

8. FROM *MACBETH* (SHAKESPEARE): ACT I, SCENE 5

Mezzo Soprano
Lady Macbeth

$\text{♩} = c. 88$

recit.

The raven himself is hoarse that croaks the fatal entrance of Duncan under my

Violin 1

$\text{♩} = c. 88$

mf

f

Violin 2

mf

f

Viola

mp

Cello

Mezz.
Lady M.

$\text{♩} = c. 56$

Adagio

(non recit.)

bat-tle-ments. Come, you spir-its that tend on mor-tal thoughts, un-

Violin 1

$\text{♩} = c. 56$

Adagio

sost.

p

sost.

Violin 2

p

sost.

Viola

mf

p

sost.

Vlc.

p

Mezz.
Lady M.

7

sex me here, and fill me ³ from the crown to the toe top-full of

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

Mezz.
Lady M.

10

dir - est cru - el - ty! make thick

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mp

mf

p

p

mp

p

Mezz.
Lady M.

13

my blood; — stop up the ac-cess and pas-sage to re - morse, that no com-

Vln. 1

mf *p*

Vln. 2

mf *p*

Vla.

mf *p*

Vlc.

mf *p*

Mezz.
Lady M.

17

punc-tious vis-it-ings — of na-ture shake my fell pur-pose, — nor keep peace — be -

Vln. 1

mf *p*

Vln. 2

mf *p*

Vla.

mf *p*

Vlc.

mf *p*

20
Mezz.
Lady M.

tween the ef-fect and it! _____

20
Vln. 1

mf *f*

Vln. 2

mf *f*

Vla.

mf

Vlc.

mf

23 Dire
Mezz.
Lady M.

Dire Come to my wom-an's breasts, and take _____ my milk ___ for

23
Vln. 1

mf pizz.

Vln. 2

mf pizz.

Vla.

mf pizz.

Vlc.

mf

26
Mezz.
Lady M.

gall, — you mur - der-ing min - is - ters, wher - ev - er in — your sight-less

3

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

29
Mezz.
Lady M.

sub-stanc - es you wait — on na - ture's mis-chief! Come, thick night, — and

3

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

dim. *p* *arco* *mf* *cresc.*

33

Mezz.
Lady M.

pall thee in the dunn-est smoke of hell, The that my keen _ knife _ _ _ _ _ see not the

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

f

f

f

f

f

35

Mezz.
Lady M.

wound _ it _ _ _ makes, nor heav-en peep through the blan-ket of the dark, _ _ to

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

flautando

p

pp

flautando

p

pp

flautando

pp

p

p

38 *poco rit.* *a tempo*

Mezz. Lady M. cry 'Hold, hold!' to cry 'Hold,' to cry

Vln. 1 *p cresc.* *f*

Vln. 2 *p cresc.* *f*

Vla. *p cresc.* *f*

Vlc. *p cresc.* *f*

41 *non rit.*

Mezz. Lady M. 'Hold,' to cry 'Hold, hold!'

Vln. 1 *pesante* *non rit.*

Vln. 2 *pesante*

Vla. *pesante*

Vlc. *pesante*

