

To my sister Marjorie

An English Dance

Roy Agnew (1891-1944)

Bright and gaily ♩ = c.126

Piano

p

mf

increase

A Country Lane

Roy Agnew (1891-1944)

With simplicity ♩ = c.69

legato

Piano *p*

Red.

rit.

Contrasts: a Piano Cycle in Five Pieces

1. A Child's Dream

Roy Agnew (1891-1944)

Very calm and serene ♩ = c.92

Piano

p *legatissimo*

slightly increase

diminish

pp

* Top voice to the fore - ed.

2. Country Dance

Roy Agnew (1891-1944)

Bright and lively ♩ = c.138

Piano

mp

mf

f

mp

3. Winter Solitude

Roy Agnew (1891-1944)

Rather slowly, with much pathos. ♩ = c.80

Piano

The musical score is written for piano in 4/4 time, key of D major. It consists of four systems of music. The first system begins with a tempo marking of 'Rather slowly, with much pathos' and a quarter note equal to approximately 80 beats. The second system continues the melody with a long slur. The third system features a piano (pp) dynamic marking and includes crescendo and decrescendo hairpins. The fourth system concludes the piece with a piano (p) dynamic marking. The score is written for piano with treble and bass clefs.

4. Elegy

Roy Agnew (1891-1944)

With much feeling. ♩ = c.48

Piano

The first system of music is in 4/4 time and features a piano accompaniment. The right hand plays a melodic line with a long slur over the first two measures. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines.

The second system continues the piano accompaniment. It includes dynamic markings such as *mp* and *Red.* (ritardando). The melodic line in the right hand has some notes marked with a flat (*b*).

The third system features a *mf* dynamic marking and the instruction *middle notes well marked*. It includes a *rit.* (ritardando) marking and a *Red.* (ritardando) marking. The notation includes a change in clef for the left hand.

The fourth system includes a *mp* dynamic marking and an *increase* instruction. The system concludes with a 3/4 time signature change.

5. April on the Hills

Roy Agnew (1891-1944)

Fantastically ♩ = c.144

Piano

mp

mf

p

Ped. Ped. Ped.