

Sonata No. 5 for Solo Viola

I. First Movement [4']

Bill Robinson

Slow $\bullet = 42$

p

4

8

11

14

17

cresc. p. a p.

20

mf p

23

Detailed description: This is a musical score for a solo viola, titled "Sonata No. 5 for Solo Viola" by Bill Robinson. The first movement is in 4/4 time, marked "Slow" with a tempo of 42 beats per minute. The score consists of 23 measures. The key signature is one flat (B-flat major or D minor). The piece begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The first measure is marked with a "V" for Viola. The score features a variety of rhythmic patterns, including eighth and sixteenth notes, and rests. There are several dynamic markings: *p* at the beginning, *cresc. p. a p.* (crescendo from piano to piano) at measure 17, *mf* (mezzo-forte) at measure 20, and *p* (piano) at measure 21. The score includes phrasing slurs, a repeat sign at measure 11, and a fermata at measure 20. The time signature changes from 4/4 to 3/4 at measure 8 and back to 4/4 at measure 11. The piece ends with a fermata at measure 23.

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33

36

38

mf *p*

41

mf *p*

45

pp

49

cresc. *(mf)* *f*

51

ff *pp* *ff* *pp* *ff* *pp*