

# Ludwig Van Beethoven - Moonlight Sonata

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 Tabulated from the (much easier to play) piano score by David Atkinson in October 1994. V2.0 (11/94)

I have included left hand fingering underneath the tab. I think the

fingers (1=index,2=middle,3=ring,4=little(pinkie)). I have left out fingering where a section is repeated or on parts where fingering is blatantly obvious. If anyone needs an explanation, feel free to email me.

I transposed this to the key of **A** minor which seemed logical to me at the time but I have recently been informed that Tarrega used **D** minor. Tough! I experimented with the **B** string tuned to **Bb** but, although some parts were easier, most was better with normal tuning. Anyone have any other suggestions?

I might just try a **D** minor version if I find the time and motivation. Watch this space!

Please email comments, corrections, suggestions and the rest to David

p = pull-off, h = hammer-on, s = slide

==== = sustain. However, to save me hassle, sustain all the bass notes for a whole bar where possible.

The roman numerals above the tab indicate either full barres or half barres. The ...s indicate how long the barre lasts.

Adagio Sostenuto.

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3 2 1          3
                4
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I...      III..
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3 2 1      1      2 1 4 2 3 1      1
1          3
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II
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3          1          3 2 1
  
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2
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| | | | | | | |
2 3 1      1 2 4 3      2 1      3 3
                3          2 2
                1          1
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V.....
| | | | | | | |
1          2 1 1          4 4
2          4          2
3
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IV.....I.....
| | | | | | | |
1 2 4          1 3      1 3 1 4 2 1
3          3 1      2
1
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III.....      III.....
| | | | | | | |
1 4 1      4 2 2 3 1 4 1      2 3 1
3          1 1      3          4
1          3
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III.....IV...III..IV...II
| | | | | | | |
3          2          1 3 1 3 4 2      1 4 3
1          2          1          2
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III.....IV...III..IV...II...
| | | | | | | |
III.....      III.....
| | | | | | | |
1 1 4      2 1 4      1 2 4 3
3          3
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III.....      II.....
| | | | | | | |
2 3 1 4      1 1 3      4 3 1      1 4 1 1 3 1
1          4          2          3 4
                3
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VII.....      1/2 V.....      V....
| | | | | | | |
4 2 1 2 1 1 3 4 2 1 4 25      1 4 3 4      1 1 4 1
                3          3
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V.....      VII      V...
| | | | | | | |
1 4 2      4 1 3 1 4 2 4 3 2 3
3          1 3      2
1          1      1
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decresc      p < >
V.....      IV.....
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1 2 4      2 1 4 1 1 4 1 3 1 2      4 4
  
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3 3  
2

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< > V..... < >

2 3 4 1 1 4

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4 2 3 4 2 1 4 2 3 4 2 2 4 1 4 1 4 1 3 4

cresc V.....

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4 3 2 1 3 1 1 1 1 4 1 1 1 3 4 1 2 4 1 2 4 1 2

decreasc

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1 3 3 4 3 4 1 3 4 4 3 1 3 1 3 1 3 2

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4 2 1 4 3 2 2 3 4 2 3 1 2 2

decreasc

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1 3 2 1 3 2

decreasc pp pp

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2 4 3 2 3 1 3 2 1

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III.....

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3 2 3 2 3 4 1 1

1 2

cresc V....

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4 3 1 4 3 1 4 4 1 4 2 1 1 1

2 3 1 3

p III.....

| | | | | | | |

4 3 1 2 4 4 1 4 4 3

1 3 1 1

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V..... VI... V..... < >

| | | | | | | |

1 1 1 2 1 3 1 3 4 1 3 4 2 4 3 1

3 2 1 1 2

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V..... VI... V..... < >

| | | | | | | |

V.....

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1 2 1 1 4 1 4 3 1 4 1

3 3 1 3

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I IV.. cresc

| | | | | | | |

1 1 1 4 2 1 4 2 3 1 4 3 2 3 1 3

3 3 2 1 1

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V..... V..... II.....

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4 3 4 1 4 3 4 2 1 1

3 1

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pp V

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2 3 1 4

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The end ...

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 |---Blimey! Quite tough at times but I tried to ---|  
 |---find the easiest positions. Good Luck!-----|  
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 |-----|-----David-|  
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## Acordes

