

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOE

*Dedicated to Joseph Juliano on the occasion  
of his 75th birthday celebration.*

RICHARD HICKS, 10/20/2020

$\text{♩} = 108$

Flute  
Oboe  
Bassoon

*f* *p* *f* *f* *p* *f*

Detailed description: This block contains the first five measures of the piece for Flute, Oboe, and Bassoon. The music is in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat (Bb). The tempo is marked as quarter note = 108. The Flute part starts with a forte (f) dynamic, followed by piano (p) and then forte (f). The Oboe part starts with a rest, then plays a melody with forte (f) and piano (p) dynamics. The Bassoon part starts with a piano (p) dynamic and plays a melodic line.

*a bit faster*

6

*p* *f* *p*

Detailed description: This block contains measures 6 through 9. Measure 6 is marked with a piano (p) dynamic. Measure 7 is marked with a forte (f) dynamic and includes the instruction 'a bit faster'. Measure 8 is marked with a piano (p) dynamic. Measure 9 is a whole rest for all instruments. The Flute part has a melodic line with a trill-like figure in measure 7. The Oboe part has a simple harmonic accompaniment. The Bassoon part continues with its melodic line.

11 *rit.* ..... *a tempo*

*f* *p* *f* *p*

16 *rit.* ..... *rit.* ..... *rit.* .....

*f* *p* *p*

19

*f* *f* *f*

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*f* *p* *a bit faster* *f*

6 *p* *f*

11 *rit.* *a tempo* *f* *rit.* *p*

16 *f*

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Oboe

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5 *a bit faster*

11 *rit.* ..... *a tempo*

17 *rit.* .....

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Bassoon

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*p*

5 *a bit faster*  
2

11 *rit.* . . . . . *a tempo*

*f* *rit.* *p*

16 *f* *p* *f*