

Commissioned by Brian Minor  
**Parable for Solo Alto Saxophone**  
(Parable XI)

Perf. Time: ca. 7'

VINCENT PERSICHETTI  
Op. 123

Flexibly (♩ = 54)

*f* ardently  
(warm tone)      *mf*      *mp*      *p*

tenderly      *pp*      *p*      *mf*

bend tone      rit.      (♩ = 63)

*p*      *ppp*      *p*      *lyrically*      (*caress*)

*p*      (*caress*)

*mf*  
(intensify tone)

capriciously      *f*

*mp*

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*pp* gently *p* *f* fancifully *p* *mp*  
*f* resolutely *mf* tenderly *pp*  
*f* restlessly *p* *f* *mf* *ff*  
*mp* *p* *ppp* *ff* *p* delicately  
*p* placidly (flute tone) *rit.* *mf* mournfully (ca. 144) *mp* sprig'  
*mf*  
*p*



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