

for Bethan James

Glacial source

for solo piano

Ed Scolding

A glacial source, or glacial headwater, is melted ice from a glacier that becomes the source of a river. This piece imagines this water at different stages; the glacier knawing at rock; ice melting; water trickling.

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All tempo markings are approximate.
 Dynamics between the staves apply to both staves.
 Dynamics outside the staves apply to the nearest staff only.
 repeated notes under a slur should sound separately.
 = depress key silently

♩ = 100 Freely, with expression -
 repeated notes should not sound identical

harsh *8^{va}* *15^{ma}*

ff pp ppp f mf

Ped.

8 *(15)* *vast* *mf*

mp fff p mp pp

8^{vb} 8^{vb}

♩ = 95 slow, dreamy, blurred
 molto espress.

13 *p* *mp* *pp* *mp* *pp*

p mp pp mp pp

mf Half-pedal Ped.

21 *mp* *pp* *mp* *ppp*

mp pp mp ppp

Ped.

30 *p* *mp* *8^{va}* *mp*

p mp mp

8^{va} Ped.

34 faster, bold ♩=100

f *mp* *mf* 8va

con ped.

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37

f *mf*

40 becoming warmer, legato

mf senza ped.

44 slower, with rubato ♩=95 warmly

f *p* *mp* *p* Ped.

slow ♩=55

accel.

51

mp

sim.

steady, flowing ♩=75

sim.

53

espress.

p

Red.

sim.

55

mp

mf

mp

57

f

59

>mp