

VERTURE
TO AN
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COMEDY

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1 **Maestoso** $\text{♩} = 72$ **più mosso** **tempo primo**

sfp *f* *p* *sfp*

12 **più mosso** **A** **Allegro con spirito** $\text{♩} = 120$

f *p* *f* 3 10

B 31 **C**

f

D 38 8 9 *f*

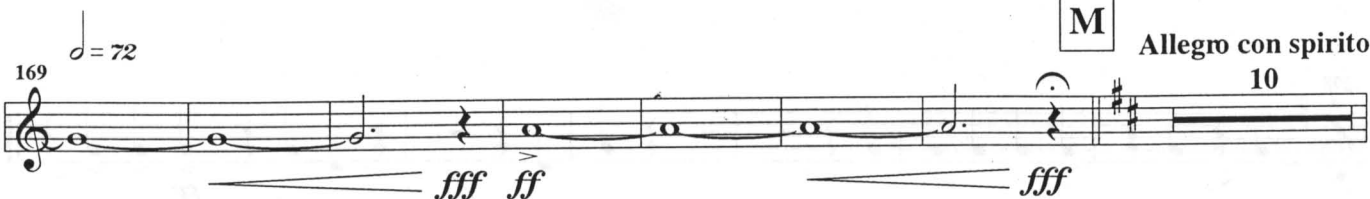
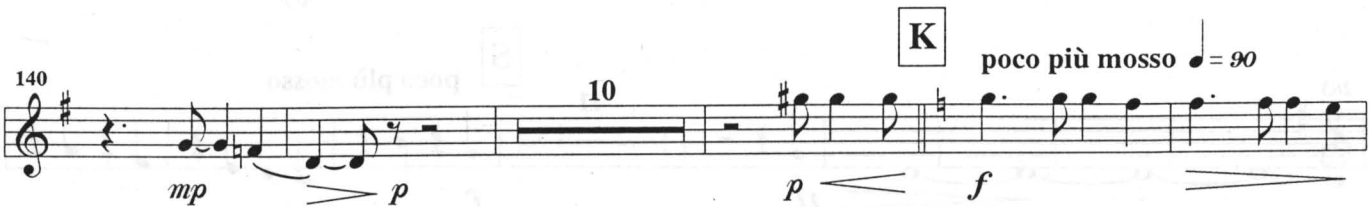
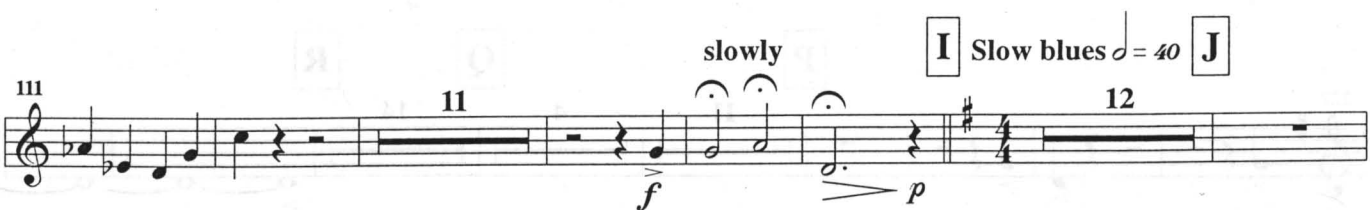
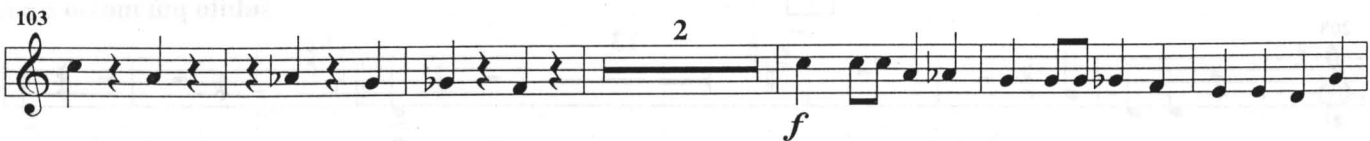
E **F** 60 7 *f*

72

G 79 4 *f*



H



186 $\text{♩} = 120$ **N**

Staff 186-193: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 186-193. Measure 186 starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. Measure 193 contains an 8-measure rest. The staff ends with a forte (*f*) dynamic.

201

Staff 201-208: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 201-208. The staff contains a continuous sequence of eighth notes.

208 **O** subito più mosso $\text{♩} = 132$

Staff 208-215: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 208-215. Measure 208 starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. Measure 210 contains a 13-measure rest. The staff ends with a forte (*f*) dynamic.

227 **P** **Q** **R**

Staff 227-234: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 227-234. Measure 227 starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic. Measure 230 contains an 11-measure rest. Measure 231 contains a 4-measure rest. Measure 232 contains a 14-measure rest. The staff ends with a *sfp* dynamic.

263 **S** poco più mosso

Staff 263-270: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 263-270. Measure 263 starts with a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic. Measure 268 contains an 11-measure rest. The staff ends with a forte (*f*) dynamic.

282

Staff 282-289: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 282-289. The staff contains a continuous sequence of eighth notes.

T 290

Staff 290-297: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 290-297. The staff contains a continuous sequence of eighth notes.

298

Staff 298-305: Treble clef, key of D major. Measures 298-305. The staff ends with a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic.