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CONCERTO IN C MAJOR

I. ALLEGRO

II. LARGO

III. ALLEGRO MOLTO

GEORG PHILIPP TELEMANN

Arranged by

Robert D. McCashin

Instrumentation

1 - Conductor's 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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The Arranger

Dr. Robert McCashin serves as the Director of Orchestras and Professor of Conducting and Violin at James Madison University. He is the Conductor/Music Director for the JMU Symphony, the JMU Chamber Orchestra, the JMU Opera/Theater Orchestra, and the select Camerata Strings ensemble. In addition, Dr. McCashin teaches orchestral conducting at both the graduate and undergraduate levels.

He earned both his Bachelor and Master of Music degrees in violin performance from Louisiana State University, and his Doctor of Musical Arts degree in conducting from the University of Arizona. In addition, he was Associate Conductor for the Youth Orchestras of Greater Fort Worth. Dr. McCashin has enjoyed extensive experiences with string players at all levels, elementary through high school, as a clinician and guest conductor. He presents large numbers of in-school clinics annually and teaches private students of all ages.

In addition, Dr. McCashin maintains a busy schedule of adjudicating and conducting at the state and national levels. His conducting appearances include regional level professional orchestras as well as all-state, region, and district honor orchestras. His compositions and arrangements, published by The FJH Music Company Inc., are best sellers and Pepper Editor's Choice selections in the educational music arena. Dr. McCashin recently chaired the ASTA Merle Isaac National Composition competition, and was elected to two terms as the President of the College Orchestra Directors Association.

About the Music

This work is drawn from Telemann's famous *Concerto in C Major for Four Violins*. Telemann wrote four such concerti for his court musicians, of which this is the third in the sequence. In adapting and arranging the work for strings, the arranger utilizes the *Grave* opening segment of the original concerto as a brief but effective slow middle movement. The first movement is an effective, shortened version of the *Allegro* segment of the original first movement, while the final movement is indeed the final movement from the original work.

Telemann lived from 1681–1767, an amazing lifespan for 17th/18th century times. He was the Cantor and Director of Music for the five principal churches in the city of Hamburg. Historically, Telemann's music and reputation had been overshadowed by one of his contemporaries, J.S. Bach. However, in recent years, people around the world have rediscovered the music of this unique and gifted composer. If you are familiar with some of his other works, then you already know that his creative genius and delightful music is downright infectious. This music will surely make you smile, and might even be cause for a mild case of happy feet!

CONCERTO IN C MAJOR

GEORG PHILIPP TELEMANN
Arranged by ROBERT D. McCASHIN
(ASCAP)

I. Allegro

Allegro (♩ = 92-96)

Violin 1 *mf*

Violin 2 *mf*

Violin 3 (Viola T.C.) *mf*

Viola *f*

Violoncello *mf*

Double Bass *f*

2

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3 (Vla. T.C.) *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Vcl. *f*

D.B. *f*

4 5 6



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Violin 1
Violin 2
Violin 3 (Vla. T.C.)
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

7 8 9

Violin 1
Violin 2
Violin 3 (Vla. T.C.)
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

10 11 12

Violin 1
Violin 2
Violin 3 (Vla. T.C.)
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

13 14 15

Vln. 1
 Vln. 2
 Vln. 3 (Vla. T.C.)
 Vla.
 Vcl.
 D.B.

16 17 18

Vln. 1
 Vln. 2
 Vln. 3 (Vla. T.C.)
 Vla.
 Vcl.
 D.B.

19 20 21

22
 Vln. 1
 Vln. 2
 Vln. 3 (Vla. T.C.)
 Vla.
 Vcl.
 D.B.

22 23 24

p sub. *pitch-terraced cresc.**

p sub. *pitch-terraced cresc.**

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p sub. *pitch-terraced cresc.**

* Each time a part changes pitch, increase the dynamic slightly to reach *mf* by the middle of measure 25.

Violins 1, 2, 3 (Vla. T.C.), Viola, Violoncello, Double Bass

Measures 25 to 27: *mf*

Measure 26: *f*

Measures 28 to 30: *f*

Measures 31 to 33: *cresc.*, *f*, *no rall.*

II. Largo

Largo (♩ = c. 40–44)

Vln. 1
 Vln. 2
 Vln. 3 (Vla. T.C.)
 Vla.
 Vcl.
 D.B.

2 3 4 5 6

7 8 9 10 11

(V) rall.

broad strokes
 broad strokes
 broad strokes
 broad strokes
 broad strokes
 broad strokes

broad legato
 broad legato

12 13 14 15

III. Allegro Molto

Allegro molto (♩ = 100–104)

Score for measures 1 through 9 of III. Allegro Molto. The score is for a string ensemble consisting of Violins 1, 2, and 3 (with Viola/Trombone/Cello), Viola, Violoncello, and Double Bass. The tempo is Allegro molto (♩ = 100–104). The key signature has one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4.

Measures 1-3:

- Violins 1 and 2: Rests in measures 1 and 2, then enter in measure 3 with a sixteenth-note pattern, marked *mf*.
- Violin 3 (Viola, T.C.): Enters in measure 1 with a quarter-note pattern, marked *f*, then *mp* in measure 2.
- Viola: Enters in measure 1 with a quarter-note pattern, marked *f*, then *mp* in measure 2.
- Violoncello and Double Bass: Enter in measure 2 with a quarter-note pattern, marked *f*, then *mp* in measure 3.

Measures 4-6:

- Violins 1 and 2: Continue with the sixteenth-note pattern, marked *f* in measure 6.
- Violin 3 (Viola, T.C.): Rests in measures 4 and 5, then enters in measure 6 with a quarter-note pattern.
- Viola: Rests in measures 4 and 5, then enters in measure 6 with a quarter-note pattern.
- Violoncello and Double Bass: Rests in measures 4 and 5, then enters in measure 6 with a quarter-note pattern.

Measures 7-9:

- Violin 1: Rests in measures 7 and 8, then enters in measure 9 with a quarter-note pattern, marked *mp*.
- Violin 2: Enters in measure 7 with a quarter-note pattern, marked *f*, then *mp* in measure 8.
- Violin 3 (Viola, T.C.): Enters in measure 7 with a sixteenth-note pattern, marked *mf*.
- Viola: Enters in measure 7 with a sixteenth-note pattern, marked *mf*.
- Violoncello and Double Bass: Enters in measure 7 with a sixteenth-note pattern, marked *mf*.

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Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

10 11 12

13 14 15

16 17 18

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19

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vln. 3 (Vla. T.C.)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

19 20 21

22 23 24

25 26 27

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Score for measures 28-30. The staves are Vln. 1, Vln. 2, Vln. 3 (Vla. T.C.), Vla., Vcl., and D.B. The key signature has one sharp (F#). Measure 28 shows the beginning of the section. Measure 29 features a *mf* dynamic for Vln. 1 and *mp* for Vln. 2, Vln. 3, Vla., Vcl., and D.B. Measure 30 continues the *mp* dynamics.

Score for measures 31-33. Measure 31 shows the beginning of the section. Measure 32 features a *f* dynamic for Vln. 1 and *mp* for Vln. 2, Vln. 3, Vla., Vcl., and D.B. Measure 33 continues the *mp* dynamics.

Score for measures 34-36. Measure 34 shows the beginning of the section. Measure 35 features a *f* dynamic for Vln. 1, Vln. 2, Vln. 3, Vla., Vcl., and D.B. Measure 36 continues the *mf* dynamics.

Violin 1
Violin 2
Violin 3 (Viola, T.C.)
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

37 38 39

mf

mf

V

V

Violin 1
Violin 2
Violin 3 (Viola, T.C.)
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

40 41 42

f

f

f

f

f

f

Violin 1
Violin 2
Violin 3 (Viola, T.C.)
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

43 44 45

rall.