

# Gustav Holst

## The Planets

OBOE 3  
doubling Bass Oboe

### I Mars, the Bringer of War

Bass Oboe

Allegro

4 3

*mp* *p* *cresc.*

14 17 Ob. 1 *mf dim.* *f cresc.*

37 2 *ff sempre cresc.* *fff*

43 7

54 3

59

64 1 4 9 Trp. 1 3 3

78 5 9 *f*

Detailed description: This is a page of a musical score for Oboe 3, which also plays the Bass Oboe. The score is for Gustav Holst's 'The Planets, I Mars, the Bringer of War'. The tempo is marked 'Allegro'. The music is written in 5/4 time. The score consists of seven staves of music. The first staff starts at measure 4 and ends at measure 17. The second staff starts at measure 14 and ends at measure 17. The third staff starts at measure 37 and ends at measure 43. The fourth staff starts at measure 43 and ends at measure 54. The fifth staff starts at measure 54 and ends at measure 59. The sixth staff starts at measure 59 and ends at measure 64. The seventh staff starts at measure 64 and ends at measure 78. The score includes various dynamics such as *mp*, *p*, *cresc.*, *mf dim.*, *f cresc.*, *ff sempre cresc.*, *fff*, and *f*. There are also performance markings like '4', '3', '1', '2', '3', '4', '5', '9', 'Trp. 1', and '3'. The score is written in a single system with a key signature of one flat (B-flat major/D minor).

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93 *ff*

95 (*d = d*)

6 4

*p*

102

7

*p*

105

108

*mf* *fff*

111

117

125

3

*fff*

8

135

6

*f*

1

9

147

152

*cresc.*

157

10

162

167 *ffff* *mf* *p cresc.* 1 ⑪ 1

175 *mf cresc.* ⑫ Rall. al Fine 7

Oboe 3

II Venus, the Bringer of Peace

Adagio

14 *p* *pp* 2 5 1 6

30 *mf* *pp* 5

36 *mf* 4 ②

45 *f* 4 5 Rall.

60 *f* ③ 8 ④ 2 ④ 2 2 Fl. 1,2

82 *p* *mf* *pp* 2 7 ⑤ 5

101 *p* *pp* 11 4 ⑥ 4 E.H.

126 *pp* ⑦ 5 5