

# The Royal Drummer

Bass Drum

## Snare Drum/Bass Drum Duet

Bruce Pearson  
(b. 1942)

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

*f* *mp*

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

*p* *mf*

17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24

*p* *f* *p* *f*

25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

*p* *f*

33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40

*p* *f*

41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48

*p*

49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56

*f*

57 58 59 60 61 62 63

64 65

1. 2.

*p* *f* *f*

Detailed description: This is a musical score for a Bass Drum part, titled "The Royal Drummer" by Bruce Pearson. The score is for a Snare Drum/Bass Drum Duet and is written in 2/4 time. It consists of 65 measures, divided into 11 staves. The notation includes various rhythmic patterns such as quarter notes, eighth notes, and sixteenth notes, often with beams connecting them. Dynamic markings are used throughout, including *f* (forte), *mp* (mezzo-piano), *p* (piano), and *mf* (mezzo-forte). There are also crescendo and decrescendo hairpins. The score ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign, with two endings (1. and 2.) for the final two measures (64 and 65). The first ending leads back to the beginning of the piece, and the second ending leads to a final cadence.