

5. love letter

Solo Clarinet

With much rubato; warmly, speech-like (ca. ♩ = 56–60)*

The musical score is written for a solo clarinet in a single system with ten staves. The key signature has one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The score is marked with various dynamics and performance instructions:

- Staff 1: *earnest, affecting*, *pp*, *p*, *5*
- Staff 2: *cheerfully*, *mp*, *5*
- Staff 3: *mf*
- Staff 4: *cresc.*
- Staff 5: *delicately*, *poco f*, *pp*, *mf*, *5*
- Staff 6: *mp*
- Staff 7: *mf*
- Staff 8: *poco f*, *decresc.*
- Staff 9: *mf*, *mp*, *p*, *pp*, *5*

* The movement should be played with a certain rhythmic freedom. The “added value” augmentation dots on the sixteenth notes are meant to show phrasing and emphasis, and to highlight compound lines, more than to indicate precise rhythmic values. [Approximate duration: 2' 20"]