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Fiesta del Sol

(Paso Doble)

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INSTRUMENTATION

Conductor Score	1	F Horn	4
Flute	10	Trombone	6
Oboe	2	Euphonium B.C.	2
B ^b Clarinet 1	6	Euphonium T.C.	2
B ^b Clarinet 2	6	Tuba	4
B ^b Bass Clarinet	2	Mallet Percussion: Xylophone	2
Bassoon	2	Timpani	1
E ^b Alto Saxophone	6	Percussion 1: Snare Drum, Bass Drum	3
B ^b Tenor Saxophone	2	Percussion 2: Crash Cymbals, Tambourine	2
E ^b Baritone Saxophone	2		
B ^b Trumpet 1	5		
B ^b Trumpet 2	5		

PROGRAM NOTE

Fiesta del Sol (Festival of the Sun) is written in the style of a Spanish Paso Doble or Spanish double-step. First appearing in the late 18th century, this style of music is usually characterized by a moderate tempo march style that was originally used for military-style marching but later became a form of Spanish Dance. The dance form of this style did not become popular in the United States until the mid-20th century.

NOTES TO CONDUCTOR

As with the traditional Paso Doble, it is important to maintain the indicated tempo steadily and not let it rush, which it can tend to do with younger ensembles because of the piece's syncopation and march-like style.

There should be a noticeable change in dynamics beginning at measure 41 to contrast the fuller dynamic used in the piece up to that point.

It is also very important to keep the supporting accompaniment part below the Clarinet melodic part, beginning in the Trio, at measure 64.

Make sure the Trombone and Tenor Saxophone countermelody beginning at measure 109 is present but does not overpower the main theme played in the Clarinets, Oboe, and Flute.

I hope you and your students enjoy this piece! Feel free to reach out to me on my composer page at rwsmusic.com! 

ABOUT THE COMPOSER



Gary Fagan is a Maryland native. He completed his undergraduate degree in music education at Bridgewater College in 1973 and his masters degree in music education from James Madison University in 1975. In 1973 he became a band instructor in Albemarle County, Virginia where he taught band for 36 years. He retired in 2009 and is currently serving as a University Supervisor and adjunct faculty member teaching Arranging at James Madison University.

In 1989 Mr. Fagan was elected Central Virginia Outstanding Middle School Teacher by the University of Virginia Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa. In 1999 he received an Outstanding Educator Award from the Virginia Governor's School for the Visual and Performing Arts. In October of 2001 he received the outstanding educator award from the Piedmont Council of the Arts. In addition, he was listed twice in "Who's Who Among America's Teachers."

A member of A.S.C.A.P., the Percussive Arts Society, Phi Beta Mu Bandmasters Fraternity, and the National Band Association, Mr. Fagan is also active in the Music Educators National Conference and the Virginia Band and Orchestra Directors Association. He is also a percussionist and the Assistant Director of the Charlottesville Municipal Band. He is also active as a band clinician and adjudicator in addition to composing and arranging for band.

Mr. Fagan has over seventy published compositions for concert band and string orchestra, eight of which were performed at the Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic in Chicago. One of his compositions was performed at the White House several years ago and at the inauguration ceremony for former Governor Douglas Wilder in Richmond, VA.

FIESTA DEL SOL

(Paso Doble)

Conductor Score
RWS-2629-00

Gary Fagan
(ASCAP)

Maestoso $\text{♩} = 110-120$

Flute *ff* *mf*

Oboe *ff* *mf*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *ff* *mf*

B♭ Clarinet 2 *ff* *mf*

B♭ Bass Clarinet *ff*

Bassoon *ff*

E♭ Alto Saxophone *ff*

B♭ Tenor Saxophone *ff*

E♭ Baritone Saxophone *ff*

Maestoso $\text{♩} = 110-120$

B♭ Trumpet 1 *ff*

B♭ Trumpet 2 *ff*

F Horn *ff* *mf*

Trombone *ff*

Euphonium B.C. *ff*

Tuba *ff* *mf*

Mallet Percussion
Xylophone (hard plastic mallets) *ff* *mf*

Timpani
G, C, D *ff*

Percussion 1
Snare Drum (S.D.) *ff*
Bass Drum (B.D.) *ff*
Cr. Cym. (Cr. Cym.) *ff*

Percussion 2
Crash Cymbals (Cr. Cym.) *ff*
Tambourine *ff*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 *mf*

FIESTA DEL SOL

9

Fl.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

9

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

FIESTA DEL SOL

25

Fl.

Ob.

Clar. 1
mf

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

25

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.
mf

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1
lightly

Perc. 2
mp

25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

FIESTA DEL SOL

33

Fl.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

33

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

mp

mf

33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40

FIESTA DEL SOL

41

Fl.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

41

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Tamb.

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48

FIESTA DEL SOL

49

Fl.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

49

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56

FIESTA DEL SOL

58 64

Fl.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

58 64

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

mp

mf

p

choke

C to B \flat
G to F

57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64

72

FL.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72

80

FL.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

73 74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81

p

p

88

FL.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

82

83

84

85

86

87

88

89

FIESTA DEL SOL

FL.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

98 99 100 101 102 103 104 105 106

choke

choke

f

FIESTA DEL SOL

117

Fl.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

117

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

115 116 117 118 119 120 121 122

FIESTA DEL SOL

125

Fl.

Ob.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sax

T. Sax

B. Sax

125

Trpt. 1

Trpt. 2

F. Hn.

Tbn.

Euph. B.C.

Tuba

Mlt.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

123 124 125 126 127 128 129 130 131

FIESTA DEL SOL

133

FL.
Ob.
Clar. 1
Clar. 2
B. Cl.
Bsn.
A. Sax
T. Sax
B. Sax
Trpt. 1
Trpt. 2
F. Hn.
Tbn.
Euph. B.C.
Tuba
Mlt.
Timp.
Perc. 1
Perc. 2

132 133 134 135 136 137 138 139 140

dampen
choke

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