

# Prelude 156

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The musical score consists of five staves of rhythmic notation, likely for a keyboard instrument. The notation uses vertical stems with dots indicating pitch and horizontal dashes indicating rhythm. Latin text (vowels 'a', 'e', 'i', 'o', 'u' and 'r') is placed below the notes to indicate pitch. Measure numbers 1 through 10 are indicated above the staves.

**Staff 1:**

- Measure 1: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 2: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 3: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 4: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 5: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 6: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 7: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 8: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 9: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.
- Measure 10: Rhythmic pattern of vertical stems with dots, followed by a single vertical stem with a dot.

**Staff 2:**

- Measure 1: a r d a h l f d r a r d
- Measure 2: b r a f a b a b d a d b a d b

**Staff 3:**

- Measure 1: C
- Measure 2: a b a d b a r a d r a d a
- Measure 3: r a d r a r a r a d r a
- Measure 4: a b d a f h i f n d a b d f
- Measure 5: b a b b g a f h i f n d a b d f
- Measure 6: r a d r a r a r a d r a

**Staff 4:**

- Measure 1: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 2: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 3: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 4: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 5: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 6: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 7: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 8: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 9: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 10: a r d a r a b d a r d a r d a r

**Staff 5:**

- Measure 1: a d r a d b a r a b d a r d a r
- Measure 2: f a d r a d b a r a b d a r d a r
- Measure 3: a
- Measure 4: d r a d a r d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 5: a
- Measure 6: d r a d a r d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 7: a
- Measure 8: d r a d a r d a r d a r d a r
- Measure 9: a
- Measure 10: d r a d a r d a r d a r d a r