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Quadrivual Quandary by Andrew York— A Four-Voice Study for the Left Hand

Here's an exquisite little chord study that Andy has written for the left hand. There are just a few things to keep in mind while working on it:

1. Take your time—a slow tempo and quick, accurate movements are the key.
2. Always visualize the next chord in your mind's eye before moving there.
3. Observe all held notes.
4. Although the ideal tempo is ♩ = 80, begin much slower and without a metronome. A metronome would force you to stay with the beat and move to the next chord whether you are ready or not.

Quadrivual Quandary

Andrew York

Andante (Legato)

♩ = 80 - 92

The musical score for "Quadrivual Quandary" is written for the left hand in 4/4 time. It begins with a mezzo-piano (mp) dynamic and a half note rest. The first staff contains several chords and single notes, with fingerings indicated by numbers 1-4. A circled number 2 indicates a specific measure. The second staff continues with more chords and single notes, including a circled number 3. The third staff begins with a half note chord and continues with more chords and single notes, including a circled number 5. The score concludes with a final chord and a double bar line. A "harm. XII" marking is present in the first staff.

harm.
with right hand
XIX

22

relax tempo

molto rit.