

FOUR PIECES

Quatre Pièces · Vier Stücke · *Cuatro Obras*

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Air

The image displays four staves of musical notation, each representing a different guitar exercise or piece. The notation is written in treble and bass clefs, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The staves are labeled CII, CVII, CIII, and CII from top to bottom.

- Staff CII (Top):** Features a melody line with eighth and sixteenth notes, and a bass line with eighth notes and rests. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-4. A circled '5' appears in the bass line. A dashed line with a circled '2' spans the first two measures.
- Staff CVII:** Shows a melody line with eighth notes and a bass line with eighth notes and rests. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-4. A circled '5' appears in the bass line. A dashed line with a circled '2' spans the first two measures.
- Staff CIII:** Features a melody line with eighth notes and a bass line with eighth notes and rests. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-4. A circled '5' appears in the bass line. A dashed line with a circled '3' spans the first two measures.
- Staff CII (Bottom):** Shows a melody line with eighth notes and a bass line with eighth notes and rests. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-4. A circled '5' appears in the bass line. A dashed line with a circled '2' spans the first two measures.

J. S. Bach

(1685–1750)

Suite in E minor

Suite en Mi mineur · *Suite in e moll* · *Suite en Mi menor*

Although several manuscript versions of this suite exist in keyboard notation, it is almost certain that it was written originally for the lute. The richly sonorous tessitura and the bold figurations, so characteristic of the lute, are also admirably suited to the guitar. Suggestions for the interpretation of the ornaments will be found on page 33.

Bien que plusieurs versions manuscrites de cette suite existent en notation pour clavier, il est presque certain qu'elle était initialement destinée au luth. L'utilisation riche de toute l'étendue sonore de l'instrument et l'ornementation hardie caractéristique du luth s'adaptent admirablement à la guitare. Des conseils pour l'interprétation des agréments sont donnés à la page 33.

Obwohl verschiedene MS Fassungen diese Suite für Klavier vorliegen ist beinahe sicher, dass sie ursprünglich für Laute komponiert war. Die reiche, klangvolle Lage und die kühnen Figuren, so typisch für die Laute, eignen sich ebenso vorzüglich für die Gitarre. Vorschläge für die Ausführung der Verzierungen finden sich auf Seite 33.

Aunque varias versiones manuscritas de esta suite existen en notación de teclado, es casi seguro que fue escrita originalmente para el laúd. La rica, y sonora tessitura, y las figuras energicas, tan características del laúd, son también admirablemente aptas para la guitarra. En la página 33 se encontrarán sugerencias para la interpretación de los ornamentos.

SUITE FOR TWO GUITARS

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Suite pour deux guitares · Suite für zwei Gitarren · Suite para dos guitarras

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GUITAR 1

GUITAR 2

CVII

CII

CVII

CVII