

.... born – just like that

Instructions:

- Material to be improvised upon is denoted by boxes
- Arrows denote the length of the improvisation
- A black square before a note in a string part denotes heavy bow pressure at the very start of the note
- The 'a' sections (apart from 3a) are to be allowed to continue, with only those playing at the end of the section, with improvisation, until the following section is cued by the conductor
- Setar to be tuned with a 'C' drone
- A lack of note head means the choice of pitch is up to the performer

On Buddha's birthday
a spotted fawn is born –
just like that

- Basho

1

$\downarrow=200$

Violin *mf*
Viola

sfp *sfp* *sfp sfp* *sfp* *sfp < mp* *sfp < mp sfp* *sfp* *sfp* *sfp* *sfp* *sfp* *sfp* *sfp* *sfp* *sfp* *f*



1a

$\downarrow=100$

4

A. Fl.
Sho
Set.

tr *sfp* *mp* *n*

*Sporadic gesture,
insert occasionally*
Leave space, can vary phrase

4

On Cue
flz

4

Vln.
Vla.
Vc.
Db.

Freely develop

Freely colour note

Freely colour note

*Sustained notes
Overlap entries
Grow from silence*

4

sfp *f*
sfp *f*
bo
sfp *f*
bo
sfp *f*



2

$\downarrow=200$

Vln.
Vla.

sfp *sfp* *< mf* *sfp* *sfp* *sul pont.* *5 nat.* *sfp* *sul pont.* *5 nat.* *sfp* *f*

2

2a

$\text{J}=100$

23

A. Fl.

Set.

Kem.

Vla.

Vc.

pizz. (tasto)

Db.

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Duduk

Set.

Kem.

Vla.

Vc.

Db.

Decorate

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Accomp. duduk

Slide r.h.
down string
then pluck at bridge

very light pressure
from both hands
airy, pitch hardly heard
arco

gliss.

$\text{J}=30$

$\text{J}=3$

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$\text{J}=200$

3

A. Fl.

Vln.

Vla.

Vc.

pp

pizz. sul tasto

nat pizz.

Db.

$\text{J}=2$

3a $\text{♩} = 100$

A. Fl. $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ Build towards more rhythmical

Sit. $\frac{4}{4}$

Vln. $\frac{2}{4}$ $\text{♩} = 100$ $\text{sfs} < \text{ff}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Vla. -

Vc. - arco

Db. $\frac{4}{4}$

On Cue 30-40" $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{5}{8}$ $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{4}{8}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

pizz.

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4 $\text{♩} = 200$

Duduk $\frac{4}{4}$

A. Fl. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Sho $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ Wider/ slower

Kem. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ Decorate with trills, glissandi etc.

Vln. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ sul tasto $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Vla. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ sul tasto $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Vc. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Db. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

4a $\text{♩} = 100$

continue line | go towards single note **G.P.**

continue line | go towards single note

go towards all bow noise

4

J=60

Sho
Vln.
Vla.
Vc.
Db.

sul pont. → molto sul tasto

fast/ shallow → wide/ slow → fast/ shallow → wide/ slow → fast/ shallow

pizz. *mp subito mf*

pp sfz mp

pp 3 nat. 3

95

On Cue (whatever note you are on)

Sustain and overlap these notes
Can alter by 1/2 tone, but no more than two at a time

30-45"

Sho

Kem.

Vln.
Vla.
Vc.
Db.

wide/ slow → fast/ shallow → wide/ slow → molto sul tasto

Sustain notes
Slow movement between notes
Overlap entries
Can approach each notes from a minor third above
Can move between sul pont and tasto

(whatever note you are on)

sfz fff

sfz fff

sfz fff

sfz fff

Duduk

muted J=180

Sit.

vary by adding in this phrase

5 8 4 5 8 5

pizz. *8*

tutti p

Develop materials
Can bring in other players
(Conducted improvisation)