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INSTRUMENTATION

PICCOLO	HORN 1+3
FLUTE 1+2	HORN 2+4
OBOE 1+2	Bb TRUMPET 1
BASSOON 1+2	Bb TRUMPET 2+3
Bb CLARINET 1	TROMBONE 1+2
Bb CLARINET 2+3	BASS TROMBONE
Bb BASS CLARINET	EUPHONIUM (T.C. and B.C. parts provided)
ALTO SAXOPHONE 1+2	TUBA (2 players)
TENOR SAXOPHONE	
BARITONE SAXOPHONE	
TIMPANI	

PERCUSSION LIST [one player per part]

PERCUSSION 1: Glockenspiel

PERCUSSION 2: Vibraphone (2 bows needed; 2 players possibly needed, meas. 77-81)

PERCUSSION 3: Chimes

PERCUSSION 4: Crotales (2 octaves needed), Crash Cymbals

PERCUSSION 5: Suspended Cymbal (triangle beater needed), Bass Drum

PROGRAM NOTES

reflections. was composed after a long period of illness. After recovering, I found that I felt "new" in many ways. This experience rekindled my lifelong fascination with nostalgia. In particular, I'm intrigued by the way negative things tend to fall away in our memories, allowing us to pine for a past that never was.

In thinking of this, I tried my best to revisit specific memories that were especially redolent of that intangible nostalgic tingle, hoping to remember the events and circumstances as they actually were. I found this to be a rather difficult task, and that is the idea explored in this work. Through the course of the piece, musical materials are recalled but they are never quite the same - a metaphor for the incompleteness of our memories.

Originally composed for a cappella chorus, this piece for wind band is not a transcription or arrangement; in fact, I think it's better to consider it a re-composition, as I allowed myself to experience and consider the musical materials anew. The vast orchestrational opportunities offered by wind and percussion instruments were of particular inspiration, and they largely guided my hand.

-program notes by Tyler Jones

NOTE: The title of this composition is intentionally written in lower-case and ends with a period. Please re-print the title as it is exactly written on this score when re-producing these program notes.

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Full Score (transposed)

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riten. **15 a tempo**

Picc.

Fl. 1
2

Ob. 1
2

Bsn 1
2

B♭ Cl.
2
3

B. Cl.

A. Sax. 1
2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

a 2 riten. **15 a tempo**

a 2

Hn.
2
4

B♭ Tpt.
2
3

Tbn 1
2

B. Tbn

Euph. (T.C.)

Euph. (B.C.)

Tbas

riten. **15 a tempo**

Timp.

Glock.

Vib.

Chim.

Crot.

Sus. Cym.

allarg.....a tempo **accel.....** **riten.**

26 Con moto $\text{♩} = 80$

Picc.

Fl. 1
2

Ob. 1
2

Bsn 1
2

B_b Cl.

2
3

B. Cl.

A. Sax. 1
2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

allarg.....a tempo **accel.....** **riten.**

26 Con moto $\text{♩} = 80$

Hn.
Bb Tpt
Tbn 1
B. Tbn
Euph. (T.C.)
Euph. (B.C.)
Tbas

allarg..... **a tempo** accel..... riten.

26 Con moto $\text{♩} = 80$

Tim.

Glock.

Vib.

Chim.

Crot.

Sus. Cym.

16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29

scrape w/ triangle beater

poco rit.....Tempo I $\text{♩} = 70$

Musical score for measures 30-39. The score includes parts for Picc., Fl. 1 & 2, Ob. 1 & 2, Bsn 1 & 2, B♭ Cl. 1 & 2, B. Cl., A. Sax. 1 & 2, T. Sax., and Bar. Sax. The instrumentation is primarily woodwind, with brass entries starting in measure 34. Measure 30: Picc. holds. Measures 31-33: Flutes play eighth-note patterns. Measures 34-35: Bassoon 1 and Bassoon 2 enter with eighth-note patterns. Measures 36-39: Bassoon 1 continues with eighth-note patterns, while Bassoon 2 and Bass Clarinet 2 join in. Dynamics include *p*, *mp sub.*, *pp*, *mp*, *p*, *mf*, and *p*. Measure 39 concludes with a dynamic of *p*.

2
4
2
4

poco rit.....Tempo I $\text{♩} = 70$

Musical score for measures 30-39. The score includes parts for Hn. 1 & 2, B♭ Tpt. 1 & 2, Tbn 1 & 2, B. Tbn, Euph. (T.C.), Euph. (B.C.), Tbas, Timpani, Glockenspiel, Vibraphone, Chimney, Crotal, and Suspended Cymbal. Measures 30-33: Horns play eighth-note patterns. Measures 34-35: Bass Trombone and Bass Horn enter with eighth-note patterns. Measures 36-39: Bass Trombone continues with eighth-note patterns, while Bass Horn and Trombone 1 join in. Dynamics include *pp*, *mp*, *p*, *mf*, and *p*. Measure 39 concludes with a dynamic of *p*.

2
4
2
4

poco rit.....Tempo I $\text{♩} = 70$

Musical score for measures 30-39. The score includes parts for Timpani, Glockenspiel, Vibraphone, Chimney, Crotal, and Suspended Cymbal. Measures 30-33: Timpani and Glockenspiel play eighth-note patterns. Measures 34-35: Vibraphone and Chimney enter with eighth-note patterns. Measures 36-39: Vibraphone continues with eighth-note patterns, while Chimney and Crotal join in. Dynamics include *p*, *mp*, *p*, *mf*, and *p*. Measure 39 concludes with a dynamic of *p*.

2
4
2
4

40 Con moto $\text{♩} = 80$

Picc. Fl. 1 Ob. 1 Bsn 1 B♭ Cl. 2 B. Cl. A. Sax. 1 T. Sax. Bar. Sax.

allarg...... **a tempo** accel. **allarg.**.....

4 **5** **4**

40 Con moto $\text{♩} = 80$

Hn. 1 Hn. 2 B♭ Tpt. 1 Tbn 1 B. Tbn Euph. (T.C.) Euph. (B.C.) Tbas.

1. **a 2** **allarg.**..... **a tempo** accel. **allarg.**.....

4 **5** **4**

40 Con moto $\text{♩} = 80$

Tim. Glock. Vib. Chim. Crot. Sus. Cym.

allarg...... **a tempo** accel. **allarg.**.....

4 **5** **4**

Medium-Soft Mallets $\text{♩} = 80$

w/ mallets $\text{♩} = 80$ dampen immediately $\text{♩} = 80$

40 **41** **42** **43** **44** **45** **46** **47** **48** **49**

50 **Freely** $\text{♩} = 45$

Picc. -
Fl. 1 2 -
Ob. 1 2 -
Bsn 1 2 -
1 -
B♭ Cl. 2 3 -
B. Cl. -
A. Sax. 1 2 -
T. Sax. -
Bar. Sax. -

50 **Freely** $\text{♩} = 45$
 1. -
Hn. 1 3 -
2 4 -
B♭ Tpt 1 2 -
B. Tbn 1 2 -
Euph. (T.C.) -
Euph. (B.C.) -
Tbas -

50 **Freely** $\text{♩} = 45$
 Tim. -
Glock. -
Vib. -
Chim. -
Crot. -
Sus. Cym. -

Score for Debutants Only

50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57

59 Slowly, freely $\text{♩} = 50$

a 2 espressivo

65 **Tempo I** $\text{♩} = 70$

1.

2 **4** **1** **4**

59 Slowly, freely $\text{♩} = 50$

65 Tempo I $\text{♩} = 70$

Tim. Glock. Vib. Chim. Cr. Cyms. Sus. Cym.

To Cr. Cyms. To B. Dr.

2 **4** **2** **4**

77 Largo, lontano ♩ = 65

Picc. Fl. 1
Fl. 2 Ob. 1
Ob. 2 Bsn 1
Bsn 2 B♭ Cl. 1
B♭ Cl. 2 B♭ Cl. 3 A. Sax. 1
A. Sax. 2 T. Sax. Bar. Sax.

1. full, rich sound
mf full, rich sound
mf full, rich sound
mf full, rich sound
mf

77 Largo, lontano ♩ = 65

Hn. 1
Hn. 2 B♭ Tpt. 1
B♭ Tpt. 2 Tbn 1
Tbn 2 B. Tbn Euph. (T.C.) Euph. (B.C.) Tbas

5/4 4/4 3/4 5/4

77 Largo, lontano ♩ = 65

Tim. Glock. Vib. bowed (1 or 2 players) p < mf
Vib. p < mf sim. Chim. Crot. B. Dr.

Medium Mallets
Plastic Mallets pp mf
Medium Mallets mf
Crot. Brass Mallets mp 3
5/4 4/4 3/4 5/4

91 Fading Away ♩ = 55

Picc. Fl. 1 2 Ob. 1 2 Bsn 1 2 B♭ Cl. 1 2 3 B. Cl. A. Sax. 1 2 T. Sax. Bar. Sax.

3 4 4 3 4

91 Fading Away ♩ = 55

Hn. 1 3 B♭ Tpt. 1 2 B. Tbn. 1 2 Euph. (T.C.) Euph. (B.C.) Tbas.

a 2 3 4 4 3 4

91 Fading Away ♩ = 55

Tim. Glock. Vib. Chim. Crot. B. Dr.

3 4 4 3 4

Slowing

Picc. *pp*

Fl. 1 2 *pp*

Ob. 1 2 *a 2*

Bsn 1 2 *pp*

B♭ Cl. 2 3 *pp*

B. Cl. *pp*

A. Sax. 1 2 *pp*

T. Sax. *pp*

Bar. Sax. *pp*

3 4

Hn. 1 2 *pp*

Hn. 3 4 *pp*

B♭ Tpt 2 3 4 *pp*

Tbn 1 2 *pp*

B. Tbn *pp*

Eup. (T.C.) *pp*

Eup. (B.C.) *pp*

Tbas *pp*

3 4

Slowing

Tim. *mp* *pp*

Glock. *pp*

Vib. *pp* *pp*

Chim. *pp*

Crot. *pp*

B. Dr. *pp*