

Le Chat

Sur un poème de Charles Baudelaire

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Andante (♩=88)

rit molto...

Voice

Piano

This section starts with four measures of piano chords in common time, key signature of B-flat major. The vocal part begins at measure 5 with a melodic line consisting of eighth and sixteenth notes. The piano part continues with eighth-note chords.

A Tempo

Vo.

Pno.

The vocal part begins at measure 5 with a melodic line consisting of eighth and sixteenth notes. The piano part provides harmonic support with eighth-note chords. The lyrics are:

Viens, mon beau chat, sur mon coeur a - mou-reux; Re - tiens les grif - fes de ta pat - te,

Vo.

Pno.

The vocal part begins at measure 9 with a melodic line consisting of eighth and sixteenth notes. The piano part provides harmonic support with eighth-note chords. The lyrics are:

Et lais - se moi plon - ger dans tes beaux yeux, Mê - lés de mé - tal et d'a - ga - te.

Vo.

Pno.

The vocal part begins at measure 13 with a melodic line consisting of eighth and sixteenth notes. The piano part provides harmonic support with eighth-note chords. The lyrics are:

Lors -

17

Vo. que mes doigts ca - res-sent à loi-sir Ta tête et ton dos é - las - ti - que, Et

Pno.

21

Vo. que ma main s'en - i - vre du plai-sir De pal - per ton corps é - lec - tri - que, De

Pno.

25

Vo. pal - per ton corps é - lec - tri que,

Pno.

rall..... A Tempo

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Vo. Je vois ma femme en es - prit. Son re -

Pno.

rall.... Lento

Vo. gard, com me le tien, ai - ma - ble bê - te, Pro - fond et froid, coupe et fend comme un

Pno. *col canto*

Agitato Andante

Vo. dard, Et, des pieds jus - ques à la tête, Un air sub - til, un

Pno. *col canto*

Lento

Vo. dan - ge - reux par - bum, Nagent au - tour de son corps brun, Au -

Pno. *pp*

rit...

Vo. tour de son corps brun.

Pno. *pp*