

JUDITH SHATIN

Love Song

Clarinet & Cello



Program Note: Love Song

Love Song, in this scoring for clarinet and cello, is an adaptation of my *Wedding Song*, a setting of verses from Christopher Marlowe's *A Passionate Shepherd to His Love*. It was initially commissioned by Sarah Davol for Double Entendre's new CD *Double Take, American Reed* on the Albany label, released in 2014. This lyrical piece, with lines that circle around each other and merge in a beautiful partnership, has been created for varied instrumental pairings. Each has their own timbral flavor. These include Oboe and Viola, for The San Marco Chamber Music Society; Alto Flute and Cello, for the Charlottesville-based duo, Terra Voce; Soprano and Alto Sax for the Decho Ensemble; oboe & flute for oboist Rachel Becker and flutist Nicole Molumby and this current version for clarinetist Rachael Cohen and cellist Kayta Panoladyan of the Pittsburgh-based Kassia Ensemble. There are additional pairings: oboe and clarinet or violin and cello. For more information visit www.judithshatin.com. -JS

World Premiere
Rachael Cohen & Kayta
Panoladyan
Steel City Clarinet Day
August 24, 2024
Shaler Area Middle School
Glen Shaw, PA

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Flowing $\text{♩} = 80$

Clarinet in B \flat

Cello

B \flat Cl.

Vc.

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Vc.

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Vc.

B \flat Cl.

Vc.

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27

B \flat Cl.

Vc.

mp < *mf*

33

B \flat Cl.

Vc.

38

B \flat Cl.

Vc.

mp

mf

mp

43

B \flat Cl.

Vc.

mf

47

B \flat Cl.

Vc.

mp

mp

54

B \flat Cl.

Vc.

mf

mf > *p* *mf*

Love Song

60

B♭ Cl.

Vc.

65

B♭ Cl.

Vc.

70

B♭ Cl.

Vc.

76

B♭ Cl.

Vc.

83

B♭ Cl.

Vc.

88

B♭ Cl.

Vc.

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