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LIGHT OF THE SWORD

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Allegro moderato ♩ = 120

This page contains the musical score for measures 1 through 11. The tempo is marked 'Allegro moderato' with a quarter note equal to 120 beats. The score is written for a large symphony orchestra. The instruments listed on the left are: Piccolo, Flute 1, 2, Oboe, Bassoon, E♭ Clarinet, B♭ Clarinet 1, B♭ Clarinet 2, E♭ Alto Clarinet, B♭ Bass Clarinet, E♭ Alto Saxophone 1, 2, B♭ Tenor Saxophone, E♭ Baritone Saxophone, B♭ Trumpet 1, 2, B♭ Trumpet 3, 4, F Horn 1, 2, F Horn 3, 4, Trombone 1, 2, Trombone 3, Euphonium, Bass, Double Bass, Timpani, Percussion 1 (Triangle), Percussion 2 (Snare Drum), Percussion 3 (Cymbals), and Percussion 4 (Bass Drum). The score includes various musical notations such as dynamics (f, fp, cresc.), articulation (accents), and performance instructions like 'gliss.' and '9'. A large, stylized logo is overlaid on the score, consisting of a white sword blade cutting through a black shield-like shape.

This page contains the musical score for measures 12 through 23. The tempo remains 'Allegro moderato'. The instruments listed on the left are: Picc., Fl. 1, 2, Ob., Ben., E♭ Clar., B♭ Clar. 1, B♭ Clar. 2, E♭ A. Clar., B♭ B. Clar., E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2, B♭ T. Sax., E♭ B. Sax., B♭ Tpt. 1, 2, B♭ Tpt. 3, 4, F Hn. 1, 2, F Hn. 3, 4, Tbn. 1, 2, Tbn. 3, Euph., Bs., Db. Bs., Timp., Perc. 1, Perc. 2, Perc. 3, and Perc. 4. The score continues with musical notation, including dynamics (f, p, mf, sfz), articulation, and performance instructions. The large, stylized logo is repeated, partially overlapping the musical staves.

24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36

Picc. Fl. 1, 2 Ob. Bsn. E♭ Clar. B♭ Clar. 1 B♭ Clar. 2 E♭ A Clar. B♭-Bs. Clar. E♭ A Sax. 1, 2 B♭ T. Sax. E♭ B. Sax. B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 F Hn. 1, 2 F Hn. 3, 4 Tbn. 1, 2 Tbn. 3 Euph. Bs. Db. Bs. Timp. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 3 Perc. 4

37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48

Picc. Fl. 1, 2 Ob. Bsn. E♭ Clar. B♭ Clar. 1 B♭ Clar. 2 E♭ A Clar. B♭-Bs. Clar. E♭ A Sax. 1, 2 B♭ T. Sax. E♭ B. Sax. B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 F Hn. 1, 2 F Hn. 3, 4 Tbn. 1, 2 Tbn. 3 Euph. Bs. Db. Bs. Timp. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 3 Perc. 4

49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59

Picc. Fl. 1, 2 Ob. Bsn. E♭ Clar. B♭ Clar. 1 B♭ Clar. 2 E♭ A Clar. B♭ Bs. Clar. E♭ A Sax. 1, 2 B♭ T. Sax. E♭ B. Sax. B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 F Hn. 1, 2 F Hn. 3, 4 Tbn. 1, 2 Tbn. 3 Euph. Bs. Db. Bs. Timp. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 3 Perc. 4

61 62 63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70 71

Picc. Fl. 1, 2 Ob. Bsn. E♭ Clar. B♭ Clar. 1 B♭ Clar. 2 E♭ A Clar. B♭ Bs. Clar. E♭ A Sax. 1, 2 B♭ T. Sax. E♭ B. Sax. B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 F Hn. 1, 2 F Hn. 3, 4 Tbn. 1, 2 Tbn. 3 Euph. Bs. Db. Bs. Timp. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 3 Perc. 4

72 73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82 83 84

Picc. Fl. 1, 2 Ob. Bsn. E♭ Clar. B♭ Clar. 1 B♭ Clar. 2 E♭ A Clar. B♭ S. Clar. E♭ A Sax. 1, 2 B♭ T. Sax. E♭ B. Sax. B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 F Hn. 1, 2 F Hn. 3, 4 Tbn. 1, 2 Tbn. 3 Euph. Bs. Db. Bs. Timp. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 3 Perc. 4

85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95 96

Picc. Fl. 1, 2 Ob. Bsn. E♭ Clar. B♭ Clar. 1 B♭ Clar. 2 E♭ A Clar. B♭ S. Clar. E♭ A Sax. 1, 2 B♭ T. Sax. E♭ B. Sax. B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 F Hn. 1, 2 F Hn. 3, 4 Tbn. 1, 2 Tbn. 3 Euph. Bs. Db. Bs. Timp. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 3 Perc. 4

97 98 99 100 101 102 103 104 105 106 107 108 109

Picc. *p* *mp* *a2*

Fl. 1, 2 *p* *mp*

Ob. *p* *mp*

Bsn. *p* *mp*

Ev. Clar. *p* *mp*

B♭ Clar. 1 *p* *mp*

B♭ Clar. 2 *p* *mp*

Ev. A. Clar. *p* *mp*

B♭-Bs. Clar. *p* *mp*

Ev. A. Sax. 1, 2 *p* *mp*

B♭ T. Sax. *p* *mp*

Ev. B. Sax. *p* *mp*

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Tpt. 3, 4

F Hn. 1, 2 *p* *mp*

F Hn. 3, 4 *mp*

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph.

Bs. *p* *mp*

Db. Bs. *p* *mp*

Timp.

Perc. 1 *p* *mp*

Perc. 2 *p* *mp*

Perc. 3 *p* *mp*

Perc. 4 *p* *mp*

110 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122

Picc. *mp*

Fl. 1, 2 *mp*

Ob. *mp*

Bsn. *mp*

Ev. Clar. *mp*

B♭ Clar. 1 *mp*

B♭ Clar. 2 *mp*

Ev. A. Clar. *mp*

B♭-Bs. Clar. *mp*

Ev. A. Sax. 1, 2 *mp* *a2*

B♭ T. Sax. *mp*

Ev. B. Sax. *mp*

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 *ff* *marcato* *a2*

B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 *ff* *marcato* *a2*

F Hn. 1, 2 *ff* *marcato* *a2*

F Hn. 3, 4 *ff* *marcato* *a2*

Tbn. 1, 2 *ff* *marcato* *a2*

Tbn. 3 *ff* *marcato* *a2*

Euph.

Bs. *ff* *marcato* *a2*

Db. Bs. *ff* *marcato* *a2*

Timp.

Perc. 1 *ff* *rim*

Perc. 2 *ff*

Perc. 3 *ff*

Perc. 4 *ff*

123 124 125 126 127 128 129 130 131 132 133 134

Picc. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Fl. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Ob. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bsn. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Clarin. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Clar. 1 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Clar. 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Clarin. A *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Bass Clar. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Clarin. A Sax. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb T. Sax. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

E. B. Sax. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Tpt. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Tpt. 3, 4 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

F Hn. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

F Hn. 3, 4 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Tbn. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Tbn. 3 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Euph. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bs. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Db. Bs. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Timp. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 1 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 3 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 4 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

135 136 137 138 139 140 141 142 143 144 145 146 147

Picc. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Fl. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Ob. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bsn. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Clarin. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Clar. 1 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Clar. 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Clarin. A *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Bass Clar. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Clarin. A Sax. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb T. Sax. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

E. B. Sax. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Tpt. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bb Tpt. 3, 4 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

F Hn. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

F Hn. 3, 4 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Tbn. 1, 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Tbn. 3 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Euph. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Bs. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Db. Bs. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Timp. *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 1 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 2 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 3 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 4 *ff* *ff* *p* *cresc.* *f*

148 149 150 151 152 153 154 155 156 157 158 159 160

Picc. *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Fl. 1, 2 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Ob. *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Bsn. *f* *crusc.* *ff*

E♭ Clar. *f* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ Clar. 1 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ Clar. 2 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

E♭ A. Clar. *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ B♭ Clar. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ T. Sax. *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

E♭ B. Sax. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

F Hn. 1, 2 *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

F Hn. 3, 4 *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

Tbn. 1, 2 *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

Tbn. 3 *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Euph. *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

Bs. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Db. Bs. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Timp. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Perc. 1 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Perc. 2 *ff* *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Perc. 3 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Perc. 4 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

161 162 163 164 165 166 167 168 169 170 171

Picc. *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Fl. 1, 2 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Ob. *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Bsn. *f* *crusc.* *ff*

E♭ Clar. *f* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ Clar. 1 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ Clar. 2 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

E♭ A. Clar. *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ B♭ Clar. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ T. Sax. *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

E♭ B. Sax. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

F Hn. 1, 2 *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

F Hn. 3, 4 *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

Tbn. 1, 2 *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

Tbn. 3 *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Euph. *fp* *crusc.* *ff*

Bs. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Db. Bs. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Timp. *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Perc. 1 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Perc. 2 *ff* *p* *crusc.* *ff*

Perc. 3 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

Perc. 4 *f* *crusc.* *ff*

172 173 174 175 176 177 179 180 181

Picc. Fl. 1, 2 Ob. Bsn. E♭ Clar. B♭ Clar. 1 B♭ Clar. 2 E♭ A Clar. B♭ B♭ Clar. E♭ A Sax. 1, 2 B♭ T. Sax. E♭ B. Sax. B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 F Hn. 1, 2 F Hn. 3, 4 Tbn. 1, 2 Tbn. 3 Euph. Bs. Db. Bs. Timp. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 3 Perc. 4

182 184 185 186 188

Picc. Fl. 1, 2 Ob. Bsn. E♭ Clar. B♭ Clar. 1 B♭ Clar. 2 E♭ A Clar. B♭ B♭ Clar. E♭ A Sax. 1, 2 B♭ T. Sax. E♭ B. Sax. B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 B♭ Tpt. 3, 4 F Hn. 1, 2 F Hn. 3, 4 Tbn. 1, 2 Tbn. 3 Euph. Bs. Db. Bs. Timp. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 3 Perc. 4