

FULL CONDUCTOR SCORE

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For Concert Band



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### Instrumentation

Full Conductor Score .....	1	F Horn .....	4
Flute .....	10	1st Trombone .....	3
Oboe .....	2	2nd Trombone .....	3
1st B $\flat$ Clarinet .....	5	Baritone BC .....	2
2nd B $\flat$ Clarinet .....	5	Baritone TC .....	2
B $\flat$ Bass Clarinet .....	2	Tuba .....	4
Bassoon .....	2	Mallet Percussion: Xylophone, Bells .....	4
E $\flat$ Alto Saxophone .....	6	Timpani .....	1
B $\flat$ Tenor Saxophone .....	2	Percussion 1: Snare Drum, Bass Drum .....	3
E $\flat$ Baritone Saxophone .....	2	Percussion 2: Suspended Cymbal, Tambourine, Large Gong, Crash Cymbals .....	3
1st B $\flat$ Trumpet .....	5		
2nd B $\flat$ Trumpet .....	5		

### Program Notes

The three movements comprising Part II of Alfred Reed's epic "Armenian Dances" are built upon three Armenian folk songs, which were first notated, purified, researched and later arranged by Gomidas Vartabed for solo voice with piano accompaniment, or unaccompanied chorus. In order of appearance they are "Hov Arek" (Come, Breeze), "Khoomar" (female Armenian name), and "Lorva Horovel" (Plow Song from the District of Lori.) **Lorva Horovel** is connected with the farmer and his physical and spiritual being during his work. It is the immediate result of his labor, with his pleas to the oxen and his exclamation while plowing.

### Rehearsal Suggestions

The opening measures of the piece should be very intense. Please direct the ensemble to pay particular attention to the accented notes in the first 8 measures. The marked tempo at m. 11 is only as a suggestion; choose a tempo that will fit the ability levels of the ensemble, but no faster. At m. 63, an important countermelody is presented by the horns and alto saxophones. Perhaps rehearse this separately from the melodic line, so that the ensemble is aware of the counterpoint here.

I hope you and your ensemble enjoy this arrangement of **Lorva Horovel**. Please contact me at my composer page at [www.barnhouse.com](http://www.barnhouse.com) with any questions. Thanks, and best wishes!



### About the Arranger



**Rob Romeyn's** (b. 1961) music career has been multi-faceted and diverse. He has served as a performer, conductor, educator and as a composer and arranger. As a band director, he has directed bands from the elementary level to adult community groups. His first composition for band was published at age 19. His ability to write effective and educationally sound music for bands and string orchestras of all levels can be attributed to his vast teaching experiences.

Many elementary, middle school, high school, university, community bands and string orchestras worldwide have performed his arrangements and compositions. He has been commissioned to write for marching band, concert band, string orchestra and jazz ensemble. His concert band and orchestra music is on many state required music lists. Many of his works are featured as "Editor's Choice" selections at all levels by major music distributors. His music has seen extensive airplay worldwide. Many of his arrangements have been featured on national television, including portions of the Peach Bowl halftime shows for 2000-2001, and the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade. Mr. Romeyn is a member of the American Society of Composers Authors and Publishers. Much of his music has been recorded, and is available on CD and download through Walking Frog Records and other music outlets. He is in demand as a guest conductor for honor bands, and regularly accepts new commissions. His conducting and rehearsal style has been described as inspiring and energetic.

Mr. Romeyn received a M.M. Ed. Degree from the University of Louisiana at Monroe. He served as staff arranger for the University of Louisiana at Monroe "Sound of Today" band from 1983-1986. His graduate assistant duties at ULM in addition to arranging included conducting the university concert band and the basketball pep band. Mr. Romeyn also served as staff arranger at James Madison University. He was the director of the St. Petersburg Community Band in St. Petersburg, Florida from 1994-2013. He is listed in the "International Who's Who in Music," and was inducted into the Oklahoma Bandmasters Association "Hall of Fame" in 1996. He has created over 50 commissioned works and has served as a clinician, adjudicator and conductor for instrumental ensembles around the world, including Japan, Australia, Canada and across the United States.



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from Armenian Dances, Part II

Alfred Reed

Conductor Score  
011-4873-00

Arr. by Rob Romeyn (ASCAP)

Intensely ♩ = 66

The score is for a conductor and includes parts for the following instruments:

- Flute
- Oboe
- 1st B♭ Clarinet
- 2nd B♭ Clarinet
- B♭ Bass Clarinet
- Bassoon
- E♭ Alto Saxophone
- B♭ Tenor Saxophone
- E♭ Baritone Saxophone
- 1st B♭ Trumpet
- 2nd B♭ Trumpet
- F Horn
- 1st Trombone
- 2nd Trombone
- Baritone
- Tuba
- Mallet Percussion: Xylophone, Bells
- Timpani (F, B♭, C, E♭)
- Percussion 1: Snare Drum, Bass Drum
- Percussion 2: Suspended Cymbal, Tambourine, Large Gong, Crash Cymbals

The score is in 2/4 time with a key signature of two flats (B♭, E♭). It features a tempo of 66 beats per minute and a dynamic marking of *ff* (fortissimo). The music includes various articulations such as accents, slurs, and triplets. A large watermark "For Personal Use Only" is visible across the score.

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molto rit.

11 Allegro ♩ = 146

Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Large Gong

B.D.

allow Gong to die completely

7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14

Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Bar. cue

*mf*

*mp*

*p*

Tambourine

15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22

Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Tamb.

For reference only. Not valid for performance.

23

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31

Fl. *mf*

Ob. *mf*

1st Cl. *mf* *f* *dim.*

2nd Cl. *mf* *f* *dim.*

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

31 Cl. cue *mf* *f* *dim.*

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc. *p* *f*

Xylophone

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Fl. *mf* *f*

Ob. *mf* *f*

1st Cl. *mp* *f*

2nd Cl. *mp* *f*

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp. *mp* *f* Play

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc. *mp* *f*

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

This page contains the musical score for measures 47 through 54. The instruments and parts are as follows:

- Fl. (Flute): Rests throughout.
- Ob. (Oboe): Rests throughout.
- 1st Cl. (Clarinet 1): Melodic line starting at *mp* and ending at *f*.
- 2nd Cl. (Clarinet 2): Melodic line starting at *mp* and ending at *f*.
- Bs. Cl. (Bass Clarinet): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- Bsn. (Bassoon): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- A. Sx. (Alto Saxophone): Melodic line starting at *mp*.
- T. Sx. (Tenor Saxophone): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- B. Sx. (Baritone Saxophone): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- 1st Trp. (Trumpet 1): Melodic line starting at *mp* and ending at *f*.
- 2nd Trp. (Trumpet 2): Rests throughout.
- Hn. (Horn): Melodic line starting at *mp*.
- 1st Trb. (Trombone 1): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- 2nd Trb. (Trombone 2): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- Bar. (Baritone): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- Tuba: Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- Mallet Perc. (Mallet Percussion): Includes Bells (starting at *p*) and Timp. (starting at *mp*).
- Perc. 1 (Percussion 1): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.
- Perc. 2 (Percussion 2): Rhythmic accompaniment of eighth notes.



Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Bells

63 64 65 66 67 68 69 70

71 *tr<sup>b</sup>* *ff* *tr<sup>b</sup>* *ff* *tr<sup>b</sup>* *ff* *tr<sup>b</sup>* *ff*

Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

71 *ff* *f* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

*f* *mp* *ff* *ff* *f* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Crash Cym. (let ring)

71 72 73 74 75 76 77 78



90

Fl. *mp* *ff*

Ob. *mp* *ff*

1st Cl. *mp* *ff* *div.*

2nd Cl. *mp* *ff*

Bs. Cl. *mp* *ff*

Bsn. *mp* *ff*

A. Sx. *mp* *ff* *div.*

T. Sx. *mp* *ff*

B. Sx. *mp* *ff*

1st Trp. *mp* *ff* *div.*

2nd Trp. *mp* *ff*

Hn. *mp* *ff* *div.*

1st Trb. *mp* *ff*

2nd Trb. *mp* *ff*

Bar. *mp* *ff*

Tuba *mp* *ff*

Mallet Perc. *mf* *ff*

Timp. *mp* *ff*

Perc. 1 *mp* *ff* Rim shots

Perc. 2 *mp* *mp* Susp. Cym.

88

89

*ff* 90

91

92

93

94

95

Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

96 97 98 99 100 101 102 103

Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

*mp*

*ff*

*div.*

*sfzp*

Susp. Cym.

*mp*

*ff*

Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Tamb.

113 114 115 116 117 118 119 120



Fl.

Ob.

1st Cl.

2nd Cl.

Bs. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Trp.

2nd Trp.

Hn.

1st Trb.

2nd Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Mallet Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

*div.*

*div.*

Rim shots

129

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131

132

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135

This page contains a musical score for a full orchestra, spanning measures 136 to 143. The instruments listed on the left are: Flute (Fl.), Oboe (Ob.), Clarinet 1 (1st Cl.), Clarinet 2 (2nd Cl.), Bass Clarinet (Bs. Cl.), Bassoon (Bsn.), Saxophone Alto (A. Sx.), Saxophone Tenor (T. Sx.), Saxophone Baritone (B. Sx.), Trumpet 1 (1st Trp.), Trumpet 2 (2nd Trp.), Horn (Hn.), Trumpet 3 (1st Trb.), Trumpet 4 (2nd Trb.), Baritone (Bar.), Tuba, Mallet Percussion (Mallet Perc.), Timpani (Timp.), Percussion 1 (Perc. 1), and Percussion 2 (Perc. 2). The score is written in a key signature of two flats (B-flat and E-flat) and a common time signature. It features various musical notations such as slurs, accents, and dynamic markings. A prominent dynamic marking is *sffz* (sforzando), which appears frequently across the score. A *div.* (divisi) marking is present above the Flute and Clarinet 1 staves in measures 138 and 139. A *tr-b* (tritone) marking is visible above the Saxophone Alto staff in measure 138. A *choke* instruction is located at the bottom right of the page, corresponding to measure 143. The page number *- 20 -* is centered at the bottom.