

Score

for Brent Young and Laura Madsen
Suite from "Carnival of the Animals"
for Viola and Piano

*Welcome to Carnival of the Animals by Camille Saint-Saëns,
a collection of creative musical pieces depicting various animals.
We begin with the "Royal March of the Lion."*

Camille Saint Saens
arr. CJ Madsen

The musical score is arranged for Viola and Piano. It begins with a 4/4 time signature. The first system shows the Viola part with a fermata and the Piano part with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The tempo is marked "Majestic" with a quarter note equal to 120 (♩ = 120). The second system shows the Viola part with a fermata and the Piano part with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The tempo is marked "Faster" with a quarter note equal to 152 (♩ = 152). The score is divided into systems of 8, 15, and 20 measures. The Viola part features a melodic line with various intervals and dynamics. The Piano part features a complex accompaniment with triplets and chords.

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*Hens and roosters peck
their way into the scene.*

24 **Faster** ♩ = 160
Vla. *mp*
Pno. *mp*

29
Vla.
Pno.

34
Vla.
Pno.

38
Vla.
Pno.

*A tired tortoise attempts to dance
the Can-can, slowly . . . oh, so slowly.*

Slow ♩ = 44

42

Vla. *p*

Pno. *p*

46

Vla.

Pno.

49

Vla.

Pno.

*An elephant prances playfully---
the best that he knows how.*

Adagio ♩ = 36

52

Vla.

Pno. *f* *p*

64

Vla.

Pno.

*Mules! Stubborn mules!
They bray like fools!*

73 **Faster** ♩ = 120

Vla.

Pno.

f

82

Vla.

Pno.

*And lastly comes a graceful swan---
swimming with its head erect.*

88 **Graceful** ♩ = 63

Vla.

Pno.

mf

p

91

Vla.

Pno.

93

Vla.

Pno.

95

Vla.

Pno.

98

Vla.

Pno.

8^{va}

*For the grand finale, this carnival of animals
race and chase in wild abandon!*

101 **Playful** ♩ = 168

Vla. *mf*

Pno. *mp*

108

Vla. *f*

Pno. *mf*

115

Vla. *ff*

Pno. *f*

Genesis 7:7-9

122

Vla.

Pno.