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# Karawane

A DaDa Song for Mixed Choir

Text: Hugo Ball (1917)

Music: Wytze Oostenbrug

**Lento**

SOPRANO *mf* jo - li -

ALTO *p* \* \* \* Ka - ra - wa - ne

TENOR *pp* \* \* \* Ka - ra - wa ne

BASS *pp* \* \* \* Ka - ra - wa - ne

Detailed description: This block contains the first system of the musical score for a mixed choir. It features four staves: Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass. The Soprano part begins with a rest followed by a half note 'jo' and a quarter note 'li' in a 3/4 time signature, with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The Alto, Tenor, and Bass parts enter with a piano (*p*) dynamic and sing 'Ka - ra - wa - ne' in a 3/4 time signature. The Tenor and Bass parts have a piano-piano (*pp*) dynamic. The music is marked 'Lento'. There are asterisks above the notes for 'Ka', 'ra', and 'wa' in the Alto, Tenor, and Bass parts, indicating spoken intonation. The system ends with a double bar line and a 4/4 time signature.

\* -KA-RA-WA- spoken with intonation changing into singing at -NE-  
All pronunciation like in latin.

S. *mf* fan - to jo - li - fan - to bam - bla jo - li - fan - to

A. *mf* jo - li - fan - to bam - bla jo - li - fan - to

T. *mf* jo - li - fan - to bam - bla jo - li - fan - to

B. *mf* jo - li - fan - to bam - bla jo - li - fan - to

Detailed description: This block contains the second system of the musical score. It features four staves: Soprano (S.), Alto (A.), Tenor (T.), and Bass (B.). All parts enter with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The Soprano part has a melodic line with lyrics 'fan - to jo - li - fan - to bam - bla jo - li - fan - to'. The Alto, Tenor, and Bass parts have simpler, more rhythmic lines with the same lyrics. The system starts with a measure rest (marked '8') and a 4/4 time signature, then changes to 3/4, then 5/4, and finally returns to 4/4. The system ends with a double bar line.

14 *sf* *f* **Più mosso** *mf*

S. bam-bla o fal - li bam - bla\_ gros - si - ga gros si - ga

A. bam-bla o fal - li bam - bla\_ gros - si - ga gros - gros -

T. bam-bla o fal - li bam - bla\_ gros - gros - si - ga

B. bam-bla o fal - li bam - bla\_ gros - gros -

21 *p* *pp* *mf* *pp* *f*

S. gros - si - ga mm\_ pffa\_ mm\_ ha - bla

A. gros - si - ga mm\_ ha - bla

T. gros - si - ga mm\_ pffa\_ mm\_ ha - bla

B. gros - si - ga mm\_ pffa\_ mm\_ ha - bla

29 *p* *mf* *p*

S. ho - rem\_ ho - rem é - gi - ga\_ gô - ra - mèn é -

A. ho - rem\_ ho - rem é - gi - ga gô - ra - mèn é -

T. ho - rem ha - bla ho - rem é - gi - ga\_ gô - ra - mèn é -

B. ho - rem\_ ho - rem é - gi - ga\_ gô - ra - mèn é -

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S. gi - ga gô - ra - mèn hi - go bloi - kò rus - su - la

A. gi - ga gô - ra - mèn hi - go bloi - kò rus - sul - la

T. *f* gi - ga gô - ra jo-li - fan-to jo-li-fan-to bloi - kò rus - sul - la

B. gi - ga gô - ra - mèn hi - go bloi - kò rus - sul - la

37 **Andante**

S. hu - ju hol là - ka hol - là-la *p*

A. hu - ju hol là - ka hol - là-la *p*

T. hu - ju *mf* hol - là-ka hol - là-la an - lo - go bung *mf*

B. hu jo-li-fan-to bam-bla *mf* hol - là-ka hol - là-la an - lo - go bung *mf* *hesitando*

44 **Lento**

S. an lo - gò - bung *mf* hol - là - ka hol - là - la an lo - go bung bla - gò bung *mf*

A. an lo - go - bung *mf* hol - là - ka hol - là - la an lo - go bung bla - gò bung *mf*

T. hol - là - ka *p* hol - là - la an lo - go bung bla - gò bung *mf*

B. hol - là - ka *p* hol - là - la an lo - go bung bla - gò bung *mf*

51 **Più mosso**  
*mf*

S. bla-gò bung bla-gò bung bla - gò bung bla - gò bu-ng\_ bos - só fa- ta-ka

A. bla-gò bung bla - gò bung bla - gò bu-ng\_ bos - só fa- ta-ka

T. bla-gò bung bla - gò bung jo-li-fan - to bla-gò bu-ng\_ bos - só fa- ta-ka

B. bla-gò bung bla-gò bung bla - gò bung bla - gò bu-ng\_ bos - só fa- ta-ka

59 **Lento**  
*p* *mf* *p* *mf*

S. ü ü\_\_ü\_\_ ü jo-li-fan-to bam - bla scham-pa wul - la wus - sa ó- lò-bó

A. fa - ta - ka ü jo-li-fan-to scham-pa wul - la wus - sa ó- lò-bó

T. fa - ta - ka ü scham-pa wul - la wus - sa ó- lò-bó

B. ü ü\_\_ü\_\_ jo-li-fan-to ü scham-pa wul - la wus - sa ó- lò-bó

66 **f**

S. ó - lò - bó ó - lò - bó hej tat - ta, tat - ta

A. ó - lò - bó ó - lò - bó hej tat - ta, tat - ta

T. ó - lò - bó ó - lò - bó hej tat - ta, tat - ta

B. ó - lò - bó ó - lò - bó hej tat - ta, tat - ta

70 *pp*

S. *pp*  
gô - rem é - schi - ge zun - bá - dá

A. *pp*  
gô - rem é - schi - ge zun - bá - dá

T. *pp*  
gô - rem é - schi - ge zun - bá - dá

B. *pp*  
gô - rem é - schi - ge zun - bá - dá

73 *misterioso*

S. *p* 3 3 3 3 3 3  
wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du

A. *mf* 3 3 3  
jo - - li - fan - - to bam - - bla

T. *mf* 3 3 3  
jo - - li - fan - - to bam - - bla

B. *mf* 3 3 3 3 3 3  
wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du

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S. 3 3 3 3 3 3  
wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du

A. 3  
o fal - - li bam - bla

T. 3  
o fal - - li bam - bla

B. *mf* 3 3 3 3 3 3  
wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du

75 *mf*

S. *mf*  
 é - - gi - - - ga gô - - ra - - -

A. *p*  
 wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du

T. *p*  
 wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du

B. *mf*  
 é - - gi - - - ga gô - - ra - - -

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S. *mf*  
 mèn hi - - - - go

A. *p*  
 wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du

T. *p*  
 wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du

B. *mf*  
 mèn hi - - - - go

77 *p* *mf* *pp* *mf*

S. *p*  
 wu - lu - bu ssu - bu jo-li - fan-to bu ha-bla ho-rem

A. *mf* *pp* *p*  
 jo-li-fan-to du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du u - luw ssu - bu - du

T. *f* *mf*  
 jo-li-fan - to bam-bla ha-bla ho-rem

B. *p*  
 wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du wu - lu - bu ssu - bu - du u - luw ssu - bu - du

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S. *pp*  
tum - ba ba - umf ku - sa - gau - ma u

A. *pp*  
u

T. *p* *pp*  
tum - ba ba - umf ku - sa - gau - ma

B. *pp*  
tum - ba ba - umf ku - sa - gau - ma u

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S.

A. ku - - sa - gau - ma

T. 8 jo - li - fan - u

B. ku - - - sa - gau -

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S. *ff*  
ku - sa - gau - ma ba - - umf

A. *ff*  
ba - - umf

T. *ff*  
ba - - umf

B. *ff*  
ma ba - - umf