

Along the Western Trail

Featuring Sweet Betsy From Pike, The Streets of Laredo The Lone Prairie and Little Brown Jug

TRADITIONAL
Arranged by JAMES D. PLOYHAR (ASCAP)

INSTRUMENTATION

- 1 Conductor
- 10 Flute
- 2 Oboe
- 10 B Clarinet
- 2 B_b Bass Clarinet
- 6 E Alto Saxophone
- 4 Bly Tenor Saxophone/ Baritone Treble Clef
- 2 E Baritone Saxophone
- 8 B, Trumpet

- 4 F Horn
- 6 Trombone/Baritone/Bassoon
- 4 Tuba
- 1 Mallet Percussion (Bells)
- Percussion I (Crash Cymbals)
- 2 Percussion II

(Snare Drum, Wood Block or Temple Block)

- 1 Percussion III
 - (Bass Drum)

PROGRAM NOTES

Songs of the Old West are familiar to everyone, and we all tend to fantasize about the way the West was. This medley includes such melodies as "Sweet Betsy From Pike," "The Streets of Laredo," "The Lone Prairie" and "Little Brown Jug." Western settlers had all the emotions of the human spirit, and their music reflects the true nature of this memorable history.

NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR

Since there are tempo changes, the beginning musicians should be advised to follow the conductor and observe ritards. A woodblock or temple blocks are important percussion sounds at measure 36. Be sure they are heard above the band. There are really no technical challenges for the emerging beginning band, and band members should find this piece both familiar and interesting.





C Flute

Oboe

Bb Clarinet

Horn in F

Trombone / Baritone / Bassoon

Tuba

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