

VERY BEGINNING STRING ORCHESTRA

DOMINIQUE'S DANCE

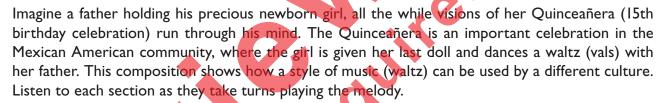
(A Mariachi Waltz)

JOHN NIETO

INSTRUMENTATION

- I Conductor
- 8 Ist Violin
- 8 2nd Violin
- 5 Viola
- 5 Cello
- 5 String Bass
- I Piano Accompaniment





NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR

This piece remains in first position with easy finger patterns and features the melody in each section, making this a perfect first ensemble piece! The lyrical style will provide opportunities to develop musicianship and bowing. It will also allow you to bring into discussion how music is used in various cultures. In this case, the waltz is a European import. In Mexican culture, the Ranchera Valseada is used by various regional styles including Mariachi, Norteño, Banda, etc. Alert the students to upcoming pizz. and arco sections in measures 16 and 32.

NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

All Belwin string parts have been carefully bowed and fingered appropriately by level. The Yellow Very Beginning series includes many bowings as well as reminder fingerings for first-time readers. The Red Beginning series includes frequent bowings to assist younger players. Fingerings for altered pitches are often marked. The Green Intermediate series includes appropriately placed bowings for middle-level students. Fingerings and positions are marked for notes beyond first position. The Blue Concert series includes bowings appropriate for the experienced high school player. Fingerings and position markings are indicated for difficult passages.

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CONDUCTOR SCORE Duration - 1:50

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