

Unknowingly commissioned by my wife.

# That Swingin' Birthday Song

by RICK HIRSCH (2000)

**FOR LARGE JAZZ ENSEMBLE**

5 Saxes (2 altos, 2 tenors, 1 bari)

4 Trumpets

4 Trombones (incl. 1 Bass Tbn.)

Guitar

Piano

Bass

Drums

**IMPROVISED SOLOS: Alto (opt. Tpt.); Bari, Tenor, or Tbn**

**DURATION: 3:10**

**LEVEL: MEDIUM**

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*Good, jazzy music from Pennsylvania*

## PROGRAM NOTES

This is a great one to have in your book, just in case.

Think of it as **gig insurance**.

And, heck, it's swingin'.

Many Thanks!

*~ Rick Hirsch*

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## REHEARSAL & PERFORMANCE NOTES

Swing.

Have fun.

Get saucy at the very end during the "And MA-ny MORRRRRRE" tag.

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**SASSY SWING** ♩=120

**E♭ ALTO SAX. 1**  
**E♭ ALTO SAX. 2**  
**B♭ TENOR SAX. 1**  
**B♭ TENOR SAX. 2**  
**E♭ BARITONE SAX.**  
**B♭ TRUMPET 1**  
**B♭ TRUMPET 2**  
**B♭ TRUMPET 3**  
**B♭ TRUMPET 4**  
**TROMBONE 1**  
**TROMBONE 2**  
**TROMBONE 3**  
**BASS TROMBONE 4**  
**GUITAR**  
**PIANO**  
**BASS**  
**DRUMS**

*(CAMP FREEDO GREEN STYLE V/S)*  
*(TIME STICKS)*

*FULL*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

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ALTO 1

ALTO 2

TENOR 1

TENOR 2

BARI

TRP. 1

TRP. 2

TRP. 3

TRP. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

TBN. 3

Bs. TBN. 4

GTR.

PNO.

BASS

DRUMS

PREVIEW

10 11 12 13 14 15 16

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ALTO 1  
ALTO 2  
TENOR 1  
TENOR 2  
BARI  
TPR. 1  
TPR. 2  
TPR. 3  
TPR. 4  
TRN. 1  
TRN. 2  
TRN. 3  
Bs. TRN. 4  
GTR.  
PNO.  
BASS  
DRUMS

Chord progression for GTR, PNO, and BASS:  
Dm7/G, Dm7, D7, C6, G7, C6, C7, F6, Fm6 F#07, Dm7/G

Drum notation includes accents: *5* (ENC), *7* (ENC), *9* (ENC)

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(OPT. SOLO AD-LIB)  
(ALSO IN TRP 1)

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A E7 A6 A7 D6 Dm6 E7 A

ALTO 1

ALTO 2

TENOR 1

TENOR 2

BARI

TRP. 1

TRP. 2

TRP. 3

TRP. 4

TBN. 1

TBN. 2

TBN. 3

Bs. TBN. 4

(OPT. SOLO AD-LIB)  
(ALSO IN ALTO 1)

D A7 D6 D7 G6 Gm6 A7 D

(COMP FOR SOLISTS) "ALL" OF "FACILE" BASSO STYLE

GTR. Dm7 G7 C G7 C6 C7 F6 Fm6 G7 C

PNO. Dm7 G7 C G7 G7 C6 C7 F6 Fm6 G7 G7 C

BASS Dm7 G7 C G7 G7 C6 C7 F6 Fm6 G7 C

DRUMS

26 28 29 30 31 32 33 34

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3x

Musical score for 'That Swingin' Birthday Song...p.5'. The score includes parts for Alto 1 & 2, Tenor 1 & 2, Baritone, Trumpet 1-4, Trombone 1-4, Bass Trombone 4, Guitar, Piano, Bass, and Drums. The key signature is two sharps (F# and C#), and the time signature is common time (C). The score is marked with a large 'PREVIEW' watermark. Chord progressions are indicated below the Tenor 1 and Guitar staves. The Tenor 1 staff shows chords: C, G7, C, C7, F6, F#m6, G7, C. The Guitar staff shows chords: C, G7, G7, C, C7, F6, F#m6, G7, C. The Tenor 2 staff has an annotation: (OPT. SOLO AD-LIB) (ALSO IN TEN 1 & TENOR 1). The Baritone staff has an annotation: (OPT. SOLO AD-LIB) (ALSO IN TEN 1 & TENOR 1). The Trumpet 4 staff has an annotation: (OPT. SOLO AD-LIB) (ALSO IN TENOR 1 & BARI). The score ends with a double bar line and repeat signs.

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SOFTLY

Musical score for 'That Swingin' Birthday Song...p.6'. The score is arranged for a vocal ensemble and a jazz band. The vocal parts include Alto 1, Alto 2, Tenor 1, Tenor 2, Baritone, Soprano 1, Soprano 2, Soprano 3, and Soprano 4. The instrumental parts include Trumpet 1, Trumpet 2, Trumpet 3, Trumpet 4, Trombone 1, Trombone 2, Trombone 3, Bass Trombone 4, Guitar, Piano, Bass, and Drums. The score is in 4/4 time and features a large 'PREVIEW' watermark. The guitar part includes chords for 'FREDDIE GREEN' COMPING (MAIN) and 'BRASS COMPING'. The bass part includes a 'DR. CLOSED HI-HAT' instruction. The piano part includes a 'DR. CLOSED HI-HAT' instruction. The drums part includes a 'DR. CLOSED HI-HAT' instruction.