

FULL SCORE

A TRANQUIL NOEL

(Three Traditional Carols)

Setting by Jim Mahaffey

INSTRUMENTATION

1-Full Score (Letter Size)
4-1st Flute
4 2nd Flute
2-Oboe
2-Bassoon
3-1st Clarinet
3-2nd Clarinet
3-3rd Clarinet
2-Bass Clarinet
2-1st Alto Saxophone
2-2nd Alto Saxophone
2-Tenor Saxophone
1-Baritone Saxophone

3-1st Trumpet
3-2nd Trumpet
3-3rd Trumpet
4-Horn in F
3-1st Trombone
3-2nd Trombone
3-Euphonium (B.C.)
2-Euphonium (T.C.)
4-Tuba
1-Timpani
4-Snare Drum
3-Bass Drum/Susp. Cymbal
2-Bells/Vibraphone

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Grade: 3 (Medium)

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ABOUT THE MUSIC

Add this Christmas carol medley to your Holiday concert and you'll be glad you did. Jim Mahaffey has been arranging and orchestrating for decades and in this medley he brings his skill to set three traditional carols *It Came Upon A Midnight Clear*, *Coventry Carol* and *Away In A Manger* together in a superb concert medley.

ABOUT THE WRITER

Jim Mahaffey is a native of Montevallo, Alabama, and is now known world-over for his musical compositions and arrangements for concert band, marching bands, and jazz ensembles. While serving as Assistant Professor of Music and staff arranger at Troy State University and Auburn University in his home state, Jim penned the only official publication of the Alabama State Song for band and chorus, and served as Music Director and arranger for the Miss Georgia Pageant. In his early years, more than 85 arrangements were published with Hal Leonard Publishing Company for augmented stage band, an exclusive series called the "Studio Lab Band Series." While in school, Jim played lead trumpet for the Auburn Knights Orchestra that featured vocalist Toni Tennille and saxophonist Dave Edwards. His works have been performed at gatherings of the Music Educators National Conference, National Bandmasters Association, Western International Band Conference, Georgia Music Educators Association, Alabama Music Educators Association, and Texas Bandmasters Association. Jim is a member of American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP), and a retired member of Alpha Chapter of Phi Beta Mu National Music Honorary. He is recently featured in the new publication "Alabama Musicians" which includes celebrities such as Nat King Cole, Hank Williams, W.C. Handy, Toni Tennille, the country group Alabama, and many others. To date, Jim has penned over 150 published works.

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A Tranquil Noel

Calmly ♩ = 92 *Solo or Soli...*

The score is for a 3/4 time piece in B-flat major. It features a variety of instruments. The woodwinds (Flutes, Oboe, Clarinets, Bass Clarinet, Bassoons) play a melodic line starting with a *f* dynamic. The saxophones (Alto, Tenor, Bari) play a rhythmic accompaniment with a *mp* dynamic. The brass section (Trumpets, Horns, Trombones, Euphoniums, Tubas) is mostly silent until the end, where they play a *mf* dynamic. The percussion includes a Snare Drum, Susp. Cymbal, Bass Drum, and Bells/Vibes. The Bells/Vibes part is marked *p* and includes a *Susp. Cym.* section. The score is divided into six measures, with measure numbers 1 through 6 indicated at the bottom.

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

2

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1

2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

B.D.

mp

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7

8

9

10

11

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Slower...

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

Both

12 13 14 15 16 17

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

4

It Came Upon a Midnight Clear
A Tempo

rit....

Flutes

Oboe

Clars. 1

Clars. 2

Clars. 3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

mf

Bells

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1, 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

Bells

f

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24

25

26

27

28

29

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

6

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1

2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

mp

mp

mp

Bsn. cues

mp

Hn. cues

p

(one player)

p

Both

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30

31

32

33

34

35

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

36 37 38 39 40 41

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn.Dr.

B.Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

Tune Ab down to G
Tune Bb up to C

54 55 56 57 58 59

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Flutes

Oboe

1

2

3

Clars.

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx.

2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

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60

61

62

63

64

65

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1

2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn.Dr.

B.Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

Bells

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66

67

68

69

70

71

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

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78

79

80

81

82

83

Away in a Manger
A Tempo

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1

2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

rit...

mp

mp

mp

mp

mp

p *Susp. Cym.*

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Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. $\frac{1}{2}$

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn. Dr.

B. Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

mp

mp

mp

p

p

p

p

p

Susp. Cym.

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90

91

92

93

94

95

Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Flutes

Oboe

1

Clars. 2

3

Bs. Cl.

Bsns.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2/3

Horns

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Euph.

Tubas

Timp.

Sn.Dr.

B.Dr./Cym.

Bells/Vibes

mp

mp

mp

96 97 98 99 100 101

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Tranquil Noel - Full Score

Slower...

Flutes *mp*

Oboe *mp*

1 *mp*

Clars. 2 *mp*

3 *mp*

Bs. Cl. *mp*

Bsns. *mp*

A. Sx. 1 *mp*

2 *mp*

T. Sx. *mp*

B. Sx. *mp*

Tpts. 1 *mp*

Tpts. 2/3 *mp*

Horns *mp*

Tbns. 1 *mp*

Tbns. 2 *mp*

Euph. *mp*

Tubas *mp*

Timp. *mp*

Sn.Dr. *mp*

B.Dr./Cym. *mp*

Bells/Vibes *mp*
Vibes

102 103 104 105 106 107