Composed by

# AMY D. RUBIN

Arranged by

## Luca Millard-Kish & Amy D. Rubin

Orchestrated by

## Luca Millard-Kish

# IMAGININGS

for chamber orchestra

### PROGRAM NOTES:

*Imaginings* is a four-movement Suite for Chamber Orchestra sketched during COVID and arranged and orchestrated in August 2023. It's inspired by my fascination with the magical ability of dramatic music to evoke characters, actions, and emotions, and in doing so create wordless stories through sound. Despite being rooted in my love of theater and film scores, *Imaginings* has no visuals or words joined to it, by design.

Nineteenth century tone poems like Berlioz's Symphonie fantastique were sometimes accompanied by "programs" written by the composer to share the narrative they'd imagined while creating the piece. Here, I offer you no program. Instead, I hope that as you listen you may experience moments of confusion, fear, grief, amusement, joy, tenderness, and finally, resolve. I would like *Imaginings* to take you to new places that only you can imagine.

Single movements of *Imaginings* or multiple movements in any combination are available for performance.

More thanks than I can ever express go to my collaborator Luca Millard-Kish, who has brought this music to life with his wonderfully inventive, well crafted, and vividly imaginative orchestrations and arrangements.

— Amy D. Rubin

Dedicated to my Mother, Esther Rubin 1916-2012, my favorite storyteller

#### I: WHEN

orchestrated by Millard-Kish, arranged by Millard-Kish and Rubin (ca. 3' 30" - p.1)

#### II: THEN

orchestrated by Millard-Kish, arranged by Millard-Kish (ca. 4' - p.35)

#### III: NOW

orchestrated by Millard-Kish, arranged by Millard-Kish and Rubin (ca. 3' 30" - p.60)

#### IV: FOREVER

orchestrated by Millard-Kish, arranged by Millard-Kish (ca. 2' 30" - p.89)

### INSTRUMENTATION

Flute Oboe Clarinet in Bb (optional part for Clarinet in A) Bassoon

2 Horns in F 2 Trumpets in Bb Trombone Tuba

#### Percussion (3 players)

- 1 Tam-tam, Suspended Cymbal (w/sizzle), Mark tree, Chimes, Whip, Bongos, Glockenspiel, Bass Drum, Wood Blocks, Triangle, Snare Drum, Shaker
- 2 Suspended Cymbal, Tom-toms, Crotales, Bass Drum, Mark tree, Glockenspiel, Shaker, Tambourine, Tam-Tam, Snare Drum, Cymbals
- 3 Vibraphone, Tom-toms, Bongos, Bass Drum, Whip, Triangle, Crash Cymbals

Strings

Duration: ca. 13' 30" email: Arubin7540@comcast.

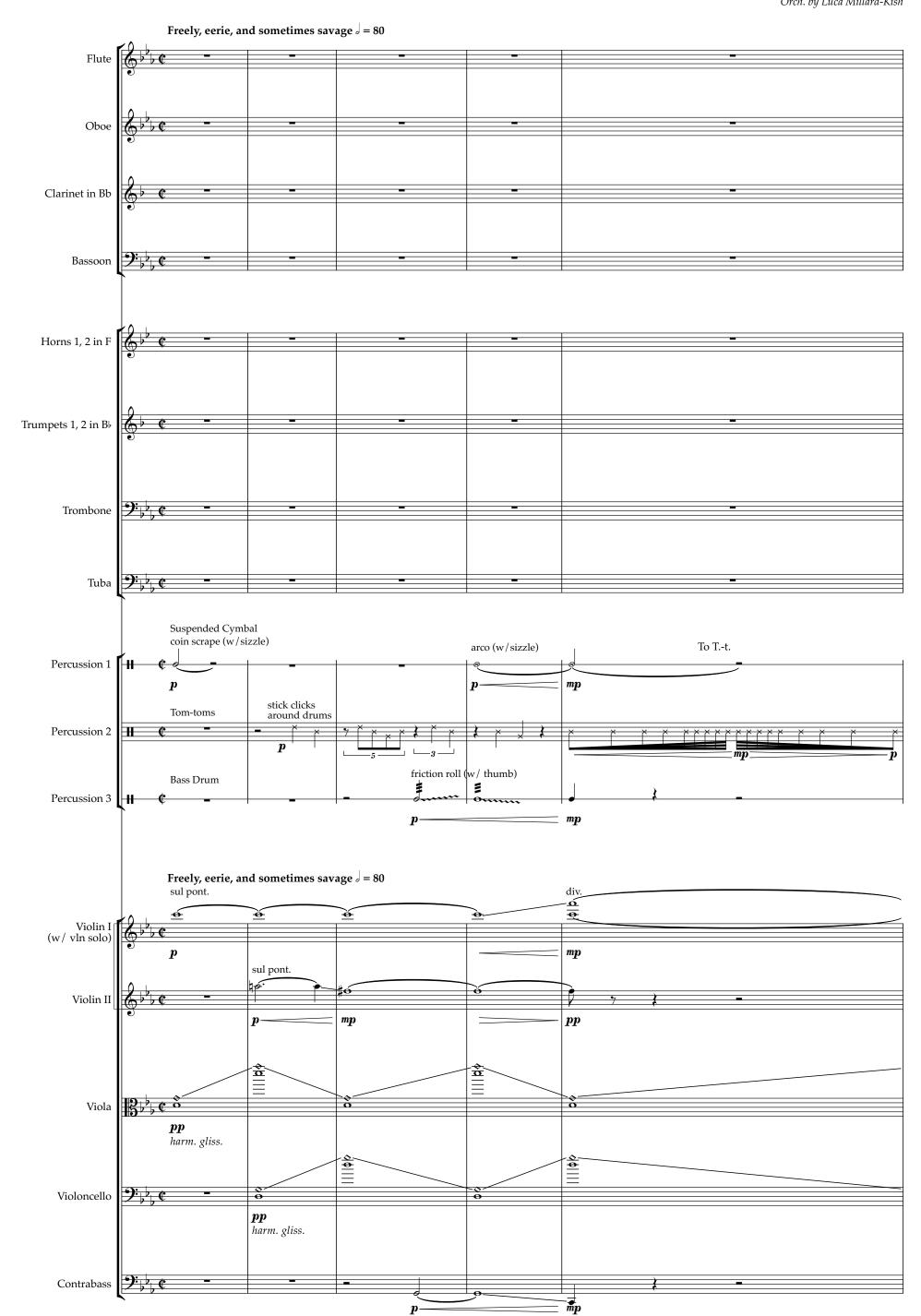
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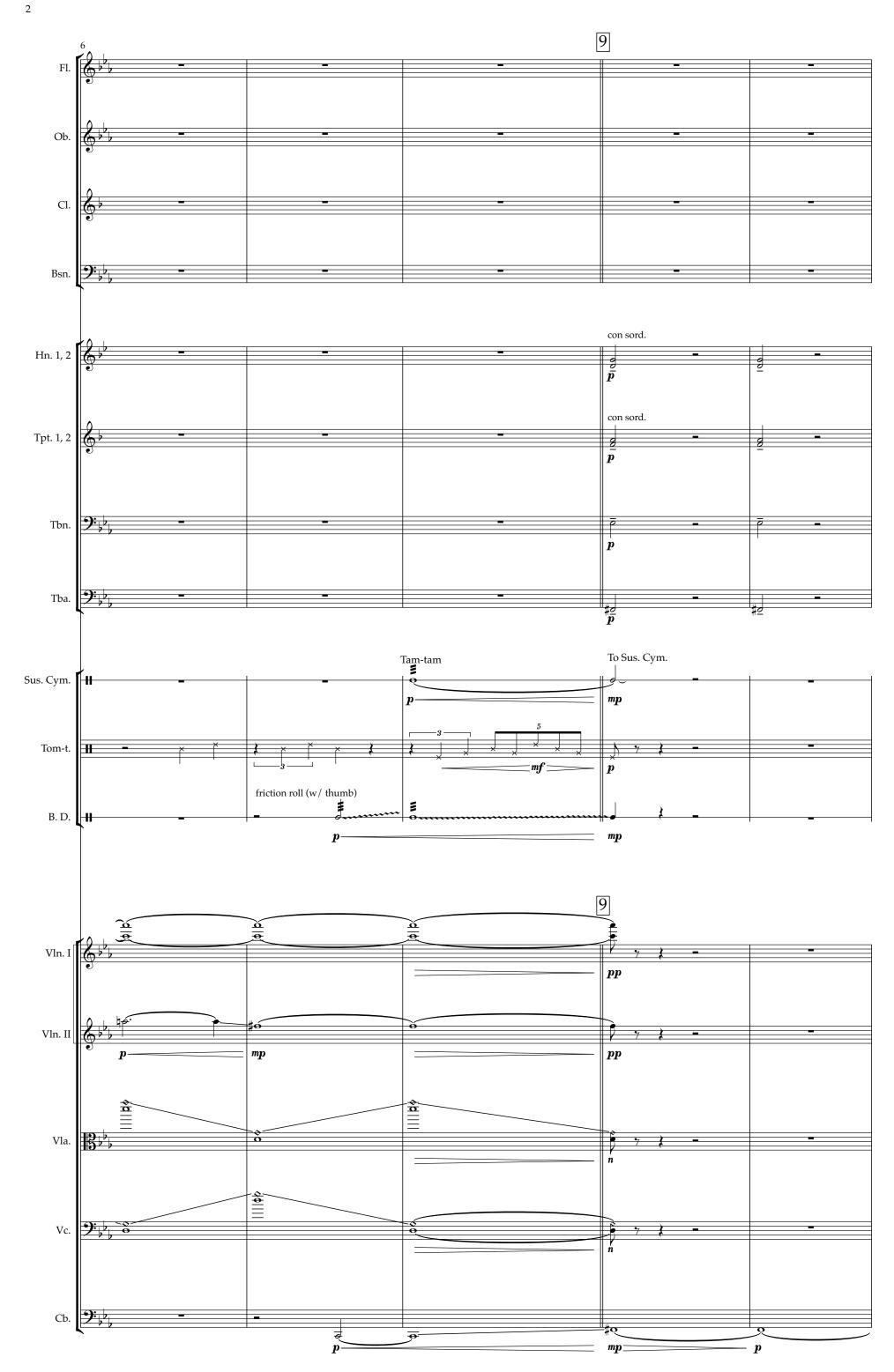
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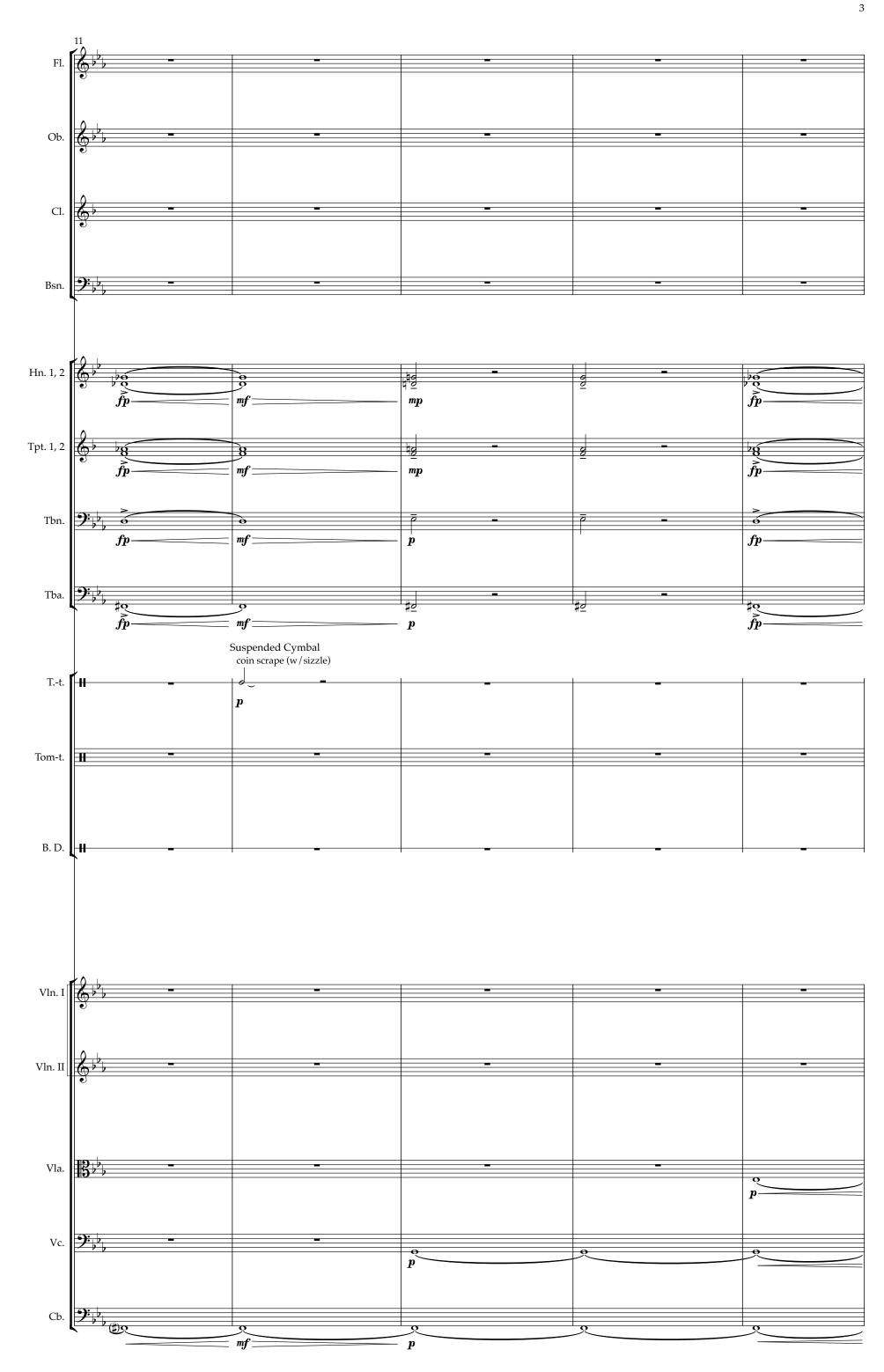
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#### Mvt. I - WHEN

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