Eighth Note Publications

The Carnival of Venice

Jean Baptiste Arban
Arranged by Joel Treybig

A prominent figure in Paris during the second half of the 19th Century, Arban was constantly in demand as a cornet soloist, conductor, and teacher. Arban studied at the Paris Conservatory, and was already in demand as a soloist before his graduation. In addition to his performing career, Arban became a well-known instructor at the Paris Military School and the Paris Conservatory, as well as a respected conductor. His etude book, Grande Méthod Compléte pour Cornet á Pistons ou Saxhorns, is still the foundation for most modern trumpet instruction. He also worked with Adolphe Sax and other instrument makers to improve the design of the cornet.

Arban's variations on Carnival of Venice is typical of his many solo compositions, in which a well-known theme is presented, followed by a set of technical variations upon the theme. The present arrangement for quintet keeps the solo in its original form, but inserts an introduction and interludes taken from operas by Giuseppe Verdi that allow each of the quintet members to act as soloist during the interludes between variations. It is interesting to note that Arban included each of the arias inserted within this arrangement in the "Art of Phrasing" portion of his book, indicating his familiarity with, and affection for, Verdi's compositions.

Players and audiences alike have reacted favorably to this edition, which was premiered on November 17th, 1998 in Jessen Auditorium at The University of Texas at Austin by the Austin Metropolitan Brass Quintet with the arranger performing as soloist.

PREVIEW ONLY

ISBN: 9781554721559
CATALOG NUMBER: BQ27252
COST: $20.00
DURATION: 8:40
DIFFICULTY RATING: Medium-Difficult
Brass Quintet

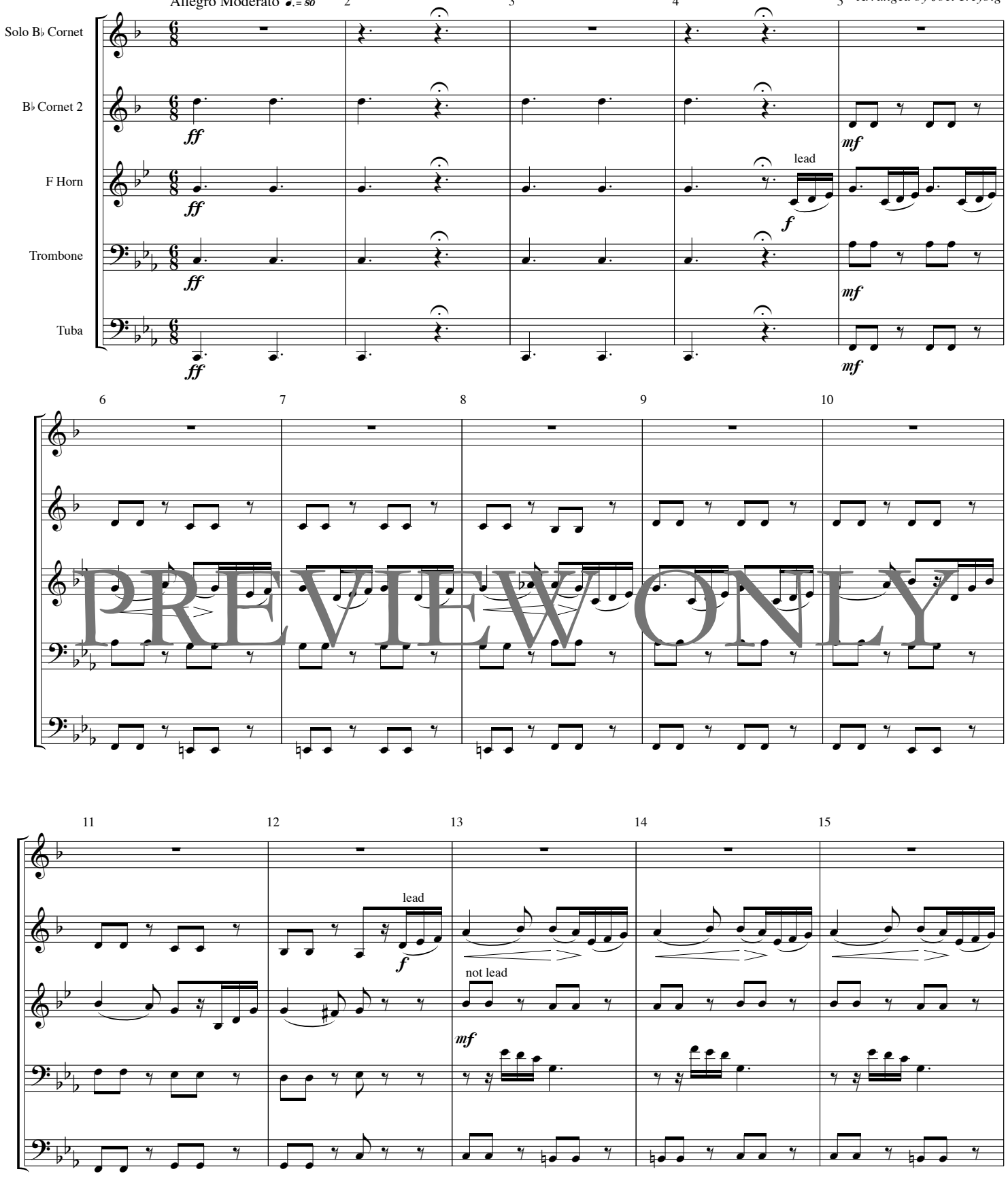
Score

THE CARNIVAL OF VENICE

Traditional
Variations by J.B. Arban
Arranged by Joel Treybig

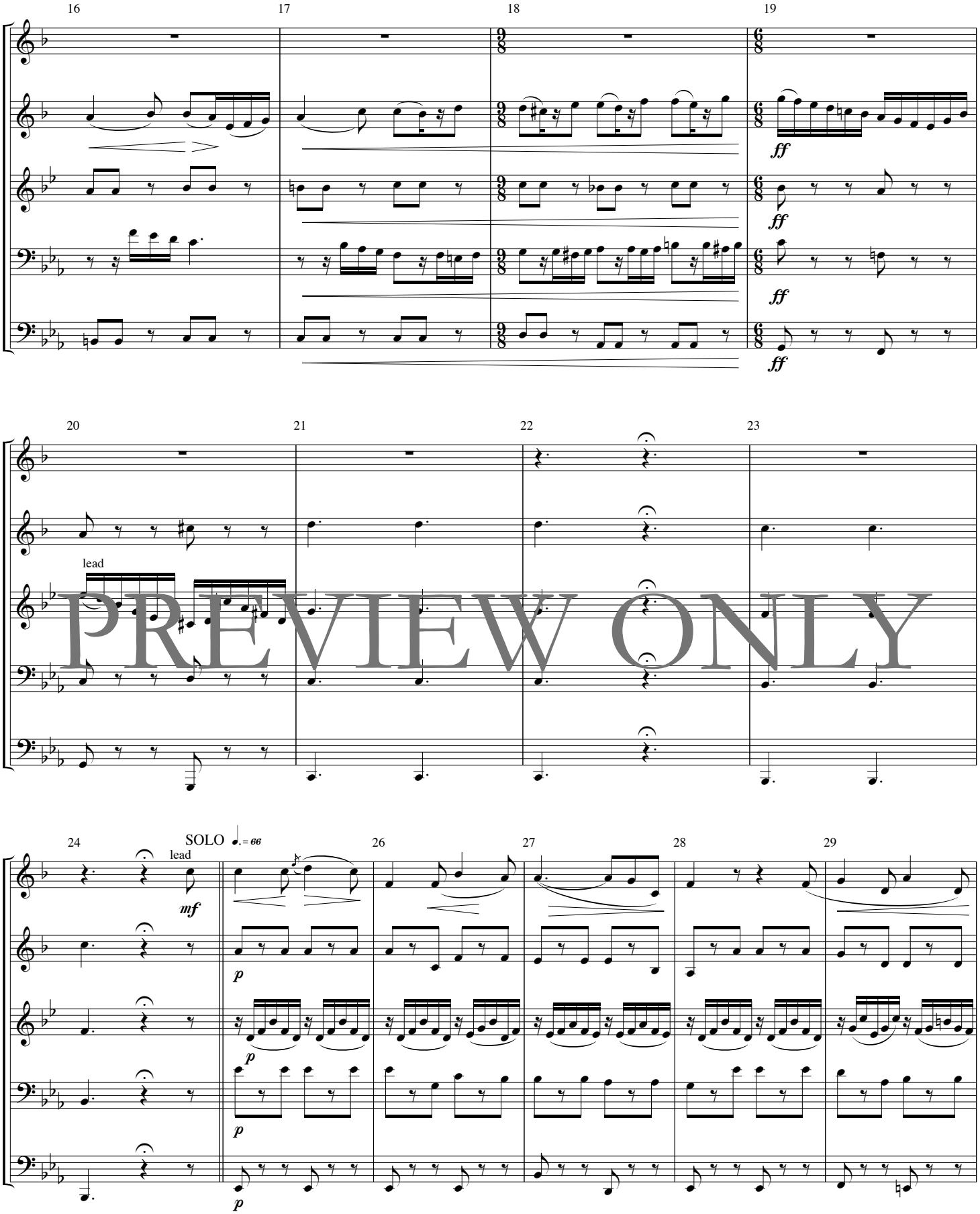
INTRODUCTION - Overture to "La Forza del Destino"

Allegro Moderato ♩. = 80

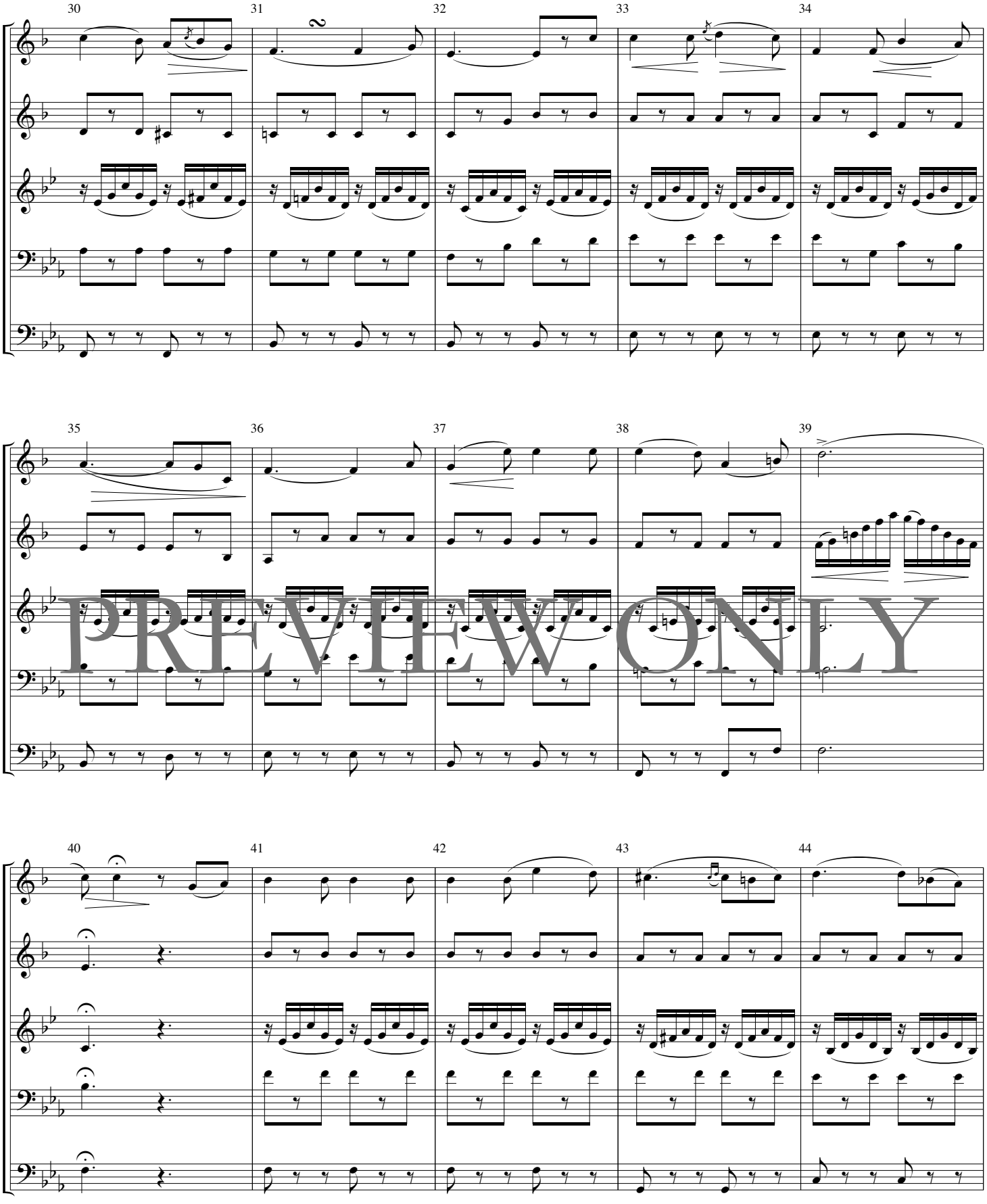


PREVIEW ONLY

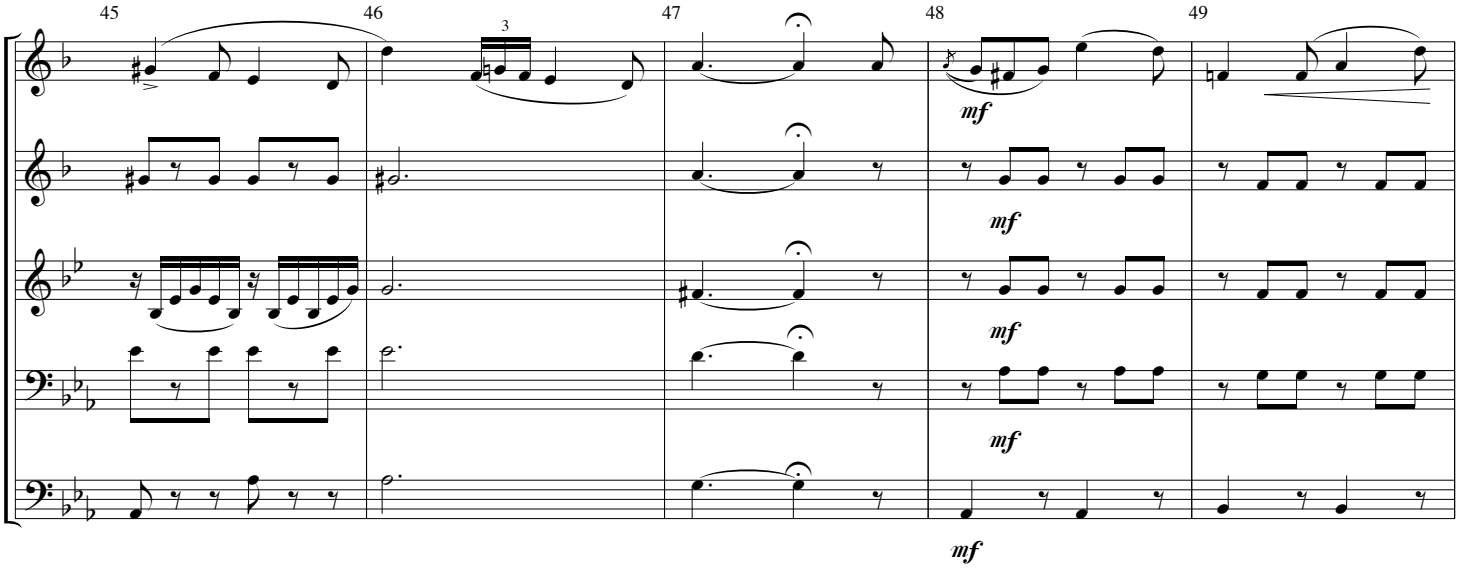
© 2007 Eighth Note Publications

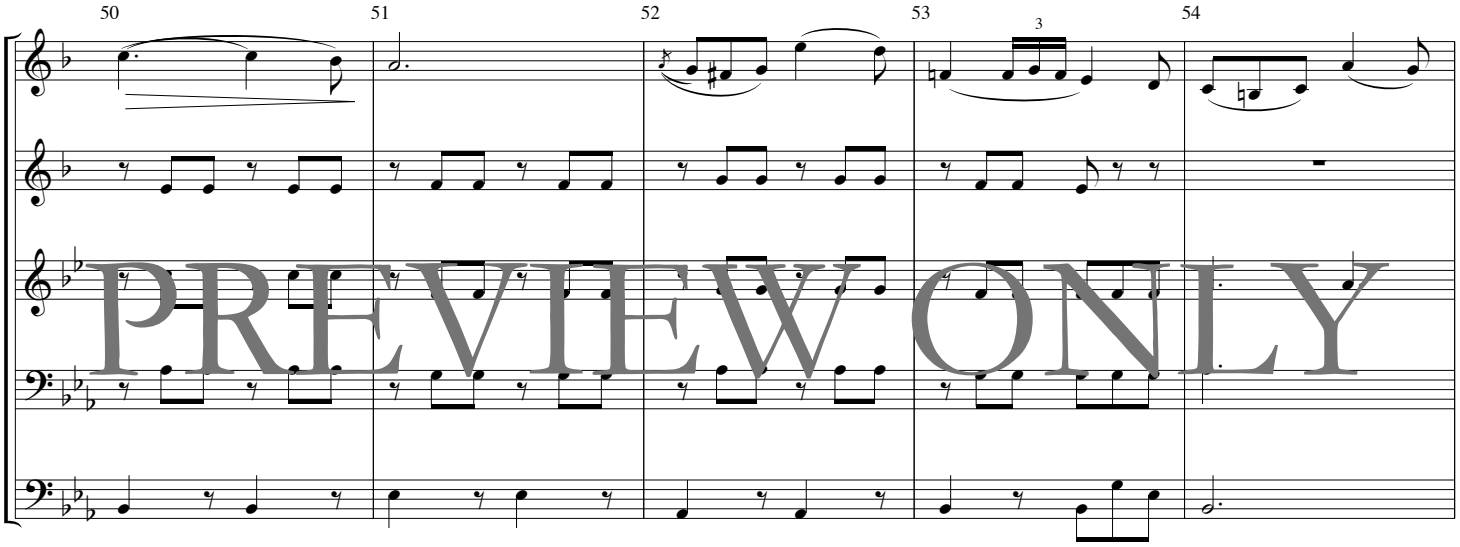


PREVIEW ONLY

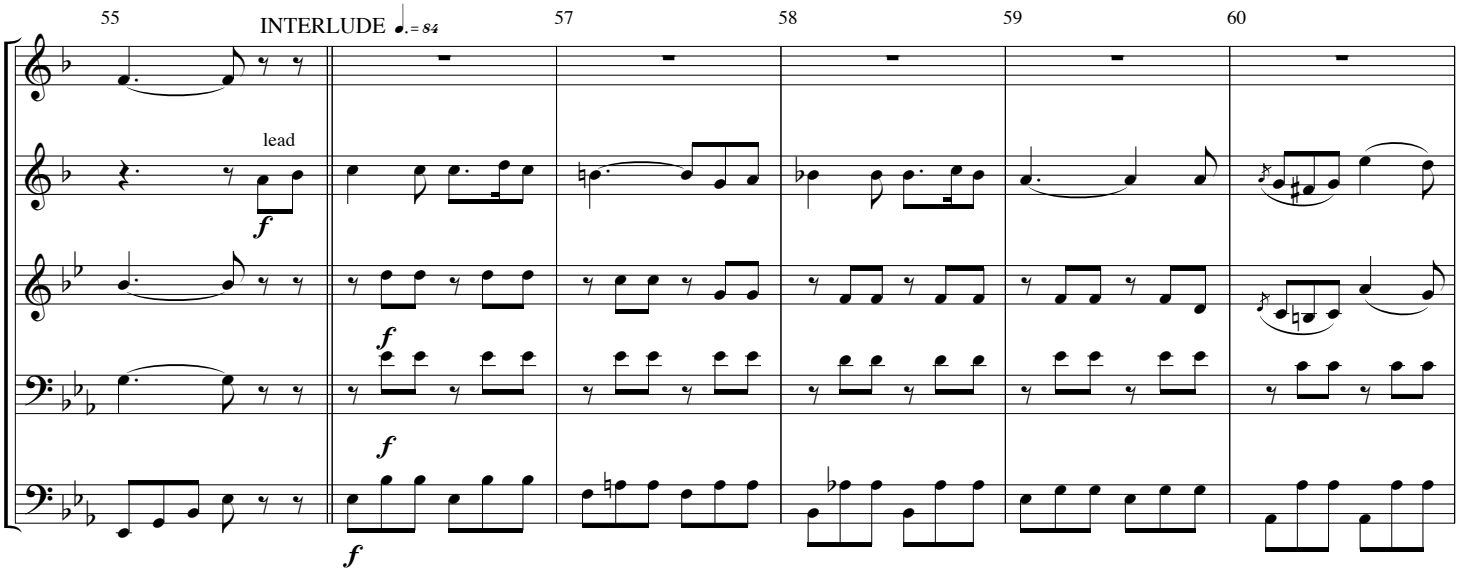


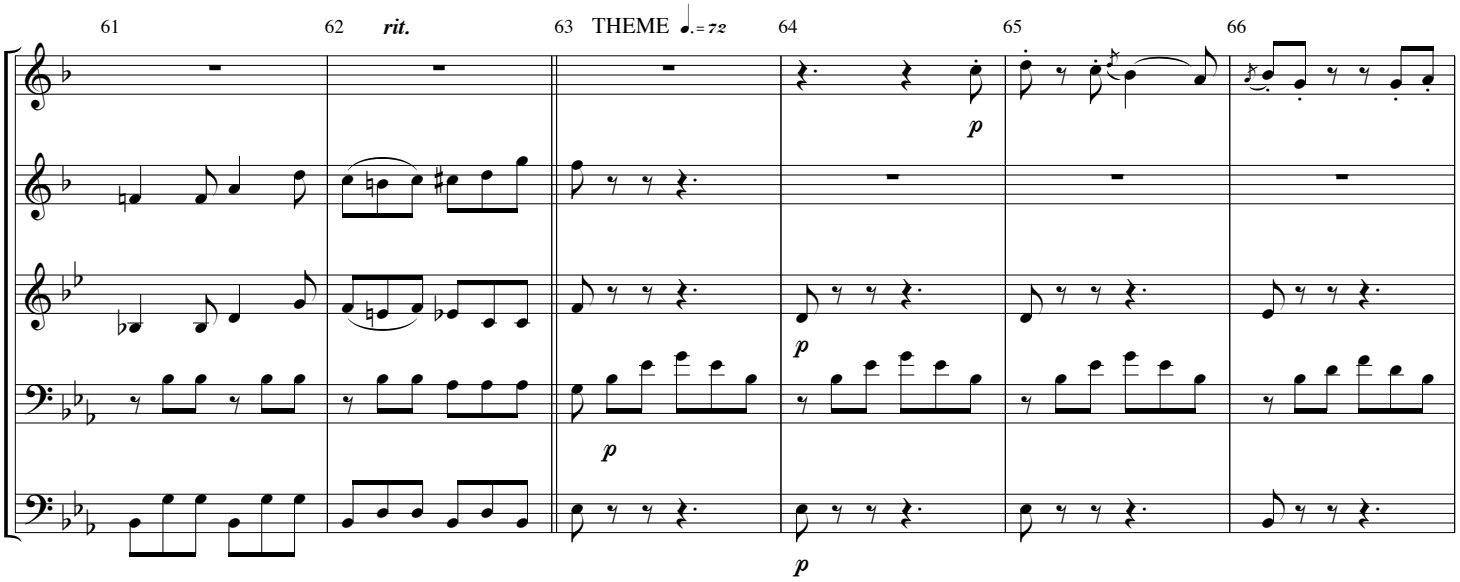
PREVIEW ONLY

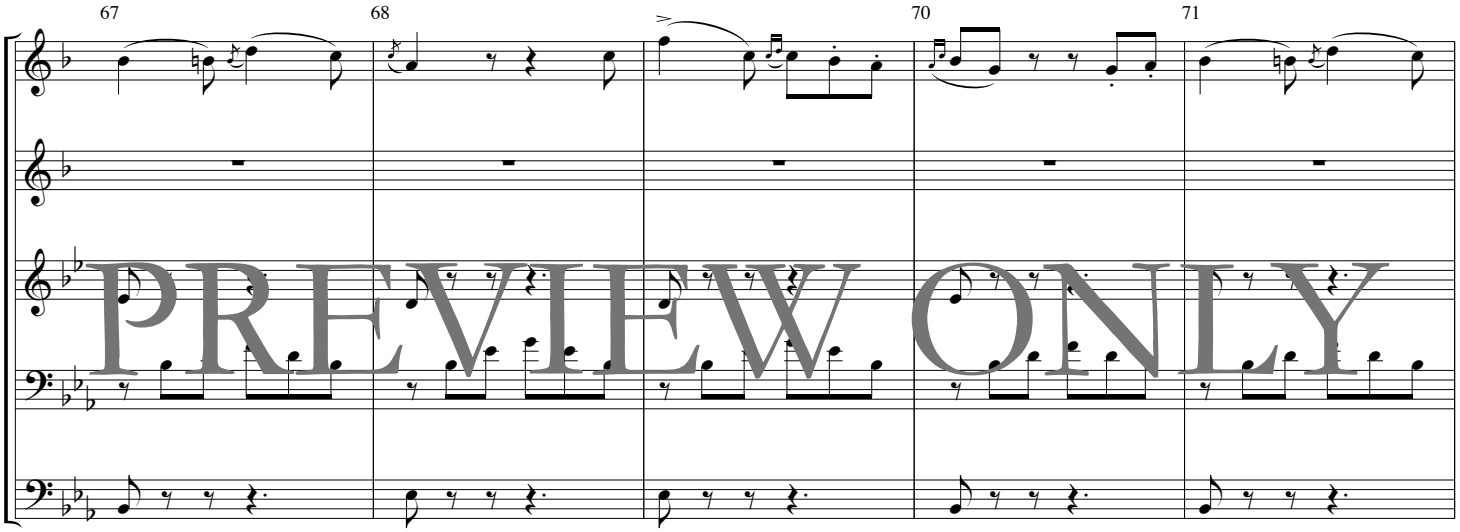




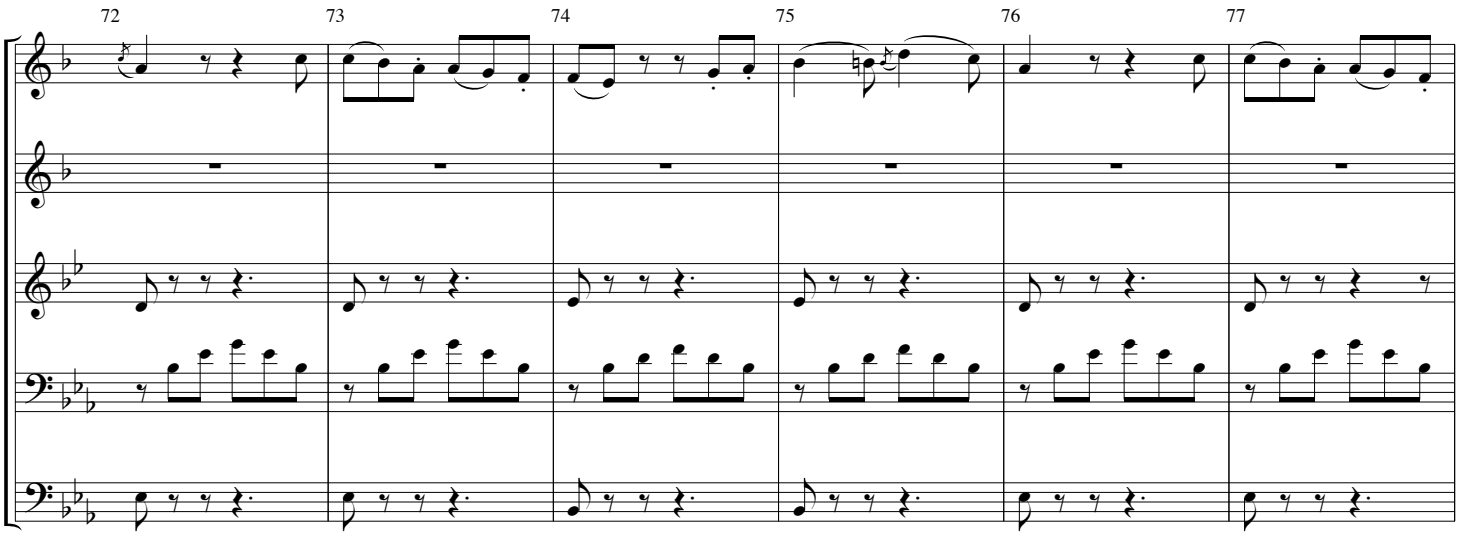
PREVIEW ONLY

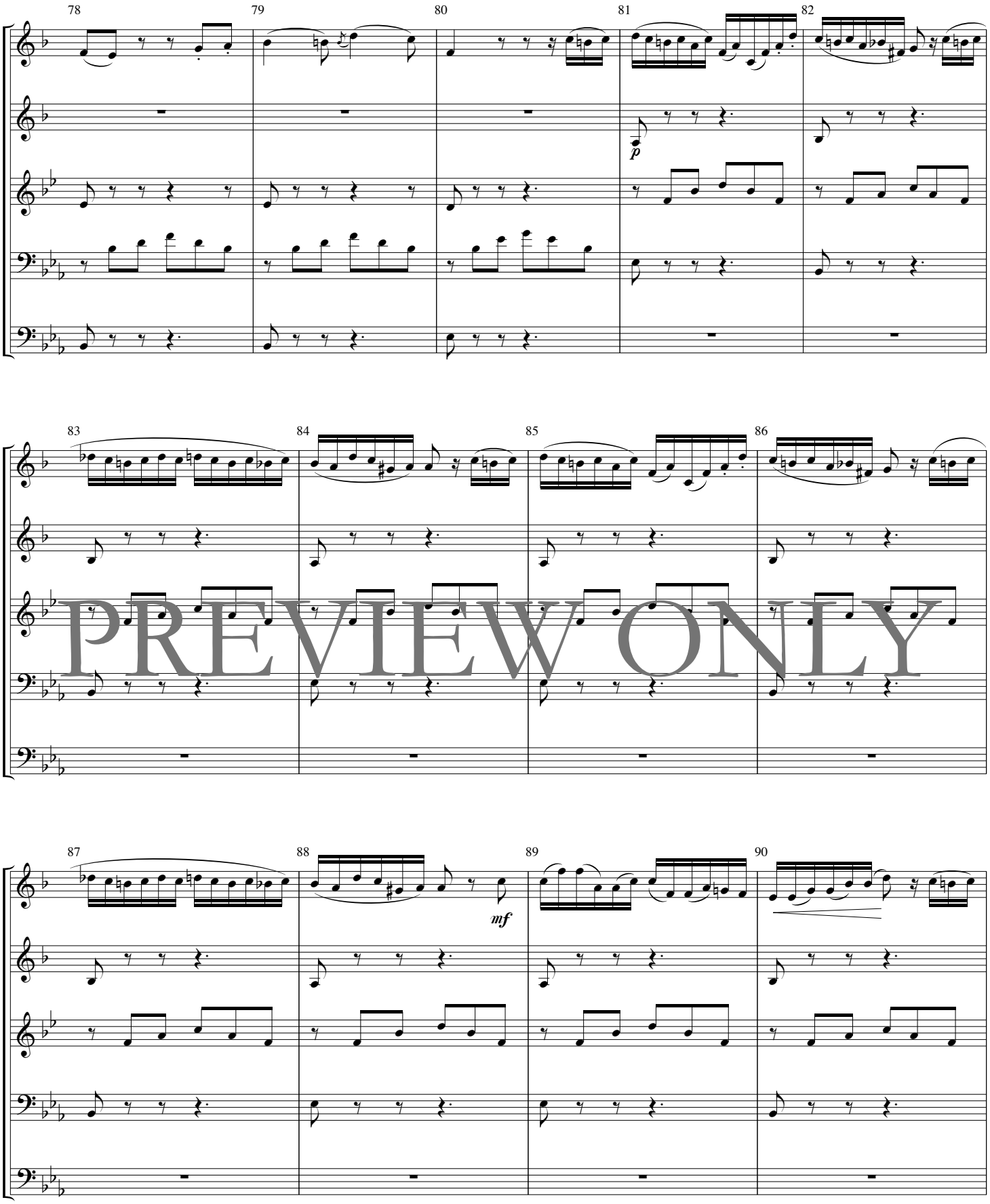




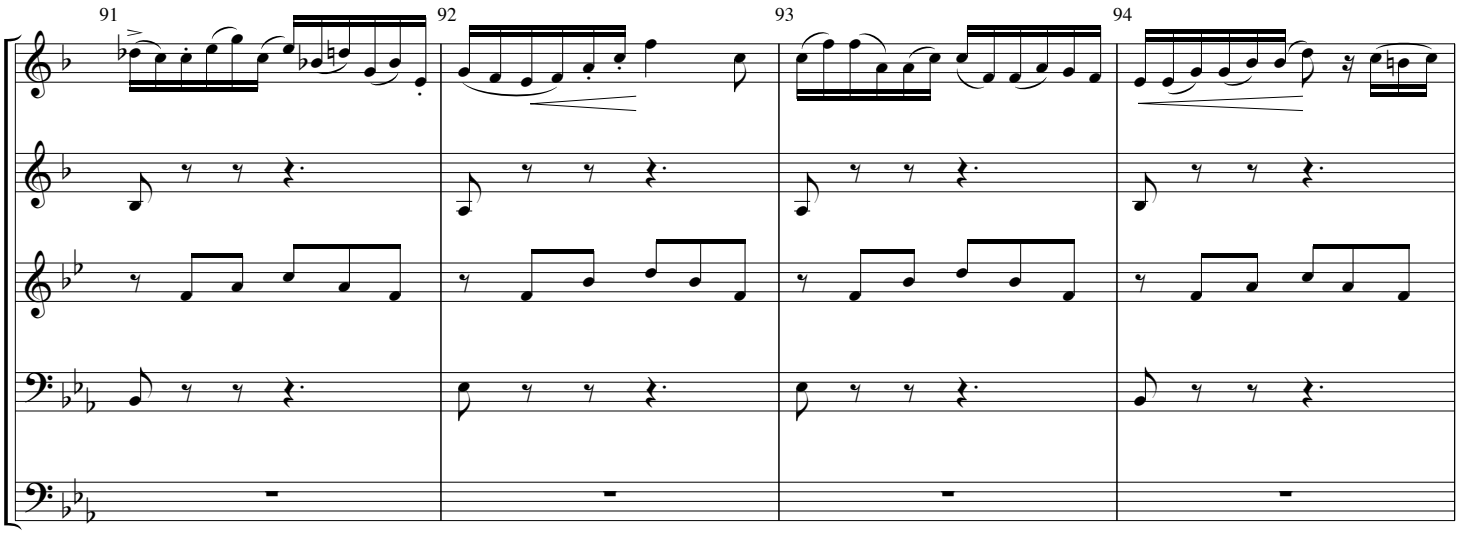


PREVIEW ONLY

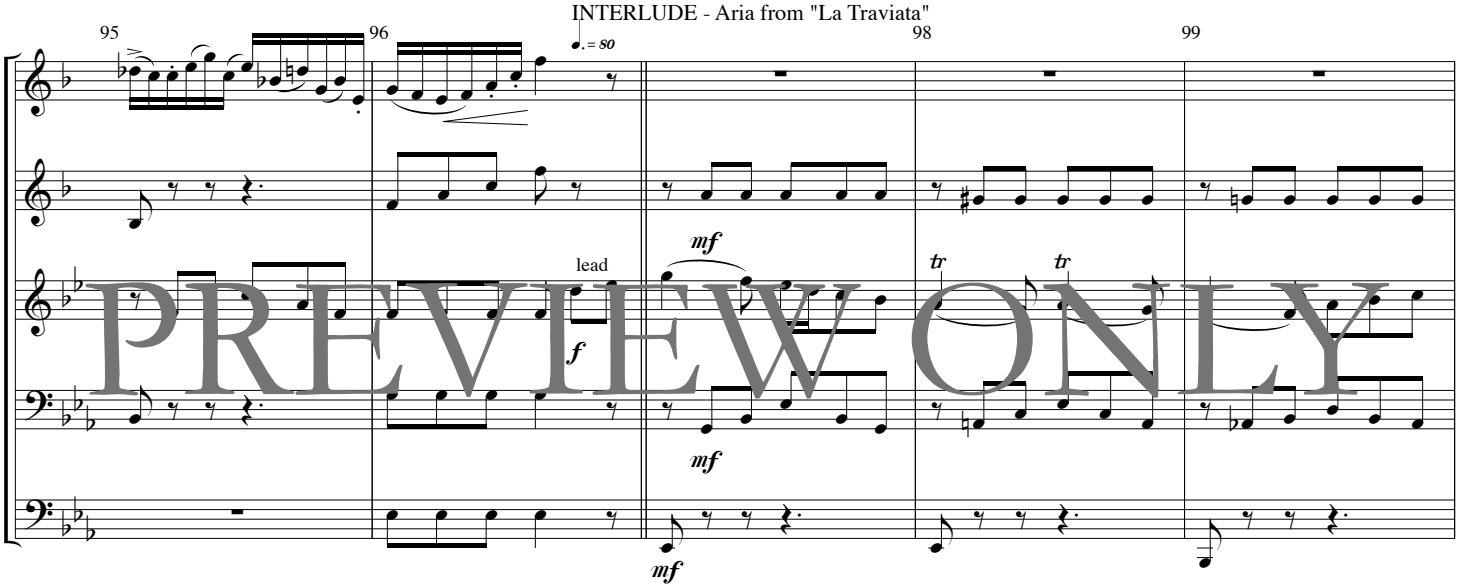




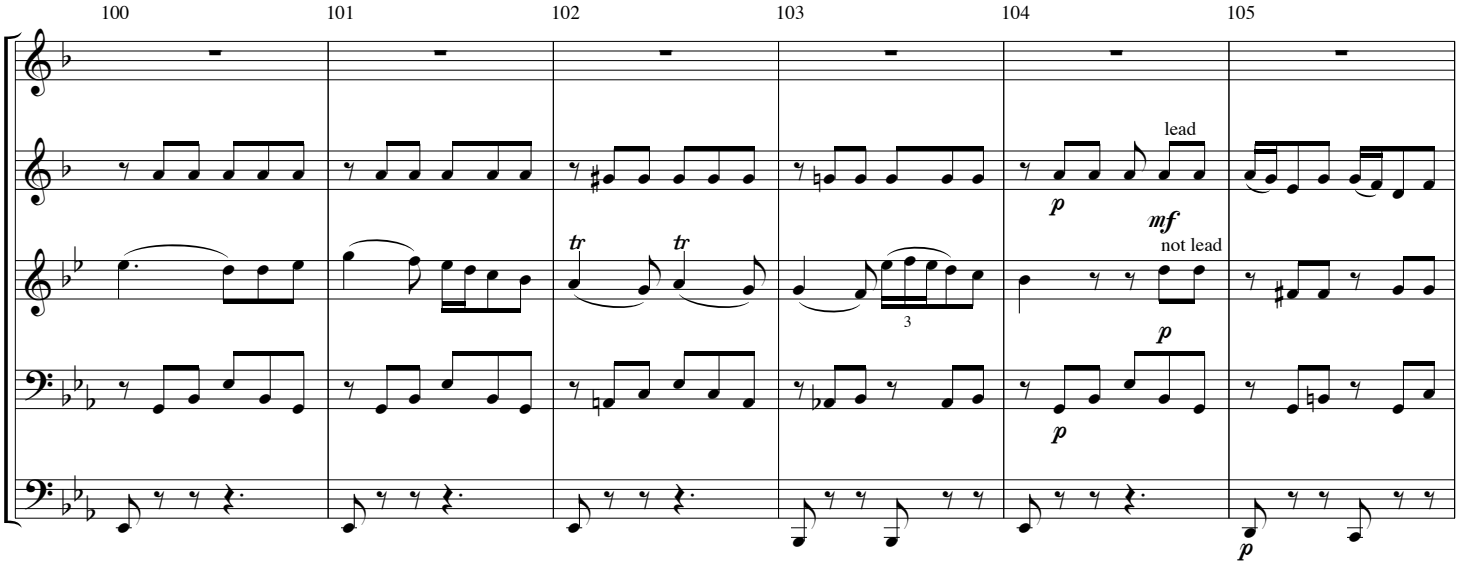
PREVIEW ONLY

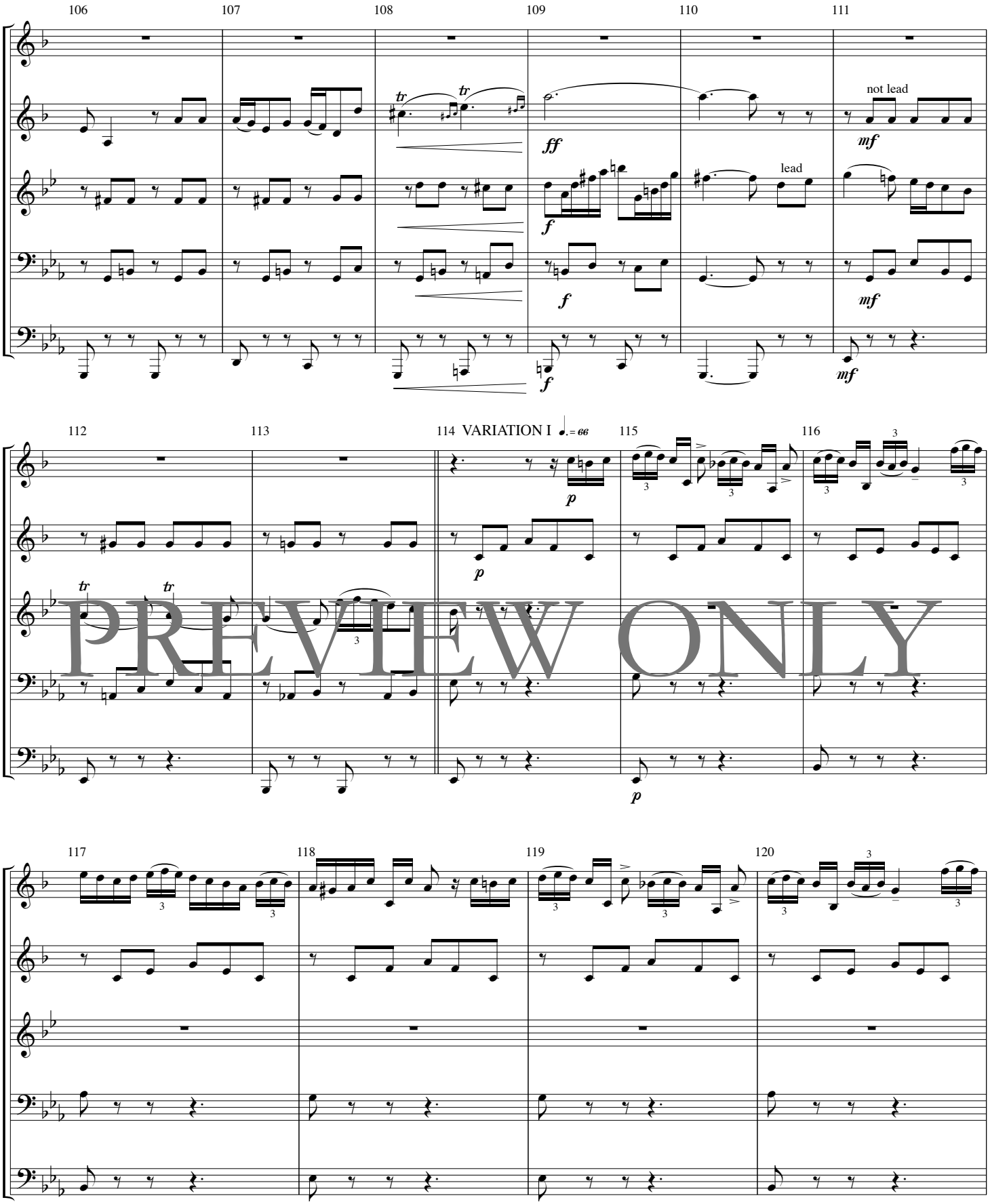


INTERLUDE - Aria from "La Traviata"



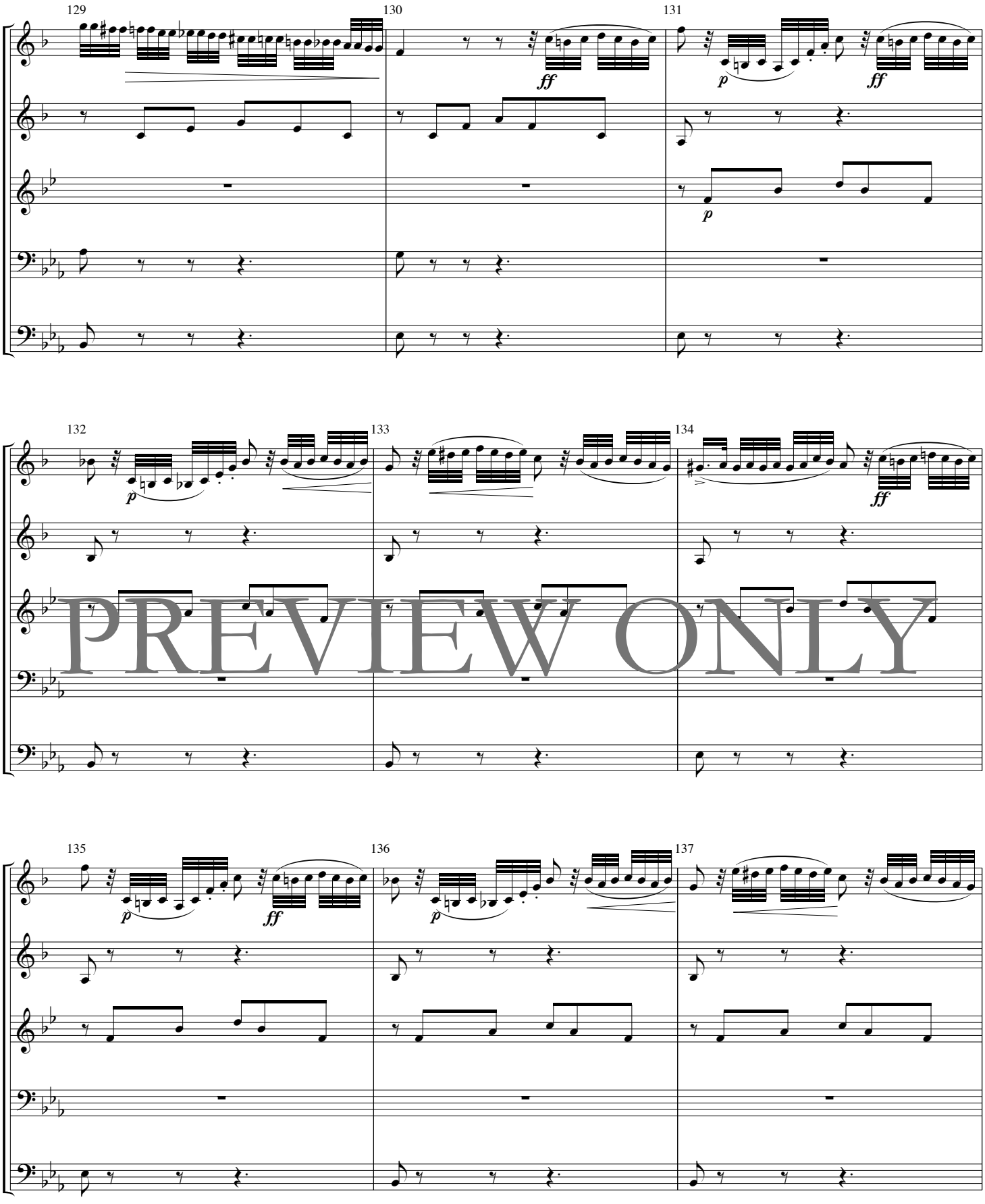
PREVIEW ONLY



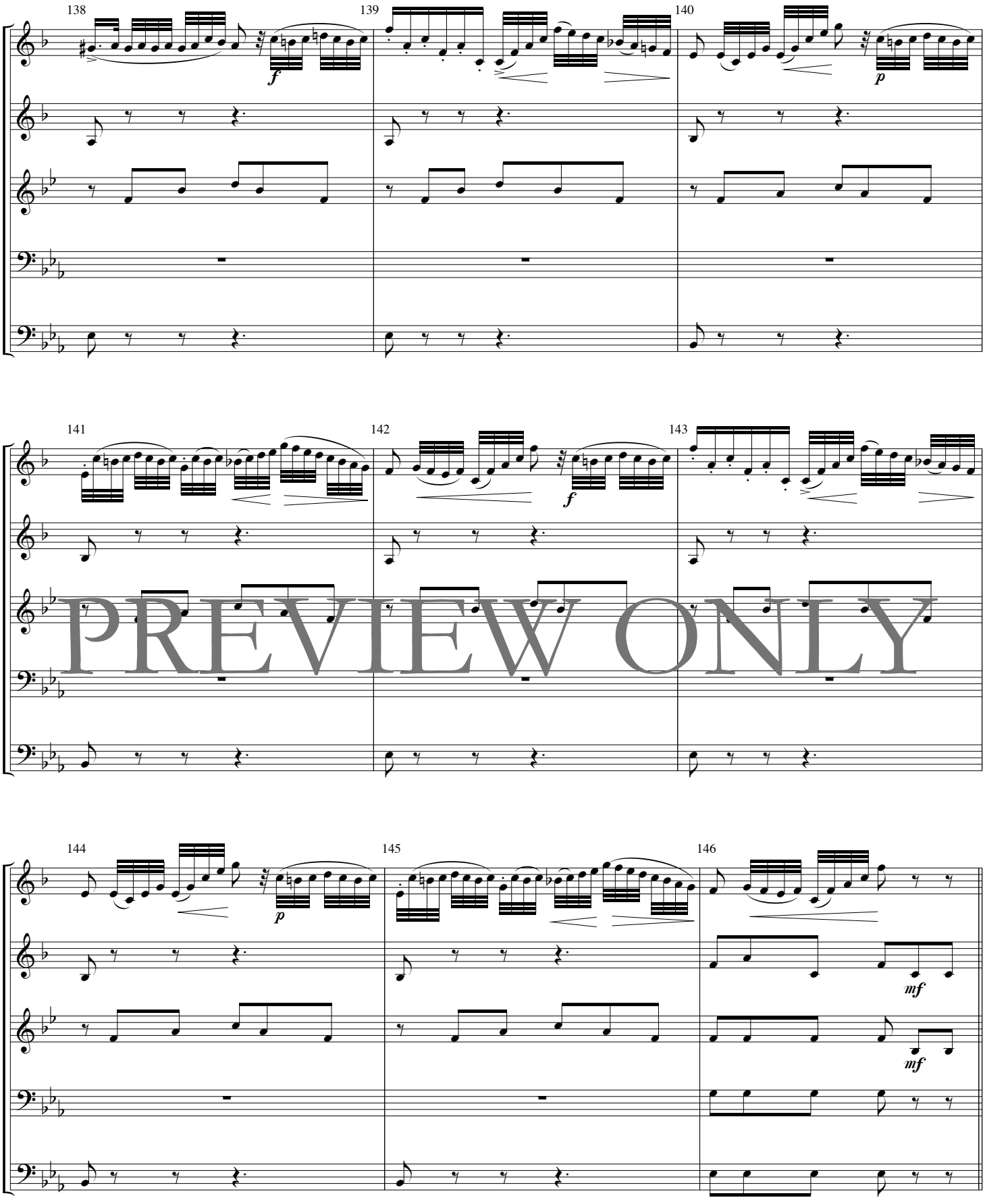


PREVIEW ONLY

PREVIEW ONLY

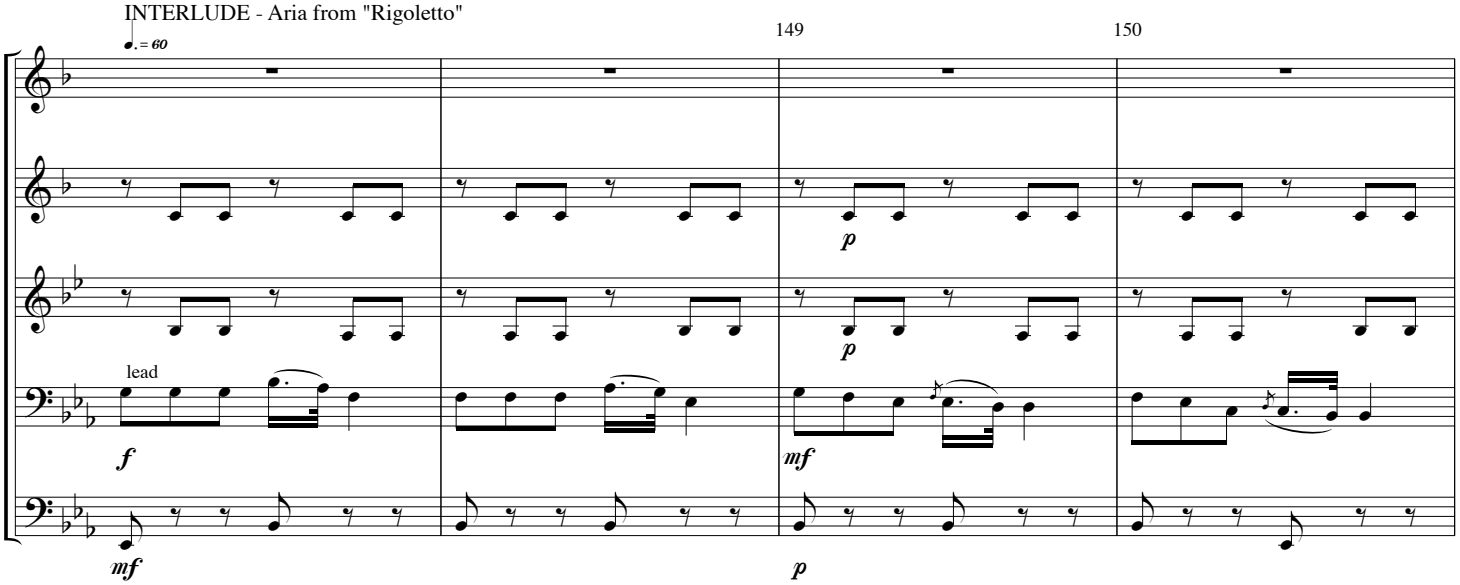


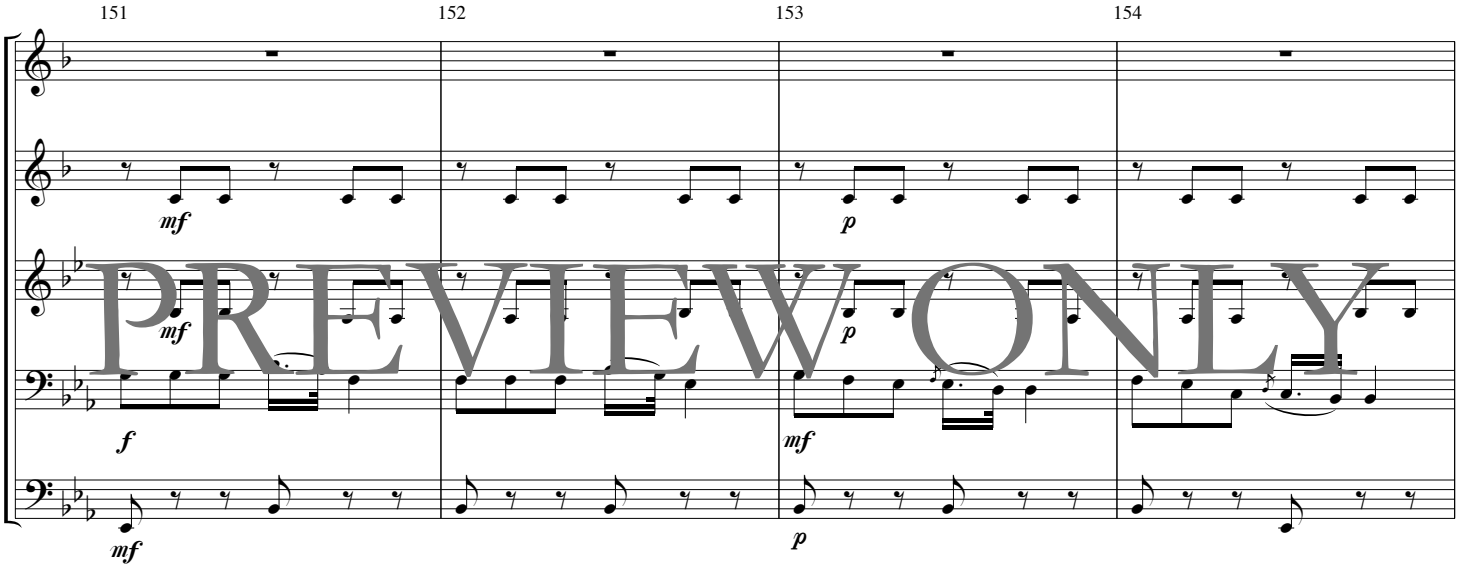
PREVIEW ONLY

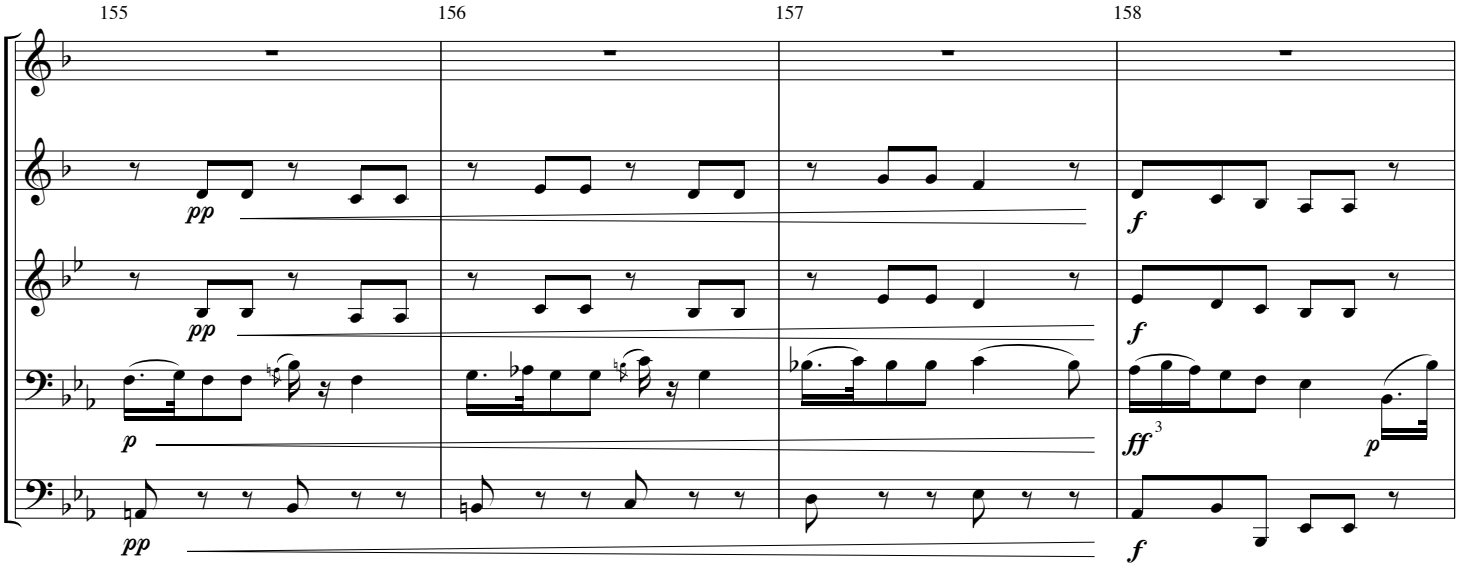


PREVIEW ONLY

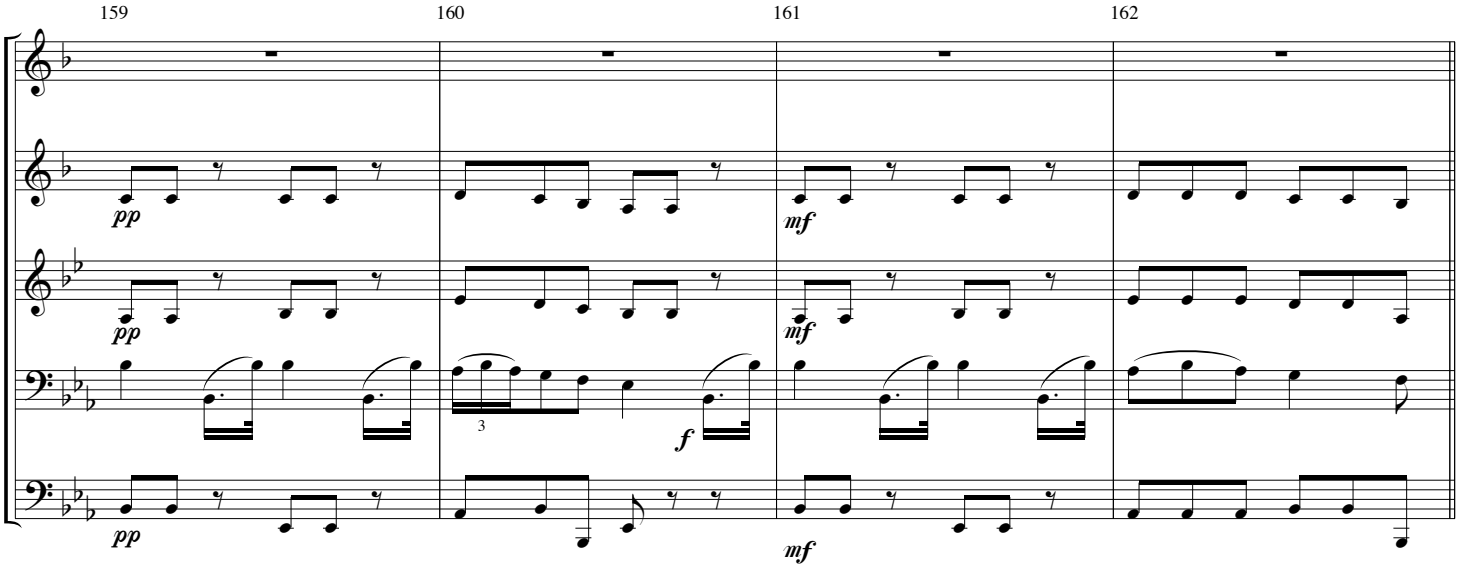
INTERLUDE - Aria from "Rigoletto"

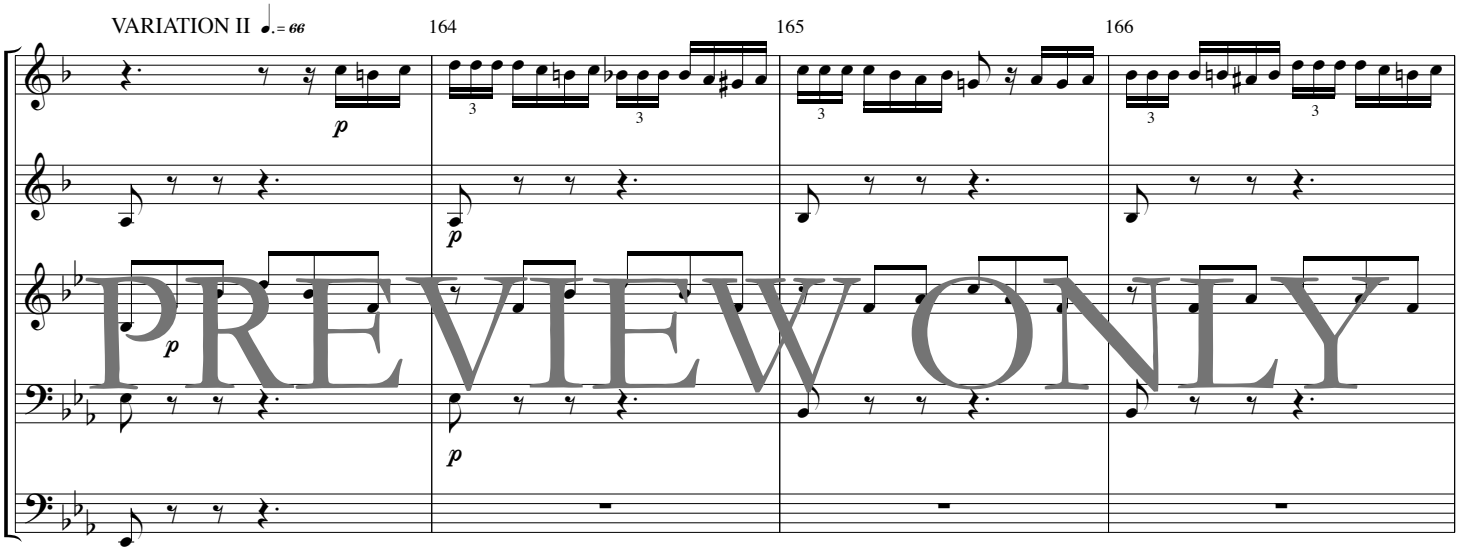




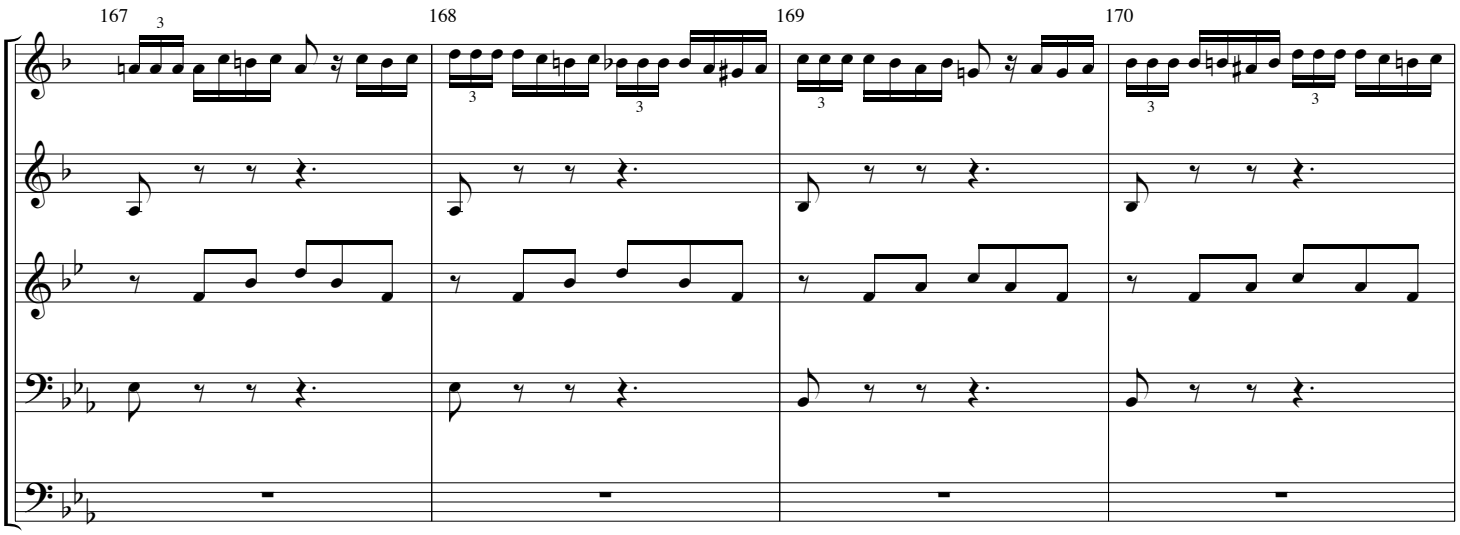


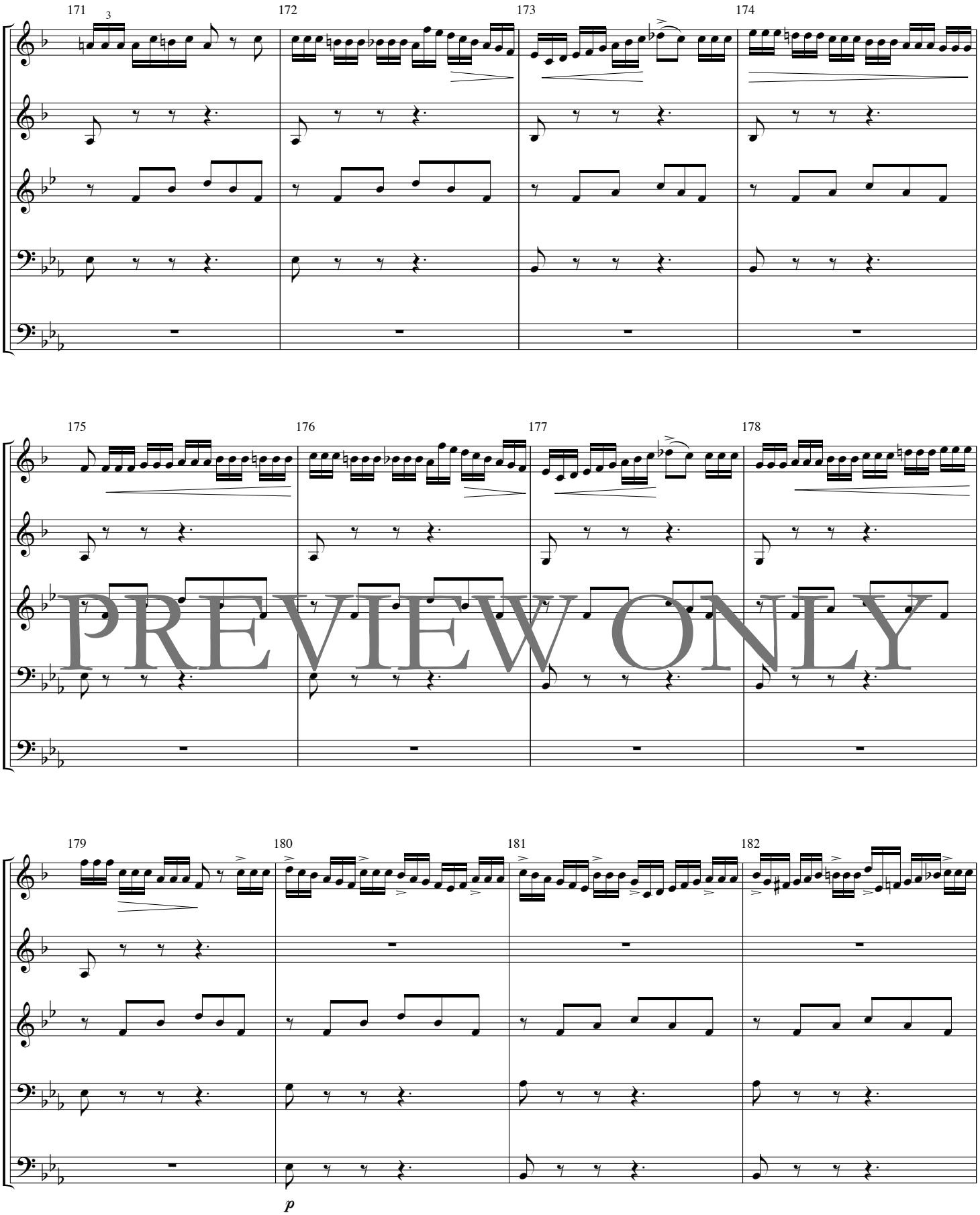
PREVIEW ONLY



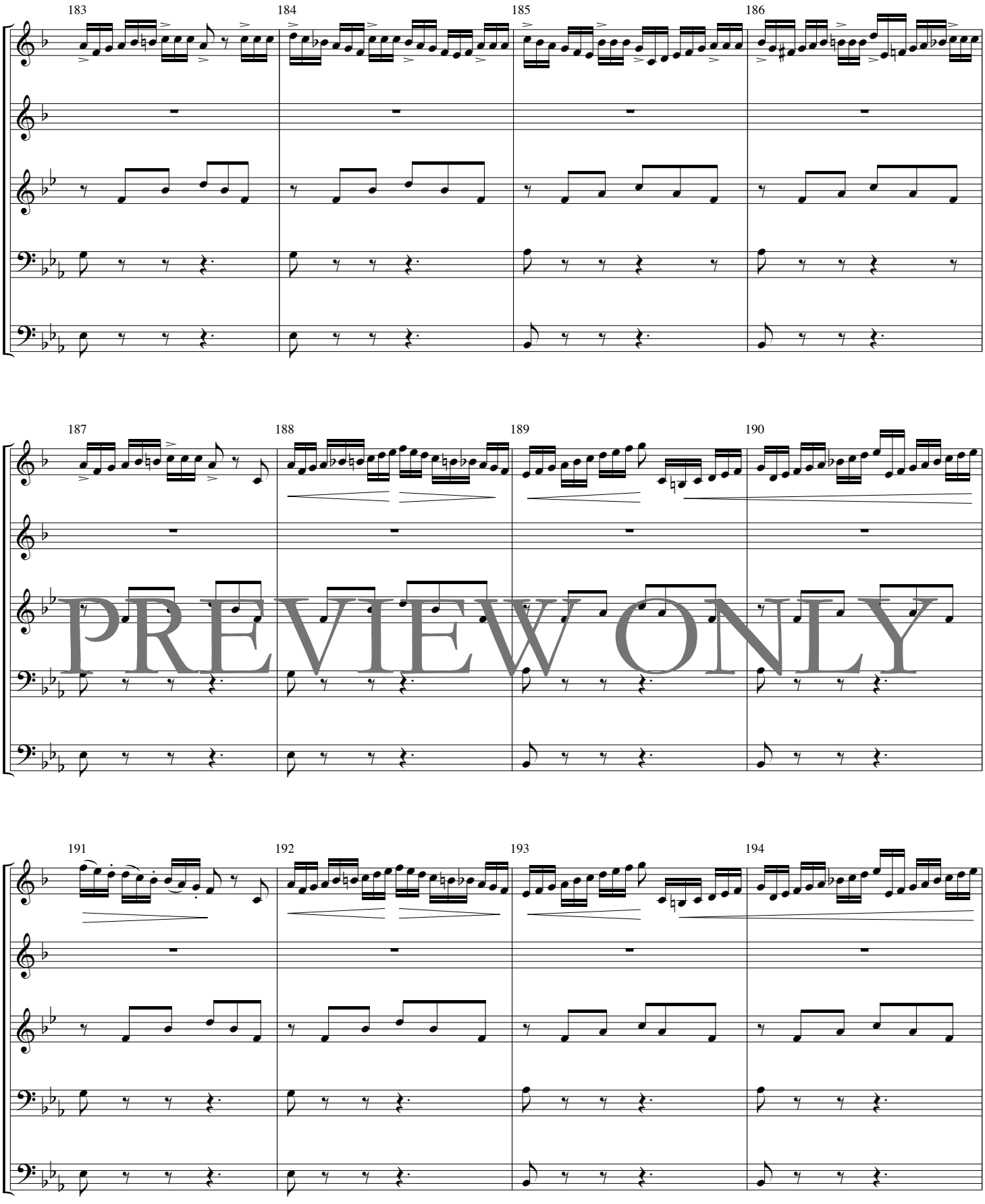


PREVIEW ONLY

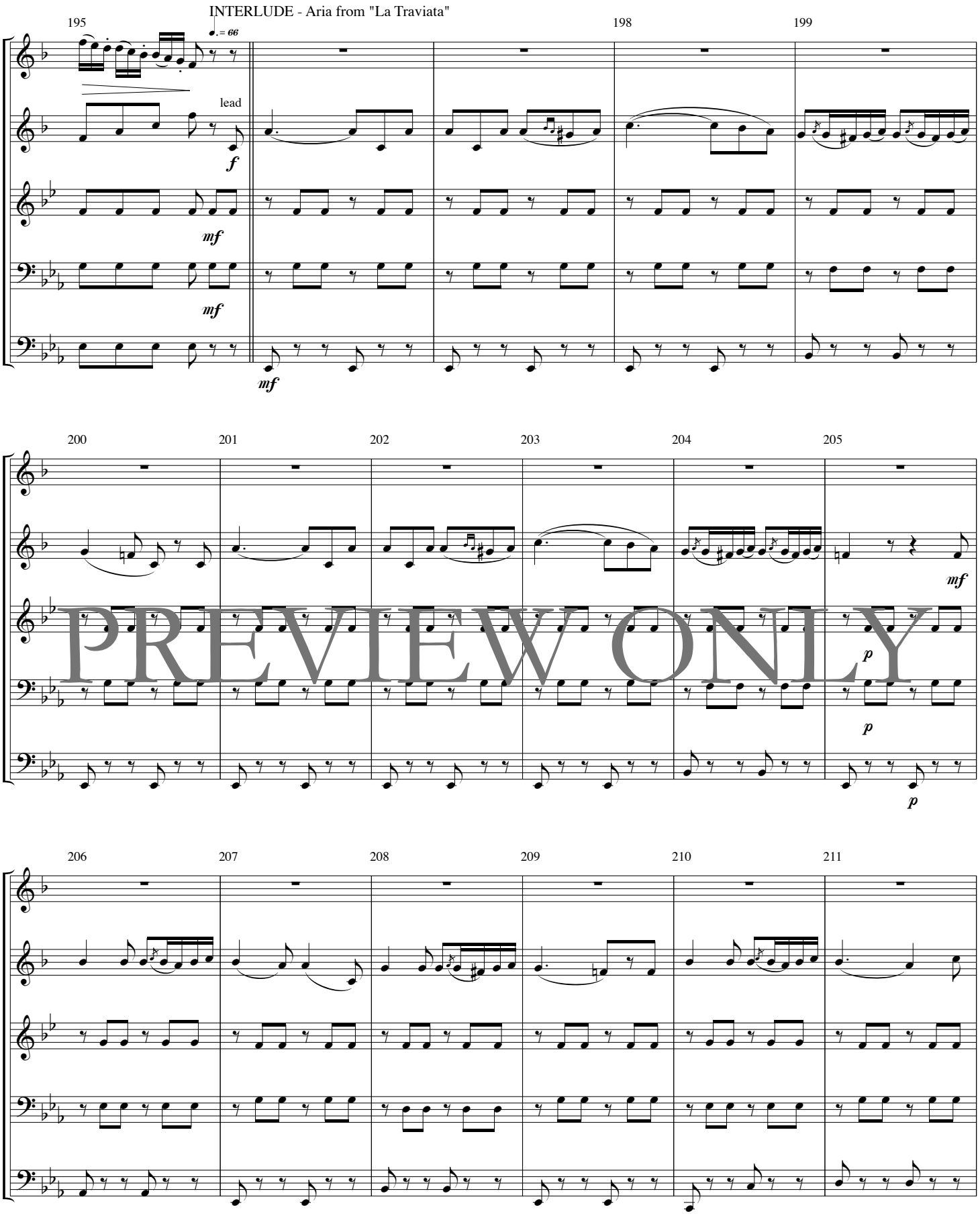




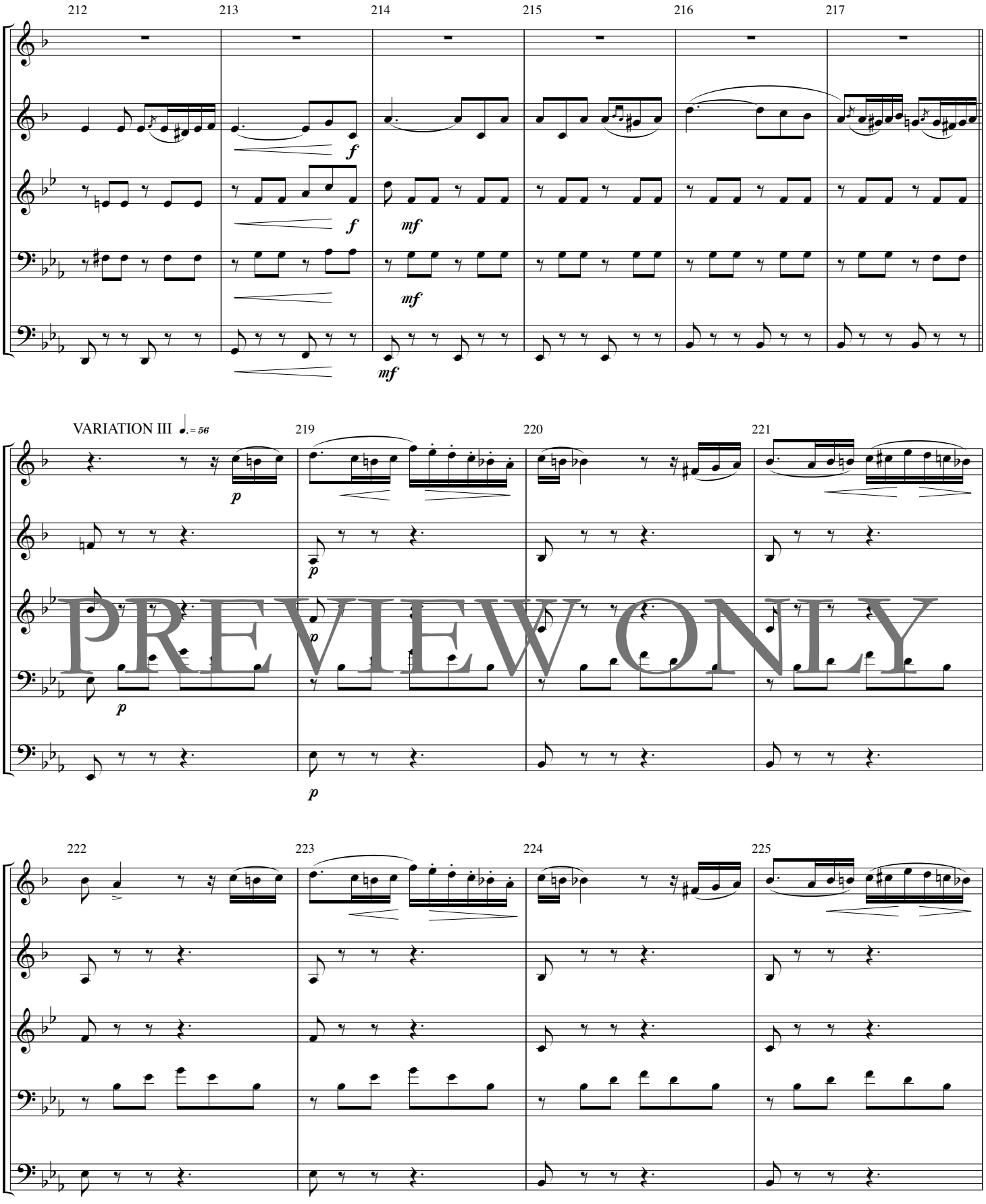
PREVIEW ONLY



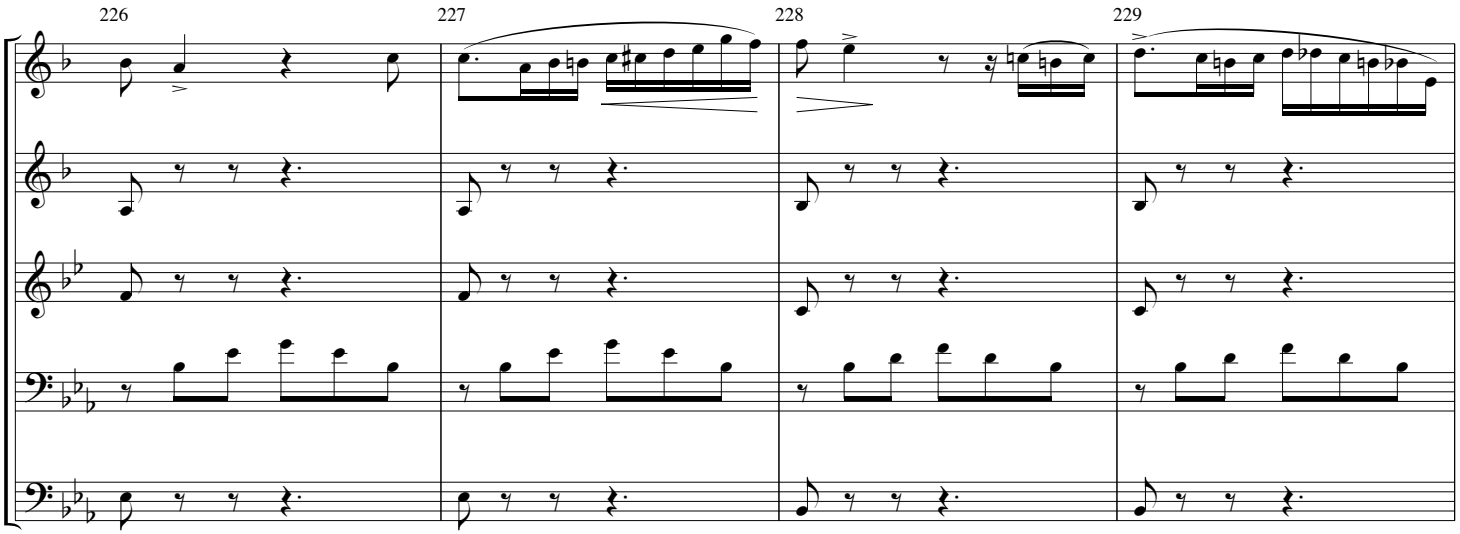
PREVIEW ONLY

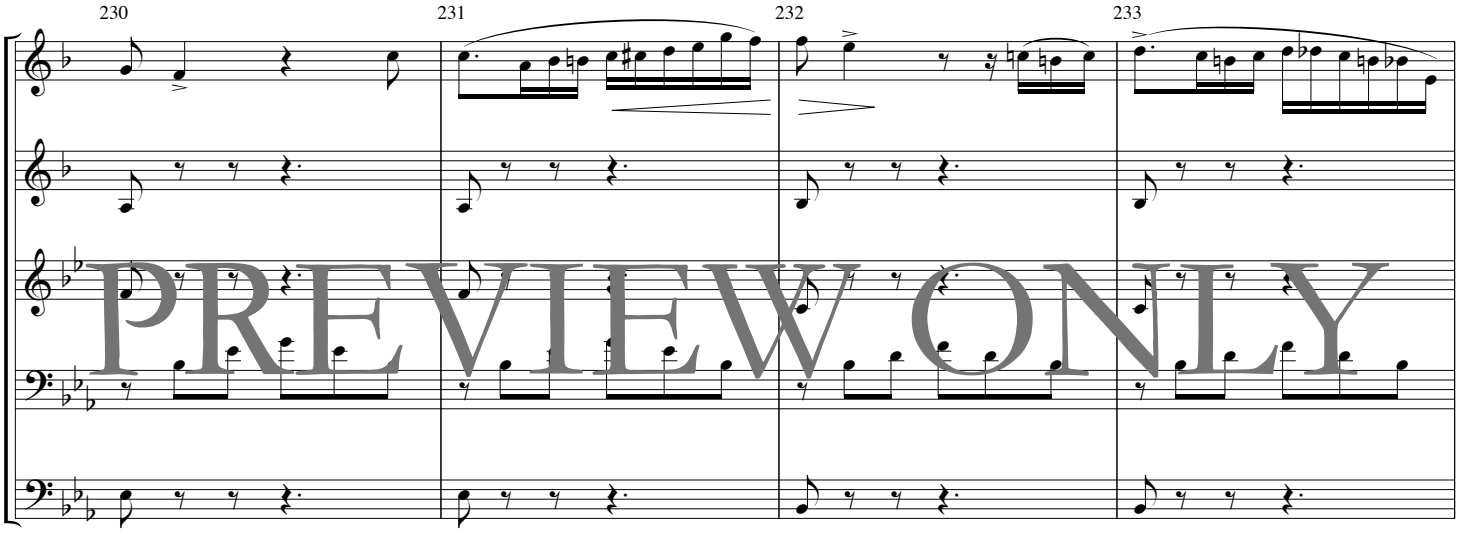


PREVIEW ONLY

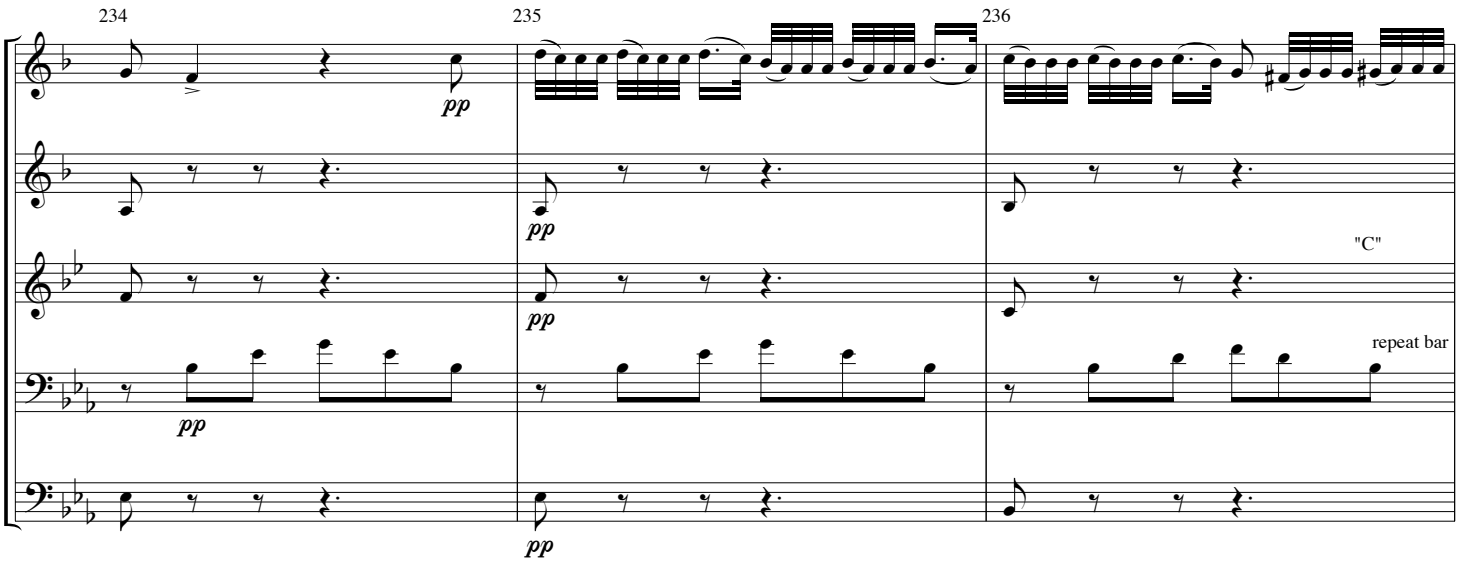


PREVIEW ONLY



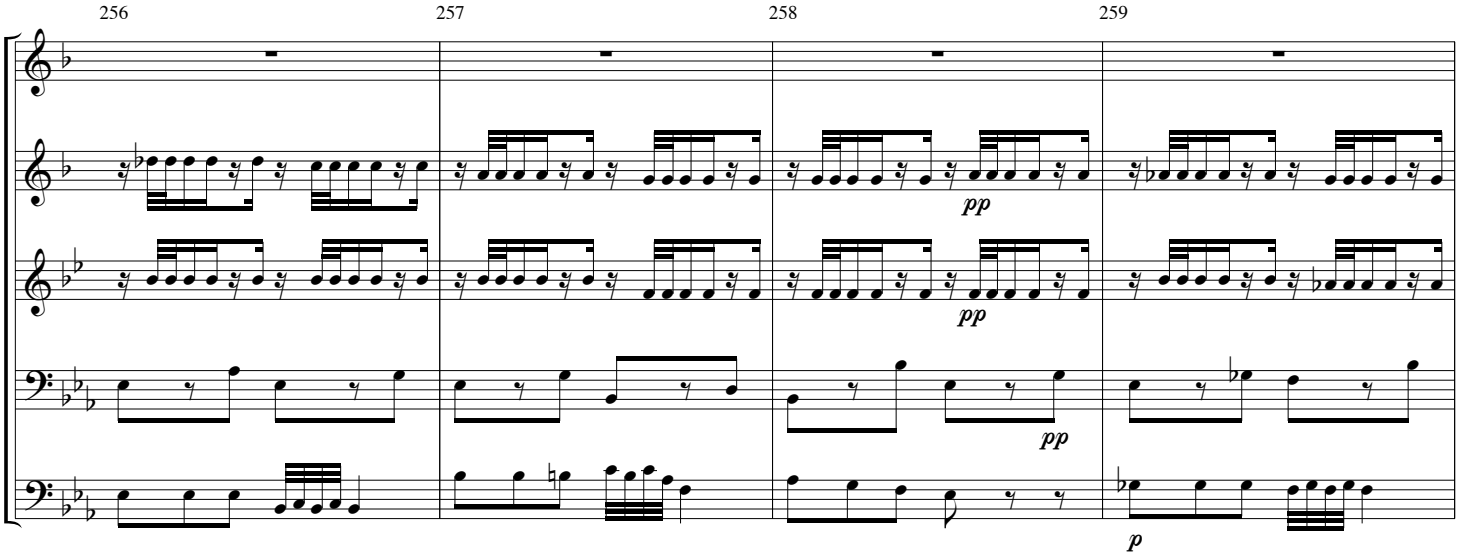


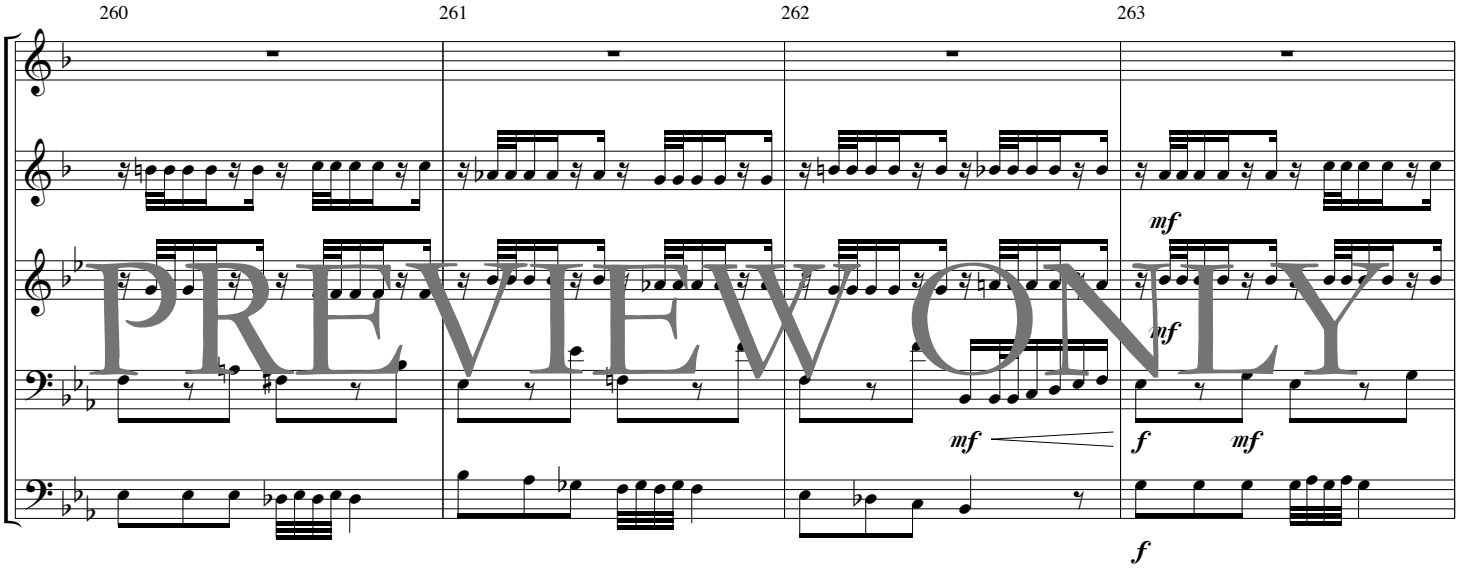
PREVIEW ONLY



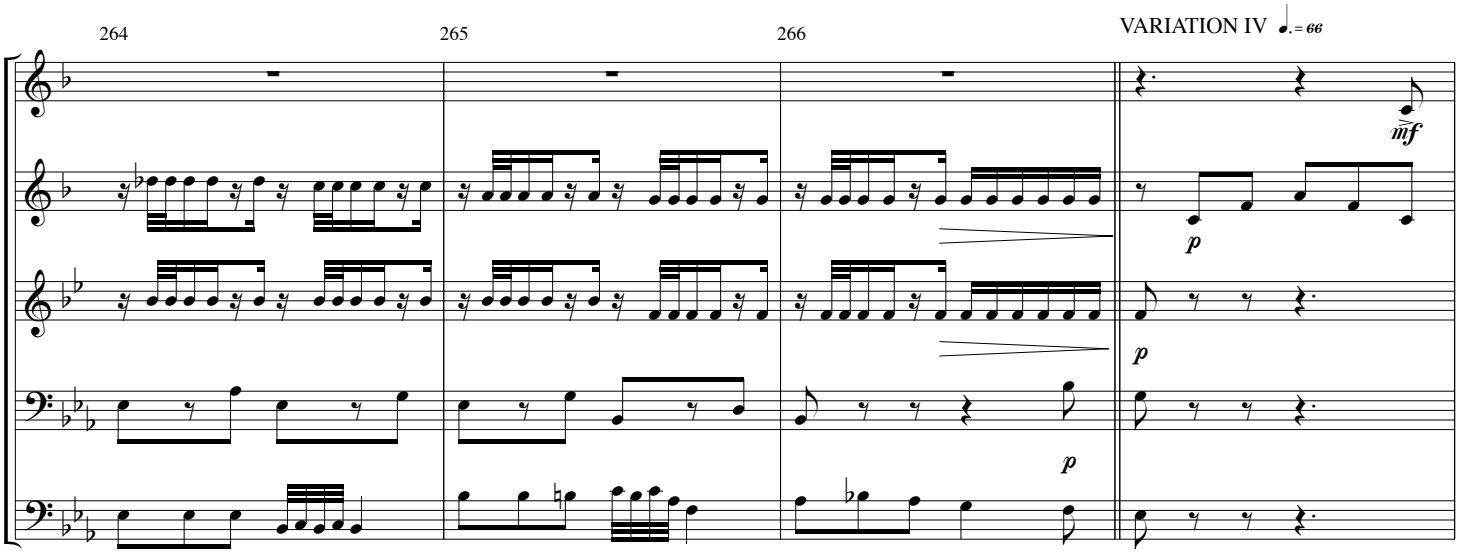
PREVIEW ONLY

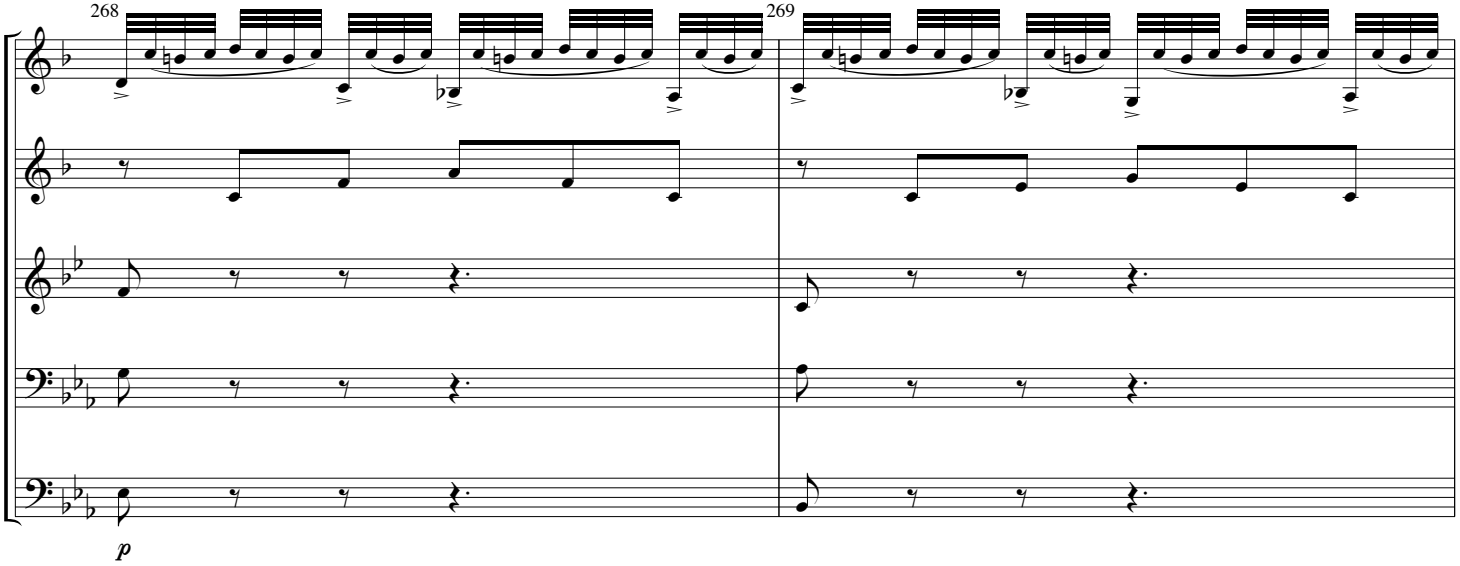
PREVIEW ONLY

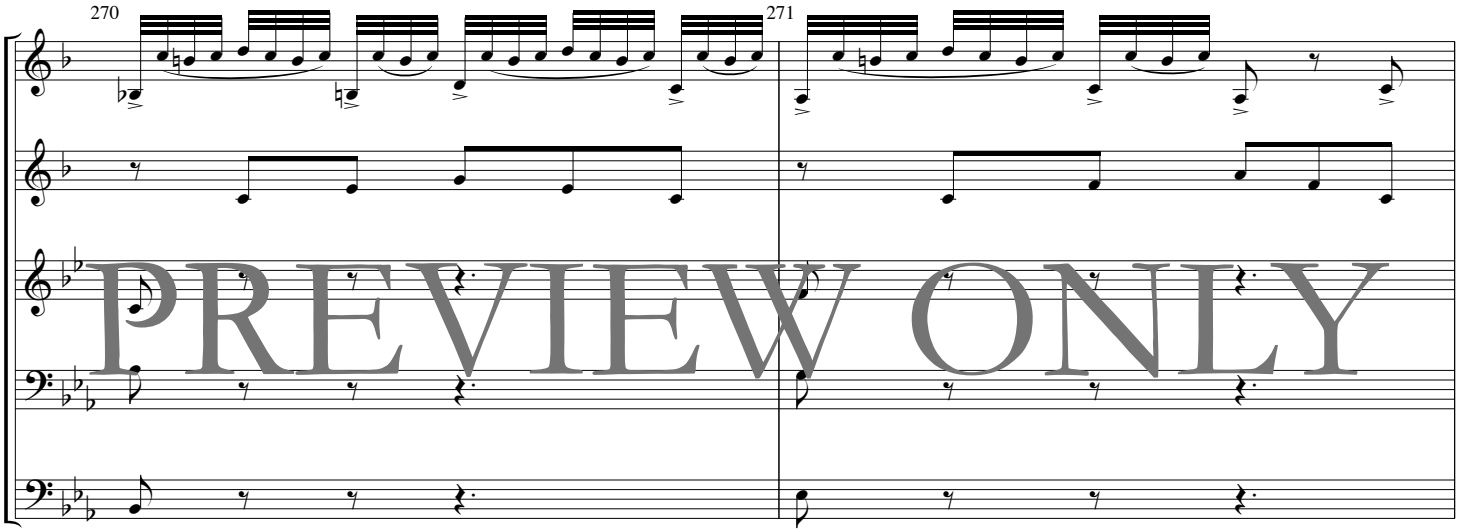




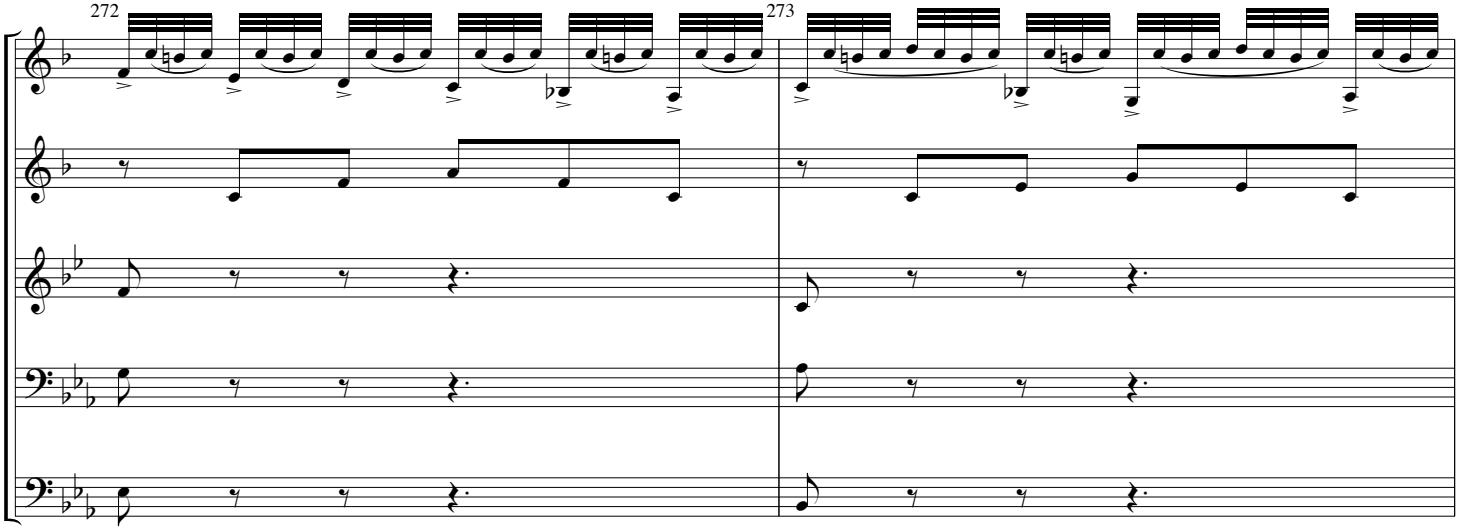
PREVIEW ONLY

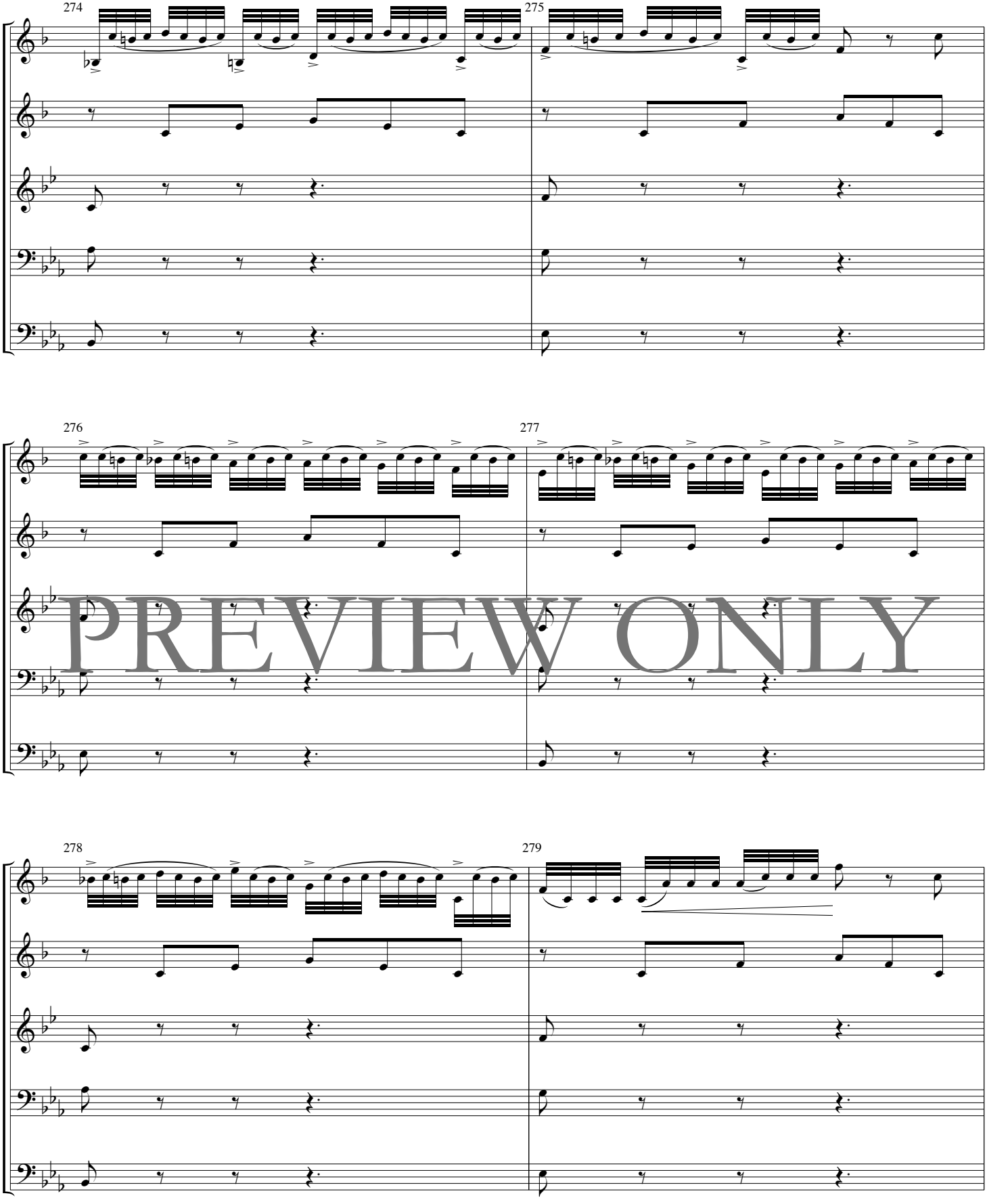




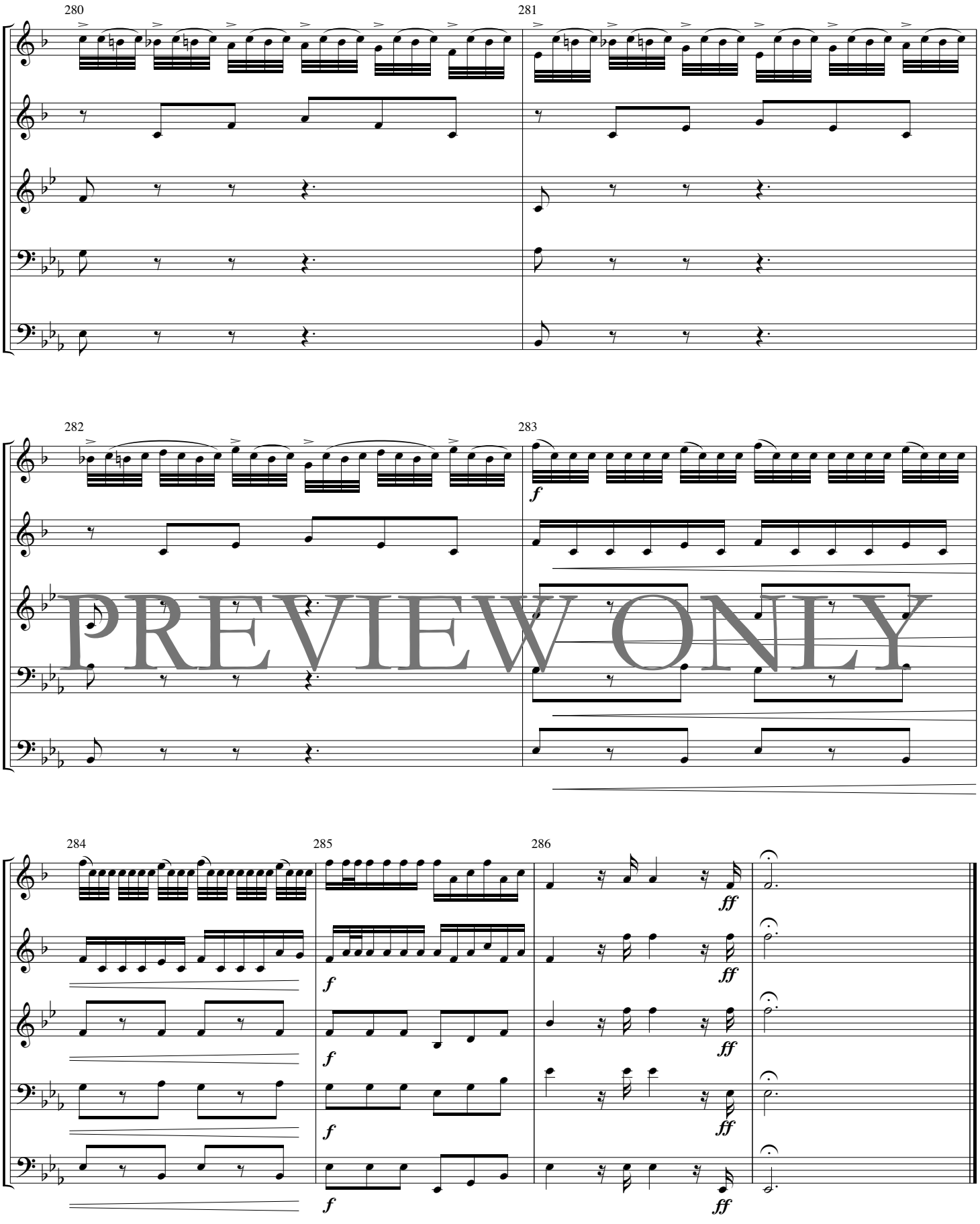


PREVIEW ONLY





PREVIEW ONLY



PREVIEW ONLY

PREVIEW ONLY

PREVIEW ONLY

PREVIEW ONLY

PREVIEW ONLY

PREVIEW ONLY

ISBN 978-1-55472-155-9

9 781554 721559

Exclusively distributed
in the United States by:

Alfred

www.alfred.com

BQ27252 $20.00

6 85462 00290 0