

AN IRISH MELODY

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THE "LONDONDERRY" AIR

VIOLA

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Allegro moderato

ff pesante

1 *rall.* *a tempo* VI. I.

f *p* *dim. pp*

2 *p* *espress* 3

cresc. *rall. e dim.* 4 *a tempo* *p*

3 *mf*

5 *p* *cresc.*

6 *ff* *ff*

sempre ff

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7 *f* *mf* *mf rit.* *p dolce* *a tempo*

8 *f* *mf rit.* *p dolce*

9 *ppp* *pizz* *pp*

10 *arco* *p* *cresc.* *mf* *f*

11 *Tranquillo* *dim. calando dolcissimo* *Tempo I* *pp* *mf*

12 *mf* *p*

The musical score is for a Viola part, measures 7 through 12. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 3/4. Measure 7 begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic and features a triplet of eighth notes. Measure 8 continues with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic and includes a triplet of eighth notes and a half note. Measure 9 starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes a triplet of eighth notes. Measure 10 is marked 'arco' and begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic, followed by a crescendo (*cresc.*) and a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. Measure 11 is marked 'Tranquillo' and 'dim. calando dolcissimo', starting with a piano (*p*) dynamic and ending with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. Measure 12 is marked 'Tempo I' and begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic, followed by a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The score includes various musical notations such as triplets, slurs, and dynamic markings.

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