

dedicated to the Pikes Peak Music Teachers Association (2010)

# Purple Mountain Majesties

based on *America the Beautiful*

Majestically (♩. = ca. 100)

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The musical score is written for piano in 6/8 time, featuring a key signature of two sharps (D major). It consists of five systems of music, each with a treble and bass clef staff. The first system begins with a dynamic marking of *f* and includes fingering numbers 5, 2, and 1 above the first measure. The second system starts at measure 5 and includes a dynamic marking of *mf* and the instruction "with pedal" below the first measure. The third system starts at measure 11. The fourth system starts at measure 17 and includes a dynamic marking of *p*. The fifth system starts at measure 21 and includes a dynamic marking of *mp*. The score concludes with a final measure in the treble clef staff.

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