

Alerta!

Chiquinha Gonzaga
(1847-1935)

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Pno.

The musical score for 'Alerta!' is written for piano. It begins with a treble clef, a bass clef, and a 2/4 time signature. The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The score consists of six measures. The right hand (treble clef) plays a melody of eighth and quarter notes, while the left hand (bass clef) provides a simple accompaniment of quarter notes and chords. The piece concludes with a final chord in the sixth measure.

Chiquinha Gonzaga (1847-1935) was a Brazilian composer, pianist, and the first woman orchestral conductor in Brazil. Her 77 stage works dealing with Brazilian culture and daily life were extraordinarily popular, with some receiving more than 1500 performances. Additionally, more than 300 of her works in dance and song forms were published, and she toured extensively in Western Europe.