

11

*sempre legato e sostenuto assai*

16

21

*f sempre*

*sempre*

26

*legato e sostenuto*

31

*marcato*

RH over

# Piano Piece No. 1 in A-flat

*"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God."*  
Matthew 5:8

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This piece was recently re-discovered by the Scottish pianist William Wright who performed it on a BBC broadcast in 1987. The musical materials are simple and direct: an expressive melody of a few notes heard over arpeggiated chords, repeated a half-step higher, all of it once more repeated in the two tonalities with more intensity and variety.

Franz Liszt  
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Sans mesure (♩ = 72)

6

rit.

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