



Thankfully

(Combined concert band, string orchestra, and full orchestra accompaniment for choir)

Words and Music by Michael and Angela Souders

Arranged by Jerry Brubaker

INSTRUMENTATION

1 Full Score	2 Trombone	8 Violin I
2 Flute	2 Baritone	8 Violin II
1 Oboe	2 Baritone T.C.	5 Violin III (Viola )
1 Bassoon	1 Tuba	5 Viola
1 1st B♭ Clarinet	2 Bells	5 Cello
1 2nd B♭ Clarinet	1 Timpani	5 String Bass
1 B♭ Bass Clarinet	(Tune: A, D)	
1 E♭ Alto Saxophone	2 Percussion 1	
1 B♭ Tenor Saxophone	(Snare Drum, Bass Drum)	
1 E♭ Baritone Saxophone	2 Percussion 2	
2 F Horn	(Suspended Cymbal)	
1 1st B♭ Trumpet		
1 2nd B♭ Trumpet		

PROGRAM NOTES

Celebrate and honor active military and veterans with this stately patriotic anthem, adaptable for various ensembles. Available in multiple scorings, it's a heartfelt tribute to the armed forces, rich in drama and pride. A combined performance featuring concert band, string orchestra, and choir offers a moving and unforgettable experience.

Choral companion products available:

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NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

In orchestral music, there are many editorial markings that are open for interpretation. In an effort to maintain consistency and clarity you may find some of these markings in this piece. In general, markings for fingerings, bowing patterns, and other items will only be marked with their initial appearance. For a more detailed explanation of our editorial markings, please download the free PDF at www.alfred.com/stringeditorial.

X
extended position

-
shift

’
bow lift/reset

(b), (#), (q)
high or low fingerings

▮▮ or V V
hooked bowings

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Reflectively ♩ = 72

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Flute *mp*

Oboe *mp*

Bassoon

B♭ Clarinets 1 2 *a2 mp*

B♭ Bass Clarinet *mp*

E♭ Alto Saxophone *mp*

B♭ Tenor Saxophone *mp*

E♭ Baritone Saxophone *mp*

Vocal S A T B
Solo 1 (any voice) *mp*
Out in the dark, in the wind and cold, she is

Piano (Optional) *mp*

F Horn *a2 mp*

B♭ Trumpets 1 2 *a2 mp*

Trombone *mp*

Baritone *mp*

Tuba *mp*

Bells

Timpani Tune: A, D *p mp*

Percussion 1 (Snare Drum, Bass Drum)

Percussion 2 (Suspended Cymbal)

Violins I II *mp*

Viola (Violin III) *mp*

Cello *mp*

String Bass *mp*

1 2 3 4



Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Vocal

S A

T B

Pno.

Hn.

Tpts. $\frac{1}{2}$

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Bells

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Sus. Cym. (w/mallets)

p *mp*

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

there watch - ing for our pro - tec - tion. She gives her life keep - ing us safe and free, and she serves a grate - ful na -

12

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1
2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

S
A
Vocal
tion. As the sun heats the desert sand, there's a man stand-ing guard at his

T
B

Pno.

Hn.

Tpts. 1
2

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Bells

Timp.

Perc. 1
B.D. *mp*

Perc. 2
p *mp*

12

Vlns. I
II

Vla.
(Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

10 11 12 13 14

51713S

51713S

20

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1 2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

S A

Vocal

T B

Pno.

Hn.

Tpts. 1 2

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Bells

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

20

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

51713S

20 21 22 23 24

dark and the light, the heat and the cold, you give all you have, you are brave and bold. You have answered the call to

mp *p* *mp*

51713S

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. $\frac{1}{2}$

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

S
A

Vocal

T
B

Pno.

Hn.

Tpts. $\frac{1}{2}$

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Bells

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

I

Vlns.

II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

sit and think, I'm re - mind - ed of all I am thank - ful - for. You give your lives as a sac - ri - fice and pro -

4

V

div.

V

V

V

37

45 a tempo

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1/2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

S A

Vocal

T B

Pno.

Hn.

Tpts. 1/2

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Bells

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

45 a tempo

I Vlns.

II Vlns.

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello

Str. Bass

dark and the light, the heat and the cold, you give all you have, you are brave and bold. You have

f *p*

45 46 47 48

53

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. $\frac{1}{2}$ a_2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

S
A
Vocal
an - swered the call to keep us free, so we sing to you — thank - ful - ly. You have an - swered the call to

T
B

Pno.

Hn.

Tpts. $\frac{1}{2}$ a_2

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Bells

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2 f p f

53

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla. (Vln. III)

Cello -4

Str. Bass -1 -4 -1

49 50 51 52 53

[illegible]