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Grade 4



OpenScores

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For French Horn In F

PROGRAM NOTES

Bloomed is a French horn quartet that begins with a light melody, which is passed between the horns as the texture becomes more active. Through layered lines and changing harmonies, the music creates a sense of movement between the parts. As the piece progresses, the ensemble builds in intensity before settling down into a more balanced and resolved ending, reflecting the final stage of a flower in bloom.

Allegretto

Horn in F 1
Horn in F 2
Horn in F 3
Horn in F 4

mf >
mf >
mf >
mf >

7
Hn. in F 1
Hn. in F 2
Hn. in F 3
Hn. in F 4

13
Hn. in F 1
Hn. in F 2
Hn. in F 3
Hn. in F 4

20

Hn. in F 1
Hn. in F 2
Hn. in F 3
Hn. in F 4

This system contains measures 20 through 26. It features four staves for Horns in F major. Horns 1 and 2 play a melodic line starting with a quarter rest, followed by eighth notes. Horns 3 and 4 play a lower melodic line, also starting with a quarter rest. The key signature has three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The time signature is common time (C).

27

Hn. in F 1
Hn. in F 2
Hn. in F 3
Hn. in F 4

This system contains measures 27 through 33. Horns 1 and 2 play sustained notes with dynamic markings (crescendo and decrescendo). Horns 3 and 4 play a melodic line starting with a quarter rest. The key signature and time signature remain the same as in the previous system.

34

Allegro

Hn. in F 1
Hn. in F 2
Hn. in F 3
Hn. in F 4

This system contains measures 34 through 39. The tempo is marked **Allegro**. Horn 1 plays a melodic line starting with a quarter rest. Horns 2, 3, and 4 play a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes, marked *mf*. The key signature and time signature remain the same.

40

Hn. in F 1

Hn. in F 2

Hn. in F 3

Hn. in F 4

mf

45

Hn. in F 1

Hn. in F 2

Hn. in F 3

Hn. in F 4

Allegretto

51

Hn. in F 1

Hn. in F 2

Hn. in F 3

Hn. in F 4

58

Hn. in F 1
Hn. in F 2
Hn. in F 3
Hn. in F 4

This system contains measures 58 through 64. It features four staves for Horns in F major. Horn 1 (Hn. in F 1) plays a steady eighth-note pattern. Horn 2 (Hn. in F 2) plays a similar eighth-note pattern. Horn 3 (Hn. in F 3) plays a pattern of eighth notes with some rests. Horn 4 (Hn. in F 4) plays a pattern of eighth notes with some rests. The music concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.

65

Hn. in F 1
Hn. in F 2
Hn. in F 3
Hn. in F 4

This system contains measures 65 through 71. The notation continues for the four horns. In measure 71, the Horn 3 and Horn 4 staves have a vertical line with a '15' below it, indicating a first ending or a specific performance instruction. The system ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.

72

Hn. in F 1
Hn. in F 2
Hn. in F 3
Hn. in F 4

This system contains measures 72 through 78. The notation continues for the four horns. In measure 78, the Horn 3 and Horn 4 staves have a vertical line with a '15' below it, indicating a first ending or a specific performance instruction. The system ends with a double bar line and repeat dots.

79

Hn. in F 1

Hn. in F 2

Hn. in F 3

Hn. in F 4

This musical score block contains measures 79 through 85 for four horns in F major. The key signature has three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The notation is as follows:

- Horn 1 (Hn. in F 1):** Treble clef. Measures 79-81: quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5. Measure 82: quarter notes G4, A4. Measure 83: quarter notes G4, A4. Measure 84: quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5. Measure 85: quarter notes G4, A4, B4, C5.
- Horn 2 (Hn. in F 2):** Treble clef. Measures 79-81: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4. Measure 82: quarter notes F4, G4. Measure 83: quarter notes F4, G4. Measure 84: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4. Measure 85: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4.
- Horn 3 (Hn. in F 3):** Treble clef. Measures 79-81: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4. Measure 82: quarter notes F4, G4. Measure 83: quarter notes F4, G4. Measure 84: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4. Measure 85: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4.
- Horn 4 (Hn. in F 4):** Treble clef. Measures 79-81: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4. Measure 82: quarter notes F4, G4. Measure 83: quarter notes F4, G4. Measure 84: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4. Measure 85: quarter notes F4, G4, A4, B4.

86

Hn. in F 1

Hn. in F 2

Hn. in F 3

Hn. in F 4

This musical score block contains measure 86 for four horns in F major. The key signature has three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The notation is as follows:

- Horn 1 (Hn. in F 1):** Treble clef. Measure 86: whole note F4.
- Horn 2 (Hn. in F 2):** Treble clef. Measure 86: whole note F4.
- Horn 3 (Hn. in F 3):** Treble clef. Measure 86: whole note F4.
- Horn 4 (Hn. in F 4):** Treble clef. Measure 86: whole note F4.