



Honorbound

CHRISTIAN A. WILLIAMS

Instrumentation

Score	1
Violin I	8
Violin II	8
Viola	5
Cello	5
Bass	5



About the Composer

Christian A. Williams is a veteran public school orchestra teacher located in the beautiful state of South Carolina. He received his BMus Ed. degree from Furman University in 2001. As a composer, Mr. Williams strives to create fun and meaningful parts for every instrument in the orchestra, paying particular attention to the undercelebrated viola section. He has been featured in J.W. Pepper's Editors Choice for 2021.

Honorbound

This new work by composer Christian A. Williams evokes feelings of honor and perseverance. A wonderful lyrical section brings a hopeful, yet sometimes somber moment of reprieve before sending us back to a heroic climax. A great new work for the String Orchestra's repertoire.

"Honorbound is a patriotic tribute to the service men and women of this country who live three simple words: duty, country, and integrity."

-Christian A. Williams



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Violin I

Violin II

Viola

Cello

Bass

4

$\text{♩} = 120 - 144$

f

spiccato

f

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f

spiccato

f

1

2

3

4

9

cantabile

mp

cantabile

mp

Pizz.

mp

Pizz.

f

mp

5

6

7

8

9

Violin I

Violin II

Viola

Cello

Bass

10

11

12

13

14

17

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

Arco

mf

f

15 16 17 18 19

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

mp

20 21 22 23 24

25 Div.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

p

mp

25 26 27 28 29 30

33 Unis. *f*

Vln. I *p*

Vln. II *f*

Vla. *f*

Cello *f*

Bass *f*

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

41 $\text{♩} = 78 - 86$

Vln. I *mp*

Vln. II *mp*

Vla. *p*

Cello *p*

Bass *p*

50

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

46 47 48 49 50

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

51 52 53 54 55 56

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

64 Tempo I 66

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

63 64 65 66 67

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

68 69 70 71 72

74

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Cello

Bass

Pizz. Div.

73 74 75 76 77

Solo

82

Score for measures 78-82. Instruments: Vln. I, Vln. II, Vla., Cello, Bass. Dynamics: *ff*. Performance markings: Solo, + Section, Arco.

Score for measures 78-82. Instruments: Vln. I, Vln. II, Vla., Cello, Bass. Dynamics: *ff*. Performance markings: Tutti, Div.

Score for measures 83-87. Instruments: Vln. I, Vln. II, Vla., Cello, Bass. Dynamics: *ff*. Performance markings: Unis., Div.