

SONGS OF AMERICAN HERITAGE AND PATRIOTISM

for Brass Quintet

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1. “America the Beautiful” (MATERNA)

Words: Katharine Lee Bates
Music: Samuel A. Ward
arr. Ran Whitley

Moderato $\text{♩} = 82$

The musical score consists of ten staves, grouped into two systems separated by a repeat sign. The first system contains five staves: Trumpet in Bb 1, Trumpet in Bb 2, Horn in F, Trombone, and Tuba. The second system contains five staves: B♭ Tpt. 1, B♭ Tpt. 2, Hn., Tbn., and Tuba. Measure numbers 1 through 6 are indicated above the staves. Dynamics such as *f*, *mf*, and *mf* are marked throughout the score.

Trumpet in Bb 1

Trumpet in Bb 2

Horn in F

Trombone

Tuba

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

6

f

f

f

f

f

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

2. “Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory” (BATTLE HYMN)

Words: Julia Ward Howe
Music: American Folk Tune
arr. Ran Whitley

Con moto $\text{♩} = 92$

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

This section contains five staves. The first two staves (B-flat Trumpets) are silent. The third staff (Horn) begins with a dynamic of 'pp' and consists of six eighth-note pairs. The fourth staff (Trombone) begins with a dynamic of 'pp' and consists of six eighth-note pairs. The fifth staff (Tuba) begins with a dynamic of 'pp' and consists of six eighth-note pairs.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

This section contains five staves. The first two staves (B-flat Trumpets) are silent. The third staff (Horn) begins with a dynamic of 'mf' and consists of six eighth-note pairs. The fourth staff (Trombone) begins with a dynamic of 'mf' and consists of six eighth-note pairs. The fifth staff (Tuba) begins with a dynamic of 'mf' and consists of six eighth-note pairs.

3. “Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” (ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR)

Words: Henry Alford
Music: George J. Elvey
arr. Ran Whitley

Allegretto $\text{♩} = 92$

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

4. “God of Our Fathers” (NATIONAL HYMN)

Words: Daniel C. Roberts
Music: George W. Warren
arr. Ran Whitley

Allegro $\text{♩} = 118$

This section of the score consists of five staves for brass instruments. The first four staves (B♭ Tpt. 1, B♭ Tpt. 2, Hn., Tbn.) play eighth-note patterns with dynamic markings like ***ff*** and ***p***. The Tuba staff is silent. Measure 1 starts with ***ff*** for all parts. Measures 2-4 show a repeating pattern of eighth-note groups with dynamics ***p***, ***ff***, ***p***, and ***ff***.

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This section continues the same instrumentation and pattern as the previous one. The parts play eighth-note groups with dynamics ***p***, ***ff***, ***p***, and ***ff***. The Tuba remains silent.

9

This section introduces a new rhythmic pattern. The B♭ Tpt. 1 staff has sixteenth-note patterns with a dynamic of ***f***. The other parts (B♭ Tpt. 2, Hn., Tbn., Tuba) play eighth-note patterns. Measures 10-12 show a continuation of these patterns, with the Tuba finally joining in at the end of measure 12.

5. “The Star-Spangled Banner” (NATIONAL ANTHEM)

Words: Francis Scott Key
Music: John Stafford Smith
arr. Ran Whitley

Maestoso ♩ = 84

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

6. “Lift Every Voice and Sing”

Words: James Weldon Johnson
 Music: Rosamond Johnson
 arr. Ran Whitley

Con moto $\text{♩} = 68$

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

7. "My Country, 'Tis of Thee"

(AMERICA)

Words: Samuel F. Smith
 Music: Thesaurus Musicus
 arranged by Ran Whitley

Moderato $\text{♩} = 82$

The musical score consists of three staves of music for brass instruments. The first staff features B♭ Tpt. 1, the second B♭ Tpt. 2, the third Hn., the fourth Tbn., and the fifth Tuba. The key signature is B♭ major (two flats), and the time signature is 3/4 throughout. The tempo is indicated as Moderato with a quarter note equal to 82.

Measure 1: All instruments remain silent until the third measure. In the third measure, the Tuba begins with a sustained note at *p*. The Tbn. joins with eighth-note patterns, and the Hn. enters with eighth-note patterns at *mp*. The B♭ Tpt. 1 and B♭ Tpt. 2 enter with sustained notes at *mp*.

Measure 5: The B♭ Tpt. 1 and B♭ Tpt. 2 play eighth-note patterns at *mf*. The Hn. plays eighth-note patterns at *mf*. The Tbn. and Tuba play eighth-note patterns at *mf*. The dynamics transition to *f* for the remainder of the section.

Measure 9: The B♭ Tpt. 1 and B♭ Tpt. 2 play eighth-note patterns at *ff*. The Hn. and Tbn. play eighth-note patterns at *mf*. The Tuba plays eighth-note patterns at *ff*. The section concludes with a ritardando (rit.) indicated above the staff.

8. “The Battle Cry of Freedom”

Words & Music: George F. Root
arr. Ran Whitley

Allegretto ♩ = 108

The musical score consists of three systems of music for five brass instruments: B♭ Tpt. 1, B♭ Tpt. 2, Hn., Tbn., and Tuba. The key signature is B♭ major (two flats), and the time signature is common time (indicated by a '4'). The tempo is Allegretto, with a note value of ♩ = 108.

System 1 (Measures 1-4): All instruments play eighth-note patterns. Dynamics include **p** (piano) for the first two measures and **mf** (mezzo-forte) for the third measure. Measures 4 and 5 show sustained notes.

System 2 (Measures 5-8): The instrumentation changes to B♭ Tpt. 1, B♭ Tpt. 2, Hn., Tbn., and Tuba. Dynamics are **mf** for both trumpets and **p** for the other three instruments. Measures 8 and 9 show sustained notes.

System 3 (Measures 9-12): The instrumentation changes back to B♭ Tpt. 1, B♭ Tpt. 2, Hn., Tbn., and Tuba. The parts are mostly sustained notes, with some eighth-note patterns in the bassoon and tuba in the final measure.

10. "The Liberty Bell March"

Music: John Phillips Sousa
arr. Ran Whitley

Con moto ♩ = 106

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

5

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

9

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn.

Tbn.

Tuba

11. “Day Is Done, Gone the Sun” (TAPS)

Words: Horace Lorenzo Trim
Music: Traditional
arr. Ran Whitley

Grave ♩ = 60
 (Antiphonal Right)

B♭ Tpt. 1 B♭ Tpt. 2 Hn. Tbn. Tuba

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B♭ Tpt. 1 B♭ Tpt. 2 Hn. Tbn. Tuba