# Two Puccini Arias 

# I. O Mio Babbino Caro, II. Nessun Dorma 

By Giacomo Puccini<br>Arranged by Chris M. Bernotas


"O Mio Babbino Caro" and "Nessun Dorma" are two of Giacomo Puccini's most beloved arias. This breathtaking arrangement will immerse you in the captivating melodies and Puccini's operatic brilliance.

## NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR

These may be two of the most beautiful arias ever written. Make sure all students use a sustained legato sound, as this will help to achieve a beautiful texture throughout. Pay close attention to the crescendo and diminuendo markings to provide contour to the melodic line. If you encourage your more advanced string students to use alternate positions to achieve a more fluid sound, make sure that they maintain strong intonation. This piece will provide the perfect opportunity to collaborate with wind students to experience the beauty of a full symphony orchestra. This arrangement also works beautifully with strings alone as well.

## NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

In orchestral music, there are many editorial markings that are open for interpretation. In an effort to maintain consistency and clarity you may find some of these markings in this piece. In general, markings for fingerings, bowing patterns, and other items will only be marked with their initial appearance. For a more detailed explanation of our editorial markings, please download the free PDF at www.alfred.com/stringeditorial.

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| extended position | shift | bow lift/reset | high or low fingerings |



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FULL SCORE
Duration-4:25
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B. Cl .

Bsn.

Tpts.

Vlns.

Str. Bass

39
41





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Fls.

Ob.

Cls.
B. Cl .

Bsn.
19
rit.

Hns.

Tuba
Bells
Timp.







