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To Gerrard Williams  
**PRELUDE No. I**

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With tenderness (with an elastic rhythm) about ♩ = 80

Piano

The musical score is written for piano and consists of five systems of staves. The first system is in 4/8 time and begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic and a *Ret.* (ritardando) marking. It features a melodic line in the right hand and a bass line in the left hand. The second system changes to 3/8 time and includes dynamics of *mp* and *pp*, with a *retard.* marking. The third system returns to 4/8 time, marked *pp*, with a *a little slower* instruction and a *simile* marking. The fourth system is marked *a tempo* and *mf*, with a *ret.* marking. The fifth system is marked *retard.* and features complex fingering and a *mf* dynamic. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, ties, and dynamic hairpins.

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A little faster

2 1 3 1 2

*pp*

(far away)

ten. simile

retard. *pp* *ppp*

*pp* *ppp*

As at first

retard. *p*



Musical score system 1, measures 21-24. Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment. Dynamics: *pp*, *retard.*. Measure 24 ends with a first ending bracket and a fermata.

Musical score system 2, measures 25-28. Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment with fingerings (2, 1, 1, 1, 2, 5, 4, 5, 4). Dynamics: *accel. a little*, *retard.*, *p*.

A little faster.

Musical score system 3, measures 29-32. Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment with *pp* dynamics.

Musical score system 4, measures 33-36. Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment with *pp* dynamics.

Musical score system 5, measures 37-40. Treble clef, 3/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment. Dynamics: *retard.*, *pp*, *ppp*.

Musical score system 6, measures 41-44. Treble clef, 3/4 time. Bass clef accompaniment with *ppp* and *pp* dynamics. Ends with a first ending bracket and a fermata.



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