

# PLAGUE WATER

*for Ensemble Nike*

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**17A**

**7/8** ♩ = 96

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

baritone saxophone

electric guitar

piano

4 wood shakers

5 wood blocks

3 bass drums

**COLOR FOUR**

8va

3:2

15ma

3:2

p

8vb

8va

3:2

15ma

3:2

8va

3:2

8vb

3:2

8:5

4:3

The musical score for "The Sound of Silence" by Simon & Garfunkel is presented in a multi-staff format. The instruments and their parts are as follows:

- baritone saxophone:** Features a melodic line with various time signatures (3/16, 11/16, 3/16, 7/8, 3/16, 7/16) and includes a 4:3 ratio marking.
- electric guitar:** Provides harmonic support with chords and single notes, including an 8va (octave) marking.
- piano:** Plays a complex accompaniment with chords and single notes, featuring 8va and 15ma (15th) markings.
- wood shakers:** Contribute a rhythmic texture with a 3:2 ratio marking.
- wood blocks:** Add a percussive element to the rhythm.
- bass drums:** Provide a steady rhythmic foundation with a 3:2 ratio marking.

The score is written in a key signature of one flat (B-flat) and includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, and dynamic markings like "p" (piano). The time signatures change throughout the piece, reflecting the complex rhythmic structure of the song.

The musical score for 'The Sound of Silence' by Simon & Garfunkel is presented in a 12-measure section. The instruments and their parts are as follows:

- baritone saxophone:** Measures 1-4, 8-12. Time signatures: 5/16, 11/16, 5/16, 11/16, 5/8. Rhythmic markings: 3:2, 4:3.
- electric guitar:** Measures 1-4, 8-12. Time signatures: 5/16, 11/16, 5/16, 11/16, 5/8. Rhythmic markings: 3:2, 4:3, 8va, 8vb, 15ma, 8:5.
- piano:** Measures 1-4, 8-12. Time signatures: 5/16, 11/16, 5/16, 11/16, 5/8. Rhythmic markings: 8va, 8vb, 15ma, 8:5.
- wood shakers:** Measures 1-4, 8-12. Time signatures: 5/16, 11/16, 5/16, 11/16, 5/8. Rhythmic markings: 3:2, 4:3.
- wood blocks:** Measures 1-4, 8-12. Time signatures: 5/16, 11/16, 5/16, 11/16, 5/8. Rhythmic markings: 3:2, 4:3.
- bass drums:** Measures 1-4, 8-12. Time signatures: 5/16, 11/16, 5/16, 11/16, 5/8. Rhythmic markings: 3:2.

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The musical score for "The Sound of Silence" is presented for a six-piece ensemble. The instruments and their parts are as follows:

- Baritone Saxophone:** Features a melodic line with a 7/8 time signature at the beginning, followed by a 3/16 time signature, and then a 11/16 time signature. The part includes a 3:2 ratio and a 5/16 time signature.
- Electric Guitar:** Plays a rhythmic pattern with a 3:2 ratio and a 5/16 time signature. The part includes a 3:2 ratio and a 5/16 time signature.
- Piano:** Provides harmonic support with a 3:2 ratio and a 5/16 time signature. The part includes a 3:2 ratio and a 5/16 time signature.
- Wood Shakers:** Play a steady 4:3 rhythm throughout the piece.
- Wood Blocks:** Play a 3:2 rhythm throughout the piece.
- Bass Drums:** Play a 3:2 rhythm throughout the piece.

The score includes various musical notations such as rests, notes, and complex rhythmic patterns with time signatures like 7/8, 3/16, 11/16, and 5/16. The piece is in 4/4 time and is written for a six-piece ensemble.