

Dies festus

puhkpilliorkestrile

Allegretto ♩ = (112)
festivo, poco marcato

René Eespere (1953)

This musical score is for the piece "Dies festus" by René Eespere, originally from the "Puhkpilliorkestrile" (Carnegie Orchestra) collection. The tempo is marked "Allegretto" with a metronome marking of ♩ = 112, and the character is "festivo, poco marcato". The score is arranged for a full orchestra and includes vocal soloists.

Instrumentation:

- Flauto piccolo
- Flauto a becco (Plokkiflöö)
- Flauti I, II
- Oboi I, II
- Clarineti in B I, II
- Clarineti bassi in B III
- Fagotti I, II
- S. I, II
- A. I, II
- Saxofoni I, II
- T. I, II
- B.
- Corni in F I, II
- Corni III, IV
- Trombe in B I, II
- Trombe III
- Flicorno (Flügelhorn)
- Tromboni I, II
- Tromboni III
- Batteria: Piatti sosp. (gr.), Bar chimes, Silof., Campana
- Tenore in B
- Baritono in B
- Tuba
- Contrabasso
- Guitarra basso

Key Features:

- The score is written in 2/4 time.
- Dynamic markings include *f*, *sfz*, *p*, *mp*, and *pp*.
- There are several crescendos and decrescendos throughout the piece.
- The vocal soloists (Soprano and Alto) have melodic lines with sustained notes.
- The woodwinds and brasses play rhythmic patterns, often in unison or octaves.
- The percussion section includes suspended cymbals, bar chimes, and a snare drum (Silof.).