

# 3. Silent Night

arr. Matt Turner

Andante cantabile (♩ = 72)

The musical score is written for Cello 1 in 3/4 time, key of G major. It consists of six staves of music. The first staff begins with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic and ends with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The second staff, starting at measure 6, features a forte (*f*) dynamic and includes a circled letter 'A' above the staff. The third staff, starting at measure 11, returns to a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic. The fourth staff, starting at measure 17, features a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic and includes a circled letter 'B' above the staff. The fifth staff, starting at measure 22, returns to a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The sixth staff, starting at measure 28, features a forte (*f*) dynamic and includes a circled letter 'C' above the staff with the instruction "soulful and jazzy". The score concludes at measure 33.

NOTE: At letter C, Cello 1 should improvise a solo (a suggested solo is provided). Swing the eighth notes. Use the blues scale G, B $\flat$ , C, C $\sharp$ , D, E, F. The ensemble will continue on cue at letter D after improvisation is completed.



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**D** (On cue)

44

*mf* *f*

**E**

49

*mp*

55

*mf*

**F**

60

*f*

66

*mf* *mf* *rit.* *mf*