

GHOST RAILS

for saxophone quartet

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for Nexus Quartet

I. Track (26,27).1

Desecration ♩ = c.130, ♪ = c.174, ♩ = c.260

(3 + 2)

Score for Saxophone Quartet (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Baritone) in 2/4 time, key of B-flat major. The score is divided into three systems, each containing four staves. The tempo is marked as Desecration with a quarter note equal to approximately 130 bpm, an eighth note equal to approximately 174 bpm, and a half note equal to approximately 260 bpm. The score includes various dynamics (sf, f, ff, fff, norm., s.j.) and articulations (sempré s.j., bell up, h.j.). The first system is marked with a circled 5, the second with a circled 7, and the third with a circled 8. The score is watermarked with 'Sample Score Only'.

System 1 (Measures 1-4):

- Soprano (S1):** Starts with *sf* and *sempré s.j.*, followed by *f* and *ff*.
- Alto (A2):** Starts with *sf* and *sempré s.j.*, followed by *f* and *ff*.
- Tenor (T):** Starts with *sf* and *sempré s.j.*, followed by *fff* and *ff*.
- Baritone (B):** Starts with *sf* and *sempré s.j.*, followed by *fff* and *ff*.

System 2 (Measures 5-8):

- Soprano (S1):** Starts with *sf* and *f*, followed by *ff*.
- Alto (A2):** Starts with *sf* and *f*, followed by *ff*.
- Tenor (T):** Starts with *sf* and *f*, followed by *ff*.
- Baritone (B):** Starts with *sf* and *f*, followed by *ff*.

System 3 (Measures 9-12):

- Soprano (S1):** Starts with *sf* and *f*, followed by *ff*.
- Alto (A2):** Starts with *sf* and *f*, followed by *ff*.
- Tenor (T):** Starts with *sf* and *f*, followed by *ff*.
- Baritone (B):** Starts with *sf* and *f*, followed by *ff*.

IV. The Battle Of Central Station

Allegro Moderato: Larrikins' March ♩ = c.120

Musical score for "The Rose Tree" featuring Soprano (S), Alto (A), Tenor (T), and Bass (B) voices. The score is in 4/4 time, key of D major, and consists of 12 measures. It includes vocal lines and piano accompaniment with various dynamics and articulations.

Measures 1-4: The vocalists enter with a melody in D major. The piano accompaniment provides a harmonic foundation with triplets and trills. Dynamics include *p* (piano), *mp* (mezzo-piano), and *mf* (mezzo-forte).

Measures 5-8: The vocal lines continue with a rising melody. The piano accompaniment features more complex rhythmic patterns, including triplets and trills. Dynamics range from *p* to *mf*.

Measures 9-12: The vocalists conclude the phrase with a final melody. The piano accompaniment provides a concluding harmonic support. Dynamics include *f* (forte) and *mp*.

The score includes various musical notations such as triplets, trills, and dynamic markings to guide the performance.

4 (2 + 3 + 2) to Sop. (2 + 3)

A1

A2

T

B

6 un poco riten. a tempo un poco riten. lunga to Sop. + to Sop. 3/4 4/4

T

B

mf mp p pp attacca

VI. Spirit Children

Grave: A Playground, Subterranean, Deserted...? ♩ = c.38

SOPRANO sempre non vib. norm. tr~

S1

ppp p 3 n.p

SOPRANO sempre non vib. norm. tr~

S2

ppp p 3 n.p

SOPRANO sempre non vib. 1/2 norm. tr~

S3

ppp pp p 3 n.p

molto string. ♩ = c.84

5 h.c. con vib. 1/2 tr~

S1

ppp p pp sff pp mp pp ff

h.c. con vib. norm. 1/2 tr~

S2

ppp p pp sff pp mp pp ff

h.c. con vib. norm. 1/2 tr~

S3

ppp p pp sff pp mp pp ff

SOPRANO sempre non vib. h.c. con vib. norm. 1/2 tr~

S4

ppp p pp sff pp mp pp ff

VII. Track (26,27).4

Adventuring

♩ = c.130, ♪ = c.174, ♩ = c.260

(1.5 + 1 + 1.5 + 1) (1.5 + 2 + 1.5 + 2) ALTO *s.j.*

A1 *mf*

A2 *mp*

TENOR *s.j.* *mp* *mf*

'BARITONE *s.j.* *mp*

(2 + 3) (2 + 2 + 3)

A1 *ff*

A2 *mf* *ff*

T *ff*

B *mf* *ff* *attacca*

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VIII. Hacking, Urbex-Style

Andante: Jaunty Bravado

♩ = c.94

(2 + 2 + 3) *w.j.*

A1 *sempre mf*

A2 *w.j.* *sempre mp*

T *w.j.* *p* *mf* *p*

B *w.j.* *sempre p*

