

Nocturne was written in 1980. It is an evocation of a summer evening in the woods by a lake: bird songs, frogs croaking, the hum of insects, a light breeze. A moment of madness as the full moon rises. The scene recedes, fades away with the birds.

duration: c. 12:00

premiere info:

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Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra, William Henry Curry, conductor
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