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THE ARNOLD B. SHERMAN
HANDBELL SERIES

Intermezzo

from *Cavalleria Rusticana*

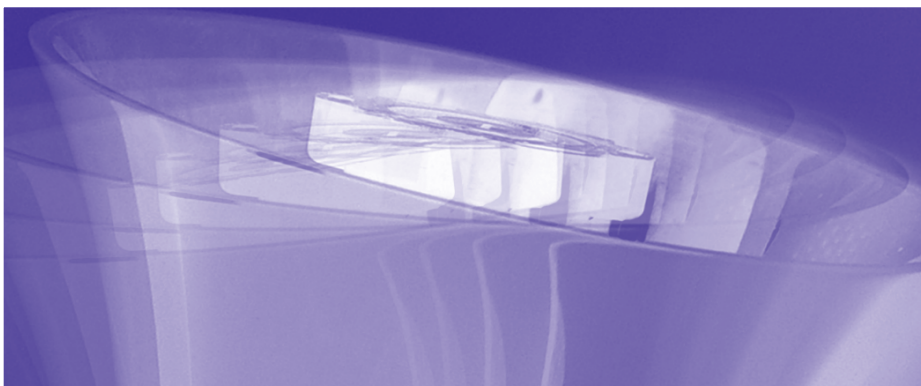
by

Pietro Mascagni

Arranged for 3-5 octave handbells
with optional 2-5 octave handchimes
and optional C Instruments

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Handbells used: 3 octaves (28 bells)
 4 octaves (31 bells)
 5 octaves (42 bells) plus 1 opt. bell (G2)

Please see PERFORMANCE NOTES on page 5.

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Andante sostenuto (♩ = ca. 60)

9 10 11 12

pp *dolcissimo*

13 14 15 16

+ C inst.

- C inst.

17 18 19 20*

p

LV**

+ C inst./Chimes LV

21 22 23 24

LV LV LV LV LV LV

*Five octave choirs double the melody an octave higher from measure 20 through the end of the piece.
 **LV's refer to accompaniment figures only throughout the entire piece.

Musical score for measures 25-28. The right hand (treble clef) contains a melodic line with a slur over measures 25-27 and a separate phrase in measure 28. The left hand (bass clef) features a rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes, with 'LV' markings above the notes. Measure numbers 25, 26, 27, and 28 are indicated above the staff.

Musical score for measures 29-32. The right hand continues the melodic line with a slur over measures 29-31 and a final phrase in measure 32. The left hand maintains the eighth-note accompaniment with 'LV' markings. Measure numbers 29, 30, 31, and 32 are indicated above the staff.

Musical score for measures 33-36. The right hand has a melodic line with a slur over measures 33-34 and a final phrase in measure 36. The left hand has an eighth-note accompaniment with 'LV' markings. Dynamic markings *f* (forte) are present in measures 33 and 36. Measure numbers 33, 34, 35, and 36 are indicated above the staff.

Musical score for measures 37-40. The right hand has a melodic line with a slur over measures 37-38 and a final phrase in measure 40. The left hand has an eighth-note accompaniment with 'LV' markings. A dynamic marking *f* (forte) is present in measure 40. Measure numbers 37, 38, 39, and 40 are indicated above the staff.