

Variation on Melody for Flute

A Minimalist Composition for Flute
Quartet



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with expression and improvisation ♩ = 80

The musical score is written for four flute parts: Eb Flute, Flute, Alto Flute, and Bass Flute. The key signature is three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and the time signature is 4/4. The tempo is marked 'Moderately fast' with a metronome marking of ♩ = 80. The performance style is 'with expression and improvisation'. The score is divided into three systems, each containing two measures. The first system (measures 1-2) features a melodic line in the Bass Flute (marked *mp*) and a rhythmic accompaniment in the Alto Flute (marked *mp*). The second system (measures 3-4) features a melodic line in the Flute (marked *mf*) and a rhythmic accompaniment in the Bass Flute (marked *mf*). The third system (measures 5-6) features a melodic line in the Flute (marked *p*) and a rhythmic accompaniment in the Bass Flute (marked *p*) with triplet markings. The Eb Flute part is mostly silent throughout the piece.