

FULL SCORE

# Toy Symphony

Allegro

*Composer Unknown (c. 1760)*



A flexible arrangement by Robert Shafer

FOR

String Orchestra



Note to the orchestra director:

Key Route Music publishes flexible arrangements that make classical music accessible while preserving authenticity. These arrangements fill a need for 17th and 18th century literature that is playable for an ensemble of musicians with a wide range of abilities.

This arrangement of the Toy Symphony allegro is unabridged and in its original key of C major. It features the free use of octave transpositions in the parts, e.g. some violins may play the bass lines while advanced cellists may play the 1st violin parts transposed down an octave. Less skilled musicians can begin with a bass line part and move to a melody part when ready.

It is hoped that students will gain skills in playing in classical styles through the study and performance of this entertaining piece.

Robert Shafer, arranger  
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Parts list:

- 8 - Violin I
- 8 - Violin II
- 4 - Violin III
- 2 - Viola I
- 4 - Viola II
- 2 - Viola III
- 2 - Cello/StB I
- 2 - Cello/StB II
- 8 - Cello/StB III
- 3 - Trumpet & Drum/Cuckoo
- 3 - Nightingale/Ratchet/Triangle

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Cuckoo

Nightingale

Ratchet

Triangle

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Violin I

Viola I

Cello/StB I

Violin II

Viola II

Cello/StB II

Violin III

Viola III

Cello/StB III

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Tr&Dr

Cku

Ntgl

Rcht

Trgl.

Vln. I

Vla. I

Vc/StB I

Vln. II

Vla. II

Vc/StB II

Vln. III

Vla. III

Vc/StB III

*tr*

*p*

*f*

*v*

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10

Tr&Dr *f*

Cku

Ntgl

Rcht

Trgl.

Vln. I

Vla. I

Vc/StB I

Vln. II

Vla. II

Vc/StB II

Vln. III *f*

Vla. III *f*

Vc/StB III *f*

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15

Tr&Dr

Cku

Ntgl

Rcht

Trgl.

Vln. I

Vla. I

Vc/StB I

Vln. II

Vla. II

Vc/StB II

Vln. III

Vla. III

Vc/StB III

*p*

*f*









## Toy Symphony

36

Tr&Dr  
*f*

Cku

Ntgl

Rcht

Trgl.

Vln. I  
*f* *p* *f*

Vla. I  
*f* *p* *f*

Vc/StB I  
*f* *p* *f*

Vln. II  
*f* *p* *f*

Vla. II  
*f* *p* *f*

Vc/StB II  
*f* *p* *f*

Vln. III  
*f* *p* *f*

Vla. III  
*f* *p* *f*

Vc/StB III  
*f* *p* *f*

Detailed description: This page of a musical score for 'Toy Symphony' contains measures 36 through 41. The score is arranged in a system with three parts: Percussion (Tr&Dr, Cku, Ntgl, Rcht, Trgl.), Violins (Vln. I, II, III), and Violas/Celli/Double Basses (Vla. I, II, III, Vc/StB I, II, III). The percussion part features a snare drum pattern in measures 36-37, followed by a cymbal pattern in measures 38-41. The string parts are divided into three sections. Each section (I, II, III) has a Violin and Viola/Celli/Double Bass line. The Violin parts feature a melodic line with trills in measures 38-39. The Viola/Celli/Double Bass parts provide harmonic support with chords and rhythmic patterns. Dynamics are marked as *f* (forte) and *p* (piano) throughout the score.









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Tr&Dr

Cku

Ntgl

Rcht

Trgl.

Vln. I

Vla. I

Vc/StB I

Vln. II

Vla. II

Vc/StB II

Vln. III

Vla. III

Vc/StB III

*p*

*f*

*p*

*f*

*p*

*f*

*f*

*f*

*f*

StB

StB

StB