

QUIET STEPS

Erik Morales

Instrumentation

Alto Sax 1

Alto Sax 2

Tenor Sax 1

Tenor Sax 2

Opt. Baritone Sax

Trumpet 1

Trumpet 2/Opt. Flugelhorn

Trumpet 3

Opt. Trumpet 4

Trombone 1

Trombone 2

Opt. Trombone 3

Opt. Trombone 4

Guitar Chord Guide

Guitar

Piano

Bass

Drum Set

Conductor's Full Score

Alternate Parts

C Flute

F Horn

Baritone T.C.

Extra Conductor Score: \$5.00

Extra Parts: \$2.50

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I N C.

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The Composer

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

Although the title is similar to John Coltrane's *Giant Steps*, this composition bears no similarities. Coltrane's work is only used here as inspiration. *Quiet Steps* is, however, a simple ballad with a fairly complex chord structure. The key signature is not indicative of the tonal center. One could argue that the work's key signature should be C major, as this is the chord the main melody begins and ends with. However, if placed in the key of C, the piece would be much harder to read, as it contains numerous tonal deviations. The general feel of the work should be interpreted as a light, slow swing.

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ERIK MORALES
(ASCAP)

SLOW SWING (♩ = 92)

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Drum Set

F-7 Bb7 Eb07 C7(b9) A-7(b9) D7sus4 G-7 Eb1b Ab07 Db09 D-7 G1b

AS WRITTEN *m_p*

CHORDS APPEAR ON PART

BRUSHES (RHYTHM ACCENTS)

HI-HAT PEDAL *m_p*

3

CYM.

8.D.

9

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Trumpet 1
m² LEGATO

Trumpet 2
Opt. Flugelhorn
m² LEGATO

Trumpet 3
m² LEGATO

Opt. Trumpet 4
m² LEGATO

Trombone 1
m² LEGATO

Trombone 2
m² LEGATO

Opt. Trombone 3
m² LEGATO

Opt. Trombone 4
m² LEGATO

Guitar
C#7 F#9 Bb9 Eb7 Ab#7 Db7 E-7 A-7 D-7 C/E F#7 Bb7 Db7

Piano
CHORDS APPEAR ON PART

Bass

Drum Set

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Chords: C#7, G/B, Bb-7, A7(b9), Ab#7, Db7, E-7, A7, D-7, G#b, Db#7, C#9

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17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24

25

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AS WRITTEN

FILL

Cym.

D-7 G7(b9) G15

F-7 Bb7 Eb7 C7(b9) A-7(b5) D7sus4 G-7 Ab7 D7sus4

25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

33

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SOLO - FLUGELHORN OPT.
BbA7

Eb9 F#-7 B-7 E-7 D/F# G#7 C7(#11) C#7

C#7 F9 Bb9 Eb9 AbA7 Db9

E-7 A-7 D-7 C/E F#7 Bb7(#11) B#7

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Chords: D⁹7, G⁹, C⁹, B⁷sus4(b⁹), B^b7, E^b9, F[#]-7, B-7, E-7, A¹³, E^b9, D⁹, C⁷(b⁹), C⁷, F⁹, B^b9, A⁷sus4(b⁹), A^b7, D^b9, E-7, A-7, D^b9, C⁹, CHORDS APPEAR ON PART

FILL

41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48

49

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F-7 Bb7 EbA7 C-7 A-7(b9) D7(b9) G-7 EbA9(b9) AbA9 DbA9 D-7 G7(b9)

RIDE FILL

49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56

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Chords: C#7, G#8, Bb-7, Eb9, Ab-7, Db7, E-7, A-7, F#-7(b9), F-6, E-7, Eb13

FILL

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72 75 76 77 78

D-7 G7 E-7 A-7 D-7 G13sus4 Db09 C7(#11)

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