

Variations on a Theme of Chopin

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♩ = 108 **THEME**

Beginning confidently, but gradually trailing off
Rall., poco a poco

sf sf mf f dim. (p)

* Chopin: Mazurka in B \flat minor Op 24 No 4

U.C.

a minor surprise!

♩ = 144 **VAR 1**

Furioso (but strictly in tempo!)

♩ = 96

pp p < mf sff ff sempre

* Don't let the tension drop!

Ped.

Distinguish clearly between $\frac{6}{16}$ (= 2 x ♩) and $\frac{3}{8}$ (= 3 x ♩) rhythms.

molto p cresc.

Ped.

ff p cresc.

Ped.

