



Ottavini Andrea Maria

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About the artist

Andrea Maria Ottavini - 6 November 1990, Ascoli Piceno (Italy). He starts to study music(choral music in particular) in 1996 with Mario Giorgi. In 1997, he is part of the choir "Piccole Voci" of the Elementary School "Don Giussani" of Ascoli Piceno and starts to study piano with the same music teacher. In 1998, he leaves "Piccole voci" to be part of the choir "La Corolla" of Ascoli Piceno, directed by his own music teacher. In 2003, Andrea Maria starts his activity as Composer, first with music for Recorder groups, for Piano solo and, in 2005, for orchestra and other solo instruments. Always in 2005, he takes part to the piano competition "Piccole Mani" in Perugia and, two years later, to the "Giulio Rospigliosi" Piano competition in Lamporecchio where he gains the 3rd prize in the Category D. In Decembre 2007 he wins the 1st prize in the National competition "Natale" in Città di Tremestieri Etneo(CT) in the music composers category with his effort "Reverie". In December 2008 Andrea Maria releases internationally "Square" his debut album and, soon after, in April 2009 "A.L.G.O.R.I.T.H.M.", an album of algorithmic music. At the end of 2009, he leaves "La Corolla" t...
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About the piece

Title:	Christmas March for piano and orchestra [71]
Composer:	Andrea Maria, Ottavini
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Instrumentation:	Orchestra, Piano
Style:	Christmas, Carols

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Marcia natalizia op.71 per pianoforte e orchestra

by

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a coloro che credono ancora nel vero senso del Natale

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"*Marcia dei re magi alla capanna del salvatore*" A.M.Ottavini

Andante $\text{♩} = 50$

The musical score consists of 18 staves, each representing a different instrument or section of the orchestra. The instruments listed from top to bottom are: Piano, Piccolo, Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe, English Horn, Clarinet in E♭, Clarinet in B♭ 1, Clarinet in B♭ 2, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Horn in F 1, Horn in F 2, Harp, Violin I, Violin II, Viola, Cello, and Contrabass. The score is set in 2/4 time and key signature of B-flat major (two flats). The dynamics are indicated by letters above the staves: *p* (pianissimo), *mp* (mezzo-pianissimo), *mf* (mezzo-forte), and *f* (fortissimo). The first section, labeled "Andante" with a tempo of $\text{♩} = 50$, features the piano and woodwind instruments (Piccolo, Flutes, Oboe, English Horn, Clarinets, Bassoons, Horns, and Harp) playing sustained notes and simple harmonic patterns. The woodwind instruments begin their main melodic entries around measure 10. The strings (Violins, Violas, Cellos, and Contrabass) enter in the second section, also labeled "Andante" with $\text{♩} = 50$, starting at measure 15. The strings play eighth-note patterns, while the woodwinds continue their sustained notes. The score concludes with a final section where all instruments play together.

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14 *rit.* *pp rit.* *mf* *w*

Pno.

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hp.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

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Pno.

20

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hp.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

This musical score page displays measures 4 through 20 of the piece 'Marcia natalizia op.71'. The instrumentation includes a piano, piccolo, two flutes, oboe, English horn, Eb clarinet, Bb clarinet 1, Bb clarinet 2, bassoon 1, bassoon 2, two horns, a bassoon, and strings (violin I, violin II, viola, cello, and double bass). The piano part is highly active, featuring eighth-note patterns and sixteenth-note figures. The woodwind section provides harmonic support with sustained notes. The brass and bassoon parts also contribute to the harmonic foundation. The string section begins to play in measure 20, providing rhythmic and melodic support. Measure numbers 20, 21, and 22 are visible on the left side of the score.

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Pno.

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hp.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

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6

Pno. *ff*

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hp.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

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32

Pno.

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hp.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

The musical score consists of two systems of music. The first system (measures 32-33) features the piano, piccolo, flutes, oboe, English horn, Eb clarinet, bassoon, and double bassoon. The piano has a sustained note in measure 32. The piccolo and bassoon play eighth-note patterns. The flutes, oboe, English horn, and Eb clarinet play sustained notes. The bassoon and double bassoon play eighth-note patterns. Measures 33 begin with sustained notes from the bassoon and double bassoon, followed by eighth-note patterns from the other woodwind instruments. The second system (measures 34-35) features the strings (violin I, violin II, viola, cello, and bass). Violin I and violin II play eighth-note patterns, while the viola, cello, and bass play sustained notes. Measure 35 concludes with a fermata over the bassoon and double bassoon parts.