

Hymn for Those Who Serve

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INSTRUMENTATION

- 1 Conductor
- 10 Flute
- 2 Oboe
- 10 B♭ Clarinet
- 2 Bb Bass Clarinet
- 6 Eb Alto Saxophone
- 4 Bb Tenor Saxophone
- 2 Eb Baritone Saxophone
- 8 B Trumpet
- 4 F Horn

- 6 Trombone/Baritone/Bassoon
- Baritone Treble Clef
 (World Part Trombone in B¹ Treble Clef)
- 4 Tuba
- 1 Mallet Percussion (Bells)
- 1 Optional Timpani (Tune: F, B))
- 2 Percussion 1 (Snare Drum, Bass Drum)
- 2 Percussion 2 (Triangle/Crash Cymbals)

WORLD PARTS

Available for download from www.alfred.com/worldparts

Horn in Eb

Trombone/Baritone in B Bass Clef

Tuba in E♭ Bass Clef

Tuba in Eb Treble Clef

Tuba in B Bass Clef

Tuba in B
Treble Clef

PROGRAM NOTES

Our deepest gratitude and utmost respect goes forever to the selfless men and women who leave their families, friends, and all that they enjoy to go where they are called, defending the freedoms each of us hold dear, and the honor and privilege it is to be able to call ourselves Americans.

This original work (with a hint of "America, the Beautiful") is a song of blessing—a hymn of protection that comes from the sincerest depths of our hearts. May their lives be enwrapped in a loving national spirit, and may they ever hold their heads high as they carry out their noble work.

NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR

Careful attention has been paid to ensuring that all of the rhythmic and range parameters of this level have been met. The music should read easily with ample opportunity to build in phrase development and dynamic nuance.

As an interdisciplinary activity to foster added awareness of historic and social contexts, consider having students research American poems that relate to the spirit of this work, perhaps selecting one and reading it before the performance.



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