

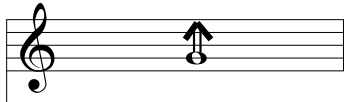
The Moon

for solo extended voice

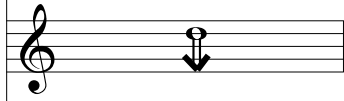
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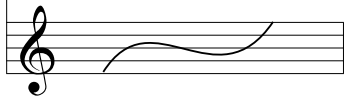
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Breath intake audible



Breath exhalation audible



Pitch changing



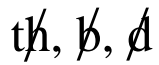
Transition from sound to sound



Pronunciations or sounds



Directions or explanations



Voiced on pitch



Silent vowels

Ⓐ *that rising*

Ⓑ *rising*

Ⓒ *rising again*

Ⓓ *again*

Ⓔ *gull -*

Ⓕ *- lls*

Ⓖ *- lls c -*

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1. *slow*

Voice

mf *la-* [sigh] *--s--* *--ted*

all *nigh--* [whisper] *--t* *(and)* *&*

mf *seemed* [ironic] [questioning] [intense] [etc.] *-dddd--dddd* *t t t t t t t - --o* *fff* (u)

[shout] *b b b b b b ...* *bu bu bu bu ...* *bur bur bur... nnnn...*
mp [with fingers] *mf* (boe) *...nnnn...*
 [excited] *...nnnn*

burn [!] *seemed to* [whisper] *burn* [choked with horror]
pp *mf*

toward noon afterrrrr... just that brief
 [arrogant, haughty] [roll] *p*

bl---ue
 [wondering] [loving] [erotic]

dar--k--nes--s --s night--f--all f--all
 [throat rattle] [click] [rattle] *ppp* *f*

b- b- b b- b-
fff

b- b-oun-d -oun-d -d

b d b d b d b d b

[lip sneer] [widen lips & show teeth] *l - - - ik e* [big tongue] [throat click] [throat clicks ...]

f - *f - -alse t - -ee - -th* - th
[bland] [tongue click]

- th [tongue gets in the way] *we come ou - - - - t* [disgusted, low]

3.

How would we know *b- li - - - nded* *blinded*
mp [spoken] *>* [scream] *ff* [accel]

(ah) *b- li - - - n ded...* *by words*
[surprised, spoken full-voiced]

4.

mp *as we are*
[hands behind back, military rest]

5.

the bl-oo - d g - - ue - ss of

morning on the ro - ck - ss ck - ss
 [tongue click] [as waves]

ss [waves] how it dawns on the g -

gu (a) - gu (a) - gu (a) -
 [gull sound] [gull sounds] [singing]

- ll - - s c - cr(ee) -
 [lolling tongue] [throat creak]

- k of their th - - - roa -
 [long]

- t s [as wind] [add teeth whistle]

a - - g - - gain - - st

[resonate a rhythm]

- st s - -al- -t w -

[half whistle]

p pp

- - i - - - - n - - - - d - -

ppp

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