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Give Up the Funk

(Tear the Roof Off That Sucker)

Words and Music by GEORGE CLINTON, BOOTSY COLLINS and JEROME BRAILEY

Arranged by RALPH FORD

INSTRUMENTATION

- 1 Conductor
- 8 Flute
- 2 Oboe
- 2 Bassoon
- 4 1st B♭ Clarinet
- 4 2nd B♭ Clarinet
- 2 B♭ Bass Clarinet
- 5 E♭ Alto Saxophone
- 2 B♭ Tenor Saxophone
- 2 E♭ Baritone Saxophone
- 4 1st B♭ Trumpet
- 4 2nd B♭ Trumpet

- 4 F Horn
- 4 Trombone
- 2 Baritone
- 2 Baritone Treble Clef
- 4 Tuba
- 1 Optional Piano/Keyboard
- 2 Mallet Percussion
(Bells, Xylophone)
- 3 Percussion 1
(Drumset or Optional Snare Drum/Optional
Suspended Cymbal, Optional Bass Drum)
- 2 Percussion 2
(Cowbell, Tambourine)

WORLD PARTS

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- Horn in E♭
- Trombone in B♭ Bass Clef
- Trombone in B♭ Treble Clef
- Baritone in B♭ Bass Clef
- Tuba in E♭ Bass Clef
- Tuba in E♭ Treble Clef
- Tuba in B♭ Bass Clef
- Tuba in B♭ Treble Clef

NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR

Give Up the Funk (Tear the Roof Off That Sucker) is a timeless popular gem that has seen resurgence as of late. In considering where to use this chart in your concert programming, I recommend it as an "audience jam" to close your concert, or perhaps as an encore.

Stylistically, it is very important to correctly interpret all articulation markings accurately within the "funk" style. Short notes should be performed very "clipped," short, and rhythmically precise. Measure 50 provides a "break-down" section that you can invite your audiences to join along.

It was exciting to receive this writing opportunity on a tune I have enjoyed for over thirty years. It is my hope that you, your students, and your audiences enjoy this accessible new arrangement for young musicians.

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FULL SCORE
Approx. Duration - 2:00

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Funk ♩ = 112

Flute

Oboe

Bassoon

B♭ Clarinets

B♭ Bass Clarinet

E♭ Alto
Saxophone

B♭ Tenor
Saxophone

E♭ Baritone
Saxophone

B♭ Trumpets

F Horn

Trombone

Baritone

Tuba

Mallet Percussion
(Bells, Xylophone)

Percussion 1
(Drumset or Optional
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Suspended Cymbal,
Optional Bass Drum)

Percussion 2
(Cowbell, Tambourine)

Tambourine

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Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

1

Cls.

2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

1

Tpts.

2

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

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4 5 6 7

9

Fl. *ff*

Ob. *ff*

Bsn. *ff*

1 *ff* *f*

2 *ff* *f*

B. Cl. *ff* *f*

A. Sax. *ff* *f*

T. Sax. *ff* *f*

Bar. Sax. *ff* *f*

9

1 *ff*

2 *ff*

Hn. *ff*

Tbn. *ff*

Bar. *ff*

Tuba *f*

Mlt. Perc. *ff*

Perc. 1 *ff* *f*

Perc. 2

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

1

Cls.

2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

1

Tpts.

2

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

12 13 14 15

17

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

1

Cls.

2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

17

1

Tpts.

2

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Xyl.

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

16 17 18 19

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

1
Cls.

2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

1
Tpts.

2

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

20 21 22 23

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts.

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

282529

24 25 26 27

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

1
Cls.

2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

1
Tpts.

2

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

28 29 30 31

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Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

1

2

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

33

1

2

Tpts.

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

+Xyl. Bells: no rolls throughout

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

37

Fl. *ff* long fall

Ob. *ff* long fall

Bsn. *ff* long fall

1 *ff* long fall

2 *ff* long fall

B. Cl. *ff* long fall

A. Sax. *ff* long fall

T. Sax. *ff* long fall

Bar. Sax. *ff* long fall

37

1 *ff* long fall

2 *ff* long fall

Hn. *ff* long fall

Tbn. *ff* long fall

Bar. *ff* long fall

Tuba *ff* long fall

Mlt. Perc. *ff*

Perc. 1 *ff*

Perc. 2 *ff* Cowbell

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Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

1

2

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

1

2

Tpts.

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

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20

41

42

43

38352S

44 45 46 47

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

1

Cls.

2

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

1

Tpts.

2

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

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48

49

50

51

Fl.

Ob.

Bsn.

Clas.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts.

Hn.

Tbn.

Bar.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2