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# For This, I Love You

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**Lento e espressivo**

{♩ = ca. 66}

Hand Bells

Soprano *mp* *cresc.*  
I will sing the

Violin (piano cue) *pp* non vib.

Viola (piano cue) *pp* non vib.

Violoncello (piano cue) *pp* non vib.

Piano **Lento e espressivo**  
{♩ = ca. 66} R.H. *gva*  
*p* *p*

Ped. (Hold through measure 13)

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S. *mf* *cresc.*  
song of all songs to my Love, And he will smoth-er me with

Vln

Vla

Vc.

Pno *gva* *p* *gva*

**A** Più mosso

*f* 3

ss - es. Your love is more fra - grant than wine.

legato ord.  
*p*  
legato ord.  
*p*  
legato ord.  
*p*

**A** Più mosso

*f*

Fra - grant is the scent of your per-fume.

Ped. Ped. Ped.

3 [3 + 3 + 2]

Fra - grant is the scent of your per-fume.

*f*

Ped. Ped. Ped.

20 *poco rubato*  
*mf espr.* 3 *a tempo*

S. *and your love is like per - fume poured out.*

Vln *poco rubato* *a tempo*

Vla *poco rubato* *a tempo*

Vc. *poco rubato* *a tempo*

Pno *poco rubato* *colla voce* *a tempo*

*Ped.*

24 **Molto espressivo**

S. *For This, I Love You.*

Vln *(sul g)* *pp* *p* *pp*

Vla *pp* *p* *pp*

Vc. *pp* *p* *pp*

Pno **Molto espressivo** *colla parte* *pp* *gva*

*Ped.*

# Homage to Thomas Campion

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PRIMO

**Delicatamente accarezzando**  
(Delicately caressing)

The musical score is written for a single piano part. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#), and a 3/4 time signature. The first system (measures 1-5) starts with a mezzo-forte (mf) dynamic. The second system (measures 6-10) includes a performance instruction: "\*release for secondo to play" at measure 8. The third system (measures 11-15) features a piano solo section starting at measure 11, marked with a forte (f) dynamic, and a mezzo-forte (mf) dynamic. The fourth system (measures 16-20) is marked with a forte (f) dynamic. The fifth system (measures 21-25) includes piano (pp) and mezzo-piano (mp) dynamics. The sixth system (measures 26-30) is marked with piano (p) sempre. The score concludes with a 3/4 time signature.

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## SECONDO

**Delicatamente accarezzando**  
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The musical score is written for a second instrument (SECONDO) and is marked "Delicatamente accarezzando (Delicately caressing)". It consists of five systems of music, each with a treble and bass staff. The key signature is three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and the time signature is 3/4. The score includes dynamic markings such as *mf*, *mp*, and *f*, and performance instructions like "bring out this line." and "SOLO". The piece concludes with a 3/4 time signature.