

Pavane

Gabriel Faure

Arranged by Jon Bubbett

Pavane by Gabriel Faure, written in 1887, was originally a piano piece. It is better known for the orchestral with optional chorus version Faure wrote in the summer of that same year. *Pavane* refers to a stately court dance performed in elaborate and elegant clothing that was popular in the 16th and 17th centuries. Faure himself described this piece as “elegant, but not otherwise important”. Since then it has become one of the great and most recognizable of melodies. In this version for flute quartet every player has the opportunity to play this simple, yet elegant melody which has proven to be timeless.

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[illegible]

20 21 22 23 24

1 *p* 3

2 *p* 3

3 *p* 3

4 *pp* *p* 3

lead

lead

25 27 28 29

1 *mp*

2 *mp*

3 *mp*

4 *mp*

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a Tempo

lead

30 31 33 34

1

2

3

4

lead

35 36 37 38 39

1 *ff* *f* *ff*

2 *f* *mf* *f*

3 *f* *mf* *ff* *f*

4 *f* *mf* *f*

lead

lead

40 41 42 43 44

1 *f* *ff* *f* *lead* *f*

2 *mf* *f* *mf* *ff* *lead*

3 *mf* *f* *mf*

4 *mf* *ff* *f* *mf*

45 46 47 48 49

1 *pp*

2 *f* *pp*

3 *lead* *p* 3

4 *pp*

50 51 52 53

1 *p* 3 *tr* *tr*

2 *pp* *lead* 3 *mp*

3 *pp*

4 *lead* 3 *mp*

55 56 57 58 59

1 *ff*

2 *ff*

3 *ff*

4 *ff* *lead*

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