

ORCHESTRA INTERMEDIATE LEVEL SYRING

In Memory of Keith Mann

IN THE FADING LIGHT OF AUTUMN

RALPH FORD

INSTRUMENTATION

- I Conductor
- 2 C Flute
- 2 Oboe
- I Ist B♭ Clarinet
- I 2nd B Clarinet
- 2 Bassoon
- 4 Horn in F
- I Ist B, Trumpet
- I 2nd B, Trumpet

- 3 Trombone
- I Tuba
- I Mallet Percussion (Vibraphone)
- I Timpani
- 3 Percussion (Wind Chimes, Suspended Cymbal, Crash Cymbals)
- 3 Ist Violin
- 8 2nd Violin
- 3rd Violin (Viola T.C.)
- 5 Viola
 - Cello
- 5 String Bass

PROGRAM NOTES

"In the Fading Light of Autumn" was composed September 2000–February 2001. It was rescored for ochestra by the composer in November 2002 in memory of Keith Mann.

Originally titled "Autumn Light," this piece was first scored as the second movement of a three-movement suite for band ("Royal Canadian Sketches," BDM01054). In this new orchestral setting, the work represents the beauty and serenity of the early autumn evenings associated with western provinces of Canada, known in the 1800s as the Northwest Territories.

Out where the hand clasp's a little stronger Out where the smile lasts a little longer That's where the West begins.

-Edward Chapman, Victorian poet

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