

Curse of the Pharaohs

Chris Bernotas

1 Full Score	4 Trumpet 1
8 Flute	4 Trumpet 2
2 Oboe	4 F Horn
2 Bassoon	6 Trombone
4 Clarinet 1	2 Baritone B.C.
4 Clarinet 2	2 Baritone T.C.
2 Bass Clarinet	5 Tuba
2 Alto Saxophone 1	1 Timpani
2 Alto Saxophone 2	2 Percussion 1: Tom-toms, Bass Drum
2 Tenor Saxophone	3 Percussion 2: Suspended Cymbal, Tambourine, Finger Cymbals, Crash Cymbals
1 Baritone Saxophone	2 Mallets: Xylophone, Bells

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Program Notes

Curse of the Pharaohs is an exotic sounding piece with a distinctive style and infectious melody. Students will be captivated immediately with the mysterious sounding introduction that will bring their imaginations to Ancient Egypt. Fast driving rhythms, exotic harmonies and colorful percussion all contribute to the air of mystery and drama that lingers throughout this exceedingly appealing work.

About the Composer

Composer, conductor, clinician, and teacher Chris M. Bernotas brings a fresh perspective to the world of music education. An active composer and arranger of concert band music, Mr. Bernotas is published with numerous publishers. His music has been performed at the Midwest Clinic and has appeared on J.W. Pepper's Editor's Choice list and numerous state lists.

Mr. Bernotas holds a BM from William Paterson University and an MAT from Marygrove College. As an instrumental music teacher at Mountain Lakes High School in New Jersey, he conducts the wind ensemble, concert band, pep band, jazz band, and pit orchestra. Mr. Bernotas was recognized as "Educator of the Year" in 2005 and has been listed several times in Who's Who Among American Teachers.

Mr. Bernotas has served the North Jersey Area Band as President, and Symphonic Band conductor. He has also served on the executive board for the New Jersey School Music Association, Region I, and has worked with the NJ All-State Band as a manager. Mr. Bernotas has written and arranged music for many drum corps and marching bands throughout the United States. He also adjudicates for marching band competitions and festivals nationwide.

His professional affiliations include MENC, ASCAP, NBA, and NJMEA. Mr. Bernotas resides in New Jersey with his wife Cristina and three children.

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ASCAP

Mysterioso ♩ = 72

5 Quickly ♩ = 152

Flute
Oboe
Bassoon
Clarinet 1
Clarinet 2
Bass Clarinet
Alto Saxophone 1
Alto Saxophone 2
Tenor Saxophone
Baritone Saxophone
Trumpet 1
Trumpet 2
F Horn
Trombone
Baritone
Tuba
Timpani
Percussion 1
Tom-toms, Bass Drum
Percussion 2
Suspended Cymbal (mallets)
Finger Cymbals
Tambourine
Bass Drum
Mallets
Xylophone, Bells

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2 3 4 5 6 7

Curse of the Pharaohs

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

F. Hn.

Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Mlts.

8

9

10

11

12

13

14

Curse of the Pharaohs

15

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

15

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

F. Hn.

Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Mlts.

15 16 17 18 19 20 21

Curse of the Pharaohs

25

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

F. Hn.

Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Mlts.

22 23 24 25 26 27 28

4

5

Curse of the Pharaohs

35

Fl.

mp

Ob.

mp

Bsn.

mp

Cl. 1

mp

Cl. 2

mp

B. Cl.

mp

A. Sax. 1

mp

A. Sax. 2

mp

T. Sax.

mp

B. Sax.

mp

35

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

F. Hn.

Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

mf

S.C. (with stick)

F.C.

Mlts.

29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36

43

6

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Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

F. Hn.

Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Mlts.

45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52

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[illegible]

63

63

Curse of the Pharaohs

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Sax. 1

A. Sax. 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

F. Hn.

Trb.

Bar.

Tuba

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Mlt.

68 69 70 71 72 73 74