

to John Olsen  
**Common Ground**  
for two string quartets

**Explosive, angry** ♩ = 66  
With the heel of the bow  
*ff*

**Meno mosso, lirico e flessibile** ♩ = 50 - 60  
*mf*

*ff*

*ff*

*ff*

*ff*

*p* *mp* *p* *mf*

*p*

**Serene** ♩ = 66  
*pp*

**Meno mosso, lirico e flessibile** ♩ = 50 - 60  
*ppp* *p*

*pp*

*pp*

*pp* *pp*

*pp* *pp*

*pp* *pp*

*pp*

*ppp*