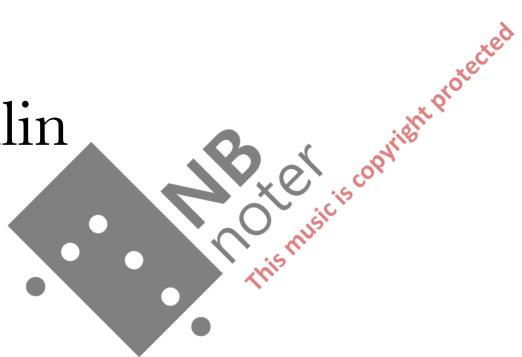


Desiring machines

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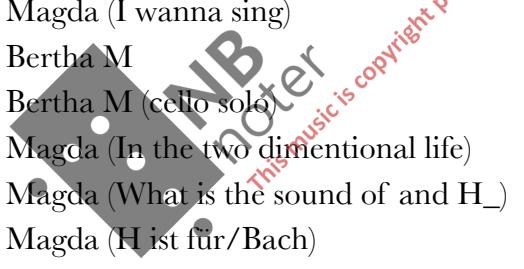


an experimental opera
for singer/performer, cello, piano, percussion, video, sound and live-electronics

2013 approx. 65 minutes

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Part

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desiring machines

introduction

\downarrow = ca. 60 (quite strict)

VOICE: arrow down means place/phrase for singing on "O". Always same length of phrase as Glass.
Individual tempo. But constant at every and each phrase. Difference in overtones is possible modulation of the "O".

Erik Dæhlin

LIGHT

BLACK

LIGHT

BLACK

LIGHT

LIGHT

Violoncello

Piano

$\downarrow = \text{ca. } 60 \text{ (quite strict)}$

(pedal probably up earlier so sound is audible where noted. Pedal stops sound)



10

G. Harm. BLACK LIGHT BLACK LIGHT

Vc. BLACK LIGHT BLACK LIGHT

Pno. Pipe on strings Roll slowly from you BLACK LIGHT E-Bow Pipe on strings Roll slowly to you

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13

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno. E-Bow

BLACK LIGHT

BLACK Pipe on strings Roll slowly from you LIGHT



16

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno. Pipe on strings Roll slowly from you

Tape

Strobe seq. 1

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19

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno. Pizzicato E-Bow

Tape

He

22

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

Pizz. Ord. pp 8th

He

≡

25

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno. E-Bow

Tape

He

≡

28

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno. Pipe gliss. Pizz. E-Bow

Tape

He

30

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno. Pizz. E-Bow Pipe

Tape

[Musicians light 1]

==

33

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno. E-Bow

Tape

Soundfile: Names

He

==

36

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno. Pizz. Pipe

Tape

He

[Strobe seq. 2]

38

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

Pipe
gliss.

He



41

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

He

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44

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

Pipe
Pizz.
E-Bow
Pipe
gliss.

He

47

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

E-Bow

Pizz.

Ord.

Ord.

8th

Tape

H

5

He

==

50

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Pizz.

E-Bow

Pipe

gloss.

Tape

He

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==

53

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

(E-Bow)

Ord.

(E-Bow)

Tape

5

3

3

Ord.

He

Strobe seq. 3

56

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

Ord.

E-Bow

He

==

=ca. 60)

60

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

Pont. (I)

Norm.

Pizz.

Prepared "cluster" (percussive, but with some short sustain)

Ord.

E-Bow

Ca

O

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[Strobe seq. 4]

==

63

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Ord.

E-Bow

Prepared tone

ppp poss.

66

G. Harm. {

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

5:20

(tr)

Ord.

Pipe

gliss.

H

Ord.



accel...

69

G. Harm. {

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

E-Bow

PPP

Ord.

H



♩=72

72

G. Harm. {

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

sub. p

Pont.

sub. p

♩=72

8th

Pipe

gliss.

He

74

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

E-Bow

Tape

accel... 

GONGS (w. finger)  5

Pont. (l)  Pizz. Arco  5

accel... 

Ord.  5 ()  3  8^{ab}-----

He  3 O 



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77

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

Tape

$\text{♩} = 76 \leftarrow \text{♪} = \text{♪} \rightarrow = 76 - 84$

l.v. 

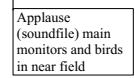
Jeté  Pont.  3 

$\text{♩} = 76 \leftarrow \text{♪} = \text{♪} \rightarrow = 76 - 84$

pp 

Ord.  3 

(8)  H 



Grace

Grace Kelly (Oscar acceptance speech) / Eirik Fauske

Erik Dæhlin

J = 76 - 84 contours of speach - between song and speech

Voice: the thrill of this mom - ment keeps me from saying what I real-ly feel

Percussion: Glass ("pling" with nail)

Piano: *mp* *p* *mf* *p*

Violoncello: *pizz.* *Arco Ponticello* *Pont.* *gliss.*

5

Voice: voice over (near field) 1 : i en park i en liten stat i Europa

Perc.: *mp*

Pno. *p*

Vc. *Pizz.* *Arco Ponticello* *Pont.* *gliss.*

8

Voice: vi sprin - ger bar fo - ta me - llan sy - ri - ner och euca ly - ptus traer

Perc.: *mp*

Pno. *p* *mf* *p*

Vc. *f*

11

Voice 2: mellan fjärilar, hihi hihi hihi
påfuglar, och vildhästar

Perc.

Pno. *ff*

Vc. Pizz. Arco Ponticello f φ 3: Pont. gliss.

17

Voice 3: opp mot palatset der Prinsen bor han som røvat deg från Hollywood giftat seg med deg förgiftat deg förr at få barn förr at få bahalda tronen

Perc.

Pno.

Vc. Pizz. Arco Ponticello gliss. f Pont. gliss.

20

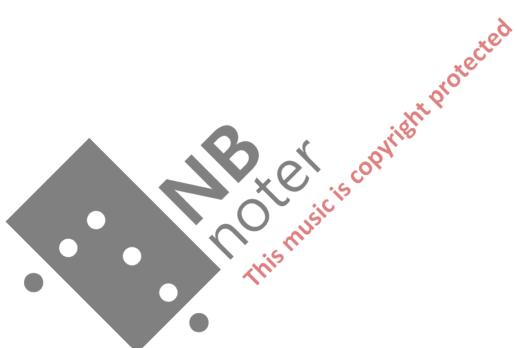
Voice: vi s ka dø da ho nom

Perc.

Pno. *Ped.*

Vc. Pizz. Arco Ponticello *tr.* *gliss.* *f* *0* *<* *3* *Pont.* *tr.* *gliss.* *f*

4: stikka han med en kniv i marmordusjen, i marmorhjerte. dusjardinarna skal bla fra blodiga ut fönstret
→ sound of birds: OFF



23

Voice: the thrill of this mom - ment keeps me from say-ing what I real-ly feel I can

Perc. *(mp)*

Pno. *Ped.* *p* *mf* *p* *8vb*

Vc. Pizz. Arco Ponticello *tr.* *gliss.* *f* *0* *<* *3* *Pont.* *tr.* *gliss.* *f* *Pizz.*

4

26

Voice on-ly say thank you with all my heart to all who made this possible for me thank you

Perc.

Pno. secco

Pno. *mf* *ped.*

Vc. Arco Ponticello Norm. Pont. Norm. Pont. jeté Norm. Pizz.

p *f* *=* *f* *6* *=*

29

Voice 5: och så skal du Grace få spela inn en ny film och jag skal titta på du och

Perc.

Pno.

Vc. Arco Ponticello Norm. Pont. Norm. Pont. jeté Norm. Pizz.

p *f* *=* *f* *6* *=*

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32

Voice du och jag du och jag jag er din Grace du och jag Grace din störste jag er din fan

Perc.

Pno. secco

Pno. *mf* *ped.*

Vc. Arco Pont. Norm. *gliss.* Pont. jeté Norm. Pizz.

f *=* *f* *6* *=*

5

35

Voice kom
6: men du er inta der jag setter meg ned ved en fontän
kom kom

Pno.
Pno.
Vc.

Röd.

Pizz.

38

Voice in - ta her Grace er inta her jag gråter
8: men hon er inta der kom

Perc.

Pno.
Röd.

Arco Norm.
Ponticello Pont.
Vc.

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Pizz.

41

Voice kom
9: alt blir oklart och otydlig och det fotografiet jag holder i min hand blir otydligt
kom 10: //jag ser på fotografiet//

Perc.

(mp)

Pno.
Röd.

Pizz. Arco Ponticello
Vc. f 0 Pont. gliss. Pizz. Pizz.

6

45

Voice

du och jag du och jag jag er din Bild du och jag Grace bar - ra en jag er

Perc.

Pno.

secco

mf *p* *p*

Vc.

Arco Ponticello Norm. Pont. jeté Norm.

p *f* *f* *ff*

47

Voice

et bild I m

11: // jag er bara et bild jag er bara et bild //

Perc.

Pno.

mf *p*

Vc.

Ponticello Arco

Pizz. *Arco* *f*

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49

Voice a li - ving per - son a li - ving per - son I ex - ist and my life is real

Perc. (mf poss.)

Pno. f 8^{ab} sub. p

Vc. Pizz. Arco Ponticello Norm. gliss. Pont. gliss.

53

Voice I can on - ly say thank you with all my heart to all who made this po-ssi-ble for me

Perc.

Pno. secco 8^{ab} Ped. pp

Vc. Pizz. Arco Ponticello Norm. Pont. Norm. jeté Norm.

56

Perc.

Pno. Play only first time mp 8^{ab} p

Vc. Repeat 3 times only last time fermata

Medeas/Medusas meddelande

tekst som voice-over i "near-field" høytalere

Mette Karlsvik/Erik Dæhlin

Lydfiler

en face med ett lommespeil i hver hånd

1

sjut fram hakan,
vis meg leppene,
varm den tongen,
smør dette øver huden,
lite rødt på kindane,
rødt på leppene,

folg ordrer
-
-

back

feedback (lydfiler) og slag mot skulder

2

i dag lær jag deg å glide inn
du lær deg at passa inn
du lær deg at flyta med

en face

3
ditt håret flyter
dina hofter flyter
LE också nu
så ja,



back slag mot skulder

4

ja, no er vi næra
ingen er deg så næra
men du kan gå ut nu,
sett på ditt beste leende
og gå ut nu.

white out (7`)

black

Leni

Hanne Ramsdal

-

Erik Dæhlin

Face in light from video

Text said as a process from young to old

Helene Bertha Amalie

Helene Bertha Amali

Helene Bertha Ama i

Helene bertha Am i

Helene Bertha A i

Helene Bertha i

Helene Bert i

Helene be i

Helene be i

Helene b i

Helene i

Helen i

Hlen i

Leni

Leni _____ Riefenstahl _____ Realität interessiert mich nicht



goes then straight into Leni (2) Remse

Leni
(2) remse

Hanne Ramsdal

Starts quite calm, but gets more and more intens. From 'suspens' to more dense

Erik Dæhlin

Voice/Soundfiles
(field loudspeakers)

1: Hlen i___

2: Helen i___

Voice

Glass

Piano

Violoncello

3

3: Helene i___

4: Helene B i___

closed/gutt.

Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc.

5

5: Helene Be i___

6: Helene Ber i___

lukket/gutt.

Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc.

7:

Voice

Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc.

i st ae B (h) e ne - leH

gliss. tr. 3 3

jeté gliss. tr. 1 3

sub. p

8:

Voice

Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc.

i (h)a st ae B (h) e ne - leH

gliss. tr. II

jeté gliss. tr. II

sub. p

9:

Voice

Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc.

i a (h)a st ae B (h) e ne - leH

gliss. tr. 3 3

jeté gliss. tr. I II

sub. p

10

Voice

10: Helene Bertha Ami__

Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc. jeté *gliss.*

sub. p

II

11

Voice

11: Helene Bertha Amai__

Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc. jeté *gliss.*

sub. p

II

12

Voice

12: Helene Bertha Amali__

Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc. jeté *gliss.*

sub. p

soundfiles with *piano backwards*

soundfiles: FR and FF *leni spol 1-23*
in near-field loudspeakers and in over all system

13: Helene Bertha Amalie

ei a ma (h)a st ae B (h)e ne - leH

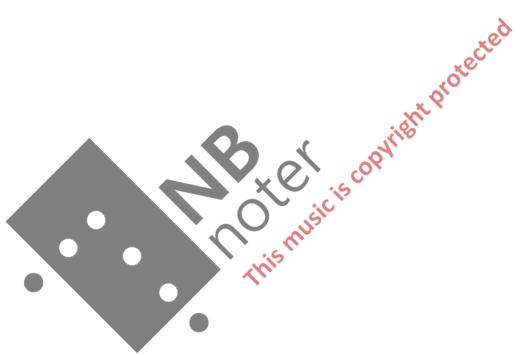
Voice

Glass

Pno.

Vc. jeté gliss. sub. p tr. ↗

The musical score consists of five staves. The top staff is for Voice, with lyrics 'ei a ma (h)a st ae B (h)e ne - leH' written below it. The second staff is for Voice. The third staff is for Glass. The fourth staff is for Pno. The bottom staff is for Vc. Various performance instructions are placed above the notes, such as 'jeté', 'gliss.', 'sub. p', and dynamic markings like 'tr.' and '↗'. There are also three small boxes at the top: one labeled 'soundfiles with piano backwards', one with 'soundfiles: FR and FF leni spol 1-23 in near-field loudspeakers and in over all system', and one with '13: Helene Bertha Amalie'.



Bertha M

Erik Dæhlin

Mette Karlsvik

A musical score for piano in 2/4 time, treble clef, key of B major (two sharps). The tempo is 63. The instruction "all tremolo" is at the top. The piano part consists of two staves. The left hand staff starts with a dynamic of p and a tremolo marking. The right hand staff starts with a dynamic of p , followed by a tremolo marking. The score includes various performance instructions: "sim.", "*" (with a note), "sim.", "Ped.", "una corda", and "Ped." repeated. The piano is shown with a brace and the word "Piano". The page number "10" is at the bottom right.

Pno.

mf 3 3 p

mf

* Ped. * Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. f *

A musical score for piano (Pno.) in 2/4 time. The key signature changes from G major to A major at the beginning of the section. Measure 7 starts with a dynamic *p*. The right hand plays eighth-note patterns with grace notes, while the left hand provides harmonic support. Measure 8 begins with a dynamic *mf*. Measure 9 features a sustained note with a grace note. Measure 10 concludes with a dynamic *mf*. The score includes performance instructions such as "tr.", "sim.", and "Ped.". A large diamond-shaped graphic is overlaid on the music, containing the text "NBB" and "This music is copyright".

Pno.

(tr.) (tr.) (tr.) (tr.)

Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

f sub. p sf f

sub. p 8th sf f Ped.

Pno.

measures 11-12:

- Measure 11:
 - Piano (Treble staff): $\text{G}^{\#}$, A , $\text{B}^{\#}$; $\text{G}^{\#}$, A , $\text{B}^{\#}$
 - Piano (Bass staff): $\text{E}^{\#}$, $\text{F}^{\#}$, $\text{G}^{\#}$; $\text{E}^{\#}$, $\text{F}^{\#}$, $\text{G}^{\#}$
 - Basso Continuo: D , $\text{E}^{\#}$, $\text{F}^{\#}$, $\text{G}^{\#}$
- Measure 12:
 - Piano (Treble staff): $\text{G}^{\#}$, A , $\text{B}^{\#}$; $\text{G}^{\#}$, A , $\text{B}^{\#}$
 - Piano (Bass staff): $\text{E}^{\#}$, $\text{F}^{\#}$, $\text{G}^{\#}$; $\text{E}^{\#}$, $\text{F}^{\#}$, $\text{G}^{\#}$
 - Basso Continuo: D , $\text{E}^{\#}$, $\text{F}^{\#}$, $\text{G}^{\#}$

Pno.

tr (trill)
mf
sub. p
with elbow
f
mf
ff
8vb

Pno.

mf
sub. p
3
cluster
continue

Pno.

mf
cluster
cluster
mf
8vb

Pno.

mf
cluster
cluster
mf
8vb

Pno.

f
mf
8vb

Vc.

mp
f

23 $\text{♩} = 63$

Voice: what it is - s is to threaten

Pno. Ped. l.v. l.v. *

Vc. gradually to crush gradually to only noise of sting/bridge (p)

Perc. $\text{H} \frac{3}{4}$ ^

*Bertha Fermate (near-field)
Possible soundfile in these fermatas*

26

Voice: what it is - s is to throw

Pno. Ped. l.v. l.v. *

Vc. gradually to crush gradually to only noise of sting/bridge (p)

Gongs f l.v. ^

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29

Voice: what it is - s is to beat him

Pno. Ped. l.v. l.v. *

Vc. gradually to crush gradually to only noise of sting/bridge (p)

Gongs l.v. ^

32

Voice what it is - s is to show

Pno. Ped.

Vc. gradually to crush (p) l.v.

Gongs

35

Voice what it is - s is to do it to - kids

Pno. Ped.

Vc. jete gradually to only noise of sting/bridge (p) l.v.

Gongs

38

Voice what it is - s is to show

Pno. Ped.

Vc. Ponticello (p) 8th * damp

Gongs

Voice is to show the li - tle ones to

Pno. *sub. p* *f* 3 3

Vc. Ponticello *jete* Norm. * Ponticello

Gongs

42 5

Voice show the li - tle ones what a fool their fa ther is

Pno. *sub. p* *tr.* *tr.* 3 l.v.

Vc. Tasto *ped.*

Gongs

44 Senza misura

Voice But I don't do that to kids
Not Edwards kids
not to his

Pno. I don't hit kids
not the kid I carry
not this kid, this.

Vc. *sordine* Senza misura
Material not necessary in the notated order

Gongs

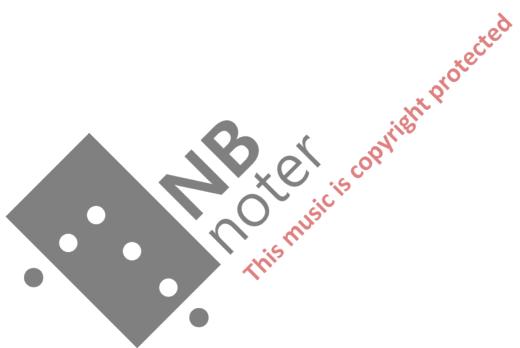
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Voice what it is - s is to show them show them how mad one can be

Pno.

Vc. II Ponticello c.l. batt. Ord. II 1 tr. (c) 2 3

Gongs



50

Voice what it is - s is to show him show him how mad I have been

Pno.

Vc. (tr.) 1 damp l.v. to cello solo

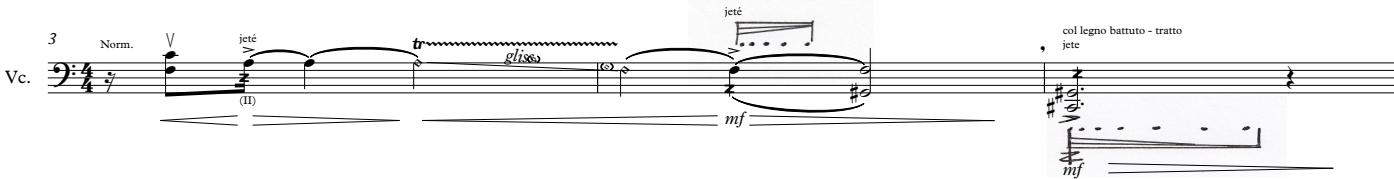
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Bertha M: cello solo

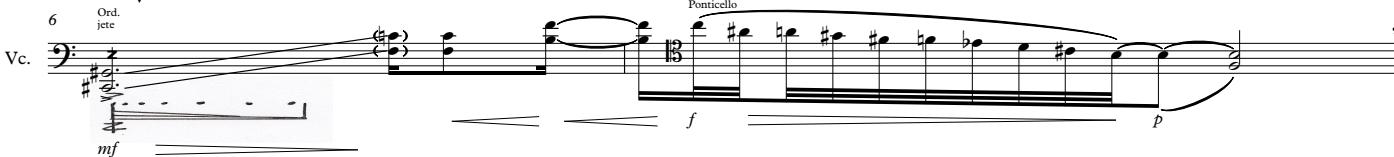
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Violoncello 

(sustain from piano)

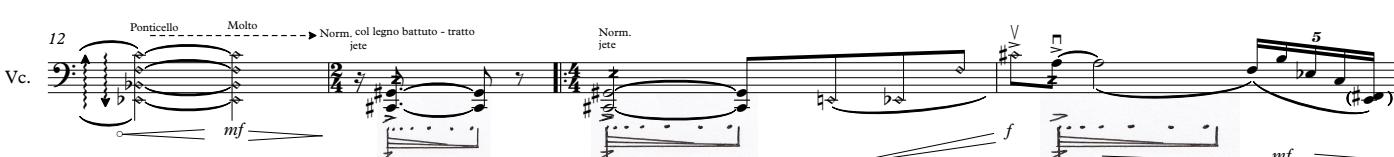
Vc. 

soundfile in near-field loudspeakers: Bertha M stretch

Vc. 

Vc. 

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Vc. 

Vc. 

Bertha M stretch Soundfile stops

Vc. 

attacca
Magda - "in the two dimentional life"
2'30"

IN THE TWO-DIMENSIONAL LIFE

(A) En slaps 34-var. Rubato. Delicato **(B)** very fast. Tremolo. Rashed 1)
Jx 88

1. voice *in the two dimensional life*
 cello *Rubato* *E/B* *Gm/F* *Gm/D*

everybody is happy the clothes are always
 E^6 E^6/B^6 B^6

clean the hair of the children always neatly combed Joseph and I are always bring each other
 B^6 E/B^6 Gm/D^6

2. voice *Rubato solo*
 cello *A* *I am always a good mother* *never an absent mother* *never absent minded or*
 B^6 G^6/B^6 B^6 B^6 E/B^6 *jealous(=)*

voice *prayer ejjore de en (in)post - graduis - "alarm" (huska)*
 cello *absent for months on end, never with a weak heart, or a weak mind, never in a solitary*

mix *never jealous, never wanting to fuch stitter.* *(S)ORT IMPUST rotig fast*

3. voice *Rubato solo* *impust* *stop! 2)*
 cello *in the two dimensional propaganda life* *the 2 colours are always bright the*
 B^6 Gm/F Gm/D E^6 E^6/B^6

voice *teeth are always white there is not some scream kept silent there is no nails being*
 cello B^6 B^6 E/B^6 E^6/C

voice *(bo) ... minder post knis/latter* *vibrant "what is the sound of"*
 cello *torn out of hands, there are no small children* *(ellen grüne han?)*

stop!

NP 00005 WH Nr. 5. F. 16

What is the sound of / H

Edy Poppy - Erik Dæhlin

I wonder...

What is the sound of hands being put into water so hot their skin and fingernails come off, like gloves? Is it similar to the sound you make when you tear my clothes off?

What is the sound of skin being cut through?

Is it similar to when I scratch my fingers down your back as you make love to me? music 1.

What is the sound of breasts being cut off? music 2.
Could it be like slicing up a birthday cake?

What is the sound of (music 3.) someone tearing off the soles of someone's feet before making them walk on salt? Could it be like walking on stones on a hot summer's day?

What is the sound of Siamese twins separating? I wonder... music 4.
What is the sound of twins being sewn together? I remember...

//“Do it again, Papa, do it again.” // Noch mal. Papa. Noch mal

That must have been the sound of ... happiness. (last bars in music 4.)

2.

A handwritten musical score for piano and cello. The piano part (ph.) includes dynamic markings like 'pp', 'f', 'mf', and 'p'. The cello part (vc.) includes dynamics like 'p' and 'f'. Various performance instructions are written in ink, such as 'Tap', 'guitar', 'pizzicato', 'pizz.', 'mf', 'f', 'pté', 'trill', and 'lyd #A LERE'. The score also features two boxes labeled 'SANDPIR' and 'LYD #A LERE' with arrows pointing to specific measures. Measures are numbered 1 through 10.

(4) Q&E: "What is the sound of Siamese twins separating?"

4

J.S. Bach - Choral Cantatas BWV 82

Intro (only klavikord)
NB: Same key throughout
Then with cello and voice

A1 H—

~~Tempo~~

~~mf forte~~
~~mf forte~~

hinterlich hop sech - teh

Aria i - st für
ist für H— ist für

② Schlum - mert ein, ihr mat - ten Au - gen, fal - let sanft und
⑥ ist für meine Kinder für Haar auf hellen Haar fliechte
Herrn Leidwig Hordine

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2nd 7³

se ar - lig zu schlum - mert ein, schlum - mert ein,
teidrun und hevald Er ist immer noch mein Kind, auch wenn er kein Kind mehr ist
(cello) nicht war? (H—)

2nd

i - st für

Tyrr

② schlum - mert ein, ihr mat - ten Au - gen, fal - let sanft und se ar - lig zu Nein!
⑦ i - st für hilf mir, ich werde alle meine Kinder zu töten, ich für hilf mir ich töte alle meine Kinder abgesehen von

Harald er...

40

H

(1) schlum - für - Hände rasiere mert ein Ja! Ihr mat - ten Au - gen fal - let sanft und (heil!)
ist nicht hier das ist der einzige Grund, wem es nach mir gegangen sind, ich hätte ihn

15

see - lig zu, fal - let sanft und se - lig zu.
fe - liek genauso gut ist für Hölle oder den Himmel, vielleicht? ist für... I have
vergessen

Fine
Bezymer

19

attacca "Zara"



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ZARA - Kann denn

Stunde sein

wenn man sich küßt

alles ihm schenkt, vor Glück?

Niemals

glas

werde ich bereuen, Liebe geschah,

ja da! Sünde sein doch wenn -

sie es wär' dann -

wär's mir egal -

sündigen mal;

ohne Liebe sein;

nur immer von Moral.

Sag er dann:

Zu meiner Zeit

mit lächelndem Gesicht:

Sünde sein,

wenn man einmal,

alles vergibt,

Kann das wirklic

Tut soh

NB noter

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Sünde sein,

alles ihm schenkt, - vor Glück?

Niemals werde - ich bereuen, -

das müßt ihr mir schon verzeihen,

Kann denn Liebe Sünde sein...

enen...

"was sich tut"

00:00 00:07 00:16 00:15 00:20 00:23 00:25 00:27 00:28

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Marilyn

Erik Dæhlin

Hill/Marilyn Monroe

Marilyn Monroe

Sampler

Sampler

Soundfile 1
Mr President On this occasion of your birthday
this lovely lady is not only p...
but punctual Mr President Marilyn Monroe *tromme*:

Snare Drum

Litt oppe i amfiet

Piano

at the same time as
snare drum on soundfile

pp

Ped. 8^{vb}

63

Soundfile 2

Soundfile 2
ehhh woman about who
it truly maybe said she needs no introduction let me just say here she is

11

Vc. 13 gliss. Pizz. Arco gliss. gliss. gliss.

Pno. here she is (drum... !) Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

15

S. D. articulated with fingers

Vc. Pizz. Arco gliss. Pizz. Arco gliss. Pizz. Arco gliss.

Pno. but I give an introduction anyway Mr President because of in the history of show business
ped. osv. *Ped.*

18

S. D.

Vc. Pizz. Arco gliss. Pizz. Arco gliss.

Pno. have said there has been no female who meant so much
Ped.

20

S. D.

Vc. Pizz. Arco gliss. Pizz. Arco gliss.

Pno. who has done more who... f

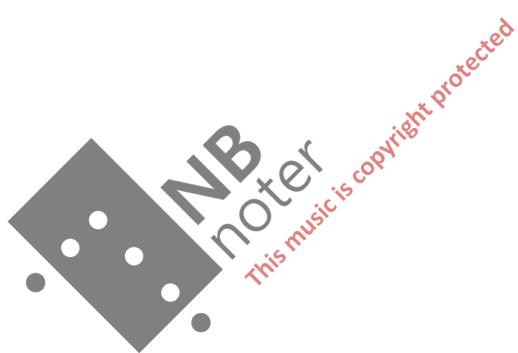
23 rit.

S. D. **pp**

Vc. *gliss.*

Pno. *p* *rit.*

To Glass



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some breathing some breathing some breathing

Voice

S. D.

Pno. *L.v.* Mr President the late Marilyn Monroe *Largo* $\text{J} = 42$ (may do gradually accel. to 54) *pppp* *8va* *pppp* *8vb* *pppp*

l.v.

This block contains three staves. The first staff is for Voice, the second for S.D., and the third for Pno. The Pno. staff includes performance instructions like 'L.v.', 'Mr President the late Marilyn Monroe', 'Largo', 'J = 42 (may do gradually accel. to 54)', dynamics 'pppp', and '8va'. It also features grace notes and 'pppp' dynamics at the end.

31 $\text{♩} = 54-63$

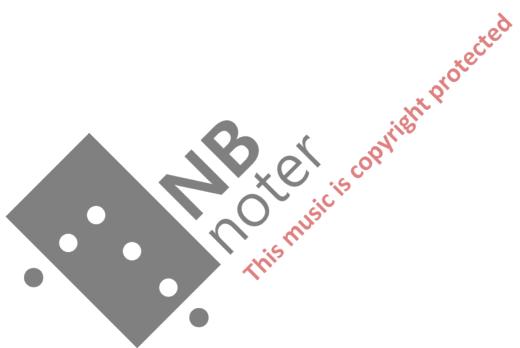
Voice: $\text{G} \frac{3}{4}$ $\text{H}_{\text{app}} \text{y}$ $\ll f \text{ poss. sub. } p$

G. Harm.: $\text{G} \frac{3}{4}$ GLASS

Vc.: $\text{Vc.} \frac{3}{4}$ med sourdin II 3 3 3 3

Pno.: $\text{Pno.} \frac{3}{4}$ una corda 3 3 3 3

(8.)



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Voice: $\text{G} \frac{3}{4}$ Be Kind $\text{H}_{\text{app}} \text{y}$ Help this wea - ry

G. Harm.

Vc.: $\text{Vc.} \frac{3}{4}$ III 3 3 3 6 I 3 6 3

Pno.: $\text{Pno.} \frac{3}{4}$

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Voice

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

be - ing to for - get what is sad to remember

tr

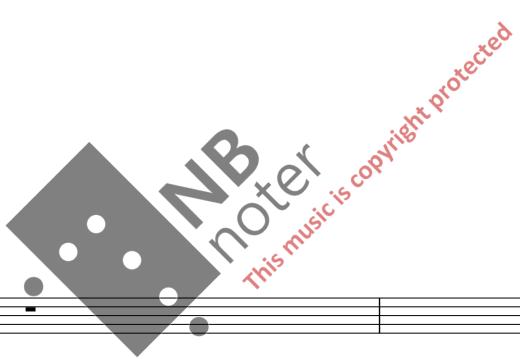
gliss.

3 3

3 3

3 3

3 3



41

Voice

G. Harm.

Vc.

Pno.

sub. *p*

3 3

3 sim. 3

3 3

3 3

3 3

3 3

3 3

3 3

43

Voice loose my lone - li ness ease my mind O time loose my loone-li-ness

Sampler Soundfile *Marilyn 3* (near-field)

G. Harm.

Vc. col legno tratto
repeat (pp)

Pno. Piano: Wait a litel before playing. Detached from the rest of the ensemble, with largo tempo.
End playing somewhere into the text.



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Voice be kind ease my mind loose my mind ease my mind loose my mind while you drink my

Vc. sim.

Pno. (8)

55

Voice flesh

While you all use me on the bed on the table on the chair on the floor
 Yesterday I stopped killing myself. I am alone with my breasts my thighs my lap.
 I rip apart the instruments of my imprisonment the stool the table the bed I destroy the battlefield that was my home.
 I tear the doors off their hinges to let the wind and the cry of the world inside.
 I set fire to my prison. I throw my clothes into the fire. I smash the window.
 I go onto the street, clothed in my blood. I dig the clock which was my heart out of my breast.

Sampler Soundfile: *Marilyn 4 everybody...* (analyse) (near-field)
 Soundfile: *"how should I"* (near-field)

Vc.



Ophelia floats

Music starts on text que:
"I tear the doors of their
hinges(...)"

Erik S. Dæhlin

$\text{♩}=\text{ca } 76.$ Calm Gradually crescendo

Percussion: **Gongs (4)** → **a# gong** → **a#+f# gong**

Violoncello: **Senza Misura (un-sync with perc. and piano)**

Piano: **ca 76. Calm Gradually crescendo**

5 **ppp (poss.)**

soundfile with song in field-speakers continues

all music stops before
soundfiles stops

5 **f#+g gong** → **g+ gong c#**

Vc:

Pno:

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the music gets swallowed by soundfile (Storm)

Elisabeth

Marco Demian Vitanza - Erik Dæhlin

Sitt. Sitter. Ser.
 Elisabeth Holmertz.
 Ertz...
 Jag sitter och ser på Elisabeth Holmertz.

Hur hon andas.
 Hur hon beter sig på scenen.
 (+ detalj)
 Hon ser på publiken.
 På mej.
 Jag lyssnar på hennes röst.
 Vem har sagt att en man inte kan bli sopran?
 Övar mej, varje dag, övning.
 Bli kvinna.
 Bli sopran.
 Bli ertz...

Poss. 1 (stående)

Poss. 2 (sittende på stol)

*nynning på strofe fra Händel
litt effekt (pitch) fra sampler*

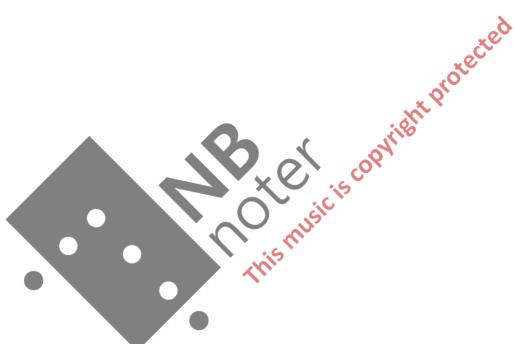
Varje dag: Läppstift. Maskara.
 Tar på kvinnokläder jag har tjuvlånt från min mamma.
 Allra helst den vita blusen och kappan av fuskpäls.
 At villa bli (Holm)ertz...

Man kan lyssna på hennes röst på nätet.
 Jag tycker om när hon sjunger Händel.
 Den med flöjten.
 Varje dag: övning, repetition.

Nu sitter hon rakt framför mej.
 Jag kan nästan ta på henne.
 Men jag gör det inte.
 Sitter bare.
 Sitt. Sitter. Ser.

Poss. 3 – lenger frem (sittende på stol)

Händel utsnitt i field høytalere



At bli kvinna.
 Nonting äkta.
 At Föda.
 Amma.
 Gömma mej.
 Amma mej.
 At bli Elisabeth Holmertz

(Hon stänger ögonen.)

At bli Elisabeth Holmertz.

Nynner sammen med musikken
effekt (pitch) fra sampler

Hur hon andas.
 Hur hennes kropp är alldes fri för spänningar.
 Varje dag: Rakar benen, magen, bröstet, axlarna.
 Rakar skägget.
 Läppstift. Maskara.

*musikken fortsetter
Stadig med effekt på stemmen*

Varje dag, övning, repetition.
 Övning, repetition.

Poss. 4 – i sirkel m publ. (sittende på stol)

Nu sitter hon rakt framför mej.
 Jag kan nästan beröra henne.
 Men jag gör det inte.
 Sitter bara. Sitter. Ser.

feedback (lydfil) i nærhøytalere tar over for stemmen