

for the Madsen children and the 250th Anniversary of the Midnight Ride, 1775-2025

11. It Was One

from "Paul Revere's Ride"

for Voice and Piano

CJ Madsen

Urgent $\text{♩} = 120$

The musical score is written for voice and piano in 6/8 time. It consists of four systems of music. The first system (measures 1-8) has a key signature of one flat and a common time signature of 6/8. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line. The second system (measures 9-16) continues the piano accompaniment. The third system (measures 17-24) includes a change in piano accompaniment with chords in the left hand. The fourth system (measures 25-32) concludes the piece with a final chord in the piano accompaniment.

Chord markings: Gm, D, Gm, Cm, Gm, Cm, Gm, Cm, Gm, D, Gm.

Lyrics:
It was one by the vill - age clock, When he gal - loped in - to Lex - ing - ton. He
saw the gil - ded wea - ther cock Swim in the moon - light as he passed, And the
meet - ing house win - dows, blank and bare, Gaze at him with a spec - tral glare, As
if they al - rea - dy stood a - ghist at the bloo - dy work they would look u - pon.

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