

Six Miniatures

Inspired by some very odd dreams indeed
for brass quartet (2006 - 5')

1. Racing to get there, but not going very fast at all

Graham ASHTON (*1956)

Trumpet 1 in C

Trumpet 2 in C

Horn in F

Trombone

7

lead

13

straight mute

pp

straight mute

pp

pp

pp

2. Waiting, nervously

Simply (♩ = 52)

Trumpet 1 in C

Trumpet 2 in C

Horn in F

Trombone

mf

6

11

16

21

3. Well, the mushrooms - they were just magnificent!

Trumpet 1 in C

Trumpet 2 in C

Horn in F

Trombone

5

8

4. The frogs were doing this weird dance, almost like a Tango

Trumpet 1 in C

Trumpet 2 in C

Horn in F

Trombone

9

16

23

5. Cries and Whispers

♩ = 60

Trumpet 1 in C: Harmon mute (stem out) *f*, *mf*, *mf*, *mf*, *fff* (sa!), *p*

Trumpet 2 in C: Harmon mute (stem out) VT *f*, *mf*, *fff* (sa!), *fff* (sa!), *fff* (sa!), *mf*

Horn in F: Sizzle mute *f*, *mf*, *fff* (sa!), *fff* (sa!), *fff* (sa!), *mf*

Trombone: Harmon mute (stem out) *f*, *mf*, *mf*, *fff*, *mf*

valves 13

11

p *mp* *pp*

17

mp *pp* *fp* *mp*

22

p *pp* *pp* *mp* *pp* *mp*

28

pp *mp* *pp* *mp* *pp* *mp*

34

p *pp* *p*