Times of Day

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INTERLUDE II

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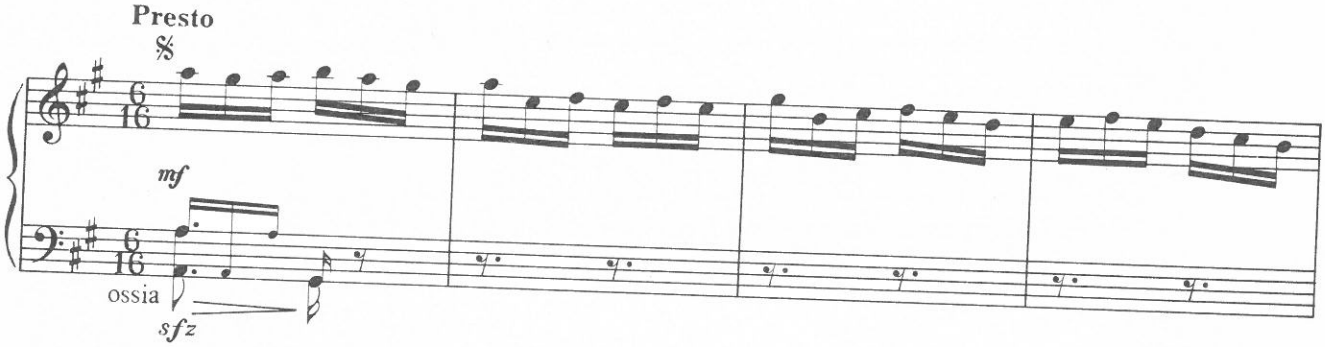

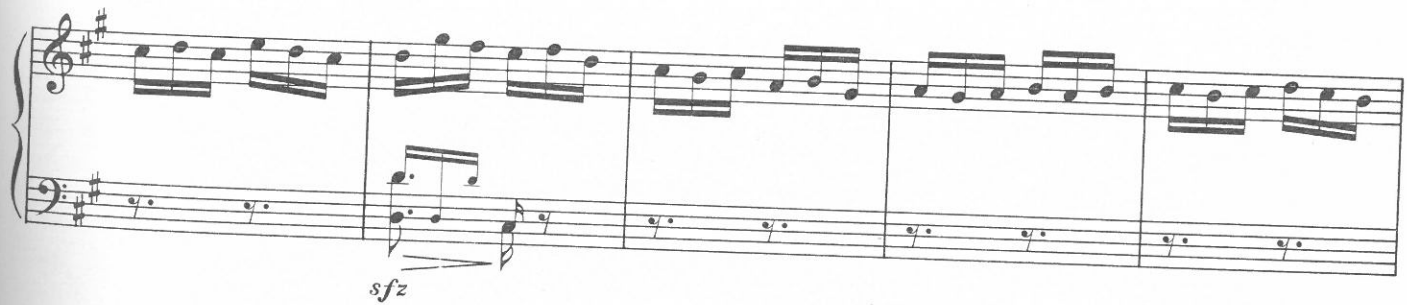

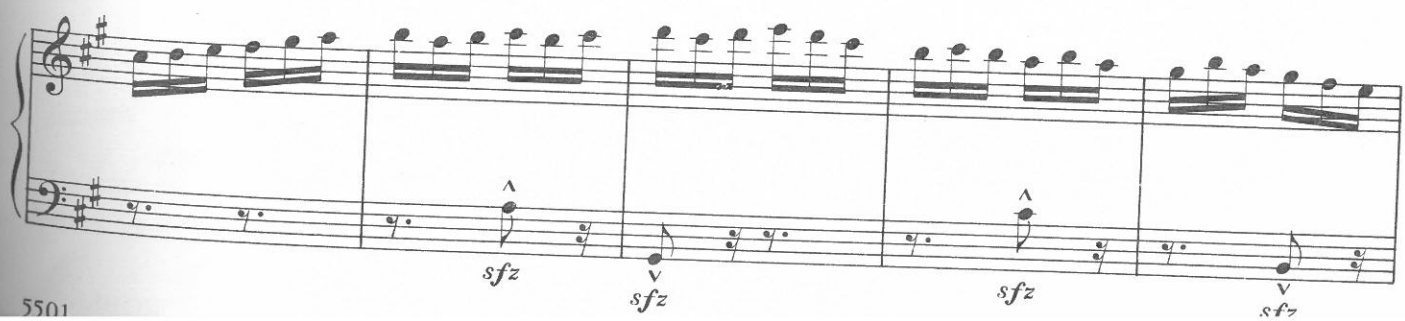

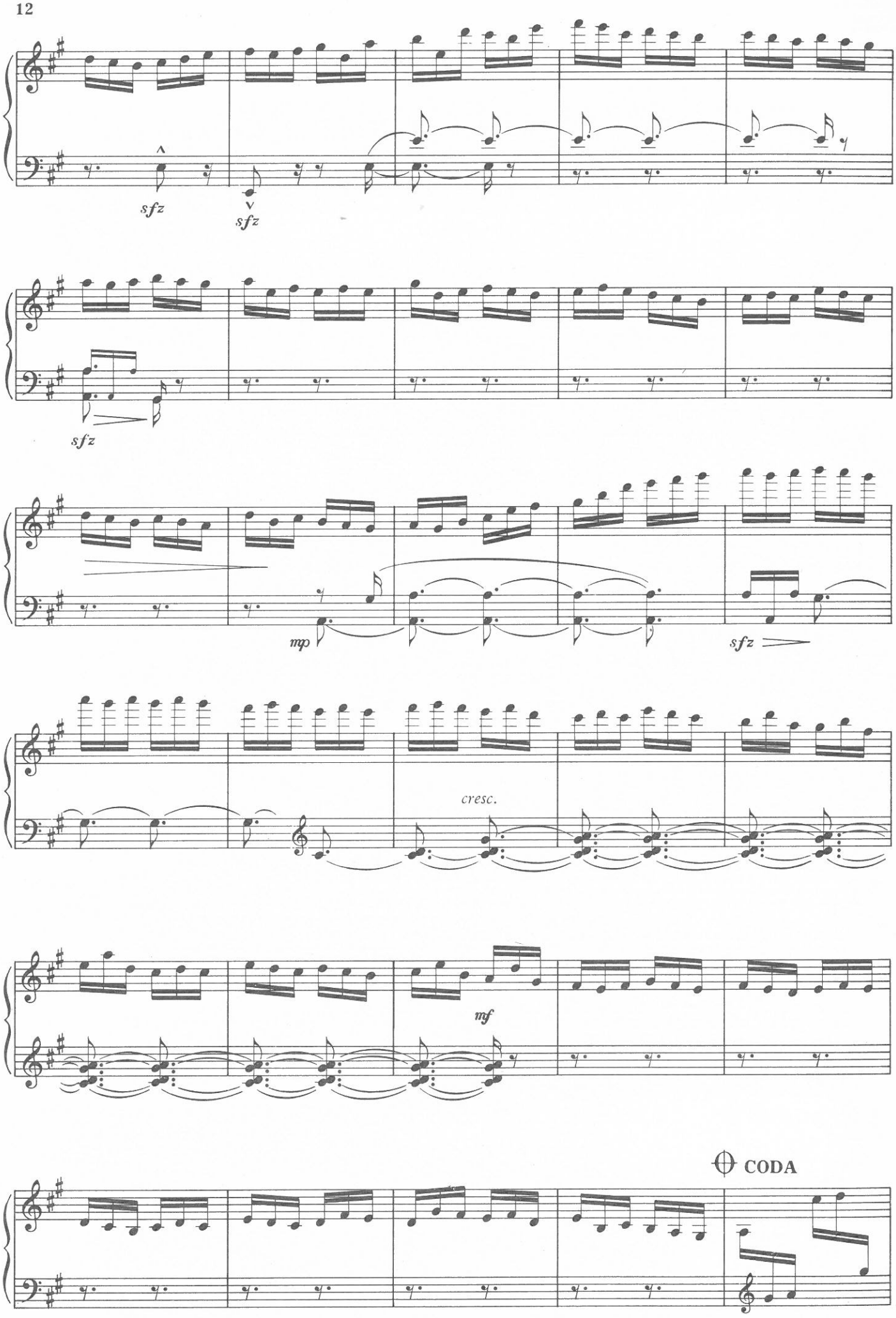
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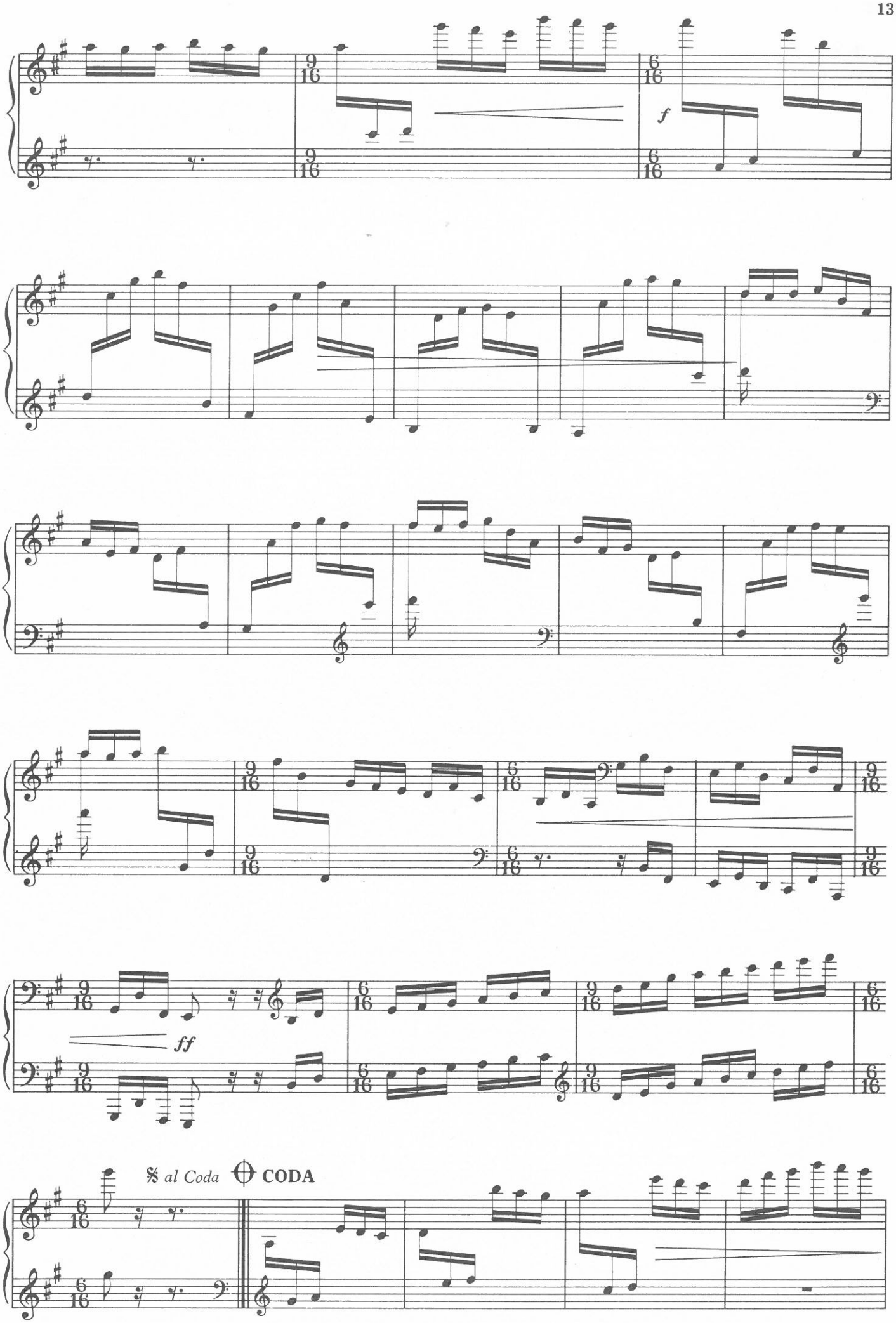
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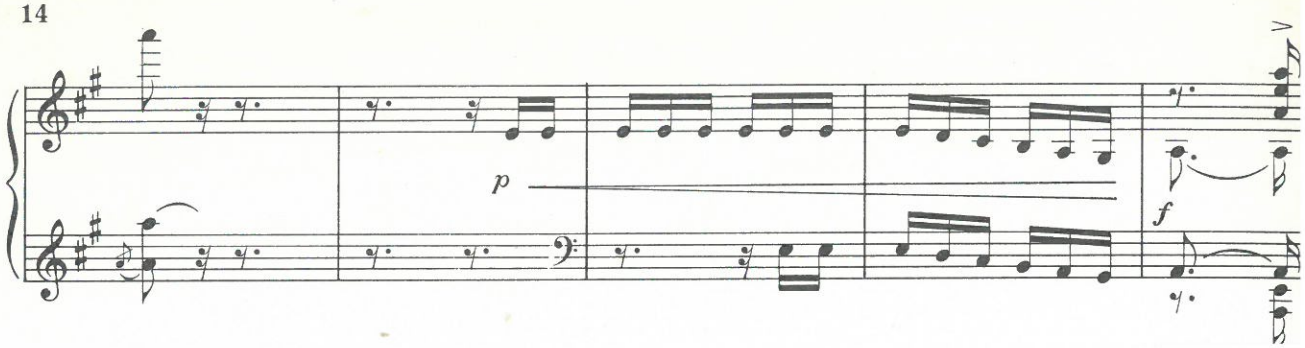
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about CHARLES CAMILLERI

born in Malta 1931, Charles Camilleri was to train as a lawyer but abandoned law for music in 1948. Between 1954 and 1959 he lived in London, where he returned in 1967. He has travelled extensively working as conductor and composer in Australia, Canada, USA and many other countries. His *Maqam* for piano and orchestra was performed at Expo 70 in Japan; *Missa Mundi,* a 45-minute work for organ, has been recorded by Gillian Weir on the organ of the Royal Festival Hall; and his *Piano trio,* first performed at the Cheltenham Festival 1972, is already recognised as a significant addition to the body of music for piano, violin and cello. Other major works in his output include the song-cycle *God* for Soprano, four flutes and four Percussion, *City of brass* for piano and brass instruments and his symphony *Earth.*

Believing in the possibility and value of a synthesis of cultures and philosophies, Camilleri draws on Asian, African and European sources for inspiration and material and has evolved an individual style which commands universal respect and interest. His works for piano solo are major contributions to contemporary piano repertoire.