

REIGN OF FIRE

Erik Morales

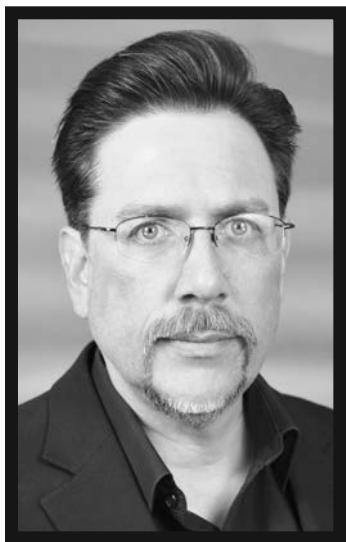
Instrumentation

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|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 - Conductor's Full Score | 2 - F Horn 2 |
| 1 - Piccolo | 2 - Trombone 1 |
| 4 - Flute 1 | 2 - Trombone 2 |
| 4 - Flute 2 | 2 - Trombone 3 |
| 2 - Oboe | 2 - Baritone /
Euphonium |
| 2 - Bassoon | 2 - Baritone T.C. |
| 4 - B♭ Clarinet 1 | 4 - Tuba |
| 4 - B♭ Clarinet 2 | 1 - Timpani |
| 4 - B♭ Clarinet 3 | 1 - Bells |
| 2 - B♭ Bass Clarinet | 2 - Xylophone |
| 2 - E♭ Alto Saxophone 1 | 2 - Percussion 1
Bongo |
| 2 - E♭ Alto Saxophone 2 | Bass Drum |
| 2 - B♭ Tenor Saxophone | 2 - Percussion 2
Snare Drum |
| 2 - E♭ Baritone Saxophone | 3 - Percussion 3
Crash Cymbals |
| 3 - B♭ Trumpet 1 | Suspended Cymbal |
| 3 - B♭ Trumpet 2 | Triangle |
| 3 - B♭ Trumpet 3 | |
| 2 - F Horn 1 | |

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The Composer

Erik Morales (b. 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.

Program Notes

Approximately 66 million years ago an asteroid measuring six miles in diameter struck the earth with an estimated impact force one billion times more powerful than the nuclear bombs used in World War II. The impact left an area in the Gulf of Mexico on the north end of the Yucatán Peninsula referred to as the Chicxulub (pron. - chik'-shoo-loob) Crater measuring 110 miles in diameter and twelve miles deep. Scientists believe this asteroid impact was the cause of a mass extinction event which led to the demise of 75% of all plant and animal life on the planet including the dinosaurs. The clear benefit was the development of the biodiversity that exists today.

This piece has three sections: I. *Time of the Ancients* (measures 1 - 39), II. *Reign of Fire* (measures 40 - 115) and III. *New World* (measures 116 – 146). I. *Time of the Ancients* is meant to describe the time just before the impact and is characterized by a primal sound created by the soloists. The initial clarinet duet introduces the main theme which will re-occur throughout the work. II. *Reign of Fire* depicts the moment of impact and all the chaos surrounding the event. III. *New World* depicts the time after all the debris has settled. The world is thrust into darkness for several years from the emission of dust and debris. Though at some point the first ray of sunshine breaks through and ushers in the new world.

This musical work was commissioned by the Big Mac Band Boosters for the Canon-McMillan High School Band, Marc Falvo and Eric Schrader, directors for premier performance in May 2017.

Erik Morales

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REIGN OF FIRE

ERIK MORALES
(ASCAP)

Expressive ($\text{♩} = 80$)

I. Time of the Ancients

5

Solo

mp

Piccolo

Flutes 1

Flutes 2

Oboe

Bassoon

(Both Clarinet parts appear in duet form on the Clarinet 1 part with cues in Clarinet 2)

1 player

1 player

B♭ Clarinets 1

B♭ Clarinets 2

B♭ Bass Clarinet

E♭ Alto Saxophones 1

E♭ Alto Saxophones 2

B♭ Tenor Saxophone

E♭ Baritone Saxophone

Expressive ($\text{♩} = 80$)

I. Time of the Ancients

5

B♭ Trumpets 1

B♭ Trumpets 2

F Horns 1

F Horns 2

Trombones 1

Trombones 2

Trombones 3

Baritone / Euphonium

Tuba

(F, B, E♭, G)

Timpani

Bells

Xylophone

med. hard mallets

mf 3

pp

Percussion 1 (Bongo, Bass Drum)

Percussion 2 (Snare Drum)

Percussion 3 (Crash Cymbals, Suspended Cymbals, Triangle)

2 3 4 5 6

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Musical score page 11 featuring 18 staves of music. The instruments listed on the left are Picc., Fls. 1 & 2, Ob., Bsn., Cls. 1 & 2, 3, B. Cl., A. Saxes 1 & 2, T. Sax., B. Sax., Tpts. 1 & 2, Hns. 1 & 2, Tbns. 1 & 2, 3, Bar. / Euph., Tuba, Timp., Bells, Xylo., Perc. 1, Perc. 2, and Perc. 3. The score includes dynamic markings such as γ , $\#$, \flat , 3 , 5 , tutti , Solo , p , mfp , and 3 . A large red watermark reading "Preview Legal Use Requires Purchase Only" is diagonally across the page.

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17 Solo

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

1
2
3
B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2
3

Hns. 1
2

Tbps. 1
2
3

Bar. / Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

22

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 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

div.

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Tri.

mf

19

20

21

22

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

tutti

mf

f

tr

Ob.

tutti

tr

mf

f

tr

mf

f

tr

Cls. 1
2
3

B. Cl.

A. Sax. 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

tutti

mf

f

tr

f

Tpts. 1
2
3

Hns. 1
2

a2

mf

f

tr

f

Tbns. 1
2
3

mf

f

tr

f

Bar. /
Euph.

Tuba

mf

f

tr

f

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Sus. Cym.

Cr. Cym.

B.D.

f

tr

23 24 25 **p** 26 **f** 27

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 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

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Moderately fast ($\text{J}=144$)
II. Reign of Fire

40

Picc.

Fls. 1
Fls. 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1
Cls. 2
Cls. 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
A. Saxes 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Moderately fast ($\text{J}=144$)
II. Reign of Fire

40

Tpts. 1
Tpts. 2
Tpts. 3

Hns. 1
Hns. 2

Tbns. 1
Tbns. 2
Tbns. 3

Bar. / Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

49

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

Timpani

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

49

(B \flat to B \flat)

B.D. f

p f
Sus. Cym.

46 47 48 p 49 f 50 51

55

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

1
2

Cls. 2

3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

1
2

Tpts.

3

Hns. 1
2

1
2

Tbns.

3

Bar./
Euph.

Tuba

Timpani

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

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60

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

1
Cls. 2
3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

1
Tpts.
2
3

Hns. 1
2

1
2
Tbps.
3

Bar. /
Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

66

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

1

Cls. 2

3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2

3

Hns. 1
2

1

2

Tbsns. 3

1

2

Bar. / Euph.

Tuba

Timpani

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

64

65

66

67

68

mp

mf connected

mf connected

mp

f

p

Hi Bongo w/ sticks

mf

mp

f

Cr. Cym.

f

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1
2
3

B. Cl.

A. Saxos 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2
3

Hns. 1
2

Tbns. 1
2
3

Bar. /
Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

mp

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

82

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1
2

Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxos 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2

Hns. 1
2

Tbns. 1
2

Bar. /
Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

89

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1
2

Cl. 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

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

1
Cl. 2

3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2
3

Hns. 1
2

1
2

Tbns. 3

Bar. / Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

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Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

1
Cl. 2

3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

1
Tpts. 2
3

Hns. 1
2

1
2
Tbns. 3

Bar./Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1
f

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

108

108

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106 107 108 109 110

Picc.

Fls. 1

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

3

4

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1

A. Saxes 2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2

Tpts. 3

Hns. 1

Hns. 2

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Tbns. 3

Bar. / Euph.

Tuba

Tim.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

III

112

113

114

115

116 III. New World Calm and dark ($\text{J}=80$)

This musical score page shows measures 116 through 120 of the third movement of "New World". The instrumentation includes Picc., Fls. 1 & 2, Ob., Bsn., Cls. 2 & 3, B. Cl., A. Saxes 1 & 2, T. Sax., B. Sax., Tpts. 1 & 2, Hns. 1 & 2, Tbns. 1 & 2, Bar./Euph., Tuba, Timp., Bells, Xylo., Perc. 1, Perc. 2, and Perc. 3. The music is marked "Calm and dark ($\text{J}=80$)". Dynamics such as p (pianissimo) and mp (mezzo-pianissimo) are indicated. Measure 116 features sustained notes and grace notes. Measures 117-119 show more rhythmic complexity with eighth-note patterns and sustained notes. Measure 120 concludes with a final dynamic marking of p .

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116 III. New World Calm and dark ($\text{J}=80$)

This continuation of the musical score covers measures 116 through 120. It includes parts for Tpts. 1 & 2, Hns. 1 & 2, Tbns. 1 & 2, Bar./Euph., Tuba, Timp., Bells, Xylo., Perc. 1, Perc. 2, and Perc. 3. The instrumentation is identical to the previous page. The music remains "Calm and dark ($\text{J}=80$)". Measure 116 starts with a forte dynamic. Measures 117-119 feature eighth-note patterns and sustained notes. Measure 120 ends with a final dynamic marking of p .

rit. A tempo

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

p

Ob.

Bsn.

cls. 1

cls. 2
3

B. Cl.

A. Sax. 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2
3

Hns. 1
2

a2

Tbns. 1
2
3

Bar./Eup.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Sus. Cym.
Perc. 3

121 p

122

123 mf

124

125

126

Picc.

Fls. 1
2 f

Ob. f

Bsn. *mf*

Cls. 1 f

Cls. 2 f

Cls. 3 f

B. Cl.

A. Sax. 1
2 *mf*

T. Sax. *mf*

B. Sax. *mf*

126

Tpts. 1
2 *mf*
3 *mf*

Hns. 1
2 *mf*

Tbns. 1
2 *mf*

Bar. / Euph. *mf*

Tuba *mf*

Tim. *mf*

Bells *mf*

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1
2

Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sax. 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2

Hns. 1
2

Tbns. 1
2

Bar./Euph.

Tuba

Timpani

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

rit.

130

131 p

132

133

134 Maestoso ($\text{J}=76$)

134 **Maestoso ($\text{J}=76$)**

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1
2

Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2

Hns. 1
2

Tbns. 1
2

Bar. / Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

134 **Maestoso ($\text{J}=76$)**

135

136

137

ff

Picc.

Fls. 1
2

Ob.

Bsn.

1
2
3
B. Cl.

A. Saxes 1
2

T. Sax.

B. Sax.

Tpts. 1
2
3

Hns. 1
2

1
2
Tbns.

Bar. / Euph.

Tuba

Tim.

Bells

Xylo.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

140

138

139

140

141

ff

Tri.

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rit.

div. rit.

142 143 144 145 146

choke