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Happiness Happening

for

Flute and Roto-Toms

by

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of

Athy, New Mexico

DIRECTIONS FOR THE "HAPPINESS HAPPENING"

This is written to incorporate the traditional elements of the traditional hymn: audience participation, music, subject content referring to concepts relevant to Unitarian Universalist religious services, and the psychic positivism hoped for when combining these three elements.

Three or four leaders should be chosen from the audience for each service to begin the improvised, free choice elements, to be said, done, read or whispered by the congregation during the music.

The composer urges the congregation to change, re-write, add, subtract, and rearrange to please local preferences, the script. Music to stay intact. Please send all changes to the composer:

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Any directions or group response planned should be given during the first four bars of music, not before.

The middle section of the music may be repeated as many times as necessary.

Some of the script is taken from LOVE VIEW by Bernard Gunther. Collier Books, New York.

If the script or hubbub continues beyond the music, so much the better. Spontaneity is the element reached for.

Written for the Unitarian Universalist Hymn Identity Contest, February, 1, 1972

HAPPINESS HAPPENING

TO DO

Clap
Whistle
Stretch
Yawn
Wink at someone
Tap your toe
Shake all over
Close your eyes
Hum
Sit down
Stand up
Wind watch
Move your ears
Click fingers
Jingle pocket change
Kiss a cheek
Breath deep
Hold some-ones hand
Tickle some one
Take shoe off
Smile
Lead a dance into
the sun-rain-snow

TO SAY OUT LOUD

Yes
Hello
Pumpernickle
Crack, snapple
and pop
I will
I do
We will
We can
I am
I can
We do
We are
Storm-gurgle
Um-bum-du-lar
Bilp
Merry kiss miss

TO WHISPER TO SOMEONE

I love you
I like you
U is half of us
I need you
I care for you
Sweetmeyousic
Something special
There's no you or me
There's just
we e e e e e e e e
Poems are words you is

TO READ OUT LOUD

inside or outside
depends on which
side your inside or
out of
all is that's all
inner garden paradise
now here this
good god us
oceans of flowers
butterflys and bells
cool silk
lemonade wells
vanilla gardens
with chocolate dew
strawberry whipped cream
sky love you
thrum-ular thrum-ular
thrilp
lip-sible lip-sible
lilp
thricken mith rummy
lum-gump-tulous
lummy
storm-gurgle
um-bum-du-lar
bilp

WRITE IN NEW ONES

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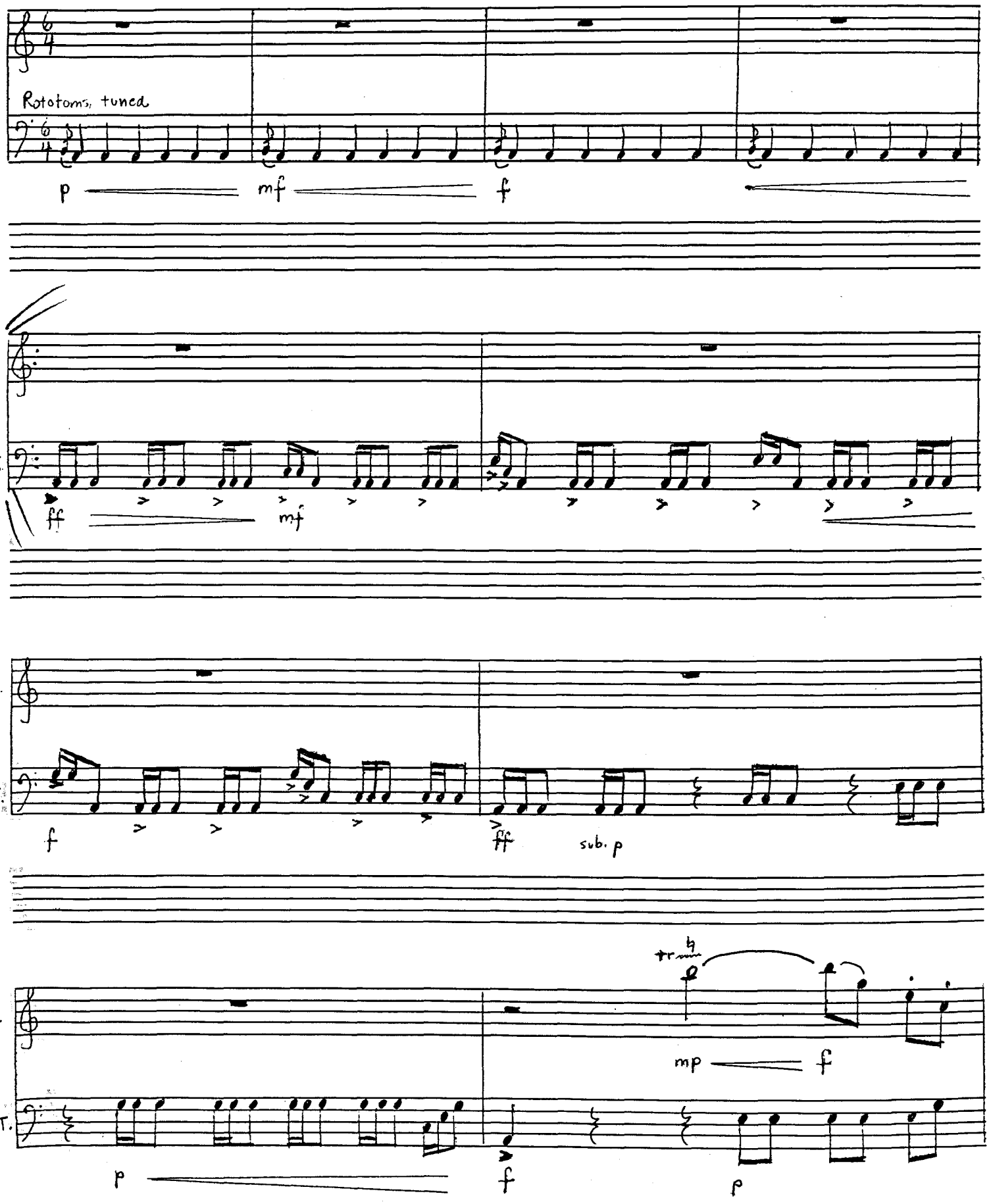
M.M. 126 — 128 = ♩

HAPPINESS HAPPENING

Lloyd Elliot

Flute



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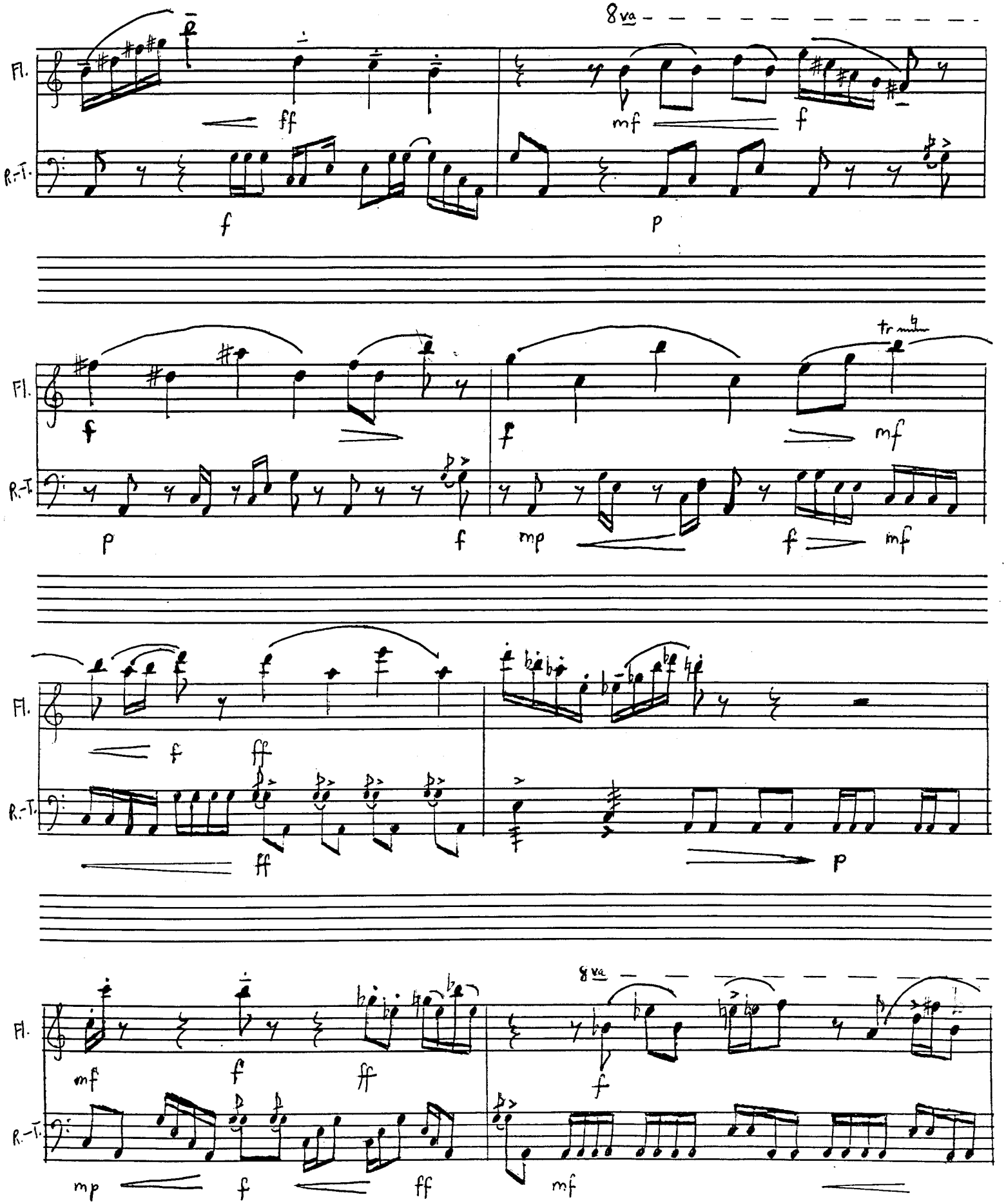

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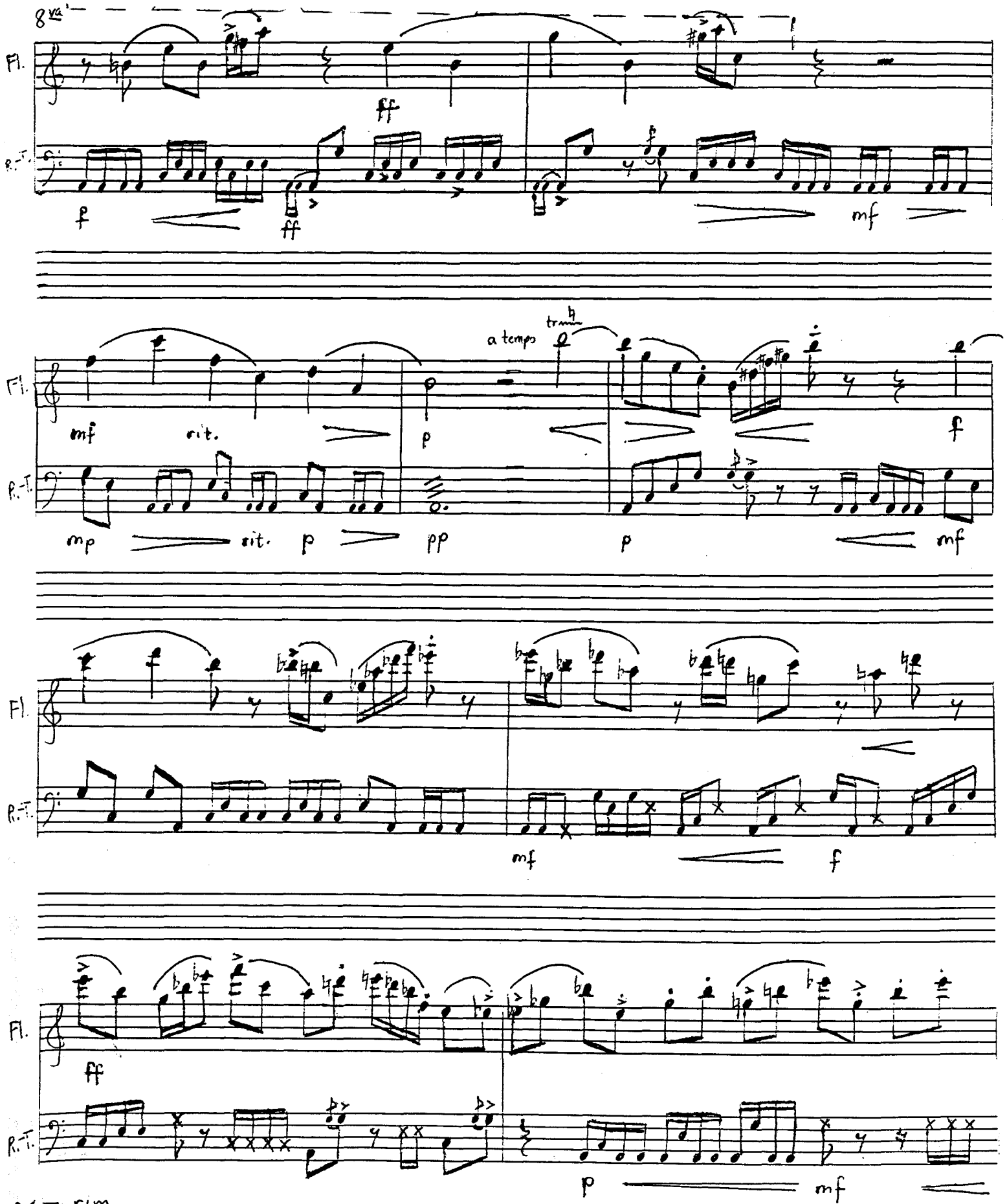

HAPPINESS HAPPENING

8va

Fl.

R.-T.

(Cross sticks) f ff (rim)

8va

Fl.

R.-T.

fit COUNT

1/17/72,
Albuquerque, N. M.

* Rato-toms tuned: