

# Nocturne in E Minor

Frédéric Chopin (1810–1849)  
Op. 72, No. 1 (posthumous)

Andante ♩ = 69

*p molto legato*

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5 2 1 5 1 2

1 5 4 3 2 1 2 3 4 3 2 1 2 3 4 3 2 1

5 3 1 4 1 2

5 1 5 4 5 4 3 2 1 2 3 4 3 2 1

*p* *cresc.* *dim.*

5 1 5 4 5 4 3 2 1 2 3 4 3 2 1

1 3 2

*riten.* *a tempo* *mf*

(*simile*)

5 3 4 5 4 3 2 1 2 3 4 3 2 1

5 1 2 3 1 2 3 1 3

This piece, Chopin's only posthumous nocturne that has been assigned an opus number, was composed in 1827. It was published in 1855 by A. M. Schlesinger, Berlin, along with the *Funeral March in C Major*, which was numbered Opus 72, No. 2.