

LONGING

Eleven lyrical piano pieces

Christiane Dehmer



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Piano Solo
sheet music book

Longing

MUSIC	Christiane Dehmer
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Foreword

The eleven piano pieces from the album *Longing* by Christiane Dehmer captivate everyone who loves piano music that is both musically profound and melodically appealing. The style moves between Jazz, Pop, Neo-Classical, and Ambient music.

On the original album, piano blends with synthesizer, leaving space for improvisation and personal expression. In this piano solo edition, you will find a lovingly prepared and accessible essence of the expressive musical themes.

The pieces range from intermediate to advanced level. Chord symbols and the original recordings provide helpful guidance for exploring and interpreting the music. With this sheet music book, you can enjoy the joy of variety, orchestral breadth, and the full sound experience of the piano. At designated passages, who likes, is invited to improvise own solos.

To fully grasp the atmosphere and special character of each composition, it is recommended to listen to the original recordings, even though they include additional synthesizer elements and kalimba.

The piano pieces in both the sheet music book and the album *Longing* revolve around the theme of longing. Expansive, profound, and delicate, the music expresses thoughts and emotions in ways that words never could – touching, relaxing, optimistic, and inspiring.

Like film music without the film, yet with vivid images before the mind's eye.

Wishing you joy in discovering and playing these pieces!

PREVIEW



Longing

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 103
A[♯] maj7(♯11)

p *mp*

Red.

5 2 1 4

p *mf* *p*

* Red.

9

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17

mf *mp*

* Ped.

21

f

* Ped.

25

mf

* Ped.

29

(ad lib. solo in R.H., mm. 29-51)

PREVIEW

Raining Grace

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 134 *8va*

Red. * *Red.* * *Red.* * *Red.* *simile*

5 (8) 5 5 1

9 *Ab* *Ab/G* *Ab/F* *Ab/Eb* 5

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17 $A\flat$ $A\flat\text{maj}7$ $A\flat^6$ $A\flat$

21 $D\flat(\text{add}9)$ $D\flat(\#11)$ $D\flat(\text{sus}2)$ $D\flat(\#11)$

25 $A\flat^{\Delta}/C$ $B\flat m^{11}$

29 $B\flat^7$ $B\flat m^7$ $A\flat$

PREVIEW

Guardian

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 102

F(sus2) F(sus4) E♭maj7/F

Red. * Red. * Red.

6 F(sus2) F(sus4) E♭maj7 E♭6

* Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. simile

10 B♭(sus2)/D Am7 E♭m7 B♭m7 1

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Lost Son Walking

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 108

Bm(b6)₃

Bm⁹₄

p

cresc.

mp

5

5

5

5

Em⁶/B₄

B(sus4)₅

B⁵

5

9

Bm(b6)

Bm⁹

5

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

* Red.

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A Good Start

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩. = 73 E A F#m¹¹ E A

5 2 1 2 4 1 3 2

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red.

5 E A F#m¹¹ E A

3 1 4 3 1 2 1 3

8va- rit. A

p simile 4 3

a tempo

9 E A F#m¹¹ E A

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17 E/B A F#m¹¹ E/B A(sus2)

mf

4 5 2 1 3 2 1 8va 4 2

21 E/B A F#m¹¹ E/B A(sus2)

(8) 5 1 4 5 2 4 4

f

2 5 3

25 E A F#m¹¹ E A

29 E A F#m¹¹ E A

3

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The Mouse

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 82

p

Red. * *Red.* * *Red.* *simile*

5

8va 2 4 1

9

(8) 3 1

PREVIEW



17 $B\flat$ maj7/D Cm^{11} $B\flat$ maj7(omit3) $B\flat$ 6(omit3)

mf *p*

(ad lib. solo in R.H., mm. 23-30)

21 $B\flat$ maj7(omit3) $B\flat$ 6(omit3) $B\flat$ maj7 $B\flat$ 6(omit3)

25 $B\flat$ maj7 $B\flat$ 6(omit3) $F(\text{add}4)$ $E\flat(\text{add}9)$ 8va

29 $F(\text{add}4)$ $E\flat(\text{add}9)$ $B\flat$ maj7/D $E\flat(\text{add}9)$

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Who Am I

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 91

Em

p

Red. (omit lower voice if needed)

5

Am

5

** Red.*

** Red.*

** Red.*

** Red.*

4

Fmaj7

9

Em

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17 F/A Am

3-measure rest in measure 19

21 Am

3-measure rest in measure 23

25 Fmaj7 Em/G

7-measure rest in measure 27

29 Am Em

7-measure rest in measure 31

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Dignity

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 87 F

5

5

8vb 1

9 D9maj7

1

4 2

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In A Special Place

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 115 Gm7 5

mp

mf

E♭(add9)

3

5

5 Gm7

E♭6

8va

1

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Resurrection

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 161 **F#** **B(sus2)** **F#/C#** **F#/A#** **D#m7** **F#/C#** **B**

mf

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

5 **F#/E#** **D#m7** **B** **F#/A#** **B(sus2)** **F#**

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Strength In Weakness

Music: Christiane Dehmer

♩ = 60
D(sus2)/F# **Gmaj7** **Am7/C** **G(sus2)/B** **F#m/A** **Em/G**

rubato *cresc.*

4 **F#7(sus2)** **F#7** **F#/E 3** **Bm/D** **C#m7** **B(omit3)**

f *mp*

8 3 1 3 > 8va

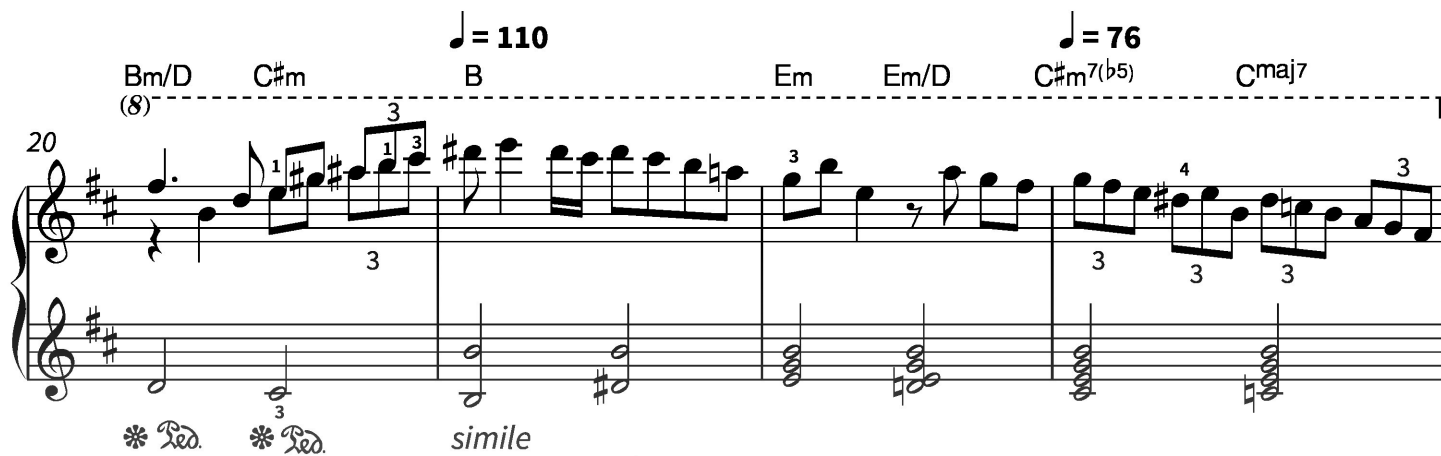
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16 $\text{♩} = 82$ (8) $F\#(\text{sus}2)$ $F\#/E$



20 $\text{♩} = 110$ Bm/D $C\#m$ B $\text{♩} = 76$ Em Em/D $C\#m7(b5)$ $Cmaj7$



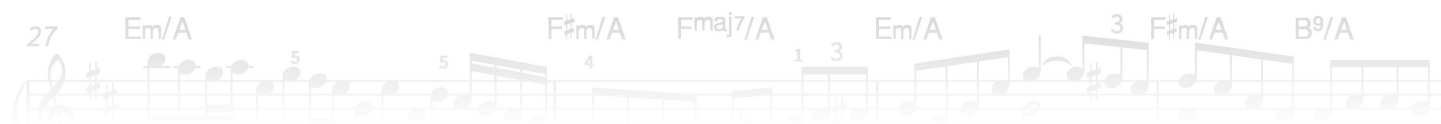
* *Red.* * *Red.* *simile*

24 $\text{♩} = 64$ *a tempo* $B(\text{sus}4)$ $B(\text{sus}4)/A$ Em/A $F\#m/A$



* *Red.* * *Red.* *simile*

27 Em/A $F\#m/A$ $Fmaj7/A$ Em/A $F\#m/A$ B^9/A



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