

The English Horn from *People of Note* (BBS Edition)

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Lachrymose (♩ = c. 60)

Soprano

English Horn

doloroso

mp

The English Horn, I must re-veal,

p *mf* *p*

Has no con - nec-tion with John Peel; In fact, Old John

mf *p* *mf*

would find it mean-er To play on than a vac-uum cleaner. a

mp *p*

vac - uum clean - er. Itstone Its tongue would make his hors - es skit-tish,

mf

For it is nei - ther horn - nor British. British.

cresc. *f (indignantly)* *f pomposo*

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mf

mp (*calmly*) *p* *mf*

Some call it _____ (to in-crease this tan-gle) _____ The Cor An-glais, _____

mp

mp *f* *ff* *f*

_____ or horn with an-gle, _____ Con-cern-ing which I'm glad to state _____ The English Horn _____ is

cresc. *ff* *f*

mp *senza vibrato, slack jaw*

long and straight. is long _____ and straight. _____

mp (*subito*) *mf* *dim.* *p*

ord. vib. *p*

_____ (t) _____ Its mis-er - y _____ and con-stant _____

mp *molto doloroso* *p*

dwel-ling On trag-e-dy _____ has caused a swelling Just where the dole-ful note e-merg-es;

mp *cresc.* *f* *dim.*
Im-bued Im-bued Im-bued with mel-an-chol-y mel-an-chol-y Im-bued with mel-an-chol-y

cresc. *f* *dim.*

surg-es

mf *p* *p*

p simply
This makes an En-glish Horn ca-den-za Sound

fear-ful-ly like in-flu-en-za.

mf

mp *f* *pp* *(sneezando)*