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Piano Sonata No. 3

to the Memory of an Angel

2021

Dedicated to the memory of my late wife, Dr Anja Morris-Paxton, who passed away after fighting with cancer on 10 November 2020

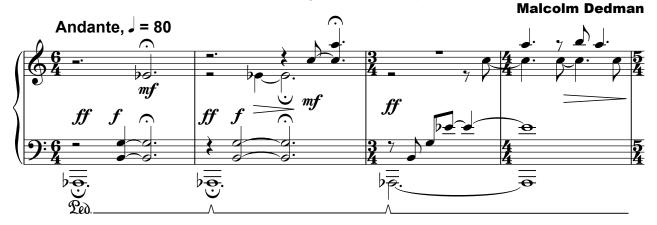
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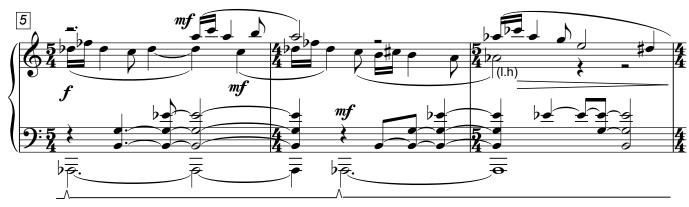
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1. Struggle

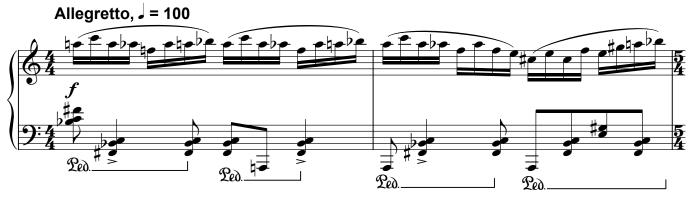
O ye loved ones of God! Struggle and strive to reach that high station, and to make a splendour so to shine across these realms of earth that the rays of it will be reflected back from a dawning-point on the horizon of eternity. Selections from the Writings of 'Abdu'l-Bahá, p. 261





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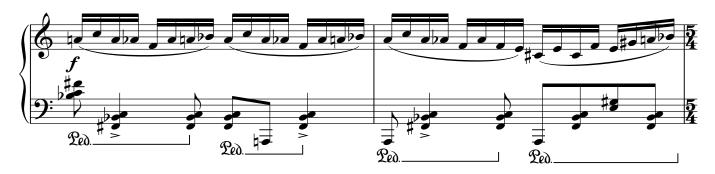






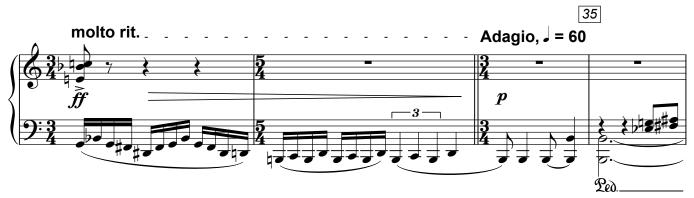


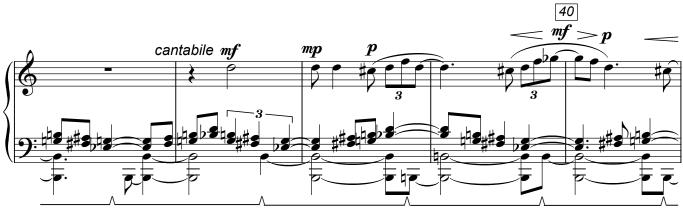
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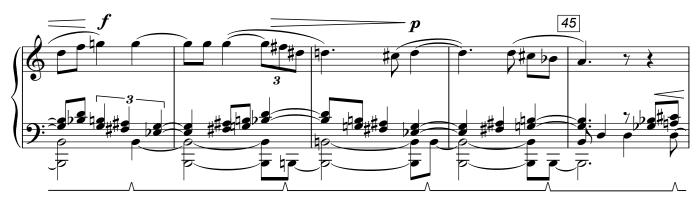




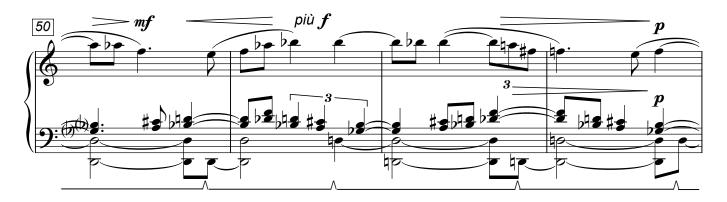




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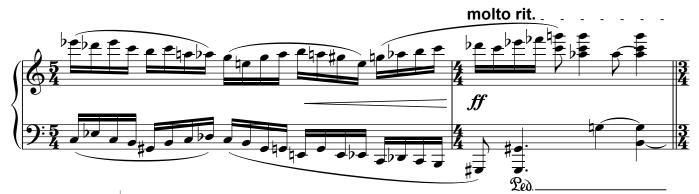


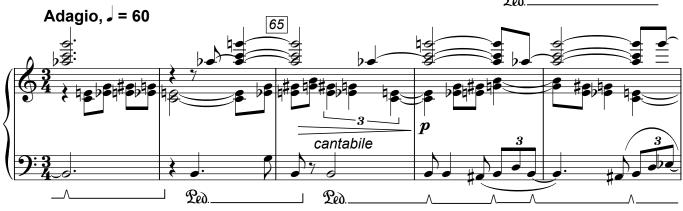


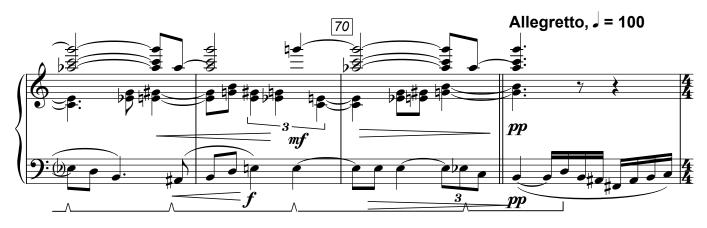






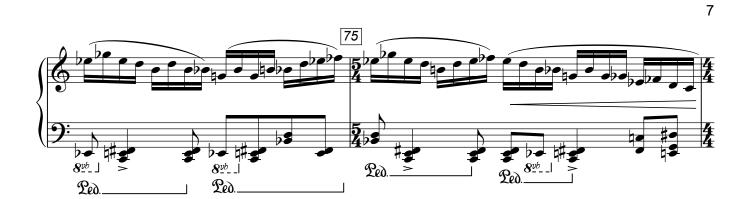








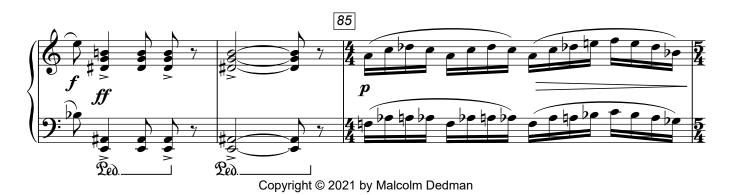
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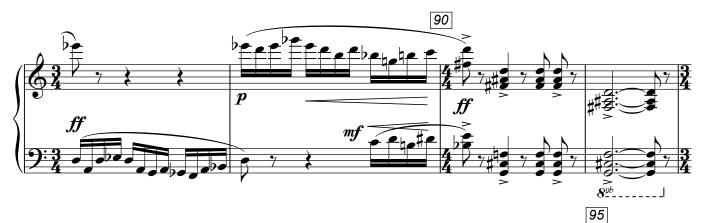


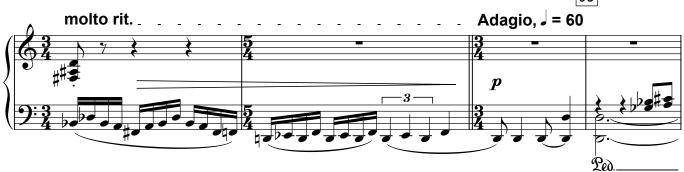


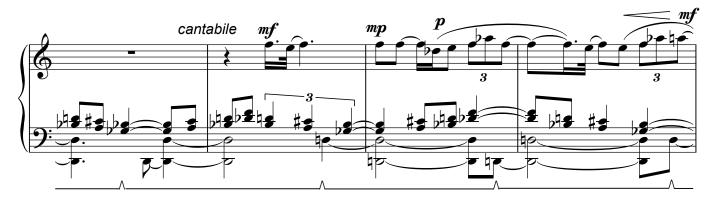


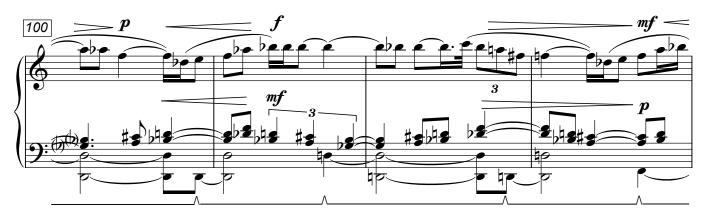


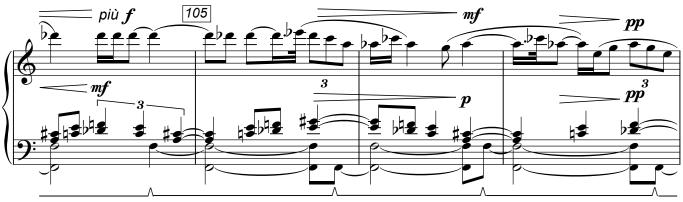


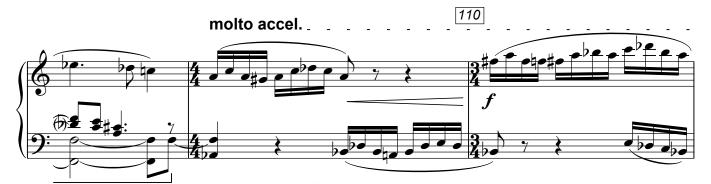






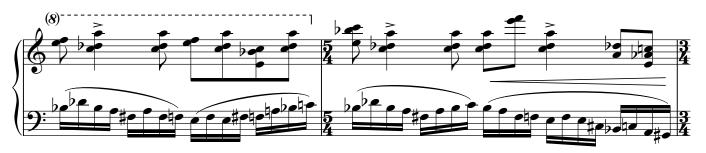




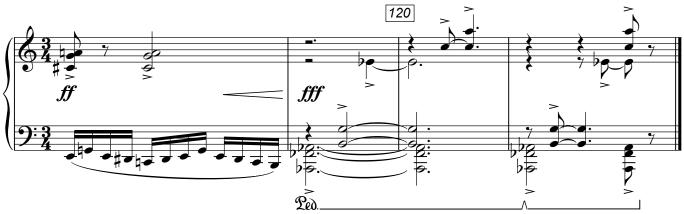








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2. Overcoming Difficulties

I ask you all, each one of you, to follow well the light of truth, in the Holy Teachings, and God will strengthen you by His Holy Spirit so that you will be enabled to overcome the difficulties... 'Abdu'l-Bahá, Paris Talks, p. 27

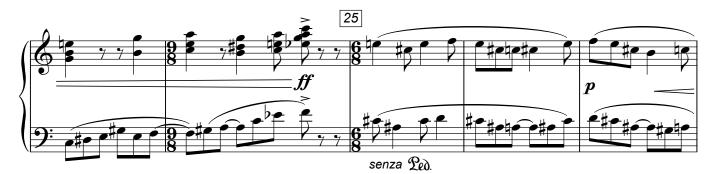


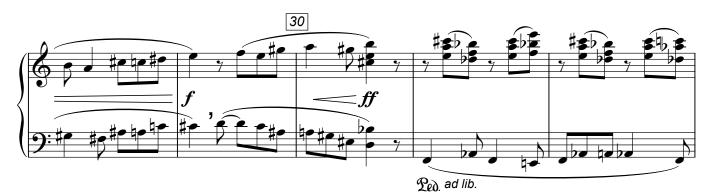


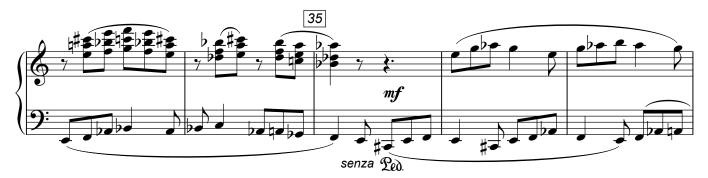




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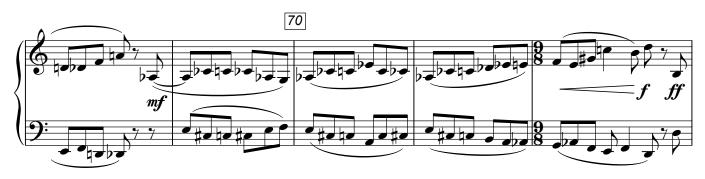






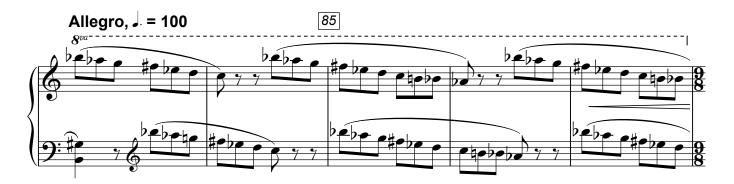


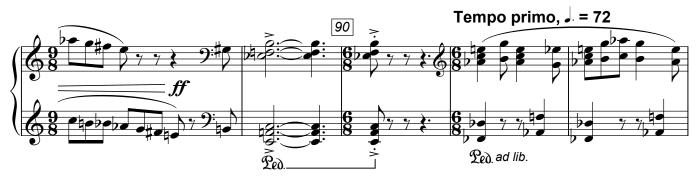
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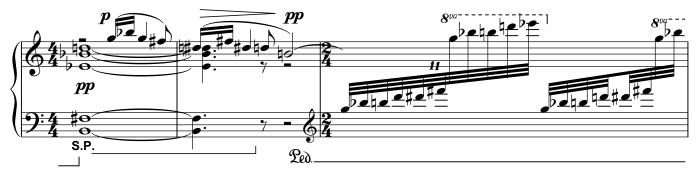
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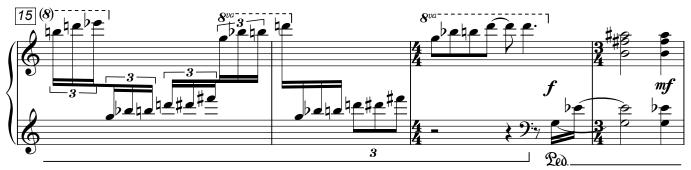
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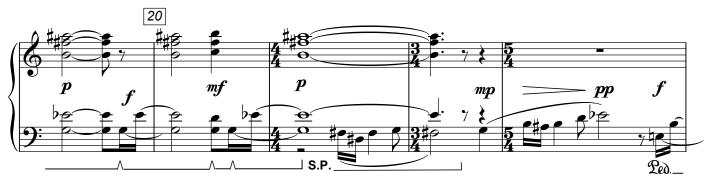
He [Bahá'u'lláh] has written a book entitled Hidden Words. The preface announces that it contains the essences of the words of the prophets of the past clothed in the garment of brevity for the teaching and spiritual guidance of the people of the world. Bahá'í World Faith - 'Abdu'l-Bahá Section, p. 251

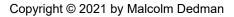


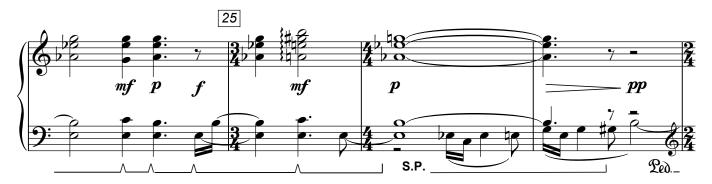


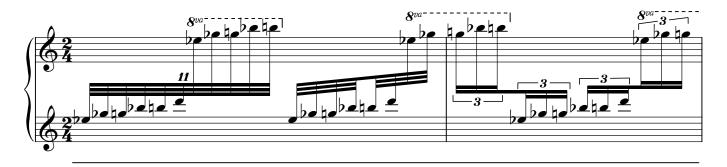




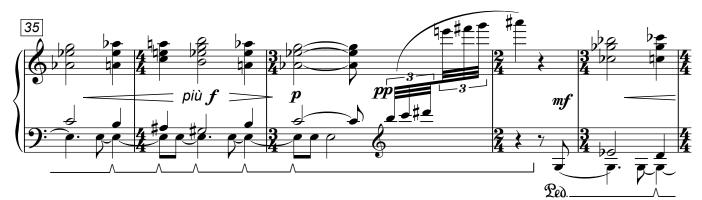






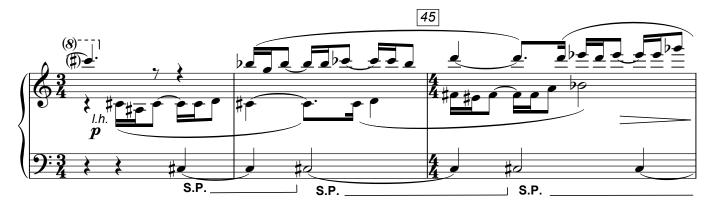


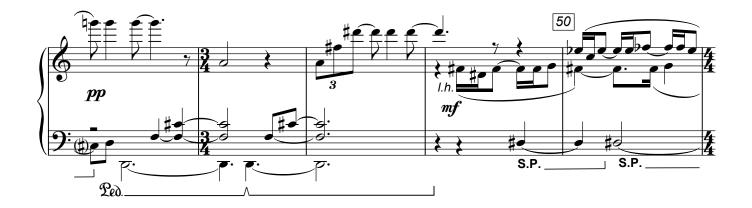


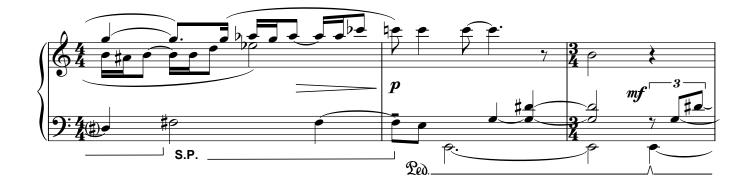


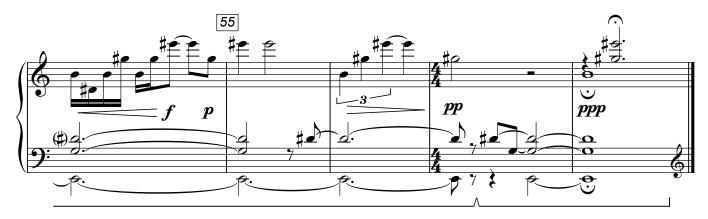


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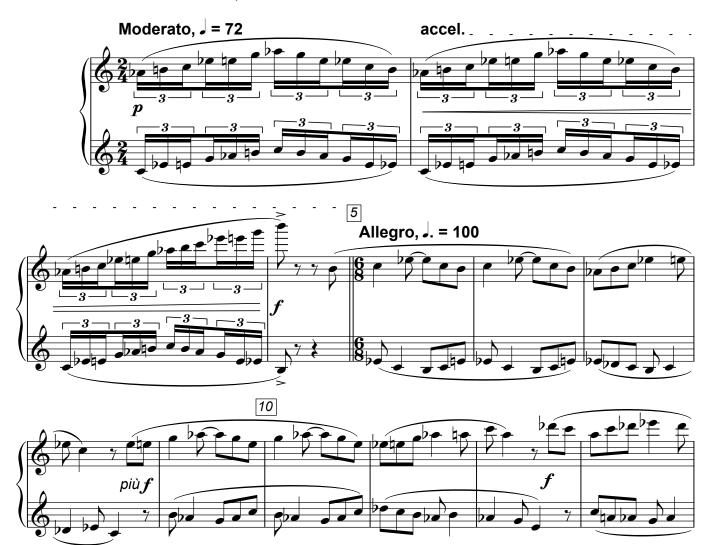




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4. Fulfilment - Into the Light

O my Lord! O my Lord! Enable me to witness the most great sign and to realize the fulfillment of this hope throughout all regions. Verily Thou art the Bestower, the Beneficent, whose bounties are great! Tablets of 'Abdu'l-Bahá, v2, p. 394





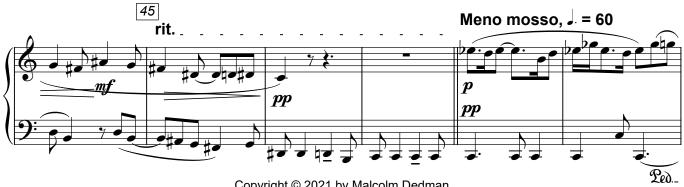




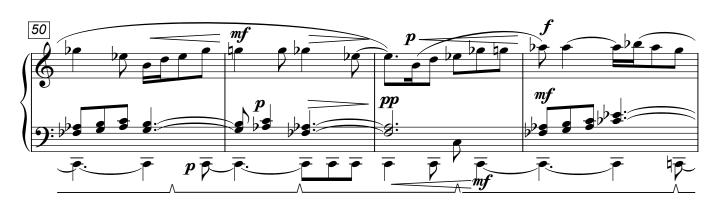


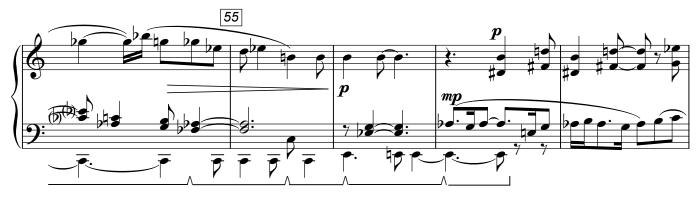






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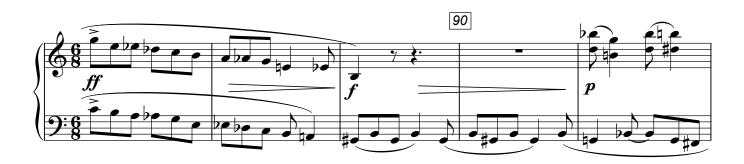




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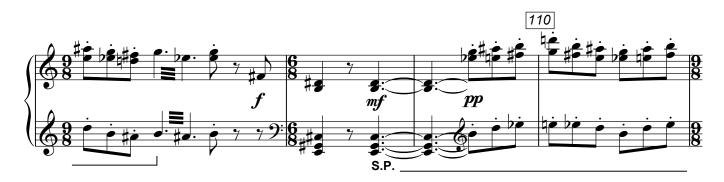


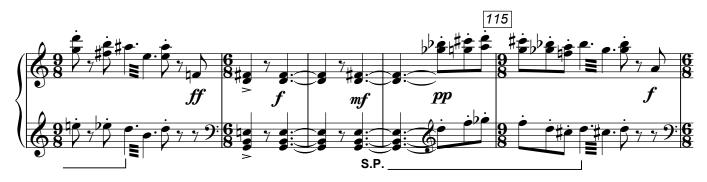




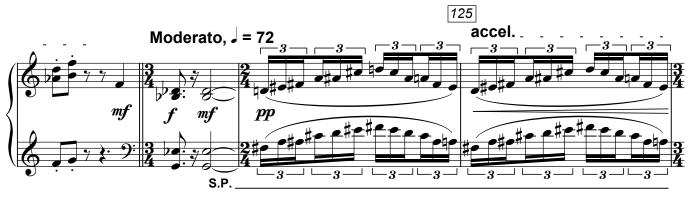
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As the babe is born into the light of this physical world so must the physical and intellectual man be born into the light of the world of divinity. ('Abdu'l-Bahá, Foundations of World Unity, p. 59).



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