

American River Medley

Featuring Shenandoah, The Glendy Burk, and Red River Valley

Traditional American Folk Songs
Arranged by Douglas E. Wagner

INSTRUMENTATION

- 1 Conductor
- 10 Flute
- 2 Oboe
- 10 B♭ Clarinet
- 2 B♭ Bass Clarinet
- 6 E♭ Alto Saxophone
- 4 B♭ Tenor Saxophone
- 2 E♭ Baritone Saxophone
- 8 B♭ Trumpet
- 4 F Horn

- 6 Trombone/Baritone/Bassoon
- 2 Baritone T.C.
(World Part Trombone in B♭ T.C.)
- 4 Tuba
- 2 Bells
- 2 Percussion 1
(Snare Drum, Bass Drum)
- 2 Percussion 2
(Triangle/Tambourine)
- 2 Timpani
(Optional)

WORLD PARTS

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- E♭ Alto Clarinet
- Horn in E♭
- Trombone/Baritone in B♭ B.C.
- Tuba in E♭ B.C.
- Tuba in E♭ T.C.
- Tuba in B♭ B.C.
- Tuba in B♭ T.C.
- String Bass

PROGRAM NOTES

The major rivers that flow through the United States of America have long been prime vehicles for exploration, trade, inspiration, life, and general enjoyment for millions of people. Folk songs from the mid-nineteenth century chronicle their stories of love and courage, with three of the most beloved of these tunes incorporated into the fabric of this arrangement.

Opening with a gently flowing treatment of "Shenandoah," also known as "Across the Wide Missouri," the work transitions to a spirited rendition of "The Glendy Burk." A more sedate feeling for "Red River Valley" follows, with "Shenandoah" returning again in the upper winds in direct and effective counterpoint. A rousing coda, based on previously heard musical material, brings to a close this celebration of our most treasured American resources.

— Douglas E. Wagner

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FULL SCORE
Duration - 2:50

Gently flowing; not too slowly ♩ = 69

Flute

Oboe

B♭ Clarinet

B♭ Bass Clarinet

E♭ Alto
Saxophone

B♭ Tenor
Saxophone

E♭ Baritone
Saxophone

B♭ Trumpet

F Horn

Trombone/Baritone/
Bassoon

Tuba

Bells

Percussion 1
(Snare Drum, Bass Drum)

Percussion 2
(Triangle/Tambourine)

Timpani
(Optional)

Tune: F, B♭

1

2

3

4

5



9

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

9

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Triangle

Timp.

6 7 8 9 10

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Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

mp

11 12 13 14 15 16

17

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

17

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

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Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

rit.

mp

Much quicker ♩ = 100

31

Play 2nd time only

Fl. *f*

Ob. *f*

Cl. *f*

B. Cl. *f*

A. Sax. *f*

T. Sax. *f*

Bar. Sax. *f*

Much quicker ♩ = 100

31

Tpt. *f*

Hn. *f*

Tbn./Bar./Bsn. *f*

Tuba *f*

Bells *f*

Snare Drum *f*

Bass Drum *f*

Perc. 1

Perc. 2 *f*

Timp. *f*

Tambourine Play 2nd time only

27 28 29 30 31 32

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Play 2nd time only

39

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

39

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

mp

mp

mp

mp

f

mp

mp

mp

mp

Slower (Tempo I) ♩ = 69

51

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

mp

51

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Tri.

mp

54 55 56 57 58

59

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

59

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

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Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

mp

64 65 66 67 68 69

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71

Fl. *mf*

Ob. *mf*

Cl. *mf*

B. Cl. *mf*

A. Sax. *mf*

T. Sax. *mf*

Bar. Sax. *mf*

71

Tpt. *mf*

Hn. *mf*

Tbn./Bar./Bsn. *mf*

Tuba *mf*

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

mf

75 76 77 78 79

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

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rit. 89 a tempo

Fl. *f*

Ob. *f*

Cl. *f*

B. Cl. *f*

A. Sax. *f*

T. Sax. *f*

Bar. Sax. *f*

rit. 89 a tempo

Tpt. *f*

Hn. *f*

Tbn./Bar./Bsn. *f*

Tuba *f*

Bells *mf* *f*

Perc. 1 *f*

Perc. 2 *f* Tamb.

Timp. *f*

accel.

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

accel.

Tpt.

Hn.

Tbn./Bar./Bsn.

Tuba

Bells

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

91 92 93 94 95 96