

# On the Beautiful Blue Danube

( An der schönen blauen Donau )

string quartet arrangement  
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J.Strauss,Jr.(1825-1899)

**Lento**

Violin I  
Violin II  
Viola  
Cello  
Double bass

*p*

*p*

*p*

*p*

*p*

Detailed description: This block contains the first five measures of the string quartet arrangement. The tempo is marked 'Lento'. The key signature has three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and the time signature is 6/8. The Violin I part begins in measure 3 with a melody marked 'p'. The Violin II, Viola, Cello, and Double bass parts provide harmonic support, with the Cello and Double bass parts also marked 'p'.

6

*cresc.*

*mf*

*cresc.*

*mf*

*cresc.*

*mf*

*cresc.*

*mf*

*cresc.*

*mf*

Detailed description: This block contains measures 6 through 10. The Violin I part continues its melody, marked with 'cresc.' and 'mf'. The other instruments (Violin II, Viola, Cello, and Double bass) also show a dynamic increase, with 'cresc.' markings and 'mf' dynamics in measures 7-10.

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