

Viola

Twenty-One Birds

for string quartet and digital acoustics

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Allegretto ♩ = 60

Whooping Crane

Yellow Billed Cuckoo

Yellow Crowned Night Heron

Short-Eared Owl

Lark Sparrow

10 *p.* **5** *p* *mp* *f* Dickcissel

14 **B** *pp* Cerulean Warbler

16 *f* *fp* *f* *mf* *3* *3* Red Shouldered Hawk

20 *arco* *f* *ff* *pp* King Rail

22 **C** *pizz.* *f* *arco* *ff* *f* La Conte's Sparrow Whip-poor-will

25 *frum* *pizz. arco*

ppp *ppp* *f* *ff* *f* *p*

Acadian Flycatcher

27

pp *ff*

Purple Martin

29

f *p* *pp*

31 **D**

mp *f*

Henslow Sparrow Lark Sparrow

32

p *f*

35 **E**

mp *f*

37 *mp mp f*

40 *ff* **F** *f* *ppp*

Kirtland Warbler

42 **G** *fff* (E7) (E6) *f* *3*

Loggerhead Shrike Greater Prairie Chicken

48 **H** *f* Dawn Chorus

49

52

53

55 *tr*

57 *tr*

58 *(tr)* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr*

61 **I**

pp
Sharp-Tailed Grouse

63 *ff* 5

70 **J** *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr*

Birds Take Flight

72 *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr*

73 *(tr)* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr*

75 *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr*

76 *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *ff* *f*

78 *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *ff* **K**

80 *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *tr* *ff*

pp (D#7)

83 *arco* *ff* *pizz.* *arco* *f* *p* *arco* *ppp* **L**

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86 *Diskcissel*