

Commissioned by the American Brass Quintet

Distant Voices

for Brass Quintet (1990 – 16')

I. James Agee: Writer

David SAMPSON (*1951)

♩ = 112

1 in B $\flat$

Trumpets

2 in B $\flat$

Horn in F

Trombone

Tuba

f marcato *simile* *cresc.*

f marcato *simile* *cresc.*

f marcato *simile* *cresc.*

f marcato *simile* *cresc.*

f marcato *cresc.*

6

poco meno mosso **Tempo I** *poco meno mosso*

ff maestoso *mf* *maestoso*

ff *maestoso*

ff *maestoso*

ff *maestoso*

ff *maestoso*

ff *maestoso*

13

Tempo I *poco meno mosso* *poco a poco accel.*

mf marcato *maestoso* *fff* *f marcato* *straight mute* *f*

mf marcato *maestoso* *fff* *f marcato* *straight mute* *piu f*

mf marcato *maestoso* *fff* *f marcato* *straight mute* *f*

mf marcato *maestoso* *fff* *f marcato* *straight mute* *f*

18

A

Tempo I *poco meno mosso* **Tempo I**

maestoso *open* *f* *mf* *maestoso* *f* *mf*

25 *poco meno mosso*

Tempo I

$\text{♩} = 88$ *accel.*

$\text{♩} = 112$

f marcato

st. mute

più f

maestoso

mf

f marcato

f marcato

f

[illegible]

38

B *accel.*

f *legato*

f *secco* *legato*

open

f *mf*

II. Bobby Hackett: Jazz Cornetist

Elegantly ♩ = 72

The musical score is written for five staves, likely representing different instruments in a jazz ensemble. The tempo is marked 'Elegantly' with a quarter note equal to 72 beats per minute. The score is divided into three systems, each containing five staves. The first system (measures 1-5) features a key signature of two flats and a 4/4 time signature. The second system (measures 6-10) continues in the same key and time. The third system (measures 11-15) includes a section marked 'A' and features a key signature change to one flat and a 3/4 time signature. Dynamics include *pp*, *mp*, *mf*, *p*, and *f*. Articulations include accents and slurs. The score includes various musical notations such as eighth notes, quarter notes, and half notes, as well as triplets and slurs.

15 *molto rit.* *a tempo*

f *p* *f* *p* *mf* *f* *p*

19

mp *mf* *pp* *p* *mp* *mf* *pp* *p* *mp* *mf* *pp* *p*

24 **B**

mf *p* *f* *mf* *ff* *pp* *mf* *p* *f* *mf* *ff* *pp* *mf* *p* *f* *mf* *ff* *pp*

29

mp *pp* *mp* *pp* *mp* *pp* *mp* *pp*

III. Br. Paul Diveny: Benedictine Monk

♩ = 84 ♩ = 64 ♩ = 84 ♩ = 64 ♩ = 84 ♩ = 64

fff *harmon mute stem removed* *open* *fff* *st. mute* *pp*

fff *freely* *p* *fff* *fff* *p*

fff *fff* *st. mute* *pp* *open* *fff*

fff *fff* *fff* *fff* *fff* *fff*

11 ♩ = 80 *open* *open* *poco accel.*

pp *pp* *fff* *fff* *fff* *fff*

pp *pp* *fff* *fff* *fff* *fff*

pp *pp* *fff* *fff* *fff* *fff*

p *fff* *fff* *fff* *fff* *fff*

19 ♩ = 64 *poco accel.* *a tempo into stand* *rit.* ♩ = 76 ♩ = 64

pp *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp*

pp *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp*

pp *mf* *mf* *p* *into stand* *into sta*

pp *mf* *mf* *p* *into stand* *into sta*

pp *mf* *mf* *p* *into stand* *into sta*

28 **A**

mf *fp* *f* *sfz* *mf* *sfz* *mp*

37 **B**

ff marcato *sfz* *ff* *ff marcato* *ff* *marcato*

46

f *ff mf* *mf* *ff*

53

mf *f*