

*Solo Pieces for Strings*

**DECREE**  
for Solo Violin

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# Decree

for Solo Violin

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Andante, freely, declamatory, a touch of blues ♩ = 70

ff accel. 9

5 accel. 3 rit. mf 3 3 f mf

9 port. pizz. port. 3

13 mp delicately 3 3 f

16 mf 3 3 3 3 f

20 ff f mf

24 f gliss. mp

29 *mf* *f* *accel.* *mf*

34 *rit.* *port.* *p*

**Faster, steady jazz tempo ♩ = 90**

39 *p* *mp* *mf* *3 mp*

42 *mf* *mp* *mf*

45 *mf* *mp* *mf*

47 *mp* *mf*

49 *p* *mf* *rit.*

**Faster, allegro ♩ = 120**

51 *pizz.* *f* *p* *arco* *mf*

55 *pizz.* *p* *arco* *mf* *pizz.* *p*

59 *arco* *mf* *pizz.* *p* *arco* *mf* *p*

63 *arco* *f* *pizz.* *f* *arco* *pizz.* *p*

67 *arco* *mf* *pizz.* *p* *arco* *mf* *p*

70 *Slower* *rit.* *f* *rit.*

**Slower tempo II, moderato ♩ = 100**

73 *p* *mf* *p*

76 *arco* *mf* *p* *rit.* *arco* *mf*

79 **Tempo I, andante, freely** *accel. 3* *f*

82 *rapidamente* *rit.* *Slowly port.* *p*

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**DESCANT**  
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# Descant

for Solo Viola

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Andante  $\text{♩} = 70$

5

10

15

19

23

26 Moderato  $\text{♩} = 100$

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29

3

3

*f*

32

*mf*

3

35

*f*

38

*mp* *mf* *f*

42

*mf* *f* rit *mp*

3

3

46

*mf* *a tempo* *mp* *mf* III

3

3

50

**Allegro** ♩ = 120

*f*

53

*mf*

56

59

62

66

69

72

76

80



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# Descent

for Solo Cello

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Moderato ♩ = 90

*mf*

4 *rit.* *a tempo*

6

8 *rit.* *a tempo*

10

13

16

18 *faster* *rit.*

20 *a tempo* *rit.* // *a tempo* *mf*

23

26

28 *slower* *a tempo*

30

32

34

36

38

40 *a bit slower* *subito mp* > *p*