

# String Quartet IV

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Violin 1  
Standard tuning  
①=E ③=D  
②=A ④=G

Violin 2  
Standard tuning  
①=E ③=D  
②=A ④=G

Viola  
Standard tuning  
①=A ③=G  
②=D ④=C

Cello  
Standard tuning  
①=A ③=G  
②=D ④=C

♩ = 100

The musical score is written for a string quartet in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of three systems of staves for Violin 1, Violin 2, Viola, and Cello. The first system shows the beginning of the piece with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The second system continues the melody in the first violin. The third system introduces a piano (*pp*) dynamic in the second violin and viola parts. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, accents (> and <), and dynamic markings.

Violin

Violin

Viola

Cello

*mp*

*mp*

*p*

*mp*

*p*

*mp*

Violin

Violin

Viola

Cello

Violin

Violin

Viola

Cello

Violin

Violin

Viola

Cello

Violin *f*

Violin *f*

Viola *f*

Cello *f*

*ff*

*ff*

*f* *ff* *fff*

*fff* *mf*

Violin

Violin

Viola

Cello

$\text{♩} = 100$  *rall.* -----  $\text{♩} = 50$

Violin

Violin

Viola

Cello

*pp* *ppp*

*pp* *ppp*

*p* *pp* *ppp*

*pp* *ppp*