SpectraFlex series

Condensed "C" Score

ca. 3:30 | Grade 3

CRADLE MOON for Flexible Wind Band with Adaptable Parts

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INSTRUMENTATION

Transposed Score (showing all transposed parts) Condensed Score (only "C" parts)

Adaptable Parts

(2 copies each of all parts for each listed instrument)

Part 1: Flute, Oboe, Bb Clarinet, Bb Trumpet, Keyboard Percussion, Violin

Part 2: Bb Clarinet, Bb Trumpet, Eb Alto Sax, Keyboard Percussion, Violin

Part 3: Bb Clarinet/Bb Trumpet, Eb Alto Sax, F Horn, Violin, Viola

Part 4: Bb Tenor Sax, F Horn, Cello, Trombone/Euphonium/Bassoon

Part 5: Bb Bass Clarinet, Eb Baritone Sax, Trombone/Euphonium/Bassoon, Tuba, Double Bass PERCUSSION PARTS (100% optional)

Piano

Timpani [4 drums]

Keyboard Bells or Vibraphone

Percussion 1 [1 player] Wind Chimes, Snare Drum, Bass Drum

Percussion 3 [1 player] Suspended Cymbal, Triangle

CRADLE MOON is a setting of a lullaby tune that has been passed down through at least five generations of the composer's family. As few as five players and as many as you can muster will take the audience on a journey through serene melody, lush harmony, and weaving countermelodies before ultimately returning to the calm settling of a child drifting off to sleep.



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Originally developed during the COVID-19 pandemic of 2020 to face the reality of socially distancing within our ensembles and to, therefore, create wind band literature that could be performed by a varied combination of instruments, the **SPECTRAFLEX SERIES** has serendipitously filled a void in our catalog. This series for adaptable wind band features 5 to 6 parts (plus optional percussion) across the pitch spectrum of a traditional ensemble. Each part is transposed for multiple instruments, allowing for some flexibility.

Whether we are in a global crisis or normal times, there are ensembles around the world that do not have access to all of the instruments in traditional wind band music. This series is the perfect remedy. It is filled with pieces that have been adapted from existing works in our catalog that were originally written for full concert band, string orchestra, percussion ensemble, and more. Additionally, there are pieces that were written specifically for the series by composers at the height of their craft.

Adaptable Parts

Each piece is built around only five to six parts. Each part has been transposed and octave-displaced for multiple instruments that are generally in the same range spectrum. All pieces in this series can be played by a class of only woodwinds. Many pieces in this series can be played by a class of only brass. If you have an odd combination of instruments, this series is for you. Flexibility is where the magic lies.

Percussion Parts

The keyboard percussionists have Parts 1 and 2 available to them as part of the set. Additionally, there are optional percussion parts included as well that feature percussion in its traditional role. Mix and match these parts based on your instrument and player availability.

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