

Reflections on the lake

Piano Trio

Composed by Madeline Autumn Butler



Piece is written in 2/4, however a 10/16 feel can be expected, and appropriate quintuples will be placed where necessary. Both duple and quintuples will both be notated where necessary.

Glissando and appoggiatura in the string parts should be given extra emphasis where possible.

On particularly rainy night I was sitting out looking over a lake down in the south of Aotearoa, watching the reflection of the moon on the lake. There was an air of serenity and melancholy that hung over the scene. I wanted to try capture that moment; the sound of the rain pattering away on the roof, the nearly flat lake and the sharpness of the moon and clouds rolling over. The night progressed, and there was a relentless, yet calming energy to the whole place. I wanted to capture that scene in this piece. The shifting and flowing resonance of the night, the rain and the lake as the world turns over.

Expected duration: ~4:00”

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Empty [♩ = 54]

Violin Violoncello

Simile

Piano

Vln. Vc. Pno.

Pno.

Vln. Vc. Pno.

2

10

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

2

13

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

mp

p

16

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

pp

mf

3

19

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

23

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

26

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

4

29

Vln. arco p

Vc. arco gliss.

Pno.

32

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

35

Vln.

Vc. gliss.

Pno. > 2 > > 2 >

38

Vln. Vc. Pno.

3 5
5
> 2 >
5
dim.
ff
gliss.
5
mf

41

Vln. Vc. Pno.

5
gliss.
5
mf
(dim.)
5

43

Vln. Vc. Pno.

5
5
gliss.
5
p
5

6

46

Vln. *gliss.*

Vc. *dim.*

Pno.

5

49 *Cadenza*

Vln. *pp*

Vc. *pp*

Pno. *ad lib.*

51 *rit.*

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

Darkness Encroaching [♩ = 62]

2

pp

5

55

Vln. p

Vc. p

Pno.

58

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

61

Vln.

Vc.

Pno.

64

Vln. Vc. Pno.

sub. p *mf* *gliss.* *sub. f*

67

Vln. Vc. Pno.

sub. p *5* *5*

70

rit. *a tempo*

Vln. Vc. Pno.

ppp *mf*

ppp *mf* *gliss.* *5*

8 *mp* *8*

74

Vln. Vc. Pno.

pizz. *gloss.* 5 *l.h.* *l.h. over*

78

Vln. Vc. Pno.

mf 5 *mp* 3 *mf*

82

Vln. Vc. Pno.

slight rit

f 5 5 *gloss.*

10

Midnight [♩ = 66]

84

Vln. ff

Vc. ff

Pno.

3

87

Vln. Sul D
mf

Vc. 3
mf

Pno.

90

Vln. 5

Vc. 5

Pno.

5

93

Vln. Vc.

Pno.

gliss. *gliss.*

mp *mp*

2 2

5 5

5 5

5 5

5 5

96

rit.

Vln. Vc.

Pno.

mp

3

5 5

99

Vln. Vc.

Pno.

pp

pp

Violin

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Midnight [♩ = 66] singing

6

12

19

24

29

33

39

46

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2

Darkness Encroaching [♩ = 62]



59 5
60 3
61 p
62 12
63 12
64 12

65 rit.
66 p
67 5
68 5
69 5

70 a tempo
71 mf
72 5
73 5

75 f
76 3
77 5
78 5

80 slight rit.
81 ff
82 5
83 5

85 Waning
86 Sul D
87 5
88 5

90 5
91 mp
92 5
93 mp

95 rit.
96 pp
97 pp
98 pp

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Midnight [♩ = 66]

The sheet music consists of eight staves of musical notation for cello and piano trio. The key signature is three flats, and the tempo is indicated as **Midnight [♩ = 66]**. The music is divided into measures numbered 5, 10, 17, 22, 28, 33, 39, and 44. Measure 5 starts with a sustained note followed by eighth-note patterns. Measure 10 features sustained notes with dynamic markings **mp** and **pp**. Measure 17 shows eighth-note patterns with dynamics **mf** and **mf**. Measure 22 includes a **gliss.**, a **pizz.** instruction, and dynamics **dim.** and **pp**. Measure 28 uses **arco** and **pizz.** with a dynamic **mf**. Measure 33 includes a **ff** dynamic. Measure 39 features eighth-note patterns with a dynamic **mf**. Measure 44 concludes with a **Cadenza** and a dynamic **pp**.

2

51

58

63

69

74

79

Midnight [♩ = 66]

Waning

84

90

98