

# Sound Reflections

Richard Byrd (b. 1961)

Flute - 8  
Oboe - 2  
Bb Clarinet 1 - 4  
Bb Clarinet 2 - 4  
Bb Bass Clarinet - 2  
Bassoon - 2  
Eb Alto Saxophone 1 - 2  
Eb Alto Saxophone 2 - 2  
Bb Tenor Saxophone - 2  
Eb Baritone Saxophone - 1  
Bb Trumpet 1 - 2  
Bb Trumpet 2 - 2  
F Horn 1,2 - 4  
Trombone 1 - 2  
Trombone 2 - 2  
Baritone - 2  
Baritone Treble Clef - 1  
Tuba - 2  
String Bass - 1  
Timpani - 1  
Bells - 1  
Xylophone - 1  
Snare Drum, Bass Drum - 1  
Triangle, Wind Chimes, Tambourine,  
Suspended Cymbal, Crash Cymbals - 4

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The musical material for *Sound Reflections* was inspired after a trip to the Grand Canyon National Park in Arizona. The open voicings of quartal harmonies reflect the canyon's vast expanse. The figurative and literal echoes of the canyon are captured in this piece through imitative canonical writing including sections of rhythmic and tonal phasing. *Sound Reflections* embodies the breath-taking views and adventures of exploring the Grand Canyon through the juxtaposition of majestic yet serene melodic motives with tension building rhythmic canonical writing. This work is fun to perform, enjoyable to hear, and is ideal for competitions and engaging concert programs.

This work has also been published as a brass quintet version called *Sound Reflections for Brass Quintet* (Eighth Note Publications Catalog No. BQ12383), a trumpet ensemble version called *Sound Reflections for Five Trumpets* (Eighth Note Publications Catalog No. TE15239), and a flute ensemble version called *Sound Reflections for Five Flutes* (Eighth Note Publications Catalog No. F15109).

The musical material of this work was later reworked as a series of duets published as *Canyon Echoes*, available as a series for two flutes, clarinets, alto saxophones, trumpets, horns, trombones, and tubas to allow for multiple combinations of instruments (e.g., trumpet and sax, flute and clarinet, trombone and tuba, etc.).

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Dr. Richard Byrd is Professor of Theory and Composition at Eastern Kentucky University and trumpeter with the EKU Faculty Brass Quintet. After receiving his Bachelor's degree in trumpet performance at DePauw University, Byrd earned his Master and Ph.D. degrees in music theory from the University of Kentucky. Various organizations have commissioned Byrd to compose or arrange music specifically for their group or special event including the Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts, the Great American Brass Band Festival, Commonwealth Clarinet Quartet, Eastern Kentucky University Faculty Brass Quintet and several school band programs.

As a trumpet performer, Byrd's classical experiences include performing with the Indianapolis Symphony, West Virginia, and Lexington Philharmonic Orchestras. During his tenure with the Lexington Brass Band he was a featured soloist during the band's England tour in 2000. Byrd has performed with several prominent jazz artists including Doc Severinsen, Allen Vizzutti, Maynard Ferguson, Jens Lindemann, Byron Stripling, Louie Bellson, Bob Mintzer, Victor Wooten, Take 6, and the Manhattan Transfer, and in shows with Aretha Franklin, Robert Goulet, Rosemary Clooney, Lou Rawls, Carol Channing, and the Ringling Brothers Circus. His lead trumpet abilities with the DiMartino/Osland Jazz Orchestra are showcased on their CDs entitled *Quotient* and *Off the Charts*, and with The Kentucky Jazz Repertory Orchestra on their CD entitled *Flying Home*. Byrd has also recorded his own solo CD entitled *Portrait of a Trumpet*, which is available at cdbaby.com.

Byrd has been an artist-in-residence with the Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts since 1989, and has served as Chair for the Instrumental Music discipline, and Dean of Faculty. Byrd has written several articles for publication in the International Trumpet Guild Journal, the Kentucky Music Teacher Journal, and Bluegrass Music News. His compositions can be found at: [www.richbyrdmusic.com](http://www.richbyrdmusic.com).

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# SOUND REFLECTIONS

Majestic

$\text{♩} = 116$

2

3

4

5

6

Richard Byrd  
ASCAP

Flute

Oboe

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Bass Clarinet

Bassoon

E♭ Alto Saxophone 1

E♭ Alto Saxophone 2

B♭ Tenor Saxophone

E♭ Baritone Saxophone

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2

F Horn 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2

Baritone

Tuba

Timpani F-G-B♭-E♭

Bells

Xylophone

Snare Drum  
Bass Drum

Triangle

Wind Chimes

Tambourine

Suspended Cymbal

Crash Cymbals

The musical score consists of ten staves of music for a full orchestra. The instruments listed on the left are: Flute, Oboe, B♭ Clarinet 1, B♭ Clarinet 2, B♭ Bass Clarinet, Bassoon, E♭ Alto Saxophone 1, E♭ Alto Saxophone 2, B♭ Tenor Saxophone, E♭ Baritone Saxophone, B♭ Trumpet 1, B♭ Trumpet 2, F Horn 1,2, Trombone 1, Trombone 2, Baritone, Tuba, Timpani F-G-B♭-E♭, Bells, Xylophone, Snare Drum/Bass Drum, Triangle, Wind Chimes, Tambourine, Suspended Cymbal, and Crash Cymbals. The music is in common time, key signature is B♭ major (two flats), and the tempo is Majestic  $\text{♩} = 116$ . Measure numbers 2 through 6 are indicated above the staff. Dynamics such as *mp* (mezzo-forte) and *mf* (mezzo-forte) are marked throughout the score.

8            9            10            11            12            13            14

Fl              -              *mf*              -              -              -              -              *mf*  
 Ob              -              -              -              *mp*              -              -              *mf*  
 Cl 1              -              *mf*              -              -              -              -              *mf*  
 Cl 2              -              -              -              *mp*              -              -  
 B Cl              -              *mp*              -              -              *mp*              -  
 Bsn              -              *mp*              -              *mp*              -  
 A Sax 1              -              *mp*              -              -              -              *mf*  
 A Sax 2              -              *mp*              -              -              -  
 T Sax              -              *mp*              -              *mp*              -              *mp*  
 B Sax              -              *mp*              -              *mp*              -  
 Tpt 1              -              -              -              -              -              *mf*  
 Tpt 2              -              *mp*              -              -              -  
 Hn              -              *mp*              -              *mp*              -  
 Trbn 1              -              -              -              *mp*              -              *mp*  
 Trbn 2              -              *mp*              -              -              -  
 Bari              -              *mp*              -              *mp*              -              *mp*  
 Tuba              -              *mp*              -              -              -  
 Timp              -              *mp*              -              *mp*              -  
 Bells              -              -              *mf*              -              -              *mf*  
 Xylo              -              -              -              -  
 S.D.              -  
 B.D.              -  
 Tri  
 W.C.  
 Tamb  
 S.C.  
 C.C.

Presentation

Fl. 15  
 rit. 16  
 Cl 1  
 Cl 2  
 B Cl.  
 Bsn.  
 A Sax 1  
 A Sax 2  
 T Sax  
 B Sax  
 Tpt 1  
 Tpt 2  
 Hn.  
 Trbn 1  
 Trbn 2  
 Bari  
 Tuba  
 Timp.  
 Bells  
 Xylo  
 S.D.  
 B.D.  
 Tri  
 W.C.  
 Tamb  
 S.C.  
 C.C.

Energetic  $\text{♩} = 138$   
 f  
 19  
 20

Susp Cym  
 p  
 f

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The score page features a large, semi-transparent watermark reading "Reflections" diagonally across the center.

21            22            23            24            25            26

Fl  
Ob  
Cl 1  
Cl 2  
B Cl  
Bsn  
A Sax 1  
A Sax 2  
T Sax  
B Sax  
Tpt 1  
Tpt 2  
Hn  
Trbn 1  
Trbn 2  
Bari  
Tuba  
Timp  
Bells  
Xylo  
S.D.  
B.D.  
Tri  
W.C.  
Tamb  
S.C.  
C.C.

B♭ to C

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

27

28

29

30

31

32

Fl *f*

Ob *f*

Ci 1 *mf*

Ci 2 *f*

B Cl *mf*

Bsn *mf*

A Sax 1

A Sax 2

T Sax *mf*

B Sax *mf*

Tpt 1 *mf*

Tpt 2

Hn *mf*

Trbn 1 *mf*

Trbn 2 *mf*

Bari

Tuba

Timp

Bells

Xylo *f*

S.D. *mp*

B.D. *mf*

Tri W.C.

Tamb S.C. C.C.

Crash Cym *mf*

33

34

35

36

37

38

Fl

Ob

Ci 1

Ci 2

B Cl

Bsn

A Sax 1

A Sax 2

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Hn

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Bari

Tuba

Timp

Bells

Xylo

S.D.  
B.D.

Tri  
W.C.

Tamb  
S.C.  
C.C.

39

40

41

42

43

44

Fl

Ob

Ci 1

Ci 2

B Cl

Bsn

A Sax 1

A Sax 2

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Hn

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Bari

Tuba

Timp

Bells

Xylo

S.D.

B.D.

Tri

W.C.

Tamb

S.C.

C.C.

This musical score page contains six systems of music, each with ten staves. The instruments listed are Flute, Oboe, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Bassoon, Alto Saxophone 1, Alto Saxophone 2, Tenor Saxophone, Bass Saxophone, Trombone 1, Trombone 2, Horn, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Bassoon, Timpani, Bells, Xylophone, Snare Drum/Bass Drum, Triangle, Tambourine, Suspended Cymbal, and Crash Cymbal. Measure 39 shows mostly rests. Measures 40 through 43 feature various rhythmic patterns and dynamics like *mf*, *mp*, and *f*. Measure 44 concludes with a dynamic of *f*.

45                  46                  47                  48                  49                  50

Flute  
Ob.  
Cl 1  
Cl 2  
B.C.  
Bsn  
A.Sax 1  
A.Sax 2  
T.Sax  
B.Sax  
Tpt 1  
Tpt 2  
Hn  
Trbn 1  
Trbn 2  
Bari  
Tuba  
Timpani  
Bells  
Xylo  
S.D.  
B.D.  
Tri  
W.C.  
Tamb  
S.C.  
C.C.

Crash Cym

51

52

53

54

55

56

Fl

Ob

Ci 1

Ci 2

B Cl

Bsn

A Sax 1

A Sax 2

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Hn

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Bari

Tuba

Timp

Bells

Xylo

S.D.  
B.D.

Tri  
W.C.  
Tamb  
S.C.  
C.C.

*Preview*

57            58            59            60            61            62

Fl. *f*

Ob. *f*

Ci 1 *f*

Ci 2 *f*

B Cl. *f*      *p*      *f*      *p*      *f*      *p*

Bsn. *f*      *p*      *f*      *p*      *f*      *p*

A Sax 1 *f*

A Sax 2 *f*      *p*      *p*      *f*

T Sax *f*      *p*

B Sax *f*      *p*      *f*      *p*      *f*      *p*

Tpt 1 *f*

Tpt 2 *f*

Hn. *f*      *p*      *p*      *f*

Trbn 1 *f*

Trbn 2 *f*

Bari. *f*

Tuba. *f*      *p*      *f*      *p*      *f*      *p*

Tim. *f*

Bells *f*

Xylo.

S.D. *f*

B.D. *f*

Tri. *f*

W.C.

Tamb. *f*

S.C.

C.C. *f*

63

*poco rit.*

65

Majestic  $\text{♩} = 116$ 

67

68

Fl. *p* ff *mf*

Ob. *p* ff

Ci 1. *p* ff *mf*

Ci 2. *p* ff

B Cl. *p* ff *mp*

Bsn. *p* ff

A Sax 1. *p* ff

A Sax 2. *p* ff

T Sax. *p* ff *mp*

B Sax. *p* ff

Tpt 1. *p* ff

Tpt 2. *p* ff

Hn. *p* ff

Trbn 1. *p* ff

Trbn 2. *p* ff

Bari. *p* ff

Tuba. *p* ff

Timpani. *p* ff

Bells. *p* ff *mp*

Xylo. *f* ff

S.D. B.D. *p* ff

Tri. W.C. Tamb. S.C. C.C. *p* ff

69

70

71

72

73

74

75

Flute (Fl)

Ob (Ob)

Ci 1 (Cl 1)

Ci 2 (Cl 2)

B Cl (B Cl)

Bsn (Bsn)

A Sax 1 (A Sax 1)

A Sax 2 (A Sax 2)

T Sax (T Sax)

B Sax (B Sax)

Tpt 1 (Tpt 1)

Tpt 2 (Tpt 2)

Hn (Hn)

Trbn 1 (Trbn 1)

Trbn 2 (Trbn 2)

Bari (Bari)

Tuba (Tuba)

Timpani (Tim)

Bells

Xylo (Xylo)

S.D. (S.D.)

B.D. (B.D.)

Tri (Tri)

W.C. (W.C.)

Tamb (Tamb)

S.C. (S.C.)

C.C. (C.C.)

*mf*

*mp*

*mf*

Wind Chimes

poco rit.

76

Fl

Ob

Ci 1

Ci 2

B Cl

Bsn

A Sax 1

A Sax 2

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Hn

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Bari

Tuba

Timp

Bells

Xylo

S.D.  
B.D.

Tri  
W.C.  
Tamb  
S.C.  
C.C.

77

78

79

80

82

Lightly ♩ = 144

84

85

86

87

Flute

Ob.

Ci 1

Ci 2

B Cl.

Bsn.

A Sax 1

A Sax 2

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Hn.

Trbn 1

Trbn 2

Bari.

Tuba

Timpani

Bells

Xylo.

S.D.

B.D.

Tri.  
W.C.

Tamb.  
S.C.

C.C.

The musical score consists of five systems of staves, each with ten measures. Measures 82-83 show various woodwind instruments like Flute, Ob., Ci 1, Ci 2, B Cl., Bsn., A Sax 1, A Sax 2, T Sax, B Sax, Tpt 1, Tpt 2, Hn., Trbn 1, Trbn 2, Bari., and Tuba. Measures 84-85 focus on xylophone (Xylo.) and snare drum/bass drum (S.D., B.D.). Measures 86-87 feature timpani (Timpani), bells (Bells), and cymbals/tambourine (Tri., W.C., Tamb., S.C., C.C.). Measure 87 includes dynamic markings: 'mp' (measures 85-87), 'div.' (measure 86), and 'p' (measure 87). Measure 82 has a tempo of ♩ = 144. Measure 83 has dynamics 'p' and 'mp'. Measures 84-85 have dynamics 'p' and 'mp'. Measures 86-87 have dynamics 'mp' and 'p'.

88

89

90

91  
*accel.*

92

Flute (Fl)

Oboe (Ob)

Clarinet 1 (Cl 1)

Clarinet 2 (Cl 2)

Bassoon (Bsn)

A Alto Saxophone 1 (A Sax 1)

A Alto Saxophone 2 (A Sax 2)

Tenor Saxophone (T Sax)

B Bass Saxophone (B Sax)

Trumpet 1 (Tpt 1)

Trumpet 2 (Tpt 2)

Horn (Hn)

French Horn (Trbn 1)

French Horn (Trbn 2)

Bassoon (Bari)

Tuba

Timpani (Tim)

Bells

Xylophone (Xylo)

S.D. (S.D.)

B.D. (B.D.)

Triangle (Tri)

W.C. Tambourine (W.C. Tamb)

S.C. Cymbals (S.C. C.C.)

93

94

95

96

Fl *f*

Ob *f*

Ci 1 *f*

Ci 2 *f*

B Cl *f*

Bsn *f*

A Sax 1 *f*

A Sax 2 *f*

T Sax *f*

B Sax *f*

Tpt 1 *f*

Tpt 2 *f*

Hn *f*

Trbn 1 *f*

Trbn 2 *f*

Bari *f*

Tuba *f*

Timp *f*

Bells *f*

Xylo *f*

S.D.  
B.D.

Tri  
W.C.

Tamb  
S.C.

C.C. *f*