

Nº 2a. Majestic Music

DIANA, MERCURY (looking off)
Why, who's this? Jupiter, by Jove!

Enter JUPITER, an extremely old man, very decrepit, with very thin straggling white beard, he wears a long braided dressing-gown, handsomely trimmed, and a silk night-cap on his head. MERCURY falls back respectfully as he enters.

Adagio (♩ = 84)

The musical score is written for piano in B-flat major (two flats) and 4/4 time. It is marked *Adagio* with a tempo of ♩ = 84. The score is divided into three systems of measures. The first system (measures 1-6) begins with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic and a forte (*f*) dynamic. The second system (measures 7-13) includes a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic and a forte (*f*) dynamic. The third system (measures 14-20) includes a *rall.* (rallentando) marking and a fortissimo (*fff*) dynamic. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat).