

AN IRISH MELODY

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THE "LONDONDERRY" AIR

VIOLONCELLO

Frank Bridge

Allegro moderato

The musical score is written for Violoncello in G major (one sharp) and 3/4 time. It consists of ten staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The tempo is marked 'Allegro moderato'. The first measure is marked 'ff pesante'. The second staff has a first ending bracketed, marked 'rall.' and 'a tempo'. The third staff has a second ending bracketed, marked 'p pizz'. The fourth staff has a third ending bracketed, marked 'cresc.' and 'f rall. e dim.'. The fifth staff has a fourth ending bracketed, marked 'pizz' and 'p'. The sixth staff has a fifth ending bracketed, marked 'arco' and 'mf'. The seventh staff has a sixth ending bracketed, marked 'cresc.' and 'f'. The eighth staff has a seventh ending bracketed, marked 'ff'. The ninth staff has an eighth ending bracketed, marked 'sempre ff'. The tenth staff has a ninth ending bracketed, marked 'sempre ff'. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, ties, and dynamic markings.

ff pesante

1 *rall.* *a tempo* *f* *p* *dim.* *pp*

2 *p pizz* *Viola* *3* *arco* *p*

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

arco *mf* *5* *p*

cresc. *f* *6* *ff*

sempre ff

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7 *f con passione* *mf*

8 *rit.* *a tempo* 1 *p*

2 3 4 5 *ppp*

6 7 8 9

10 *pizz* *pp* 10 *arco*

p *cresc.* *f* *p* *cresc.*

mf *p*

mf *dim. calando*

11 *Tranquillo* *Tempo I*

pp

mf *p*

12 *p* *cresc.*

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3

f

ff

mf dolce

dim. p mf

f mf f p mf

f ff allarg. ten.

pp

arco

pp

Tempo I

pp pizz

arco

pp