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*S.Yu. Zhukovsky.
“Living Room with a Grand Piano”,
1916–1917*

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Elegy for the 150th anniversary of S.V. Rachmaninoff (version I)

Yu.L. Shevchenko

Lento $\text{♩}=50$ poco rit. A tempo poco rit. A tempo

5 poco rit. A tempo poco rit.

8 rit.

12 accel. rit.

p *pp* *mf*

17 *A tempo*

19 rit.

21 *A tempo*

23 rit.

p

25 **A tempo** *mf*

27 *rit.* **To Coda** **A tempo** *pp*

29 **Lento** $\text{♩} = 45$

31 *poco rit.*

33 *rit.* **D.S. al Coda** *pp*

36 **Grave** $\text{♩} = 40$ *pp* *poco rit.* **accel.**

39 $\text{♩} = 40$ *rit.*

41 *rit.* $\text{♩} = 40$ *ppp*



G.E. Chambers.
"S.V. Rachmaninoff at the Piano",
 1930

Elegy for the 150th anniversary of S.V. Rachmaninoff *(version II)*

Yu.L. Shevchenko

$\text{♩} = 68$ **Moderato**

mp 6 6 3 6

Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

5 3 6 6 3

Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

9 6 3 3 3

Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

12 6 6 3 3 6 3

Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

15 6 3 6 6 3

Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

19

22

25

28 **Più mosso**

32 **A tempo**

36

39

42

Elegy "Prayer"

Yu.L. Shevchenko



K.A. Somov.
"Portrait of Composer
S.V. Rachmaninoff",
1925

Largo ♩=45

pp *dolce*

rit. - - - A tempo

3

5

8

11

3

The musical score for "Elegy 'Prayer'" is presented in four systems. The first system (measures 1-4) begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a 4/4 time signature. The tempo is marked "Largo" with a quarter note equal to 45 beats per minute. The dynamics are "pp" (pianissimo) and the mood is "dolce". The second system (measures 5-7) continues the melody and accompaniment. The third system (measures 8-10) includes a "rit." (ritardando) marking and a "A tempo" instruction. The fourth system (measures 11-14) concludes the excerpt, featuring a triplet of eighth notes in measure 11. The bass line consists of chords and moving lines in the left hand, often marked with "Ped." (pedal) and "Red." (redaction) symbols.

13 poco rit. - - - - - A tempo

mp

3 3

This system contains measures 13 and 14. Measure 13 begins with a piano introduction marked 'poco rit.' and ends with a double bar line. Measure 14 starts with a new tempo 'A tempo' and a dynamic of 'mp'. The right hand features a melody with a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand has a steady eighth-note accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#).

15

3 3

This system contains measures 15 and 16. Measure 15 continues the 'A tempo' section with a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand. Measure 16 features a sustained chord in the right hand and a moving line in the left hand. The key signature has one sharp (F#).

17 rit. - - - - - A tempo *legato*

pp

This system contains measures 17 and 18. Measure 17 is marked 'rit.' and ends with a double bar line. Measure 18 begins with a new tempo 'A tempo' and a dynamic of 'pp', with the instruction 'legato'. The right hand has a melody with a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand has a steady eighth-note accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#).

19

This system contains measures 19 and 20. Measure 19 continues the 'A tempo' section. Measure 20 features a sustained chord in the right hand and a moving line in the left hand. The key signature has one sharp (F#).

21 poco rit. - - - - - A tempo

mp

This system contains measures 21 and 22. Measure 21 is marked 'poco rit.' and ends with a double bar line. Measure 22 starts with a new tempo 'A tempo' and a dynamic of 'mp'. The right hand has a melody with a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand has a steady eighth-note accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#).

23

This system contains measures 23 and 24. Measure 23 continues the 'A tempo' section. Measure 24 features a sustained chord in the right hand and a moving line in the left hand. The key signature has one sharp (F#).

25 rit. - - - - - A tempo

p

3

This system contains measures 25 and 26. Measure 25 is marked 'rit.' and ends with a double bar line. Measure 26 begins with a new tempo 'A tempo' and a dynamic of 'p'. The right hand has a melody with a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand has a steady eighth-note accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#).

28 poco rit. - - - - -

3 3

This system contains measures 28 and 29. Measure 28 is marked 'poco rit.' and ends with a double bar line. Measure 29 starts with a new tempo 'poco rit.' and features a triplet of eighth notes in the right hand. The left hand has a steady eighth-note accompaniment. The key signature has one sharp (F#).

31 *A tempo* *rit.*

35 *pp*

39 *poco rit.* *A tempo* *rit.* *A tempo* *rit.* *ppp*



K.P. Bryullov.
*"Nuns Convent of the Sacred Heart in Rome,
 Singing at the Organ",
 1849*

Memories

Yu.L. Shevchenko

Lento $\text{♩} = 60$ poco rit.

p

3 **A tempo**

6 poco rit. **A tempo**

8 poco rit. **A tempo**

11 *mp*

13 *p* 1.

15 poco rit. **A tempo**

2.

p

17 3

19

Red

21

Red

24

Red

26

Red

28

Red

30

Red

32

Red

35

Red

37 *rit.*

mp

39 *mp*

mp

41 *p*

p

43 *pp*

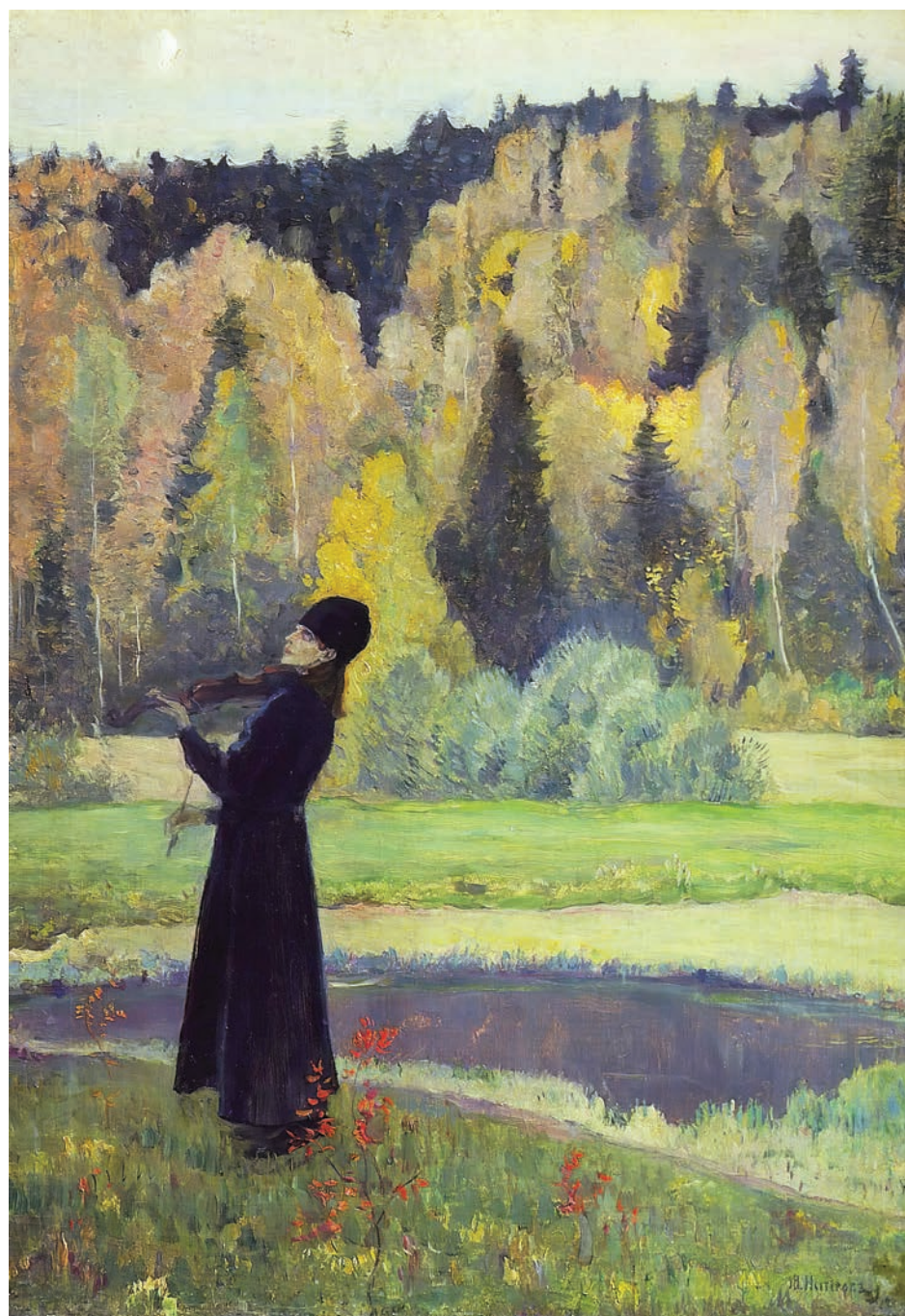
pp

45 *rit.* *A tempo* *rit.*

pp

47 *A tempo* *rit.* *pp*

pp



M.V. Nesterov.
"Elegy (The Blind Musician)",
 1928

Romance "Separation"

Yu.L. Shevchenko

Lento $\text{♩} = 50$

pp

3

3

Red.

5 rit. - - - A tempo

p

3

3

Red.

8

3

3

3

Red.

10

p

3

3

Red.

13 *rit.*

15 *poco rit.* *A tempo*

17 *rit.*

20 *rit.*

22 *A tempo*

24 *rit.* $\text{♩} = 100$

26 *A tempo* $\text{♩} = 50$ *poco rit.* *pp*

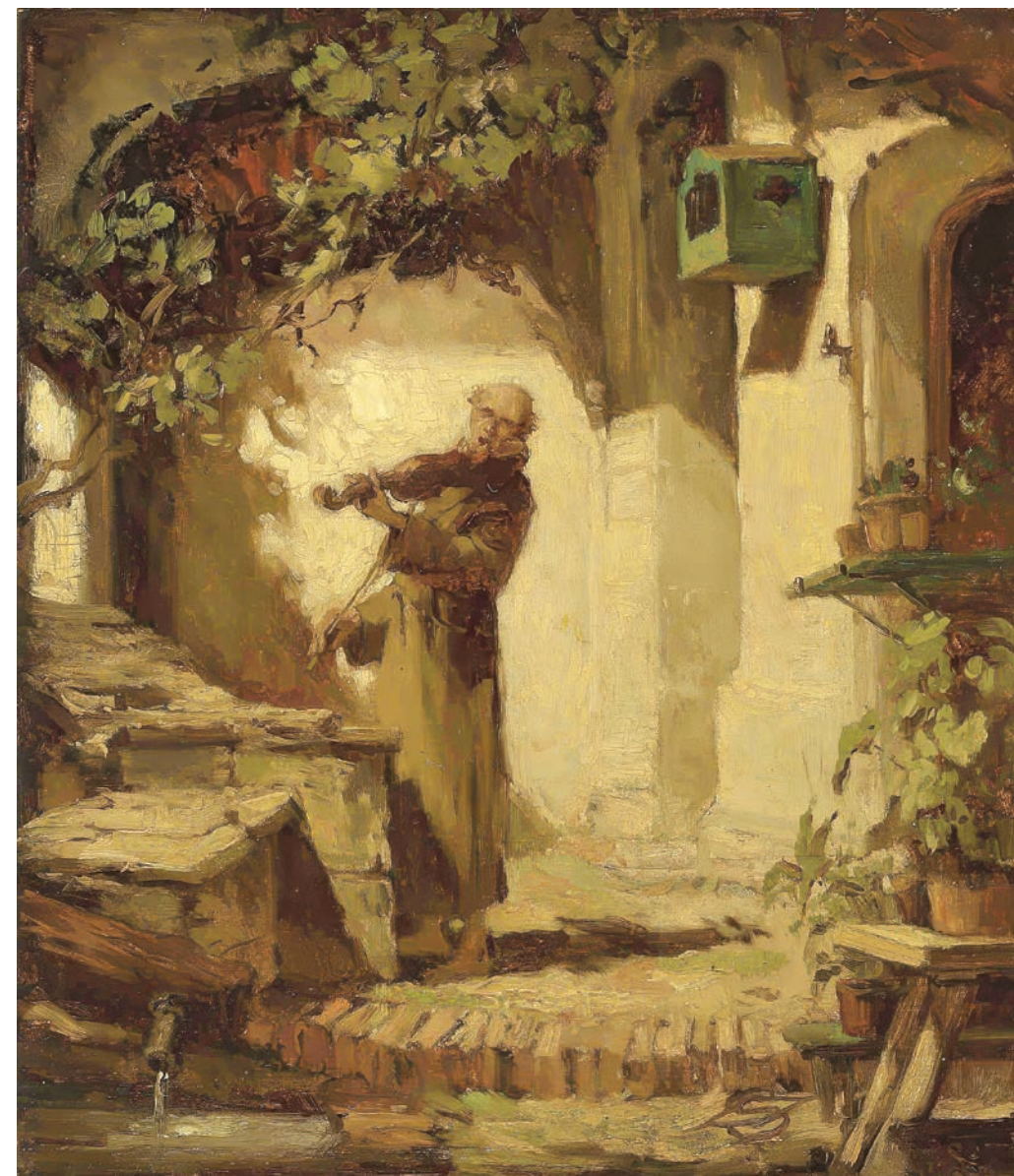
29 *A tempo*

31

(8)

pp

33 *8va*



Carl Spitzweg.
"The Fiddler",
 1854

Nocturne "Margo-Ritta"

Yu.L. Shevchenko

Lento $\text{♩} = 50$

Measures 1-3 of the Nocturne. The piece begins in 4/4 time with a piano (p) dynamic. The right hand features a melodic line with a triplet of eighth notes in measure 2. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

Measures 4-6. The tempo remains Lento. The right hand continues with a flowing melodic line, while the left hand supports it with a steady accompaniment. A piano (p) dynamic is indicated.

Measures 7-9. Measure 7 is marked with a 'rit.' (ritardando) and 'A tempo' marking. The right hand has a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand continues its accompaniment. A piano (p) dynamic is indicated.

Measures 10-12. The right hand features a melodic line with a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment. A piano (p) dynamic is indicated.

Measures 13-16. The right hand continues with a melodic line. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment. A piano (p) dynamic is indicated.

Measures 17-19. The right hand continues with a melodic line. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment. A piano (p) dynamic is indicated.

Measures 20-22. The right hand features a melodic line with a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment. A piano (p) dynamic is indicated.

Measures 23-25. The right hand features a melodic line with a triplet of eighth notes. The left hand provides a harmonic accompaniment. A piano (p) dynamic is indicated.

27

p

30

p

33

p

36

pp

39

p

43

pp

The Anticipation of Spring

Yu.L. Shevchenko



*Gustav Klimt.
"The Kiss",
1908-1909*

Lento ♩=40 rit.

p *pp*

accel. rit. accel.

4 9 3 9 3

7 ♩=40 *p* 9 3

9 *rit.*

Red. *

11 *Andante* ♩=50 *p*

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

14

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

17

Red. * Red. * Red. *

19

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

21

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

23

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

25

Red. *

26

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

28

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

31

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

34 rit. $\text{♩} = 50$

Red. * Red. * Red. *

37

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

40

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

42 *mp*

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

44 (8) 3

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

46 (8) 8va

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

48 (8) 3

Red. * Red. * Red. * Red. *

50 (8) rit. =40 pp

Red. * Red. * Red. *

53 accel. rit.

Red. 9 * Red. 3 * Red. *

55 8va 8va 8vb

Red. *



Judith Jans Leyster.
"The Man Playing the Cello",
1636

The Anticipation of Autumn

Yu.L. Shevchenko

Adagio ♩=72

p

4 poco rit. A tempo ♩=75

poco rit. A tempo

8 *p*

12 poco rit. A tempo

poco rit.

17

A tempo ♩=80

pp

21

26 poco rit.

30 A tempo

p

34

Red.

38

poco rit. A tempo

Red.

42

pp

Red.

46

Red.

50

poco rit. A tempo

Red.

55

Red.

59

accel. poco rit. A tempo

Red.

63

Red.

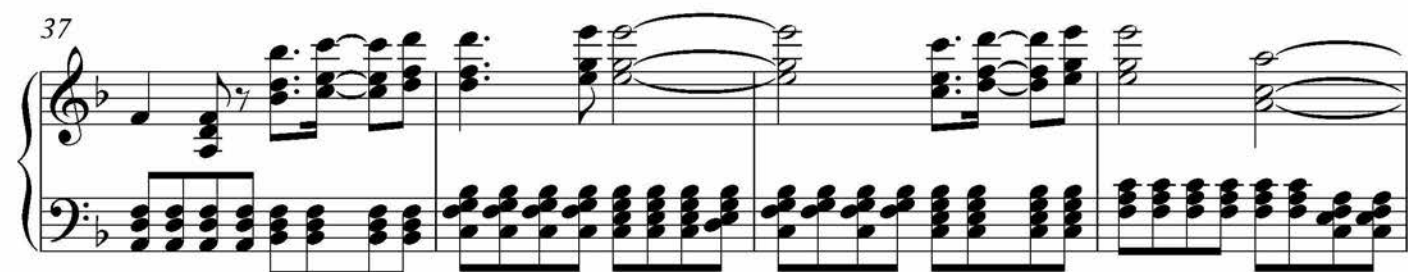
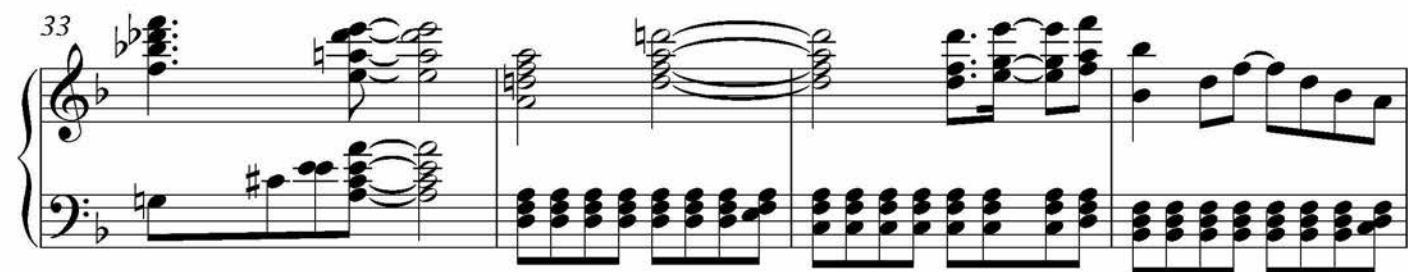


Amedeo Modigliani.
"The Cellist",
 1909

More than Words

Yu.L. Shevchenko





4

62

65

68

71

73



*Henriette Ronner-Knip.
 "The Musicians",
 1877*

Return to the Homeland

Yu. L. Shevchenko

Andante ♩=60

Measures 1-4: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef, 4/4 time. Dynamics: *p*. Fingerings: 5, 5. Pedal marks: *.

Measures 5-7: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef, 4/4 time. Dynamics: *mp*. Fingerings: 5, 3, 5. Pedal marks: *.

Measures 8-11: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef, 4/4 time. Dynamics: *mf*. Fingerings: 5, 5, 5. Pedal marks: *.

Measures 12-15: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef, 4/4 time. Dynamics: *mf*. Fingerings: 5, 5. Pedal marks: *.

Measures 16-19: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef, 4/4 time. Dynamics: *mp*. Tempo markings: *rit.*, *A tempo*. Tempo: ♩=60. Fingerings: 5, 3. Pedal marks: *.

Measures 20-22: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef, 4/4 time. Dynamics: *f*. Fingerings: 5, 5, 3, 3. Pedal marks: *.

Measures 23-26: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef, 4/4 time. Dynamics: *mp*. Fingerings: 3, 3. Pedal marks: *.

Measures 27-30: Treble clef, 4/4 time. Bass clef, 4/4 time. Dynamics: *rit.*. Fingerings: 5. Pedal marks: *.

31 **A tempo**

p

35

38 **rit.** **A tempo**

f

42 **rit.** **A tempo**

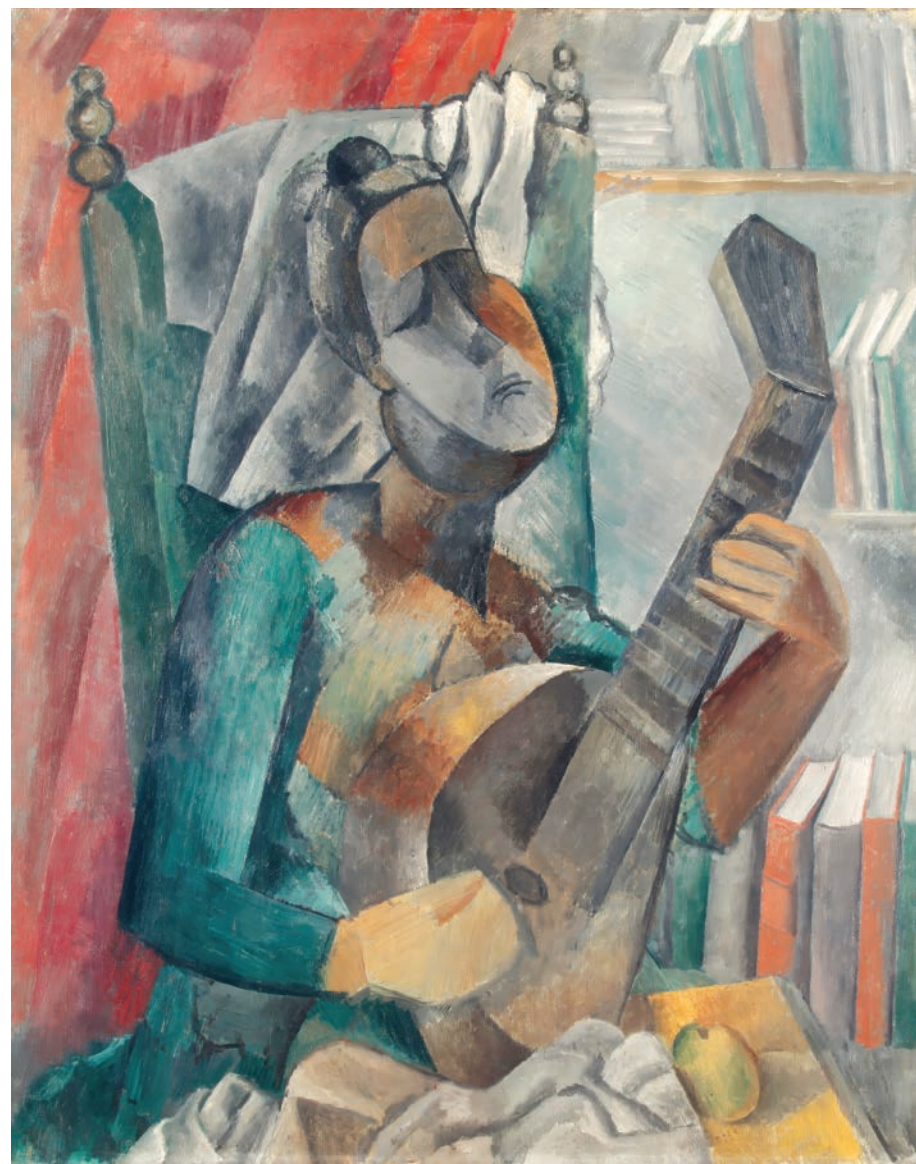
45 **rit.**

p

48

50 **rit.**

pp



*Pablo Picasso.
“The Girl with a Mandolin”,
1909*

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