

ALFRED'S CHALLENGER BAND SERIES

Willow Creek Festival

By Steve Hodges

Beginning with an energetic fanfare, *Willow Creek Festival* is an upbeat piece that moves along smoothly in triple meter. The main theme is presented by the clarinets and saxophones and then again by the trumpets and flutes. A repetition of the introduction provides a transition to a contrasting section in 5/4 time which features a memorable melody in the relative minor key. With varied percussion colors, active rhythmic patterns and an effective countermelody, an excellent contrast is achieved. The main theme returns and flows into an exciting variation of the initial fanfare, bringing the piece to a dynamic conclusion.

INSTRUMENTATION

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| 1 — Conductor Score | 4 — 1st B \flat Trumpet |
| 10 — Flute | 4 — 2nd B \flat Trumpet |
| 2 — Oboe | 2 — F Horn |
| 2 — Bassoon | 3 — Trombone |
| 6 — 1st B \flat Clarinet | 2 — Baritone B.C. |
| 6 — 2nd B \flat Clarinet | 2 — Baritone T.C. |
| 2 — B \flat Bass Clarinet | 2 — Tuba |
| 2 — 1st E \flat Alto Saxophone | Percussion – 6 players: |
| 2 — 2nd E \flat Alto Saxophone | 1 — Bells |
| 2 — B \flat Tenor Saxophone | 2 — Percussion 1 (Snare Drum,
Bass Drum) |
| 1 — E \flat Baritone Saxophone | 4 — Percussion 2 (Suspended
Cymbal/Tambourine,
Crash Cymbals/Claves) |
| | 1 — Timpani |

WORLD PARTS

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- E \flat Alto Clarinet
- E \flat Horn
- Trombone in B \flat T.C.
- Trombone in B \flat B.C.
- Euphonium in B \flat B.C.
- Tuba in B \flat T.C.
- Tuba in B \flat B.C.
- Tuba in E \flat T.C.
- Tuba in E \flat B.C.



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CONDUCTOR SCORE

Duration - 2:45

Vibrantly ♩ = 138

Flute/
Oboe

B♭ Clarinets

E♭ Alto
Saxophones

B♭ Trumpets

F Horn

Trombone

Baritone
Tuba

Bells

Percussion 1
(Snare Drum, Bass Drum)

Percussion 2
(Suspended Cymbal/
Tambourine,
Crash Cymbals/Claves)

Timpani

5

(hard rubber mallets)

S.D.
B.D.

Sus. Cym.
(med. mallets)

Cr. Cyms.

Tune: F, B♭

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Fl./
Ob.

Cls.

A. Saxes

Tpts.

Hn.

Trb.

Bar/
Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timpani

13

8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15

Fl./ Ob.
Cls. 1/2
A. Saxes 1/2
Tpts. 1/2
Hn.
Trb.
Bar./ Tuba
Bells
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Timp.

16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23

24 %

Fl./ Ob.
Cls. 1/2
A. Saxes 1/2
Tpts. 1/2
Hn.
Trb.
Bar./ Tuba
Bells
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Timp.

24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

32

Fl./Ob. *mf*

Cls. 1/2

A. Saxes 1/2

Tpts. 1/2 *mf*

Hn. *mf*

Trb. *mf*

Bar./Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Sus. Cym. (sticks) *mf*

Perc. 2

Timp. *mf*

32 33 34 35 36 37

43

Fl./Ob.

Cls. 1/2

A. Saxes 1/2 *a2*

Tpts. 1/2

Hn.

Trb.

Bar./Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Sus. Cym. (mallets) *mf*

Perc. 2

Timp. *f*

38 39 40 41 42 43 44

To Coda ⊕

Fl./Ob. 1 2

Cls. 1 2

A. Saxes 1 2

Tpts. 1 2

Hn.

Trb.

Bar./Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

45 46 47 48 49 50 51

54

Fl./Ob.

Cls.

A. Saxes

Tpts.

Hn.

Trb.

Bar./Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

52 53 54 55 56

Tambourine

Claves

mp

mf

legato

Fl./Ob. *mf*

Cls. 1/2 *mf*

A. Saxes 1/2 *mf*

Tpts. 1/2

Hn.

Trb. *mf*

Bar./Tuba *mf*

Bells

Perc. 1 *mf* (snare off)

Perc. 2 *mf*

Timp.

57 58 59 60 61

Fl./Ob. *mf*

Cls. 1/2 *mf*

A. Saxes 1/2 *mf*

Tpts. 1/2 *mf* *a2*

Hn. *mf*

Trb. *mf*

Bar./Tuba *mf*

Bells

Perc. 1 *mf*

Perc. 2 *mf* Sus. Cym. (sticks)

Timp. *mf*

62 63 64 65 66

70

Fl./ Ob.

Cls. 1/2

A. Saxes 1/2

Tpts. 1/2

Hn.

Trb.

Bar./ Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

67 68 69 70 71 72

(snare on)

f

D.S. % al Coda

Fl./ Ob.

Cls. 1/2

A. Saxes 1/2

Tpts. 1/2

Hn.

Trb.

Bar./ Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

73 74 75 76 77 78

mf *f*

Θ Coda

83

Fl./Ob. 1 2

Cls. 1 2

A. Saxes 1 2

Tpts. 1 2

Hn.

Trb.

Bar./Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

79 80 81 82 83

Sus. Cym. (mallets) *mf* *f*

Fl./Ob. 1 2

Cls. 1 2

A. Saxes 1 2

Tpts. 1 2

Hn.

Trb.

Bar./Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

84 85 86 87 88

ff *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

div.