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Grade 3

GOOD KING WENCE-SALSA!

TRADITIONAL

Arranged by
Erik Morales

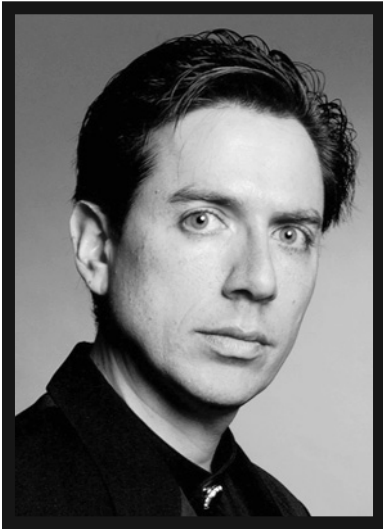
Instrumentation

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|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 - Conductor's Full Score | 2 - F Horn 1 |
| 1 - Piccolo | 2 - F Horn 2 |
| 4 - Flute 1 | 2 - Trombone 1 |
| 4 - Flute 2 | 2 - Trombone 2 |
| 2 - Oboe | 2 - Trombone 3 |
| 2 - Bassoon | 2 - Baritone/
Euphonium |
| 4 - B $\flat$ Clarinet 1 | 2 - Baritone T.C. |
| 4 - B $\flat$ Clarinet 2 | 4 - Tuba |
| 4 - B $\flat$ Clarinet 3 | 1 - Electric Bass (Opt.) |
| 2 - B $\flat$ Bass Clarinet | 2 - Percussion 1 |
| 2 - E $\flat$ Alto Saxophone 1 | Güiro |
| 2 - E $\flat$ Alto Saxophone 2 | Timbales |
| 2 - B $\flat$ Tenor Saxophone | 2 - Percussion 2 |
| 2 - E $\flat$ Baritone Saxophone | Bongos |
| 3 - B $\flat$ Trumpet 1 | Congas |
| 3 - B $\flat$ Trumpet 2 | 2 - Percussion 3 |
| 3 - B $\flat$ Trumpet 3 | Agogo Bells |
| | Cowbell |

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The Arranger

Erik Morales (b. December 10, 1966) began his composing career shortly after graduation from high school in south Florida. He studied composition at Florida International University, and completed his bachelor's degree at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette. Accessible at all levels, the music of Erik Morales has a unique melodic and harmonic vocabulary that appeals to audiences nationwide. His published works encompass a large variety of styles and settings, including works for concert, orchestral, jazz, and chamber ensembles. Mr. Morales currently teaches and plays trumpet professionally in the New Orleans area, in addition to maintaining an active composing and conducting schedule.

About the Music

Here is a new rendition of *Good King Wenceslas* that utilizes an authentic set of Latin percussion instruments. The heart of the arrangement is the classic rhythm of the salsa. This rhythmic phrase is used widely by the piano player in most traditional salsa bands. The following rhythm is represented in the woodwinds at measure 11:



Another important rhythm is expressed in the bass parts (tuba, electric bass, bari sax). The rhythm is very identifiable because of the emphasis on beat 4 in each measure. Beat 4 anticipates the tonal structure of the next measure. This rhythm helps to reinforce the salsa groove:



The transformation of the theme is characterized by many of the melody notes occurring on upbeats. Although these syncopations are simple, they will require some rehearsal time to solidify. There is a classic section of call-and-response beginning at measure 61. Band members sing the phrase "Good King Wence-Salsa!" and the flute soloist responds with an energetic explosion of notes that sounds improvised. The call-and-response happens four times over sixteen measures. This type of call-and-response is referred to as *son montuno* in the vernacular of Afro-Cuban music terminology. Percussion is laid out in three separate parts, two musicians per part—a total of six percussionists are needed. Once the major rhythms are mastered, the other aspects of the arrangement are merely academic.

Also worth noting, this arrangement can be performed successfully at any tempo from ♩ = 160–176. I have found the best tempo to be ♩ = 168. At faster tempos, the conductor may wish to switch to a cut-time interpretation.

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Festively fast (♩ = 168)

Piccolo

Flutes 1 2

Oboe

Bassoon

B♭ Clarinets 1 2 3

B♭ Bass Clarinet

E♭ Alto Saxophones 1 2

B♭ Tenor Saxophone

E♭ Baritone Saxophone

Festively fast (♩ = 168)

B♭ Trumpets 1 2 3

F Horns 1 2

Trombones 1 2 3

Baritone/Euphonium

Tuba

Electric Bass (Opt.)

Percussion 1 (Güiro, Timbales)

Percussion 2 (Bongos, Congas)

Percussion 3 (Agogo Bells, Cowbell)

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11

Picc. *f*

Fls. 1 *f*
2 *mf*

Ob. *f*
mf

Bsn. *f*

Cls. 1 *f*
2 *mf*
3 *mf*

B. Cl. *f*

A. Saxes 1 *f*
2 *f*

T. Sax. *f*

B. Sax. *f*

11

Tpts. 1 *f*
2 *f*
3 *f*

Hns. 1 *f*
2 *f*

Tbns. 1 *f*
2 *f*
3 *f*

Bar./
Euph. *f*

Tuba *f*

E. Bass *f*

Perc. 1 *f*

Perc. 2 *f*

Perc. 3 *f*

7 8 9 10 11 12

19 20 21 22 23 24

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This image shows a page of a musical score, likely for a symphony orchestra. The score is written for various instruments, including Piccolo, Flutes (Fls.), Oboe (Ob.), Bassoon (Bsn.), Clarinets (Cls.), Bass Clarinet (B. Cl.), Saxophones (A. Saxes, T. Sax., B. Sax.), Trumpets (Tpts.), Horns (Hns.), Trombones (Tbns.), Baritone/Euphonium (Bar./Euph.), Tuba, Electric Bass (E. Bass), and Percussion (Perc. 1, 2, 3). The score is written in a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and a common time signature (C). The music is arranged in measures, with dynamic markings such as *mf* (mezzo-forte) and *f* (forte) indicating the volume. A large, diagonal red watermark reading "Preview Only - Legal Use Requires Purchase" is overlaid across the entire page, indicating that this is a preview of a copyrighted work.

41

Picc.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Bar./ Euph.

Tuba

E. Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

37 *f* 38 39 40 41 *mf* 42

f *mf* *mf* *mf* *mf*

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49

Picc.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

mf

Cls. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

mf

A. Saxes 1 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

49

Tpts. 1 2 3

mf

Hns. 1 2

mf

Tbns. 1 2 3

mf

Bar./Euph.

mf

Tuba

mf

E. Bass

mf

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

49 50 51 52 53 54

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12

Picc.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Bar./Euph.

Tuba

E. Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

55 56 57 58 59 60

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Picc.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Bar./Euph.

Tuba

E. Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

78 79 80 81 82

87

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Picc.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Bar./Euph.

Tuba

E. Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

94 95 96 97 98 99

101

Picc. *mf*

Fls. 1 *mf*
2

Ob. *mf*

Bsn. *mf*

Cls. 1 *mf*
2 *mf*
3

B. Cl. *mf*

A. Sax. 1 *mf*
2 *mf*

T. Sax. *mf*

B. Sax. *mf*

101

Tpts. 1 *mf*
2 *mf*
3

Hns. 1 *mf*
2

Tbns. 1 *mf*
2 *mf*
3

Bar./Euph. *mf*

Tuba *mf*

E. Bass *mf*

Perc. 1 *mf* *f*

Perc. 2 *mf* *f*

Perc. 3 *f*

100 101 102 103 104

Picc.
 Fls. 1
 2
 Ob.
 Bsn.
 Cls. 1
 2
 3
 B. Cl.
 A. Sax. 1
 2
 T. Sax.
 B. Sax.
 Tpts. 1
 2
 3
 Hns. 1
 2
 Tbns. 1
 2
 3
 Bar./Euph.
 Tuba
 E. Bass
 Perc. 1
 Perc. 2
 Perc. 3

Musical score for measures 105 to 109. The score includes parts for Piccolo, Flutes (1 and 2), Oboe, Bassoon, Clarinets (1, 2, and 3), Bass Clarinet, Alto Saxophones (1 and 2), Tenor Saxophone, Baritone Saxophone, Trumpets (1, 2, and 3), Horns (1 and 2), Trombones (1, 2, and 3), Baritone/Euphonium, Tuba, Euphonium/Bass, and Percussion (1, 2, and 3). The key signature is one flat (B-flat major or D minor). The score features various dynamics including *f* (forte), *sfz* (sforzando), and *sf* (sforzando). A large red watermark "Preview Only" is overlaid diagonally across the page.

105 106 107 108 109

Picc.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Bar./Euph.

Tuba

E. Bass

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

110 111 112 113 114

div.

div.

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