sost.*

Tbn. 2 *f sost.*

Tbn. 3 *f sost.*

B♭ Bar. 1 *f sost.*

B♭ Bar. 2 *f sost.*

B♭ Euph. *p*

E♭ Bs. *f*

B♭ Bs. *f*

Timp. *f*

Perc. 1 *f*

Perc. 2 *f*

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

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B♭ S. Sax. *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *ff*

B♭ T. Sax. *ff*

E♭ B. Sax. *ff*

E♭ Cnt. *f sost.* *ff*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *f* *ff*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *f* *ff*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *f* *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 1 *f sost.* *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *f sost.* *ff*

F Hn. 1, 2 *f* *ff* All

F Hn. 3, 4 *f* All *sim.* *ff*

Tbn. 1 *ff*

Tbn. 2 *ff*

Tbn. 3 *ff*

B♭ Bar. 1 *ff*

B♭ Bar. 2 *ff*

B♭ Euph. *ff*

E♭ Bs. *ff*

B♭ Bs. *ff*

Timp. *ff*

Perc. 1 *ff*

Perc. 2 *ff*

Perc. 3 *ff* Suspended Cymbal

Perc. 4 *ff*

85 [87] Subito meno mosso (♩ = 64)

B♭ S. Sax. *mp espress.* One player

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *mp espress.* One player

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *mp espress.* One player

B♭ T. Sax. *mp espress.* One player

E♭ B. Sax. *mp espress.* One player

E♭ Cnt. *mp espress.*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *mp sub.*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *mp sub.*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *mp sub.*

B♭ Tpt. 1 *mp sub.*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *mp sub.*

F Hn. 1, 2 *sim.* *mp sub.*

F Hn. 3, 4 *mp sub.*

Tbn. 1 *mp sub.*

Tbn. 2 *mp sub.*

Tbn. 3 *mp sub.*

B♭ Bar. 1 *mp sub.*

B♭ Bar. 2 *mp sub.*

B♭ Euph. *mp sub.*

E♭ Bs. *mp sub.*

B♭ Bs. *p*

Timp. *mp*

Perc. 1 *mp* Vibra. (motor on - medium fan, medium mallets)

Perc. 2 *mp* Glockenspiel

Perc. 3 *mp*

Perc. 4 *ff* Cymb. a2

97 *Allarg.* [103] *Meno mosso* (♩ = 54)

Bi S. Sax. 

E♭ A. Sax. 1

E♭ A. Sax. 2

Bi T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

E♭ Cnt.

Bi Fl. Hn. 1

Bi Fl. Hn. 2

Bi Fl. Hn. 3

97 *Allarg.* [103] *Meno mosso* (♩ = 54)

Bi Tpt. 1

Bi Tpt. 2, 3

F Hn. 1, 2

F Hn. 3, 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Bi Bar. 1

Bi Bar. 2

Bi Euph.

E♭ Bs.

Bi Bs.

Timp.


Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

109 *Rall.* *Pastorale* [116] *Adagio* (♩ = 58)

Bi S. Sax. 

E♭ A. Sax. 1

E♭ A. Sax. 2

Bi T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

E♭ Cnt.

Bi Fl. Hn. 1

Bi Fl. Hn. 2

Bi Fl. Hn. 3

109 *Rall.* *Pastorale* [116] *Adagio* (♩ = 58)

Bi Tpt. 1

Bi Tpt. 2, 3

F Hn. 1, 2

F Hn. 3, 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Bi Bar. 1

Bi Bar. 2

Bi Euph.

E♭ Bs.

Bi Bs.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4





135 *Stringendo*

B♭ S. Sax. *mf*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *mf*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *mf*

B♭ T. Sax. *mf*

E♭ B. Sax. *mf*

E♭ Cnt. *mf*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *mf* *div. / unis.*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *mf*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *mf*

135 *open* *Stringendo*

B♭ Tpt. 1 *mf*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *mf*

F Hn. 1, 2 *mf*

F Hn. 3, 4 *mf*

Tbn. 1 *mf*

Tbn. 2 *mf*

Tbn. 3 *mf*

B♭ Bar. 1 *mf*

B♭ Bar. 2 *mf*

B♭ Euph. *mf*

E♭ Bs. *mf*

B♭ Bs. *mf*

Timp. *mf*

Perc. 1 *mf*

Perc. 2 *mf*

Perc. 3 *mf*

Perc. 4 *mf*

[14] *Appassionato* (♩ = 76)

B♭ S. Sax. *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *f*

B♭ T. Sax. *f*

E♭ B. Sax. *f*

E♭ Cnt. *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *f*

[14] *Appassionato* (♩ = 76)

B♭ Tpt. 1 *f*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *f*

F Hn. 1, 2 *f*

F Hn. 3, 4 *f*

Tbn. 1 *f*

Tbn. 2 *f*

Tbn. 3 *f*

B♭ Bar. 1 *f*

B♭ Bar. 2 *f*

B♭ Euph. *f*

E♭ Bs. *f*

B♭ Bs. *f*

Timp. *f*

Perc. 1 *f*

Perc. 2 *f*

Perc. 3 *f*

Perc. 4 *f*

*Allarg.* *Tranquillo* (♩ = 64)

*mf* *mp* *All.* *One player* *mp*



167 **170** *Poco a poco rall.*

B♭ S. Sax.  
 E♭ A. Sax. 1  
 E♭ A. Sax. 2 (One player)  
 B♭ T. Sax. (One player)  
 E♭ B. Sax. *mf espress.*  
 E♭ Cnt.  
 B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *unis.*  
 B♭ Fl. Hn. 2  
 B♭ Fl. Hn. 3  
 B♭ Tpt. 1  
 B♭ Tpt. 2, 3  
 F Hn. 1, 2 *All*  
 F Hn. 3, 4  
 Tbn. 1  
 Tbn. 2  
 Tbn. 3  
 B♭ Bar. 1  
 B♭ Bar. 2  
 B♭ Euph.  
 E♭ Bs.  
 B♭ Bs.  
 Timp.  
 Perc. 1 *Vibra.*  
 Perc. 2 *Glock.*  
 Perc. 3  
 Perc. 4

176 **Excelsior**  
**178** *Allegro moderato* (♩ = 116)

B♭ S. Sax.  
 E♭ A. Sax. 1  
 E♭ A. Sax. 2  
 B♭ T. Sax.  
 E♭ B. Sax.  
 E♭ Cnt.  
 B♭ Fl. Hn. 1  
 B♭ Fl. Hn. 2  
 B♭ Fl. Hn. 3  
 B♭ Tpt. 1  
 B♭ Tpt. 2, 3  
 F Hn. 1, 2 *All*  
 F Hn. 3, 4  
 Tbn. 1  
 Tbn. 2  
 Tbn. 3  
 B♭ Bar. 1  
 B♭ Bar. 2  
 B♭ Euph.  
 E♭ Bs.  
 B♭ Bs.  
 Timp.  
 Perc. 1  
 Perc. 2  
 Perc. 3 *Temple Blocks*  
 Perc. 4





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B♭ S. Sax. *mf*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *mf*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *mf*

B♭ T. Sax. *mf*

E♭ B. Sax. *mf*

E♭ Cnt.

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *mf* *umc.*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *mf*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *mf*

B♭ Tpt. 1 *mf* *open*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *mf* *2. open*

F Hn. 1, 2 *mf* *All*

F Hn. 3, 4 *mf* *All*

Tbn. 1 *mf* *open*

Tbn. 2 *mf* *open*

Tbn. 3 *mf*

B♭ Bar. 1 *mf*

B♭ Bar. 2 *mf*

B♭ Euph. *mf*

E♭ Bs. *mf*

B♭ Bs. *mf*

Timp.

Perc. 1 *mf*

Perc. 2 *mf* *S.D.*

Perc. 3 *mf*

Perc. 4

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B♭ S. Sax. *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *f*

B♭ T. Sax. *f*

E♭ B. Sax. *f*

E♭ Cnt. *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 1 *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 2 *f*

B♭ Fl. Hn. 3 *f*

B♭ Tpt. 1 *f* *open*

B♭ Tpt. 2, 3 *f* *+ 3. open*

F Hn. 1, 2 *f* *All*

F Hn. 3, 4 *f* *sim*

Tbn. 1 *f*

Tbn. 2 *f*

Tbn. 3 *f* *open*

B♭ Bar. 1 *f*

B♭ Bar. 2 *f*

B♭ Euph. *f*

E♭ Bs. *f*

B♭ Bs. *f*

Timp.

Perc. 1 *f*

Perc. 2 *f*

Perc. 3

Perc. 4 *f* *Cymb. a2*



243 *Allarg. (in 6)* [248] *Maestoso* (♩ = 68)

Bi S. Sax. *ff* *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *ff* *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *ff* *f*

Bi T. Sax. *ff* *f*

E♭ B. Sax. *ff* *f*

E♭ Cnt. *mf* *ff* *f*

Bi Fl. Hn. 1 *ff* *f*

Bi Fl. Hn. 2 *ff* *f*

Bi Fl. Hn. 3 *ff* *f*

243 *Allarg. (in 6)* [248] *Maestoso* (♩ = 68)

Bi Tpt. 1 *mf* *ff* *f* *All*

Bi Tpt. 2, 3 *mp* *ff* *f* *All*

F Hn. 1, 2 *ff* *f* *All*

F Hn. 3, 4 *ff* *f* *All*

Tbn. 1 *ff* *f*

Tbn. 2 *ff* *f*

Tbn. 3 *ff* *f*

Bi Bar. 1 *ff* *f*

Bi Bar. 2 *ff* *f*

Bi Euph. *ff* *f*

E♭ Bs. *ff* *f*

Bi Bs. *ff* *f*

Timp. *ff* *f*

Perc. 1 *mf* *ff*

Perc. 2 *mf* *ff*

Perc. 3 *ff* *f* *Tub Bells let ring*

Perc. 4 *ff* *f* *Tom tom let ring*

249

Bi S. Sax.

E♭ A. Sax. 1

E♭ A. Sax. 2

Bi T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

E♭ Cnt.

Bi Fl. Hn. 1

Bi Fl. Hn. 2

Bi Fl. Hn. 3

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Bi Tpt. 1

Bi Tpt. 2, 3 *sim*

F Hn. 1, 2

F Hn. 3, 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Bi Bar. 1

Bi Bar. 2

Bi Euph.

E♭ Bs.

Bi Bs.

Timp.

249

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4



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One player *Rall.* **260** A tempo ( $\text{♩} = 68$ )

Bi S. Sax. *p*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *p*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *p*

Bi T. Sax. *p*

E♭ B. Sax. *p*

E♭ Cnt. *p*

Bi Fl. Hn. 1 *p sub.*

Bi Fl. Hn. 2 *p sub.*

Bi Fl. Hn. 3 *p sub.*

255 **260** A tempo ( $\text{♩} = 68$ )

Bi Tpt. 1 *f*

Bi Tpt. 2, 3 *f*

F Hn. 1, 2 *All p sub.*

F Hn. 3, 4 *p sub.*

Tbn. 1 *f*

Tbn. 2 *f*

Tbn. 3 *f*

Bi Bar. 1 *p sub.*

Bi Bar. 2 *p sub.*

Bi Euph. *p sub.*

E♭ Bs. *mp*

Bi Bs. *mp*

Timp. *S.C. mf*

Perc. 1 *S.D. p*

Perc. 2 *p*

Perc. 3 *p*

Perc. 4 *p*

262

*All*

Bi S. Sax. *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 1 *f*

E♭ A. Sax. 2 *f*

Bi T. Sax. *f*

E♭ B. Sax. *f*

E♭ Cnt. *f*

Bi Fl. Hn. 1 *f*

Bi Fl. Hn. 2 *f*

Bi Fl. Hn. 3 *f*

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Bi Tpt. 1 *f*

Bi Tpt. 2, 3 *f*

F Hn. 1, 2 *All sim.*

F Hn. 3, 4 *f*

Tbn. 1 *f*

Tbn. 2 *f*

Tbn. 3 *f*

Bi Bar. 1 *f*

Bi Bar. 2 *f*

Bi Euph. *f*

E♭ Bs. *f*

Bi Bs. *f*

Timp. *f*

Perc. 1 *f*

Perc. 2 *f*

Perc. 3 *f*

Perc. 4 *f*

*Cymb. a2*





