Au Clair de la Lune

J. B. Lully (1632-1687)

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Clarinets in B♭

Soprano Solo

Piano

Cl.

S. Solo

1. Au clair de la lune, Mon ami Pierrot,
2. Au clair de la lune, Pierrot répondit,

Piano

Cl.

S. Solo

Ma chandelle est morte,
Va chez la voisine,

Piano
Cl.

Ou - vre moi la por - te, Pour s' - l' - mour de Dieu.
Car dans sa cui - si - ne, On bat le bri - quet."

Pno.

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Cl.

3. Mis - ter Moon shine bright - ly,

S. Solo

Pno.

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Cl.

Please wake up, Pier rot.

May I have your pen to

S. Solo

write a quick small note.

Oops, my can - die just went out.

Pno.
Cl.

S. Solo

What am I to do? Please, of please, Pierrot.

Pno.

4. Mister Moon shine brightly, It is me Pierrot.

Cl.

S. Solo

Who will help but you?

Pno.

I don't have a pen and I'm asleep, you know.
Go and see the neighbor; She's awake I think.

She may have a candle, and perhaps some ink.