

# **THE POWER OF ROME AND THE CHRISTIAN HEART**

**PERCY ALDRIDGE GRAINGER**  
(1882–1961)

**FOR MILITARY BAND AND PIPE OR ELECTRIC ORGAN  
(STRING ORCHESTRA AT WILL)**

**VIOLIN 1**

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for Military Band and Pipe or Electric Organ (String Orchestra at will)

1st Fiddles (Violins I) (optional)

\*The unfoldment of musical feelings started by thoughts of the agony of Individual Souls in conflict with The-Powers-That-Be — as when the Early Christians found themselves at strife with the Power of Ancient Rome.

Quietly Flowing (1st speed)

The musical score consists of ten staves of music, each with a key signature and time signature. The instruments mentioned in the score include Organ single, Hns. (Horns), Trbs. (Tubas), 1st Speed (Fiddles/Violins I), 2nd Speed (Fiddles/Violins II), 5 Fl. (Flutes), 3 Fl. (Flutes), and 1st & 2nd Trombones. The score includes dynamic markings such as *p*, *mf*, *f*, *pp*, *mp*, *fff*, and *z*. Performance instructions like "quietly flowing", "slightly slower", "In time", "More flowingly (2nd Speed)", "singing", "slow off slightly", "Faster", "slow off", "(slow off)", "louden lots", and "2nd Speed" are also present. Measure numbers 10, 11, 14, 24, 30, 36, 53, 57, 62, 70, and 73 are indicated throughout the score.

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**78** # Faster

**83** still faster

**87** Quicken 6

**94** 2nd Speed slow off

**98** Slow (1st Speed)

**102** fff detached

**107** In time (1st Speed)

**114** very feelingly

**120** 2nd Speed 6

**129** Slowly flowing (1st Speed)

**134**

*(accompanying the Violas)*

**mf** *feelingly*

**fff** *mf* *feelingly*

**slow off**

**split** *louden lots*

**f** *slow off*

**fffff** *detached*

**soften slightly**

**slow off**

**1**

**1**

**v**

**f**

**p**

**slow off**

**1**

**1**

**v**

**f**

**<lots>**

**f**

**lots**

**f**

**lots**

**ff**

**114**

**f**

**lots**

**lots**

**ff**

**mp**

**p**

**pp**

**ppp**

**split**

**feelingly**

**Slowly flowing (1st Speed)**

**mp**

**Quicken**

**slow off**

**in time**

**slow off**

**Vln. II.**

**138** *In time* Quicken **141** *In time* Quicken slow off

**I** **145** *In time*

**4 Singles (4 soli)**

**150** 1<sup>st</sup> Speed 1 (rubato) 3 **154** 1 1 2 1 1 **160** (Hm.) 1 2

**166** In time 3 **170** 3

Oboe Cello solo Cellos

**Single(solo)** **179**

**The rest**

**188** 23 **433** 448 23

**mf** **f=p**