

BWV 774 Invention No 3

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Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

Dropped D
⑥ = D

♩ = 110

First system of music, measures 1-3. The treble clef staff shows a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 1/8 note time signature. Measure 1 contains a single eighth note (F#4) with a fingering of 1. Measure 2 contains a whole rest. Measure 3 contains two eighth notes (F#4 and G#4) followed by a quarter note (A4), marked *mf*. The guitar tablature below shows measure 1 with an open 6th string (D5) and an open 4th string (F#4). Measure 2 is empty. Measure 3 shows the 4th string moving from F#4 (fingering 0) to G#4 (fingering 2).

Second system of music, measures 4-6. Measure 4 contains a descending eighth-note scale: F#4, E4, D4, C4, B3, A3. Measure 5 contains an ascending eighth-note scale: G3, F#3, E3, D3, C3, B2. Measure 6 contains a quarter note (A2) and a half note (F#2). The guitar tablature shows measure 4 with fingering 4-2-5-4-2-0. Measure 5 with fingering 2-5-4-2-4-0. Measure 6 with fingering 2-0-2-0.

Third system of music, measures 7-8. Measure 7 contains a quarter note (F#4), a half note (D4), and a quarter note (F#4). Measure 8 contains a quarter note (F#4), a half note (D4), and a quarter note (F#4). The guitar tablature shows measure 7 with fingering 2-0-2-0. Measure 8 with fingering 2-0-2-0.

Fourth system of music, measures 9-10. Measure 9 contains a quarter note (F#4), a half note (D4), and a quarter note (F#4). Measure 10 contains a quarter note (F#4), a quarter note (E4), a quarter note (D4), and a quarter note (C4). The guitar tablature shows measure 9 with fingering 2-0-2-0. Measure 10 with fingering 0-2-4-0.

Fifth system of music, measures 11-12. Measure 11 contains a descending eighth-note scale: F#4, E4, D4, C4, B3, A3. Measure 12 contains an ascending eighth-note scale: G3, F#3, E3, D3, C3, B2. The guitar tablature shows measure 11 with fingering 5-4-2-5-4-2. Measure 12 is empty.

12

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4	0	2	2	0	2	4	6	0	2
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4	2	5	4	2	0	2	2	2	2
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(2)	4	6	1	2	4	5	4	2	5	4	2	4	4	4
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0	0	3	0	3	1	3	4	2	5	4	2	5
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TAB

2	5	4	2	5	4	5	2	4	4	2	4	0
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2	2	4	1	2	4	0	4	2	0	4	2
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2	(2)	(2)
0	(0)	(0) 0 2 4 5 2

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4 2 0 4 2 0	1 2 4 1	2 1 4 2 0 4
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2 0 4 2 4 0	2 4 4	5 4 2 5 4 2
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4 0 2 2	0 4 5 2 4 5	2 5 4 2 5 4
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5 4 2 5 4 2	4 2 5 4 2 0	2 0
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	0 3	4 2 5 4 2 0
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TAB

2	5	4	2	4	0
2	4	0	0	4	2
2	4	0	2	0	4

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TAB

2	4	0	0	4	2
2	4	5	2	0	4
5	2	4			

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TAB

5	4	2	5	4	2
4	5	2	0		
2	0	3	2	0	5

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TAB

0	(0)	4	2	0	5	4
0	(0)	5	4	0	5	4
		5	4	0	5	4

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TAB

4	5	0
0		