

12 Variations on "Ah, vous dirai-je, maman"

K.265

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Thema

Musical notation for the first system of the 'Thema' section, measures 1-8. The piece is in 3/4 time. The right hand features a melody with fingerings 1, 4, 3, 2, 1, 3 2, 3, 1. The left hand provides a simple accompaniment with fingerings 1, 2, 4, 1, 2, 2, 3, 1.

Musical notation for the second system of the 'Thema' section, measures 9-16. The right hand continues the melody with fingerings 5, 5, (2) 3, (3 2) 4 3, 4, 3. The left hand accompaniment has fingerings 1, 5, 1, 2, 1, 5, 2.

Musical notation for the third system of the 'Thema' section, measures 17-24. The right hand melody has fingerings 1, 4, 3, 2, 1, 3 2, 3, 1. The left hand accompaniment has fingerings 5, 1, 2, 4, 1, 2, 2, 3, 1.

Musical notation for the first system of 'Var. I', measures 25-29. The right hand features a complex sixteenth-note pattern with fingerings 4, 2, 3, 2, 1, 4, 2, 1, 3, 2, 4, 2, 4, 1, 2, 1, 2, 4, 2, 1. The left hand has a simple accompaniment with fingerings 1, 2, 4, 2, 1, 2.

Musical notation for the second system of 'Var. I', measures 30-34. The right hand continues the sixteenth-note pattern with fingerings 2, 4, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, 5, 1, 4, 2, 1, 2, 1, 4, 2, 1, 2, 1. The left hand accompaniment has fingerings 1, 2, 2, 4, 2, 1, 5, 1.

36

2 2

41

1 2 4 2

46

1 2 1 2

Var. II

50

131 *tr*

2 1 2 1 2 1 5 1 5

55

5 5 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1

60

3 4 3
1
3 4 3
1

3 1
5 1
4 1

2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 4 2 1 2 1

65

3 1
5 2 1

2 3 2
1 2

5 4 4 5

4 1 2 1 2 1 5 2 1 5 1 5

70

4 5 3 4 5 3 5 3 2 4 2 1

5 5

74 **Var. III**

3 1 3 3 4 3 3 4 5 1 2 4 5

5 4 5 2 4 1 3 1 2

80

5 4 5 1 2 3 2 3 4 3 5 4 2 1 5 3 4 2 1 2 4

3 5 1 2 4 3 1 5 2 1

86

3 2 1 3 4 2 1 3 4 2 1 3 4 1 3 1 3 1 3

2 5 2 4 5 1 4 5

92

3 1 3 4 3 1 4 5 2 1 4 5 4 5 1 2 3 2

2 4 1 2 3 1 2 4 3

98 **Var. IV**

5 2 1 1 5 3 1 4 5 1 4 1 5 3 1 5 3 2

5 4 2 1 2 1 5 3 2 1 2 1 5 4 2 1 2 2 2

104

5 3 1 4 2 1 5 3 3 1 2 1

5 4 2 5 3 2 1 3 2 1 5 4 3 1 2 3

110

5 3 1 2 5 3 5 1 5 3 1 4

5 3 2 1 3 2 3 1 2 5 1 2 1 5

116

5 1 4 1 5 3 1 5 3 1 5 3 1 4 2 1

122 **Var. V**

1 4 4 2 3 2 3 1 3 2

3 1 1 3 1 2 2

128

3 2 5 4 2 3

4 1 5

134

4 4 3 4 1 4

5 3

140

5 3 1 2 4 3 1 2 4 3 5 2 5 1 2

2 3 1 3 5

Var. VI

146

5 2 1
5 3 1
4 2 1
5 4 1
5 4 1
5 3 2
5 4 1
5 3 1

1 3
1 3 2 4
1 3
1 4
1 2
1 3 2 4
1 2
2 3 4 3 5

151

5 4 1
5 3 2
5 2 1
4 2 1
5 2 1

1 2
(1 2) 3 4 1 2
3 4 3 5
1
1 2
2 4
1 5
3 1

156

3 2 1
1
3
1 2 3 1
3 2 1
1 2

161

3 4 2 3
1 4 2 3
5 2 1
5
4
5 4
5 4
5 3 2

1 3
1 3 2 4
1 3
1 4
1 2
1 3 4

166

5 4
5 3
4 2 1

1 2
3 4 3 5
1 2
(1 2) 3 4 1 2
3 4 3 5
1

Var. VII

170

1 1 1 1 2 1 4 1 3 1 2 1 1 5 1 4

175

5 4 5 4 5 3 2 1 3 2 1 4 3 3 2

180

1 2 5 1 3 2 1 3 2 1 4 3 3 2 2 5

186

1 1 1 2 1 4 3 1 1 5

190

5 4 5 4 5 4 5 4 5 3 2

194 **Var. VIII**

1 5 3 4 1 5 3 4 1 3 1

5 4 1 2

200

4 2 3 5 4 5 4 5 4 2 5 5 1 2 1 2 1

1 2 1 4

206

4 5 3 4 5 1 2 3 1 1 2

1 1 4 4 4 4

212

4 3 1 5 3 4 1 3 1 4 2 3

2 1 4 3 2 4 1 2 1 2 1

Var. IX

218

1 4 3 4 2 3 1 4 2 3 1 4 5

5 4 1

226

5 4 1 4 3 5 4 5 3

1/4 2/5 1/4 1/5 1/4 1/5

234

5 3 5 2 5 4 1 3 1 4 5

1/4 1 3 1 3 1 3 1

242 **Var. X** *m.s.*

5 2 5 1 5 4 2 5 3

2 5 2 2 4 2 1 5 2 5 1 1 1

5 1/4 1/5

247

5 3 4 2 5 4 5 3 2 1 2 3

1 1 1 1 2 5 1 5 1 4

1/4 1/5 2

252

4 4 2 3 4 2 5 2 4 2 5 3 5 3 4 2

1 5 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

5 4 5 5 4 5 4 5 4

257 *m.s.*

262

Var. XI
Adagio

266 *fp* *fp*

270 *tr*

274

278

281

286

Var. XII
Allegro

290

293

296

3
4 2 1
5 2 1
4 3 2 3
5 1 2 1

299

4 3 2 3
5 1 2 1
4 3 2 3
5 2 3 2
4 3 2 3
5 1 2 1

302

4 3 2 3
5 1 2 1
4 3 2 3
5 1
4 3 2 3
5 1

305

4 3 2 3
5 1 2 1
5 3 2
5 1
2 3 2
5 1 2
5

308

5 4 1
4 1 2 1
4 2 1
5 2 1
(1 3 1)
3 4 3
5 2 3
2 3 2
5 2 1
5

311

232 *tr* 1 2 3 4 2 1

1. 5 2 1

314

2. (131) 343 *tr* 2 3 2 232 *tr* 1 2 1 232 *tr* 1 2

317

3 4 2 1 5 1 1 3 1 2 5 2 3 1 4 2 3 1 4 2 3 1 3

320

2 1 3 1 2 5 2 3 1 4 2 1 4 2 1 3 2 3 2 1 3 2 1

323

3 2 3 1 2 1 3 2 1 3 2 1 3 2 1 3 2 3 5 3 2 1 2 3