CONVERSATIONS

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from the recording, "Conversations"

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COMPOSER'S NOTES

- *Melody is of the utmost importance.*
- *Use finger substitution extensively to achieve a legato melody.*
- *Observe that two voices often occupy the same staff.*
- *Sometimes reduced notes are used as either optional notes to be played or to show the continuation of a melodic idea.*
- *Each piece of music is an entity. This piece was "captured" once in the sound recording, "**Conversations**". This written score may vary a bit from the recorded version, but that's okay. Every performance will be/should be slightly different.*
- *Notes are negotiable! … meaning, these written notes will render a realistic performance if every note is played exactly as written. However, as long as the performer remains true to the identity of each piece, notes may be added or deleted (especially in the left hand accompaniment parts).*
- *Although too cumbersome to notate each instance, I often hold down the lower note of an octave in the left hand.*
- *This piano solo was transcribed by the composer.*

Peace,

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8
8va
decresc.
p
Ped.
(don't break pedal)
10
♩= 60-72
Ped.
12
Ped.
Ped.
14
Ped.
(don't break pedal)


16
Ped.
Ped.
18
3
cresc. & rall.
(don't break pedal)
Ped.
Ped.
20
a tempo
mp
Ped.
Ped.
22
cresc.
Ped.
Ped.


24
Ped.
26
may restrike melody...
decresc.
28
8va
30
sfz


32
34
cresc.
mf
36
38


40
mp
Ped.
42
44
46
8va


(8va)
48
mf
(don't break pedal)
Ped.
50
Ped.
Ped.
52
6
(don't break pedal)
Ped.
54
Ped.
Ped.


56
(don't break pedal)
Ped.
58
(voice D-flat)
p subito cresc.
Ped.
Ped.
60
15ma
8va
mf
cresc.
(don't break pedal)
Ped.
Ped.
62
f
Ped.
Ped.

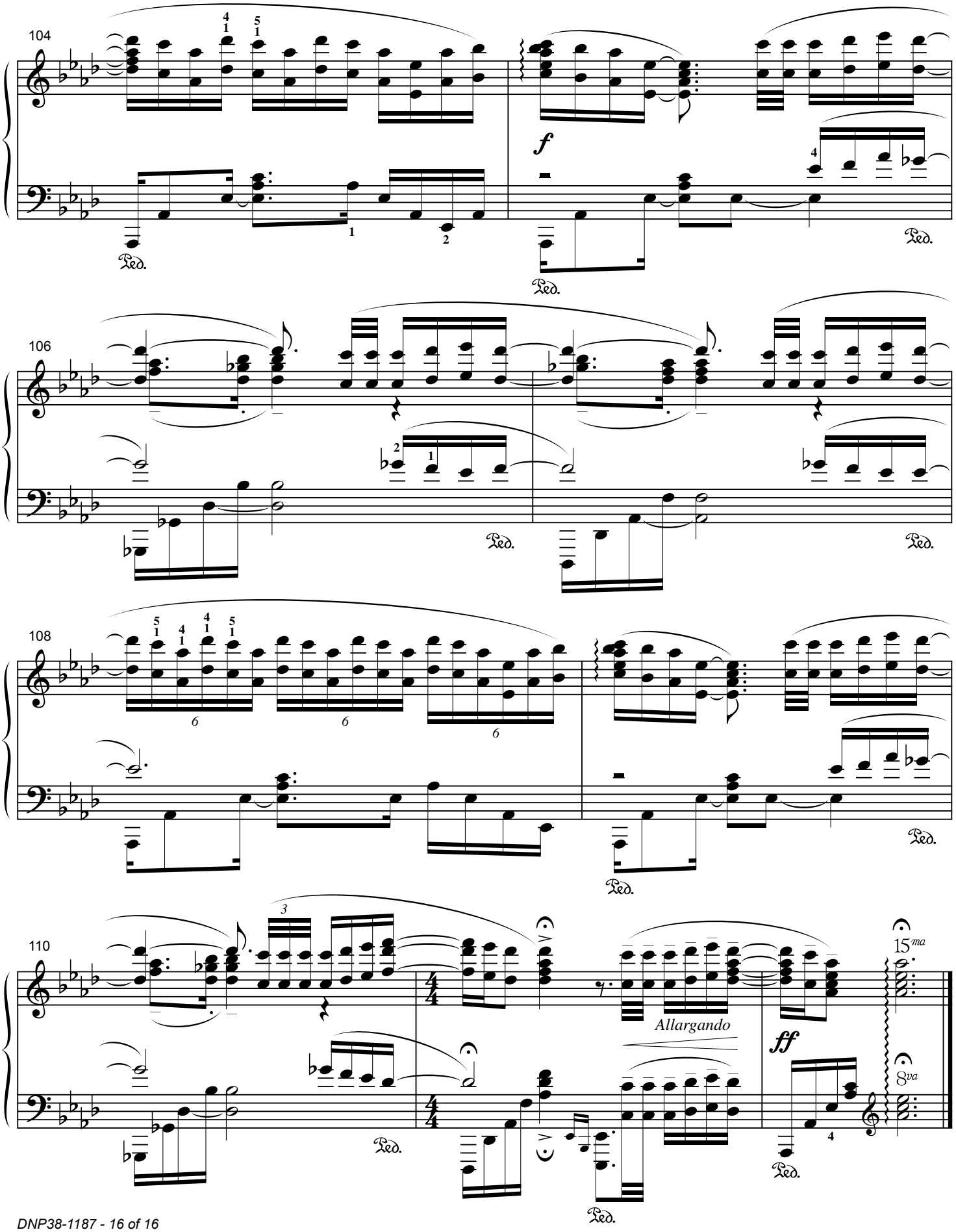

Hesitantly
64
a tempo
rall. & decresc.
p
sl. rit.
(don't break pedal)
Ped.
66
a tempo
sl. rit.
a tempo
68
sl. rit.
a tempo
mp
sl. rit.
70
a tempo
sl. rit.
begin steady pulse


72
cresc.
mf
74
cresc.
76
f
poco a poco -
Calmly (♩= 44)
78
rallentando & cresc.
mf


80
Ped.
Ped.
82
Ped.
(don't break pedal)
84
Ped.
Ped.
86
Ped.
(don't break pedal)


88
Ped.
Ped.
90
6
Ped.
Ped.
92
Ped.
Ped.
94
3
Ped.
Ped.


96
building intensity
Ped.
98
100
(don't break pedal)
102


104
f
Ped.
106
108
6
110
Allargando
ff
15ma
8va

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