

FULL SCORE

Flexible Band



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Grade 3

# Armed Forces - The Pride of America!

*Arranged by*

**Larry Clark and Greg Gilpin**

**XPS13  
INSTRUMENTATION**

Full Score .....	1
<b>Part 1</b>	
Flute .....	8
Clarinet in B $\flat$ / Trumpet in B $\flat$ .....	4
Oboe / Violin .....	2
<b>Part 2</b>	
Clarinet in B $\flat$ / Trumpet in B $\flat$ .....	4
Alto Saxophone in E $\flat$ .....	2
Violin .....	3
<b>Part 3</b>	
Clarinet in B $\flat$ .....	3
Tenor Saxophone in B $\flat$ .....	1
Alto Saxophone in E $\flat$ .....	2
Horn in F .....	2
Violin .....	2
Viola .....	2
<b>Part 4</b>	
Tenor Saxophone in B $\flat$ .....	3
Euphonium T.C. in B $\flat$ .....	2
Horn in F .....	2
Trombone / Euphonium / Bassoon / Cello. ...	2
<b>Part 5</b>	
Bass Clarinet in B $\flat$ .....	2
Euphonium T.C. in B $\flat$ .....	2
Trombone / Euphonium / Bassoon / Cello. ...	4
Baritone Saxophone in E $\flat$ .....	1
Tuba / Bass. ....	3
Mallet Percussion .....	1
Bells	
Timpani. ....	1
Percussion 1 .....	2
Snare Drum, Bass Drum	
Percussion 2 .....	3
Crash Cymbals, Suspended Cymbal, Triangle	

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## About the Composition

This medley has been designed to be performed by band or orchestra alone, chorus alone in any voicing or in any combination. Joint performances of instrumental ensembles and chorus always provide a stirring rendition, but we think you will find any and all means of performance of this work to be a thrilling contribution to your patriotic program.

This setting is for flexible instrumentation for those ensembles with instrumentation deficiencies that would benefit from an arrangement with flexibility.

You will notice that throughout the medley, each section or branch of the Armed Forces, is introduced verbally by the choir. If performing the work with band or orchestra only, use a narrator or the conductor to introduce each section. You also have the option of using a narrator even if there is a choir present.

Audience participation is one of the exciting features of this piece. By reciting "The Pledge of Allegiance" and singing *The Star-Spangled Banner*, the audience is sure to be on their feet, just in time for the climactic and exciting conclusion. After the presentation of "colors," the color guard could remain at the front of the hall during the entire performance; this may add visual impact and also provide focus for "The Pledge of Allegiance."

Because many patriotic programs begin by playing *The Star-Spangled Banner*, the arrangers have offered an optional ending that moves straight from the reciting of "The Pledge of Allegiance" to the thrilling ending at the indicated coda sign markings. This eliminates a repeat of the national anthem in your performance and also offers a natural cut if length and time are considerations.

Dramatic impact may be added to the performance and presentation of this piece by having uniformed members of each of the military branches come forward to the front of the performance hall at the beginning of each branch's theme song. At that time, the narrator or conductor can invite all in the audience who have served in that branch to stand during the playing of that particular theme.

Arrangers Larry Clark and Greg Gilpin have rendered what we feel sure to be the definitive version of this popular patriotic musical presentation: All parts are written to be easily played and sung, requiring little rehearsal or preparation in order to bring together a stunning performance. With theme songs from all five branches of the armed forces connected with stirring march themes from John Philip Sousa, the pledge to the flag of the United States of America, and the official national anthem, *Armed Forces - The Pride of America!* most certainly speaks to everyone who is proud to be an American!

## About the Arrangers

Music by **Larry Clark** (b. 1963) is some of the most popular and most performed by concert bands and string orchestras of all ability levels. Larry is equally adept at writing music for beginners as he is for high school and college ensembles. His music is tuneful, contains a fresh harmonic perspective, is well scored and stretches the musicianship of the performers. He prides himself on producing music that is not only intriguing to performers and audiences alike but that contains a playability that comes from a keen understanding of the technical difficulties inherent in all instruments. His pieces have been performed internationally and appear on numerous contest/festival performance required music lists. He is an ASCAP award-winning composer, has over 300 publications in print and is in demand to write commissions for bands and orchestras across the country.

Besides his abilities as a composer Larry serves as Vice President, Editor-in-Chief for Carl Fischer Music. In this capacity he oversees all publications in all genres for this esteemed music publisher. However, his main focus is on selecting, editing and producing concert band and string orchestra music for the company. He travels the world representing Carl Fischer Music doing clinic/workshops and guest conducting appearances. His background as a former middle school and university band director at Syracuse University, combined with his composing and editing, have placed Larry at the forefront of music for school ensembles. He holds a Bachelors Degree in Music Education from Florida State University and Masters Degrees in Conducting and Composition from James Madison University in Virginia. For more information about the music of Larry Clark, visit his website [www.larryclarkmusic.com](http://www.larryclarkmusic.com). or on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/larryclarkmusic/](http://www.facebook.com/larryclarkmusic/)

Originally from the "Show-Me" state of Missouri, **Greg Gilpin** resides in Indianapolis, Indiana. A graduate of Northwest Missouri State University with a Bachelor's Degree in Vocal Music Education, K-12, Greg is a well-known, ASCAP award-winning choral composer and arranger with hundreds of publications to his credit.

In demand as a conductor for choral festivals, all-district and all-state choirs, he is a member of NAFME and ACDA. At home, Greg is busy as a studio musician and producer in the recording industry.

# Armed Forces - The Pride of America!

Arranged by Larry Clark and Greg Gilpin

## Part 1

Flute

Freely

4 Bright march tempo  $\text{♩} = 128$

Clarinet in B $\flat$  /  
Trumpet in B $\flat$

Oboe / Violin

## Part 2

Clarinet in B $\flat$  /  
Trumpet in B $\flat$

Alto Saxophone  
in E $\flat$

Violin

## Part 3

Clarinet in B $\flat$  /  
Tenor Saxophone  
in B $\flat$

Alto Saxophone  
in E $\flat$

Horn in F

Violin

Viola

## Part 4

Tenor Saxophone  
in B $\flat$

Horn in F

Trombone /  
Euphonium /  
Bassoon / Cello

## Part 5

Bass Clarinet  
in B $\flat$   
Trombone /  
Euphonium /  
Bassoon / Cello

Tuba / Bass /  
(Baritone Saxophone  
in E $\flat$ )

Mallet  
Percussion  
(Bells)

Timpani  
(F, B $\flat$ , E $\flat$ , A $\flat$ , E $\flat$ )

(Snare Drum,  
Bass Drum)

Percussion

(Crash Cymbals,  
Suspended Cymbal,  
Triangle)

Chorus  
(opt.)

The musical score is arranged in five parts. Part 1 includes Flute, Clarinet in B $\flat$  / Trumpet in B $\flat$ , and Oboe / Violin. Part 2 includes Clarinet in B $\flat$  / Trumpet in B $\flat$ , Alto Saxophone in E $\flat$ , and Violin. Part 3 includes Clarinet in B $\flat$  / Tenor Saxophone in B $\flat$ , Alto Saxophone in E $\flat$ , Horn in F, Violin, and Viola. Part 4 includes Tenor Saxophone in B $\flat$ , Horn in F, and Trombone / Euphonium / Bassoon / Cello. Part 5 includes Bass Clarinet in B $\flat$ , Trombone / Euphonium / Bassoon / Cello, Tuba / Bass / (Baritone Saxophone in E $\flat$ ), Mallet Percussion (Bells), Timpani, Snare Drum / Bass Drum, and other Percussion. The score begins with a 'Freely' section and transitions to a '4 Bright march tempo' section at measure 4. Dynamics include *off stage*, *f*, and *pp*. The percussion section includes a *f* Cr. Cym. at measure 4. The score is marked with measure numbers 1 through 7 at the bottom.

Choral arrangements available:

CM8773 - SATB

CM8774 - SAB

CM8775 - Two-part voices

CM8776 - TTBB

XPS13F

Spoken: "The United States Army"

Opt. div. **12** "The Caisson Song"  
by Edmund L. Gruber

**Part 1**

Fl. *ff* *mp*

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *ff* *mp*

Ob. / Vln. *ff* *mp*

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *ff* *mp*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *ff* *mp*

Vln. *ff* *mp*

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *ff*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *ff*

Hn. in F *ff*

Vln. *ff*

Vla. *ff*

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb *ff*

Hn. in F *ff*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *ff*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *ff*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *ff*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *ff*

Mall.  
Perc. *ff*

Timp. *ff*

Perc. *ff* *p*

1 *ff*

2 *ff* Tri.

Chorus *mp*

O - ver hill, o - ver dale, we will

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

Musical notation for Part 1. The Flute part has a dynamic marking of *f* at the end. The Clarinet and Oboe/Violin parts have a dynamic marking of *f* at the end.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

Musical notation for Part 2. The Clarinet and Alto Saxophone parts have a dynamic marking of *mp* in the middle and *f* at the end. The Violin part has a dynamic marking of *f* at the end.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

Musical notation for Part 3. The Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, Horn, Violin, and Viola parts all have a dynamic marking of *mp* in the middle and *f* at the end.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Musical notation for Part 4. The Tenor Saxophone, Horn, and Trombone/Euphonium/Bassoon/Viola parts all have a dynamic marking of *mp* in the middle and *f* at the end.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Musical notation for Part 5. The Bass Clarinet, Trombone/Euphonium/Bassoon/Viola, and Tuba/Bassoon/Baritone Saxophone parts all have a dynamic marking of *mf* in the middle and *f* at the end.

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

Perc.  
2

Musical notation for Percussion. Mallet Percussion has a dynamic marking of *f* at the end. Timpani and Percussion 1 and 2 have a dynamic marking of *mf* in the middle.

Chorus

hit the dust - y trail, and the cais - sons go rol - ling a - long. In and

Musical notation for the Chorus with lyrics. The lyrics are: "hit the dust - y trail, and the cais - sons go rol - ling a - long. In and". The dynamic marking is *mf* at the end.

Part 1

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

1

2

Chorus

out, hear them shout, coun - ter march and right a - bout, and the cais - sons go rol - ling a -

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

28

*mf* *f*

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

*mf* *f*

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

*f*

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

28

*f*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

1

2

*f*

Chorus

long.

Then it's Hi! Hi! Hee! in the field ar - til - ler - y.

28

*f*

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in B/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

1

2

Chorus

Shout out your num - bers loud and strong! For where - e'er you go, you will al - ways

Part 1

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

Perc.  
2

Chorus

know that the cais - sons are rol - ling a long.

**Part 1**

Fl.  $\text{♩} = 128$

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

$\text{♩} = 128$

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

2

Chorus

$\text{♩} = 128$

From the

*f*

Part 1

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

1

2

Chorus

Halls of Mon - te - zu - ma to the shores of Trip - o -

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

*f* *mf*

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

*f* *mf*

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

*f* *mf*

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

*f* *mf*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

1

2

*f* *mf*

Chorus

li. we will fight our coun try's bat tles in the

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

66

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

66

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

66

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

66

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

1  
Perc.

2

mf

ch.

f

66

Chorus

air, on land and sea. First to fight for right and

66

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

Perc.  
2

Chorus

free dom and to keep our hon - or clean. We are

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

2

Chorus

proud to claim the ti - tle of U - ni - ted States Ma -

74 75 76 77 78 79

82 Reverently  $\text{♩} = 60$  Spoken: "The United States Navy"

Part 1

Fl. *mp* *legato*

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *mp* *legato*

Ob. / Vln. *mp* *legato*

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *mp* *legato*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mp* *legato*

Vln. *mp* *legato*

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *mp* *legato*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mp* *legato*

Hn. in F *mp* *legato*

Vln. *mp* *legato*

Vla. *mp* *legato*

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb *mp* *legato*

Hn. in F *mp* *legato*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mp* *legato*

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *mp* *legato*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mp* *legato*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *mp* *legato*

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1  
2 *p* *mf* *mp*

Sus. Cym.

82 Reverently  $\text{♩} = 60$  Spoken: "The United States Navy"

Chorus *mp*

rines.

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"Anchors Aweigh"  
by Capt. Alfred H. Miles, USN (Ret.)  
and Charles A. Zimmerman

86 Bright march tempo ♩ = 128

Part 1

Fl. *f*

Cl. in B♭/  
Tpt. in B♭ *f*

Ob. / Vln. *f*

Part 2

Cl. in B♭/  
Tpt. in B♭ *mf*

A. Sax.  
in E♭ *mf*

Vln. *mf*

Part 3

Cl. in B♭/  
T. Sax.  
in B♭ *mf*

A. Sax.  
in E♭ *mf*

Hn. in F *mf*

Vln. *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in B♭ *f*

Hn. in F *f*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *f*

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in B♭ *mf*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in E♭) *mf*

Mall.  
Perc. *mf*

Timp. *f*

Perc. *mf*

86 Brisk march tempo ♩ = 128

Chorus

*f*

An 86 - chors 87 a - weigh, 88 my boys, 89 90 91

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

*mf*

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

*mf*

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

*mf*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

*mp*

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

1  
Perc.

2

Cr. Cym.

*mp*

Chorus

weigh. Fare - well to col - lege joys, we

Part 1

Fl.

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

*mf*

*ff sostenuto*

Part 2

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

*mf*

*ff sostenuto*

Part 3

Cl. in B/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

*mf*

*ff sostenuto*

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

*ff sostenuto*

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

Perc.  
2

*ff sostenuto*

*ff*

Chorus

sail at break of day, day, day, day. Through our last

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

2

Chorus

night on shore, drink to the foam.

**Part 1**

Fl. *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Ob. / Vln. *mf* *cresc.* *f*

**Part 2**

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb *mf* *cresc.* *f*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Vln. *mf* *cresc.* *f*

**Part 3**

Cl. in B/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *mf* *cresc.* *f*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Hn. in F *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Vln. *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Vla. *mf* *cresc.* *f*

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Hn. in F *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf* *cresc.* *f*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Mall.  
Perc. *f*

Timp. *f*

Perc. 1 *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Perc. 2 *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Chorus *mf* *cresc.* *f*

Un - til we meet once more, here's wish - ing you a hap - py voy - age

Part 1

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

Perc.  
2

Chorus

home.



**Part 1**

128

**"Semper Paratus" (Always Ready)**

Words and Music by  
Captain Francis Salus Van Boskerck, U.S.C.G.

Fl. *mf*

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb *mf*

Ob. / Vln. *mf*

**Part 2**

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb *mf*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mf*

Vln. *mf*

**Part 3**

Cl. in B/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *mf*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mf*

Hn. in F *mf*

Vln. *mf*

Vla. *mf*

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**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb *mf*

Hn. in F *mf*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *mf*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *mf*

Mall.  
Perc. *f*

Timp. *mf*

Perc. *mf*

1

2

128

Chorus *mf*

We're al - ways read - y for the call, we place our trust in

128

129

130

131

132

133

**Part 1**

Fl.  
Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb  
A. Sax.  
in Eb

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb  
A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb  
Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb  
Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1  
2

Chorus

The musical score is arranged in five parts. Part 1 includes Flute, Clarinet in Bb/Trombone in Bb, and Oboe/Violin. Part 2 includes Clarinet in Bb/Trombone in Bb, Alto Saxophone in Eb, and Violin. Part 3 includes Clarinet in Bb/Tenor Saxophone in Bb, Alto Saxophone in Eb, Horn in F, Violin, and Viola. Part 4 includes Tenor Saxophone in Bb, Horn in F, and Trombone/Euphonium/Baritone/Viola. Part 5 includes Bass Clarinet in Bb, Trombone/Euphonium/Baritone/Viola, Trombone/Bass/Baritone Saxophone in Eb, Mallet Percussion, Timpani, and Percussion (snare and tom-toms). The Chorus part includes vocal lines with lyrics. Dynamics include *mp*, *cresc.*, *f*, *mf*, and *div.*



Through surf and storm and howl - ing gale,

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in B/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

1  
Perc.

2

Chorus

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

1

2

Chorus

guide,

our

fame, our glo - ry, too.

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

Perc.  
2

Chorus

to fight and die! Aye! Coast Guard we are for

fight, 152 to save, 153 154 155 156 157

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

*cresc.*

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

*cresc.*

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

*cresc.*

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

*cresc.*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

1  
Perc.

2

*cresc.*

Chorus

you!

158

159

160

161

162

163

"The U.S. Air Force"  
By Robert Crawford

164 Same tempo ♩ = 128

Part 1

Fl. *mf*

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *mf*

Ob. / Vln. *mf*

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *mf*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mf*

Vln. *mf*

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *mf*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mf*

Hn. in F *mf*

Vln. *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb *mf*

Hn. in F *mf*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf*

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *mf*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *mf*

Mall.  
Perc. *mf*

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

164 Same tempo ♩ = 128

Chorus *mf*

Off we go. Oo. Ah.

Off we go in - to the wild, blue yon der, climb - ing high in - to the

164 165 166 167 168 169

**Part 1**

Fl. *f* *mf* 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *f* *mf* 2

Ob. / Vln. *f* *mf* 2

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *mf* 2

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mf* 2

Vln. *mf* 2

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *f* *mf*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *f* *mf*

Hn. in F *f* *mf*

Vln. *f* *mf*

Vla. *f* *mf*

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb *f* *Soli*

Hn. in F *f* *Soli*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *f* *Soli*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *mf*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *mf*

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1 *f* *mf*

Perc. 2

Chorus

In - to the sun! Here they come. Oo

sun. Here they come zooming to meet our thun - der,

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

180

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

180

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

1 Perc.

2 Perc.

**Chorus**

180

"At 'em boys, give 'er the gun!" Down the dive, spouting our

"At 'em boys, 176 give 'er the gun"! 177 178 179 180 181

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

*Soli*  
*f*

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

*Soli*  
*f*

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

1  
Perc.

2

Chorus

flame from un - der, off on one - ter - ri - ble course! We

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

1

2

Chorus

live in fame or go down in flame. Hey, nothing 'll stop the U. S. Air

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

2

Chorus  
Force.

200 Suddenly slower  $\text{♩} = 100$   
*rit.*

203 Slowly  $\text{♩} = 80$   
*Recite "The Pledge of Allegiance"*

Part 1

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

*ff dim. p*

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

*ff dim. p*

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

*ff dim. p*

200 Suddenly slower  $\text{♩} = 100$   
*rit.*

203 Slowly  $\text{♩} = 80$

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

*ff dim. p mp*

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

Perc.  
2

*ff dim. p mp*

Sus. Cym.

*ff*  
Suddenly slower  $\text{♩} = 100$   
*rit.*

203 Slowly  $\text{♩} = 80$   
*Recite "The Pledge of Allegiance"*

Chorus

211 Stately  $\text{♩} = 88$

Part 1

Fl.

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

*mf* *cresc.* *f*

Part 2

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

*mf* *cresc.* *f*

Part 3

Cl. in B/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

*mf* *cresc.* *f*

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

*cresc.* *f*

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

*cresc.* *f*

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

*fp* *f*

211 Stately  $\text{♩} = 88$  *f*

Chorus

O say can you see by the

Part 1

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

2

Chorus

dawn's ear - ly light, what so proud - ly we hailed at the twi - lights last gleam-ing? Who's broad stripes and bright

**Part 1**

Fl.

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.  
1

2

Chorus

stars through the per - i - lous fight or the ram - parts we watched were so ga - lant - ly

220 221 222 223 224 225

Part 1

Fl. *f*

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *f*

Ob. / Vln. *f*

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *f*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *f*

Vln. *f*

Part 3

Cl. in Bb /  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *mp*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mp*

Hn. in F *mp*

Vln. *mp*

Vla. *mp*

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb *mf*

Hn. in F *mf*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf*

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *mp*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mp*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *mp*

Mall.  
Perc. *f*

Timp.

Perc. 1 *p sfz*

Perc. 2 *p sfz*

Chorus *f*

stream-ing. And the rock - ets red glare, the bombs burst - ing in air, gave proof through the

**Part 1**

Fl. *poco rit.*

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *f*

Ob. / Vln. *f*

**Part 2**

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb *f*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *f*

Vln. *f*

**Part 3**

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *mf* *f*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *mf* *f*

Hn. in F *mf* *f*

Vln. *mf* *f*

Vla. *mf* *f*

**Part 4**

T. Sax.  
in Bb *f* *poco rit.*

Hn. in F *f*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *f*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *mf* *f*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *mf* *f*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *mf* *f*

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc. 1 *sfz* *fp* *f*

Perc. 2

**Chorus** *f* *poco rit.*

night that our flag was still there. Oh say does that star span - gled ban - ner yet wave, or the

232

233

234

235

236

237

238

Part 1

Fl.

rit. 242 **Faster** ♩ = 92

*cresc.*

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

Ob. / Vln.

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
Tpt. in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Vln.

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

A. Sax.  
in Eb

Hn. in F

Vln.

Vla.

Part 4

T. Sax.  
in Bb

Hn. in F

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Part 5

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc.

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb)

Mall.  
Perc.

Timp.

Perc.

1

2

Chorus

rit. 242 **Faster** ♩ = 92

land of the free and the home of the brave? A - mer - i - ca,

*cresc.*

*ff*

*molto rit.*

**Part 1**  
Fl.

Fl. *ff* *fff*

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb *ff* *fff*

Ob. / Vln. *ff* *fff*

**Part 2**  
Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb

Cl. in B/  
Tpt. in Bb *ff* *fff*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *ff* *fff*

Vln. *ff* *fff*

**Part 3**

Cl. in B/  
T. Sax.  
in Bb *ff* *fff*

A. Sax.  
in Eb *ff* *fff*

Hn. in F *ff* *fff*

Vln. *ff* *fff*

Vla. *ff* *fff*

**Part 4**  
T. Sax.  
in Bb

T. Sax. in Bb *ff* *fff*

Hn. in F *ff* *fff*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *ff* *fff*

**Part 5**

Bs. Cl.  
in Bb *ff* *fff*

Tbn. /  
Euph. /  
Bsn. / Vc. *ff* *fff*

Tba. / Bs. /  
(Bar. Sax.  
in Eb) *ff* *fff*

Mall.  
Perc. *ff* *fff*

Timp. *ff* *fff*

Perc. 1 *ff* *fff*

Perc. 2 *ff* *fff*

**Chorus**

Chorus *ff* *fff*

A - mer - i - ca, my home! A - mer - i - ca!

Full Score

Commissioned by North Hills High School Bands, North Hills, PA. Leonard Lavelle, director

The Ides of March

SEAN O'LOUGHLIN

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Part 1

Flute  
 Clarinet in Bb/  
 Trumpet in Bb  
 Violin / Oboe

Part 2

Clarinet in Bb/  
 Trumpet in Bb  
 Alto Saxophone in Eb  
 Violin

Part 3

Clarinet in Bb/  
 Tenor Saxophone in Bb  
 Alto Saxophone in Eb  
 Horn in F  
 Violin  
 Viola

Part 4

Tenor Saxophone in Bb/  
 Euphonium T.C. in Bb  
 Horn in F  
 Trombone /  
 Euphonium /  
 Bassoon / Cello

Part 5

Bass Clarinet in Bb/  
 Euphonium T.C. in Bb  
 Trombone /  
 Euphonium /  
 Bassoon / Cello  
 Tuba / Bass /  
 (Baritone)  
 Saxophone in Eb

Mallet

Percussion  
 (Chimes, Bells)

Timpani

et. c. (Snare Drum,  
 Bass Drum)

Percussion

(Cymbals, Crash Cymbals,  
 Tam-tam, Triangle,  
 Suspended Cymbal,  
 Tom-toms, Claves,  
 Chime Cymbals)

Keyboard

(opt.)

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Part 1

Fl.  
 Cl. in Bb/  
 Tpt. in Bb  
 Vln./  
 Ob.

Part 2

Cl. in Bb/  
 Tpt. in Bb  
 A. Sax.  
 in Eb  
 Vln.

Part 3

Cl. in Bb/  
 T. Sax.  
 in Bb  
 A. Sax.  
 in Eb  
 Hn. in F  
 Vln.  
 Vla.

Part 4

T. Sax.  
 in Bb/  
 Euph. in Bb  
 Hn. in F

Part 5

Tbn. / Euph.  
 Bsn. / Vc.  
 Bsn. Cl.  
 in Bb/  
 Euph. in Bb

Tbn. / Euph.

Bsn. / Vc.

Mall.

Perc.  
 Chimes

Timp.

1  
 Perc.  
 2  
 Tam-tam

Kbd.

7 8 9 10 11 12

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