

# PLAGUE WATER

for Ensemble Nickel

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The musical score is for the song "The Sound of Silence" by Simon & Garfunkel. It is written for a full band arrangement. The key signature is one flat (B-flat major or D minor), and the time signature is 4/4. The tempo is marked as 96 beats per minute. The score includes parts for saxophone, electric guitar, piano, shakers, woodblocks, and drums. The piano part features a prominent melody in the right hand, with a bridge section marked "KEYS" and a final section marked "PEGS". The electric guitar part provides a rhythmic accompaniment, with a bridge section marked "PEGS". The saxophone part features a melodic line in the right hand, with a bridge section marked "KEYS" and a final section marked "PEGS". The shakers, woodblocks, and drums provide a rhythmic accompaniment, with various patterns and dynamics indicated throughout the score.

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7/16 3/16 5/8 7/8

saxophone

e-guitar

piano

shakers

woodblocks

drums

KEYS

PEGS

8va

8vb

3:2

4:3

3:2

6:5

p

mp

pp

p

The musical score for "The Sound of Silence" by Simon & Garfunkel is presented in a multi-staff format. The instruments included are saxophone, electric guitar, piano, shakers, woodblocks, and drums. The score is divided into measures with time signatures 3/16, 5/16, 3/16, 7/8, and 7/16. The piano part features dynamics such as *mp*, *p*, and *pp*, along with performance instructions like "PEGS" and "KEYS". The saxophone and electric guitar parts include various musical notations, including notes, rests, and accidentals. The shakers, woodblocks, and drums provide a rhythmic foundation for the piece.

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7

3

16

7

16

8

saxophone

e-guitar

piano

shakers

woodblocks

drums

8va

8vb

8:5

3:2

4:3

6:5

8:7

4:3

8:5

3:2

PEGS

KEYS

*p*

*mp*

[illegible]

22

7/8

saxophone

e-guitar

piano

shakers

woodblocks

drums

3:2

3:2

7/16

3:2

3:2

7/8

3:2

PEGS

8va

KEYS

8va

PEGS

8va

PEGS

8va

8vb

3:2

3:2

3:2

3:2

12:7

23

3/16

7/16

7/8

3/16

saxophone

e-guitar

piano

shakers

woodblocks

drums

3:2

4:3

4:3

6:5

KEYS

8va

mp

PEGS

8va

p

mp

pp

p

mp

p

PEGS

8vb

PEGS

8vb

PEGS

8vb

KEYS

8vb

3:2

3:2

4:3

8:7

3:2

31

3/8

3:2

saxophone

e-guitar

8va

PEGS

8va

KEYS

piano

mp

pp

p

mp

8vb

shakers

4:3

3:2

woodblocks

drums