

[18] And What

(from *Many Have No Speech*)

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words by Ernst Meister

♩ = 80

The score is for a concert piece in 4/4 time, marked *mf* (mezzo-forte). It consists of 18 measures. The instrumentation includes Flutes 1, 2; Violins I 1-6 and 7, 8; Violins II 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6; Violas 1-4; Cellos 1-4; Basses 1, 2; Vibraphone (bowed, freely); Solo Trumpet; and Voice. The music features a complex rhythmic structure with frequent triplet patterns and dynamic markings. The voice part begins with the lyrics: (freely) and what does this sun do to us what jumps out of the narrow gate. A circled number '5' appears above the staff in measures 15 and 18.

Flutes 1, 2
Violins I 1-6
Violins I 7, 8
Violins II 1, 2
Violins II 3, 4
Violins II 5, 6
Violas 1-4
Celli 1-4
Basses 1, 2
Vibraphone (bowed, freely)
Solo Trumpet
Voice
(freely) and what does this sun do to us what jumps out of the narrow gate

Fl I 1,2 *mf*

Vln I 1-6 *mf*

Vln I 7,8 *mf*

Vln II 1,2 *mf*

Vln II 3,4 *mf*

Vln II 5,6 *mf*

Vla 1-4 *mf*

Cel 1-4

Bs 1,2

Vib

Tpt

Voc

of those great embers I don't know any-thing dar-ker than the light