



CARNIVAL OVERTURE

ANTONIN DVOŘÁK

Arranged by

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Instrumentation

1 - Full Score
8 - Violin 1
8 - Violin 2
5 - Violin 3 (Viola T.C.)
5 - Viola
5 - Violoncello
5 - Double Bass

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About the Music

Dvořák's *Carnival Overture* was initially titled *Life* as the centerpiece of a trilogy of overtures: *Nature*, *Life*, and *Love*, until they became distinct entities.

This arrangement is intended for students that are ready to immerse themselves in the skills that are growing at the grade 3 level.

Some of these skills, however, may need to be introduced:

- high 1 in upper strings (1 in the low 2 spot) and high 4 for a more fluid technique.
- half position
- for cello, the "in-between" positions and extensions

Regarding fingerings, at this grade and beyond, the possibilities become limitless. Those printed were chosen as practical for those students to whom these positions may be new.

Other observations:

- m 116 viola: "+" indicates LH pizzicato of the open string.
- m 117 double stop: use open G and octave harmonic with finger 4 on the D string.
- m 126: the separate bows may be hooked. For separate bows (to give a more aggressive sound) students will need to concentrate on adjusting weight and speed.
- m 160 bass and cello ostinato: both could play this in 1st position, but the fingerings suggested will establish the ideal tone quality, will keep the ostinato on one string (no string crossings), and will be a highly useful and transferable skill in the future.
- m. 216 and 217 in the inner voices: It may be new to some to lift the bow, set near the frog and follow with an up bow. You could substitute hooked bowing, but the students will certainly need this skill: retrieve—set—up-bow in the future.

The abundance of courtesy accidentals reflects Dvořák's fluid tonal centers, his chromaticism, and our desire to make your initial reading of the piece successful.

- Carrie Lane Gruselle

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Allegro (♩ = 104-120)

Violin 1

Violin 2

Viola
(Violin 3)

Violoncello

Double Bass

ff

2 3 4 5 III

9

6 7 I 8 III I 10 11

12 13 14 I 15 III 16 17

mp pizz.

mp pizz.

mp pizz.

mp



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23

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

18 19 20 21 22 23

f *mp* *f* *mp* *f* *mp*

arco

4 2 0 4

V

27

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

24 25 26 27 28

f *f* *f* *f* *f*

$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$

0 4 4 -1 2 -1

V

33

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

29 30 31

ff *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

H1 H1 L2

4 0

-1 I III

1 2

V

Violin 1 (Vln. 1) and Violin 2 (Vln. 2) staves are in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The Viola (Vla.) staff is in alto clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The Violoncello (Vcl.) and Double Bass (D.B.) staves are in bass clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The music is in 3/4 time. Measures 34 through 39 are shown. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 0, 1, 3, 4, and -4. Bowings are indicated by 'V' and 'III'. A large red watermark 'Preview Use Requires Purchase' is overlaid diagonally across the page.

Measures 40 through 44 are shown. Measure 41 is marked with a box containing the number 41. Measure 43 contains a half note (1/2). Fingerings are indicated by numbers 0, 4, -4, 1, and -3. Bowings are indicated by 'V' and 'III'. A large red watermark 'Preview Use Requires Purchase' is overlaid diagonally across the page.

Measures 45 through 49 are shown. Measure 47 is marked with a box containing the number 47. Measure 47 contains a half note (1/2). Fingerings are indicated by numbers -3, 1, 4, and -4. Bowings are indicated by 'V' and 'III'. A large red watermark 'Preview Use Requires Purchase' is overlaid diagonally across the page.

51

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

III
ff
non div.

ff
div.

ff

50 51 52 53 54 55

57

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

non div.

56 57 58 59 60

62

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

mp

61 62 63 64 65

70

Vln. 1 *mp*

Vln. 2 *mp*

Vla. *mf*

Vcl. *mp*

D.B. *mp*

ff

f

ff

66 67 68 71

Vln. 1 *mf*

Vln. 2 *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Vcl. *mf*

D.B. *mp*

mp

72 73 74 75 76 77

78

Vln. 1 *p*

Vln. 2 *p*

Vla. *p*

Vcl. *p*

D.B. *p*

pp

pp

pp

pp

pp

78 79 80 81 83

86 Poco tranquillo

84 85 87 88

Vln. 1 *mp molto espressivo*

Vln. 2 *p*

Vla. *p*

Vcl. *p*

D.B. *p*

84 85 87 88

89 90 91 92 93

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla. H4

Vcl. *p*

D.B. *p*

89 90 91 92 93

94 95 96 97 98

94

Vln. 1 *f*

Vln. 2 *f*

Vla. *f*

Vcl. *f*

D.B. *f*

94 95 96 97 98

110

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

110 111 112 113 114 115

116

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

p

non div.

pizz.

pizz.

116 117 118 119 120

122

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

mf

mf

arco

mf

arco

pizz. 4

122 123 124 125 126 127

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

128 129 130 131 132

133

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

133 134 135 136 137 138

I III IV

139

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

139 140 141 142 143 144 145

III $\frac{1}{2}$ IV

146 Andantino con moto

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

146 147 148 149 150 151 152

p *mp* *pp* *pizz.* *p* II I

154

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

153 154 155 156 157 158 159

160

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

160 161 162 163 164 165

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

166 167 168 169 170 171

172 **Tempo primo**

Vln. 1 *f* 4 V 0 4
 Vln. 2 *f* V
 Vla. *f*
 Vcl. *f* -1 1 4 -1
 D.B. *f* 1/2 -2 2 -4 IV I

172 173 174 175 176

Vln. 1 -2
 Vln. 2 III
 Vla.
 Vcl. x2 -1 2 -1 2 4 3 4 2 -3 I
 D.B. 1/2 I

177 178 179 1/2 I

182 **ff** 1 2 0 I V III V 1 3 V V
 Vln. 1 *ff*
 Vln. 2 *ff* V V
 Vla. *ff* 4 V 4 V V
 Vcl. *ff* V V V V V V
 D.B. *ff* V V -4 III I

182 *ff* 183 184 185 186 187

190

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

188 189 190 191 192 193

194 195 196 197 198

200

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

199 200 201 202 203

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Vln. 1
 Vln. 2
 Vla.
 Vcl.
 D.B.

204 205 206 207 208

-2
 I

Vln. 1
 Vln. 2
 Vla.
 Vcl.
 D.B.

209 210 211 212 213 214

-1
 III
 4 3

Vln. 1
 Vln. 2
 Vla.
 Vcl.
 D.B.

215 216 217 218 219

*set bow near the frog for the up bow