

Alto Saxophone

Cassie Kinoshi

**the colour of all things constant**

for orchestra and SATB choir

2024

## Kindness

– that silent friend who listens

before pulling you away.

A portal the colour of all things constant –

grass, sky, sunshine.

All things good:

trees, rain, ocean.

That act of magic, holds us together  
with nothing but fingertips.

Ask the cracked land how kindness sounds  
in these times of rains that have not come.

In this drought of empathy,

kindness emerges, crystal clear.

In the solidarity of a protest march,

the gentle touch in a strangers' eyes.

Kindness – a bridge across chasms,

for the land that holds you each day.

Thread of light, winking through chaos.

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Alto Saxophone (E♭ Part)

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Words by Belinda Zhawi

Ten Pieces arr. Sarah Freestone

ethereal, powerful, lost in thought ♩ = 95

2

6

A a quieting of the mind

11

3

tr.....

tr.....

B

17

f

mp sub.

23

31

tr.....

tr.....

C

39

mf

D

45

mf sub.

E

51

8

(mf)

f

## Alto Saxophone (E♭ Part)

62

66

70 **F**  
*mp sub.*

78

86 *tr.* *tr.* *mf*

94 **G** **4**  
*mp*

104 **H** **6**  
*mp* *mf*

114 **I** **2** **3**  
*f*

123 rit. **4** G.P.  
*f*

132 **J** full of hope, reaching  $\text{♩} = 75$  **10**  
*mp*

146 **8**  
*pp*  $\searrow$  *ppp*