

Suite

for Flute & String Orchestra

(Piano Reduction)

1. Lament / 2. Dance / 3. Scherzo / 4. Epilogue

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This piece is quite virtuosic, but the aim is not technical display, rather emotions expressed through strong melodic lines and harmonies which are tonal but quite complex. The titles of the four movements are self-explanatory. The Lament has a clear Celtic flavour with passionate melodies. The Dance is light-footed, with elusive ternary rhythms and a subtle mixture of optimism and melancholy. The Scherzo is more four-square, with a jazzy feel, and has a lot of quite demanding rapid passage-work for the flute. The Epilogue is contrastingly calm and simple, with a mood of peaceful resignation.

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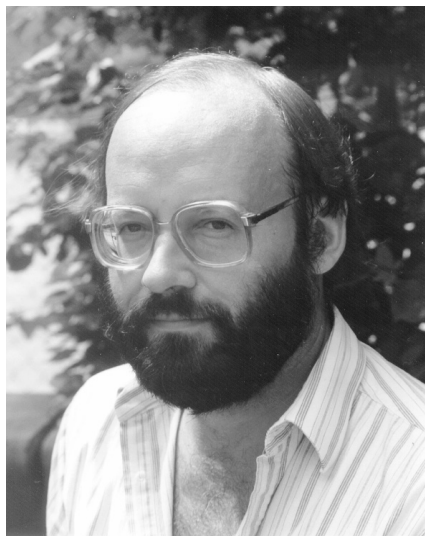
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1951	in Edinburg, Schottland, geboren (11.Mai).	1951	Né à Edimbourg, Ecosse (le 11 mai).	1951	Born in Edinburgh, Scotland (11 th of May).
1960	Erste Kompositionsversuche.	1960	Premiers essais de composition.	1960	First attempts at composition.
1964	Sextett für Oboe und Streicher.	1964	Sextuor pour hautbois et cordes.	1964	Sextet for oboe and strings.
1967	Erste Oper "Schuld und Sühne", welche den Douglas-Grant Kompositionspreis gewann.	1967	Premier opéra "Crime et châtement", qui gagne le concours Douglas Grant.	1967	First opera "Crime and Punishment" wins the Douglas Grant composition prize.
1968	Dirigierte "Two Pieces for Orchestra" auf einer USA-Tournee des Orchesters des George Watson's College.	1968	Dirige "Deux pièces pour orchestre" lors d'une tournée des Etats-Unis avec l'orchestre de George Watson's College.	1968	Conducts his "Two Pieces for Orchestra" on tour of the George Watson's College orchestra in the USA.
1969	Erhielt ein Kompositionsstipendium vom Royal College of Music, London.	1969	Gagne une bourse en composition au Royal College of Music, Londres.	1969	Wins a composition scholarship to the Royal College of Music in London.
1969-72	Studierte am Royal College. Bratsche bei John Dyer, Dirigieren bei Harvey Phillips und Komposition bei Humphrey Searle und Anthony Milner. Gewann den Stanford-Jeffries-Preis für Liedkomposition.	1969-72	Etudes au Royal College. L'alto auprès de John Dyer, la direction avec Harvey Phillips et la composition avec Humphrey Searle et Anthony Milner. Gagne le prix Stanford Jeffries pour la composition d'une mélodie.	1969-72	Studies at the Royal College. Viola with John Dyer, conduction with Harvey Phillips and composition with Humphrey Searle and Anthony Milner. Wins the Stanford Jeffries song writing-prize.
1972	Bratschendiplot.	1972	Diplôme d'alto.	1972	Viola diploma (ARCM).
1973-79	War als Bratschiist in verschiedenen Orchestern in London, Birmingham, Amsterdam, Zürich und Biel tätig. Wohnhaft in der Schweiz seit 1976.	1973-79	Travaille en tant qu'altiste en divers orchestres à Londres, Birmingham, Amsterdam, Zurich et Bienne. Résident en Suisse depuis 1976.	1973-79	Works as viola player in various orchestras in London, Birmingham, Amsterdam, Zurich and Biel. Resident in Switzerland since 1976.
1979-83	Musiklehrer an der Basler Realschule.	1979-83	Enseigne la musique à l'école secondaire à Bâle.	1979-83	Teaches music in secondary schools in Basle.
1983-94	Lehrer für Solfège, Dirigieren und Kammermusik an den Konservatorien in La Chaux-de-Fonds und Neuenburg. Dirigierte den Chor und das Orchester des Konservatoriums in La Chaux-de-Fonds. Leitete das Orchester de Chambre Jurassien 1979-1994 und den Chœur Vivaldi in Delsberg 1983-1993.	1983-94	Professeur de solfège, direction et musique de chambre aux Conservatoires de La Chaux-de-Fonds et Neuchâtel. Dirigeait aussi le chœur et l'orchestre du Conservatoire de La Chaux-de-Fonds, ainsi que l'Orchestre de Chambre Jurassien de 1979-1994 et le Chœur Vivaldi à Delémont de 1983-1993.	1983-94	Taught solfège, conducting and chamber music at the Conservatoires in La Chaux-de-Fonds and Neuchâtel. Conducted the Conservatoire choir and orchestra in La Chaux-de-Fonds. Conducted the Jura Chamber Orchestra 1979-1994 and the Vivaldi Choir in Delémont 1983-1993.
Seit 1994	als freischaffender Komponist, Arrangeur und Notensetzer tätig.	Depuis 1994	Compositeur, arrangeur et copiste indépendant.	Since 1994	Has worked as a free-lance composer, arranger and music typesetter.



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FLUTE

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1. Lament

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Andante malinconico ♩ = 69


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p *mf* *p*

6 *mf* 3 3 3 3

11 3 3 3 3 3

14 *f*

17

20 *ff* 1

23 *p dolce* 3

26 *cresc. poco a poco* *f cresc.*

32 *ff* *sempre f possibile (senza dim.)*

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1. Lament

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Andante malinconico ♩ = 69

Flute

Piano Reduction
(for rehearsal only)

Measures 1-4 of the score. The Flute part begins with a melodic line starting on G4, marked *p*. The Piano Reduction provides harmonic support with chords and moving lines in both hands, marked *p* and *mf*.

5

Measures 5-9 of the score. The Flute part continues its melodic development, marked *mf*. The Piano Reduction accompaniment features more complex textures, including triplets and sustained chords, marked *p* and *mf*.

10

Measures 10-12 of the score. The Flute part features rapid sixteenth-note passages, marked *mf*. The Piano Reduction accompaniment continues with sustained chords and moving lines, marked *mf*.

13

Measures 13-15 of the score. The Flute part continues with rapid sixteenth-note passages, marked *mf*. The Piano Reduction accompaniment features sustained chords and moving lines, marked *mf*.

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16

Measures 16 and 17 of a musical score. Measure 16 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a sustained chord. Measure 17 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Both measures are marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic.

18

Measures 18 and 19 of a musical score. Measure 18 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Measure 19 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Both measures are marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic.

19

Measures 20 and 21 of a musical score. Measure 20 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Measure 21 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Both measures are marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic.

20

Measures 22 and 23 of a musical score. Measure 22 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Measure 23 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Both measures are marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic.

21

Measures 24 and 25 of a musical score. Measure 24 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Measure 25 features a treble staff with a melodic line and a bass staff with a rhythmic pattern. Both measures are marked with a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic.

2. Dance

Allegro ♩ = 132

The musical score is written for piano and features a melody in the right hand and accompaniment in the left hand. The key signature has one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 8/8. The tempo is marked 'Allegro' with a quarter note equal to 132 beats per minute. The score is divided into systems, with measures 5, 9, 12, and 16 marked at the beginning of their respective systems. Dynamics include piano (p), mezzo-piano (mp), mezzo-forte (mf), and piano (p). The left hand accompaniment consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, often in triplets. The right hand melody includes eighth notes, quarter notes, and half notes, with some measures featuring triplets. The score ends with a final cadence in the right hand.

5

9

12

16

p

mp

mf

p

mf

20

f

23

f

26

mp
p

30

f

34

mf
ff

3. Scherzo

11

Vivo ♩ = 132

This musical score is for the third movement, 'Scherzo', in 3/4 time, marked 'Vivo' with a tempo of 132 beats per minute. The score is written for a piano and features a variety of dynamic markings and articulations. The first system (measures 1-7) begins with a forte (*f*) piano in the right hand and a forte (*f*) piano in the left hand. The second system (measures 8-14) continues with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) piano in the right hand and a mezzo-forte (*mf*) piano in the left hand. The third system (measures 15-20) features a forte (*f*) piano in the right hand and a forte (*f*) piano in the left hand. The fourth system (measures 21-26) includes a forte (*f*) piano in the right hand and a mezzo-forte (*mf*) piano in the left hand. The fifth system (measures 27-33) concludes with a forte (*f*) piano in the right hand and a forte (*f*) piano in the left hand. The score includes various articulations such as accents, slurs, and phrasing slurs, as well as dynamic markings like *f*, *mf*, and *ff*. The key signature is one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 3/4.

32

mf

p

39

f

mf

46

p

mf

p

52

f

mf

58

f

ff

f

4. Epilogue

15

Andante maestoso ♩ = 56

mf p

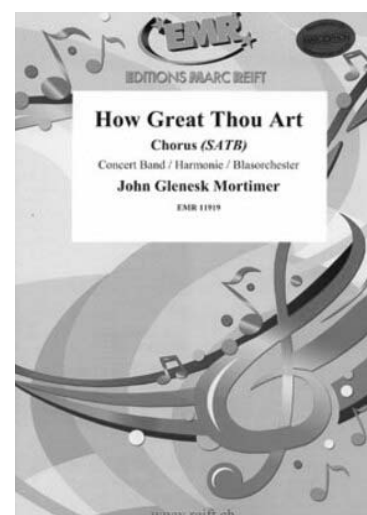
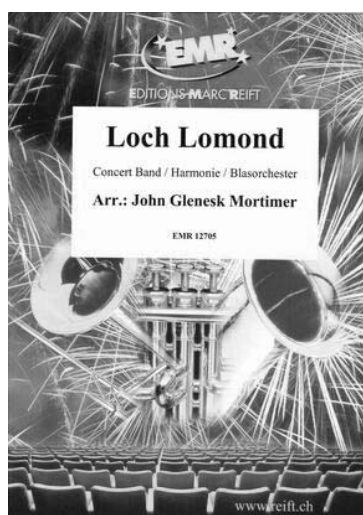
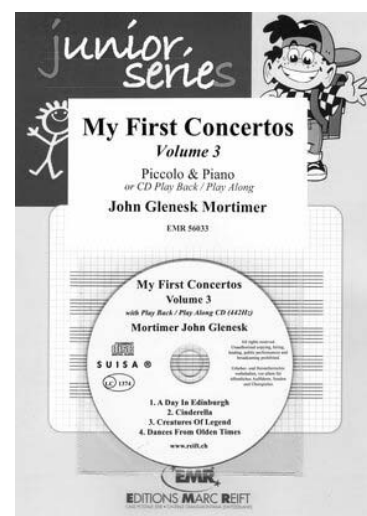
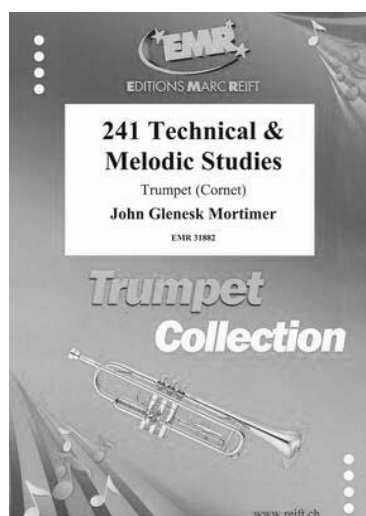
8 mf

14 mf cresc. f

22 mf p

27 *leggero e capriccioso* mf rit.

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