



Music from

# Annie

**Featuring It's the Hard-Knock Life, Easy Street, and Tomorrow**

Lyrics by Martin Charnin  
Music by Charles Strouse  
Arranged by Michael Kamuf

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## INSTRUMENTATION

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|-------------------------|---|
| 1 Conductor             | 2 1st F Horn  |
| 3 1st Flute             | 2 2nd F Horn  |
| 3 2nd Flute             | 2 1st Trombone  |
| 2 Oboe                  | 2 2nd Trombone  |
| 2 Bassoon               | 2 3rd Trombone  |
| 3 1st B♭ Clarinet       | 2 Euphonium   |
| 3 2nd B♭ Clarinet       | 2 Baritone Treble Clef  |
| 3 3rd B♭ Clarinet       | 4 Tuba  |
| 2 B♭ Bass Clarinet      | 2 Electric Bass   |
| 2 1st E♭ Alto Saxophone | 2 Mallet Percussion<br>(Chimes/Xylophone)   |
| 2 2nd E♭ Alto Saxophone | 4 Percussion 1<br>(Drumset or opt. Snare Drum/Hi-Hat<br>Cymbals/Ride Cymbal, Bass Drum)       |
| 2 B♭ Tenor Saxophone    | 5 Percussion 2<br>(Suspended Cymbal/Triangle/Tom-Tom,<br>Crash Cymbals/Cabasa or opt. Shaker) |
| 2 E♭ Baritone Saxophone | 2 Timpani   |
| 3 1st B♭ Trumpet        |   |
| 3 2nd B♭ Trumpet        |   |
| 3 3rd B♭ Trumpet        |   |

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WORLD PARTS**

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- E♭ Alto Clarinet  
1st Horn in E♭  
2nd Horn in E♭  
1st Trombone in B♭ Bass Clef  
2nd Trombone in B♭ Bass Clef  
3rd Trombone in B♭ Bass Clef  
1st Trombone in B♭ Treble Clef  
2nd Trombone in B♭ Treble Clef  
3rd Trombone in B♭ Treble Clef  
Baritone in B♭ Bass Clef  
Tuba in E♭ Bass Clef  
Tuba in E♭ Treble Clef  
Tuba in B♭ Bass Clef  
Tuba in B♭ Treble Clef

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## PROGRAM NOTES

The Broadway musical *Annie* was penned by composer Charles Strouse, lyricist Martin Charnin, and playwright and author Thomas Meehan, and is based on the 1920s comic strip *Little Orphan Annie*. The original Broadway production opened in 1977 and ran for nearly six years. The musical has been made into several films and television productions. This medley from the production includes the songs "It's the Hard-Knock Life," "Easy Street," and "Tomorrow."

## NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR

Except for the marcato introduction and ending, woodwind and brass players should approach all articulations in a legato fashion throughout the arrangement by utilizing a “dit” or “daht” syllable for short notes. All notes that are not marked with an articulation should be full value and played with a “doo” syllable. An optional electric bass part is included, which can help reinforce the bass line. This part can also be played on string bass. Percussion 1 can be played by one player on the drumset or by two players on concert percussion: player one on hi-hat cymbals, snare drum, and ride cymbal; player two on bass drum. The trumpet 1 part goes out of range for this series in two brief spots—measures 62 and 104. If playing the A in measure 62 is not feasible, playing the entire measure down an octave is the best solution. Measure 104 is cued an octave lower, if needed.

The first nine measures are a fanfare which foreshadows the opening melody lines of both “It’s the Hard-Knock Life” and “Tomorrow.” This passage should be played in a marcato style and in a bold manner.

“It’s the Hard-Knock Life” begins at measure 10 with the iconic introduction from the original movie version. The theme is stated at measure 19 by bassoon, clarinets, alto saxophones, and euphonium. Here, and throughout the arrangement, accompaniment figures should complement the melody without overshadowing it. The bridge of the song begins at measure 41 with a quasi-Latin groove in the percussion that should be played lightly and with forward motion. This tune should build momentum throughout and peak at measure 70 with a fortissimo from the ensemble.

The passage from measures 74–76 acts as a transition into “Easy Street.” Here, there are brief solos by trombone 1 and trumpet 1 while the timpani provides a “pedal.” The soloists should use plungers for this passage and have fun!! There are many great video resources on brass plunger technique—especially watch trumpeter Clark Terry or trombonist Al Grey use this mute. Encourage your soloists to check out these two greats!

“Easy Street” begins at measure 77 and utilizes a swing style. The ensemble will need to use an eighth-note triplet subdivision throughout this song to properly capture the rhythmic style. As with the first song of the medley, this passage should peak with the fortissimo at measure 105 and drive all the way through the end of measure 112. Here, the forte-piano from the low winds should settle in before moving on to measure 113. Starting in measure 113, solo alto saxophone 1, clarinet 1, and flute 1 foreshadow the tune “Tomorrow,” which begins with solo oboe (cued in clarinet 1) at measure 117. As the orchestration grows and changes, the momentum should continue to build to the end of the medley. At measure 144, the key changes from E $\flat$  to F major, and the tempo should be slightly slower. The marcato style of the opening should return at measure 151 for the ending.

I hope you and your students enjoy playing this arrangement!



FULL SCORE  
Duration - 5:30

Music from  
**Annie**  
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Lyrics by Martin Charnin  
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**Boldly** ♩ = 96

+Picc.

Flutes/Piccolo 1 2

Oboe

Bassoon

B♭ Clarinets 1 2 3

B♭ Bass Clarinet

E♭ Alto Saxophones 1 2

B♭ Tenor Saxophone

E♭ Baritone Saxophone

B♭ Trumpets 1 2 3

F Horns 1 2

Trombones 1 2 3

Euphonium

Tuba (Optional Electric Bass 8va)

Mallet Percussion (Chimes/Xylophone)

Percussion 1 (Drumset or opt. Snare Drum/Hi-Hat Cymbals/Ride Cymbal, Bass Drum)

Percussion 2 (Suspended Cymbal/Triangle/Tom-Tom, Crash Cymbals/Cabasa or opt. Shaker)

Timpani

**Boldly** ♩ = 96

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Tune: F, B♭, C, E

1 2 3 4

Change: B♭ to A





## 10 Brightly ♩ = 160 "It's the Hard-Knock Life"

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Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

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9 fp f 10 f p 11 f 12 f

A page of musical notation for a full orchestra. The page is covered with red diagonal text that reads "Preview Use Requires Purchase".

The musical score includes parts for:

- Fls. 1, 2
- Ob.
- Bsn.
- Cls. 1, 2, 3
- B. Cl.
- A. Saxes. 1, 2
- T. Sax.
- Bar. Sax.
- Tpts. 1, 2, 3
- Hns. 1, 2
- Tbns. 1, 2, 3
- Euph.
- Tuba
- Mlt. Perc.
- Perc. 1
- Perc. 2
- Timp.

The music consists of four systems of staves, each starting with a dynamic instruction like "f" or "p". The notation includes various note heads, stems, and rests, with some specific markings like "v" and "w" on certain notes. The instrumentation is typical of a large-scale symphony or concert band.

Fls. 1 2 Ob. Bsn. 19

Ob. Bsn. 19

Bsn. 19

Cl. 1 2 3 Cls. 1 2 3 B. Cl. A. Saxes. 1 2 T. Sax. Bar. Sax. 19

Tpts. 1 2 3 Hns. 1 2 Tbn. 1 2 3 Euph. Tuba Mlt. Perc. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Timp.

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Fls. 1 2 Ob. Bsn. 19

Ob. Bsn. 19

Bsn. 19

Cl. 1 2 3 Cls. 1 2 3 B. Cl. A. Saxes. 1 2 T. Sax. Bar. Sax. 19

Tpts. 1 2 3 Hns. 1 2 Tbn. 1 2 3 Euph. Tuba Mlt. Perc. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Timp.

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Fls. 1 2 -Picc. *a2*  
Ob.  
Bsn.  
1 2 3 Cls.  
B. Cl.  
A. Saxes. 1 2  
T. Sax.  
Bar. Sax.  
1 2 3 Tpts.  
Hns. 1 2  
Tbns. 1 2 3  
Euph.  
Tuba  
Mlt. Perc.  
Perc. 1  
Perc. 2  
Timp.

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Fls. 1/2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2/3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1/2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1/2/3

Hns. 1/2

Tbns. 1/2/3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.



The musical score consists of 20 staves, each representing a different instrument or section of the orchestra. The instruments listed on the left are: Fls. (Flutes), Ob. (Oboe), Bsn. (Bassoon), Cls. (Clarinet), B. Cl. (Bass Clarinet), A. Saxes. (Alto Saxophone), T. Sax. (Tenor Saxophone), Bar. Sax. (Baritone Saxophone), Tpts. (Trumpet), Hns. (Horn), Tbns. (Trombone), Euph. (Euphonium), Tuba, Mlt. Perc. (Multi Percussion), Perc. 1, Perc. 2, and Timp. (Timpani). The music is written in 2/4 time, with various key signatures (F major, G major, C major, B-flat major) indicated by the treble and bass clefs. The score includes dynamic markings such as forte (f), piano (p), and accents. Measure numbers 33, 34, 35, and 36 are visible at the bottom of the page.

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Fls. 1/2 Ob. Bsn. Cl. B. Cl. A. Saxes. T. Sax. Bar. Sax. Tpts. Hns. Tbns. Euph. Tuba Mlt. Perc. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Timp.

37 38 39 40

Fls. 2  
Ob.  
Bsn.  
Clrs. 1  
2  
3  
B. Cl.  
A. Saxes. 2  
T. Sax.  
Bar. Sax.  
Tpts. 1  
2  
3  
Hns. 1  
2  
Tbns. 1  
2  
3  
Eup.  
Tuba  
Mlt. Perc.  
Perc. 1  
Triangle  
Cabasa *mf*  
(opt. Shaker)  
Perc. 2  
Cabasa *mf*  
(opt. Shaker)  
Timp.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1

Cls. 2

Cls. 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2

Tpts. 3

Hns. 1

Hns. 2

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Tbns. 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Fls. 1 2 Ob. Bsn. *mf*

Cl. 1 2 3 *a2*

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2 8 8 8 8

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3 *mf* *a2* *mf*

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3 *mf* 8 8 *mf*

Eup.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Tim.

49

50

51

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Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Clz. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1

2

3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1

2

3

Hns. 1

2

Tbns. 1

2

3

Eup.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Tim.

+Picc.  
a<sup>2</sup>

60

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Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1

2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1

2 3

Hns. 1

2

Tbns. 1

2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1

2 3

a2

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

f

T. Sax.

f

a2

fp

fp

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1

a2

Tpts. 2 3

Hns. 1

f

fp

Hns. 2

f

fp

Tbns. 1

fp

Tbns. 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

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## "Easy Street"

77 Swing  $\text{♩} = 112\text{--}120$  ( $\text{♩} = \frac{3}{2}$   $\text{♪}$ )

Fls. 1/2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1/3

B. Cl. 1/3

A. Saxes. 1/2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1/3

Hns. 1/2

Tbns. 1/3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Change: A to B $\flat$ , E to E $\flat$

Musical score for orchestra, page 23. The score includes parts for Flutes (Fls.), Oboes (Ob.), Bassoon (Bsn.), Clarinets (Cl.), Bass Clarinet (B. Cl.), Alto Saxophones (A. Saxes.), Tenor Saxophone (T. Sax.), Baritone Saxophone (Bar. Sax.), Trumpets (Tpts.), Horns (Hns.), Trombones (Tbns.), Euphonium (Euph.), Tuba, Mallet Percussion (Mlt. Perc.), Percussion 1 (Perc. 1), Percussion 2 (Perc. 2), and Timpani (Timp.). The score consists of four systems of music. The first system starts with a rest for Fls., Ob., and Bsn. followed by dynamic markings for Picc. (Piccolo) and bassoon. The second system begins with notes for Cl. and B. Cl. The third system starts with notes for A. Saxes. and T. Sax. The fourth system begins with notes for Bar. Sax. and Tpts. The score concludes with a dynamic marking of *mf* at measure 84.

A page from a musical score for orchestra and band. The page number is 16, and the measures shown are 85 and 86. The score is arranged in multiple staves, each with a different instrument name. The instruments include Flutes (2), Oboe, Bassoon, Clarinet (1), Clarinet (2), Bass Clarinet, Alto Saxophone (1), Alto Saxophone (2), Tenor Saxophone, Baritone Saxophone, Trombones (3), Horns (2), Trombones (1), Trombones (2), Euphonium, Tuba, Mallet Percussion, Percussion 1, Percussion 2, and Timpani. The music consists of two measures of music with various notes and rests. Dynamics such as 'mf', 'f', and 'v' are indicated above the staff. Performance instructions like 'ch.' are also present. A large red watermark reading 'Review Only Purchase' is diagonally across the page.



Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1

2

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1

2

Hns. 1

2

Tbns. 1 2

Eup.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

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Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl.

B. Cl.

A. Saxos. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Tim.

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Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1

Tpts. 2

Tpts. 3

Hns. 1

Hns. 2

Tbns. 1

Tbns. 2

Tbns. 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

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113 Flowing ♩ = 92

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Tim. ♩

1. Solo rit.  
-Picc. ♩

Solo ♩

(Ob.) Solo ♩

mf

mf

rit.

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113 Flowing  $\text{♩} = 92$

**Solo**

**(Ob.) Solo**

**rit.**

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“Tomorrow”  
117 With motion  $\text{♩} = 84$

Musical score for orchestra and band, page 32, measures 117-120. The score includes parts for Flutes (2), Oboe, Bassoon, Clarinet (2), Bass Clarinet, Alto Saxophone (2), Tenor Saxophone, Baritone Saxophone, Trumpet (3), Horn (2), Trombone (3), Euphonium, Tuba, Mallet Percussion, Percussion 1, Percussion 2, and Timpani. The music is in 2/4 time, key signature is B-flat major (two flats). Measure 117 starts with Flute 2 playing eighth-note pairs. Measures 118-119 show various woodwind entries with eighth-note patterns. Measure 120 concludes with a dynamic instruction "All mf". A large red diagonal watermark "Preview Use Requires Purchase" is overlaid across the page.

Fls. 1 2  
Ob.  
Bsn.  
Cls. 1  
2  
3  
B. Cl.  
A. Saxes. 1 2  
T. Sax.  
Bar. Sax.  
Tpts. 1 2 3  
Hns. 1 2  
Tbns. 1 2 3  
Euph.  
Tuba  
Mlt. Perc.  
Perc. 1  
Perc. 2  
Timp.

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Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

121

122

123

124

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125  
+2. All  
*mf*

Fls. 1 2  
Ob.  
Bsn.  
Cl.  
2 3  
B. Cl.  
A. Saxes. 1 2  
T. Sax.  
Bar. Sax.  
125  
Tpts. 1 2 3  
Hns. 1 2  
Tbns. 1 2 3  
Euph.  
Tuba  
Mlt. Perc.  
Perc. 1  
Perc. 2  
Tim.

Fls. 1 2 Ob. Bsn. Cls. 1 2 3 B. Cl. A. Saxes. 1 2 T. Sax. Bar. Sax. Tpts. 1 2 3 Hns. 1 2 Tbn. 1 2 3 Euph. Tuba Mlt. Perc. Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Timp.

130

130

129 130 131 132

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Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Eup.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

The musical score consists of 16 staves of music. The instruments listed on the left are Flutes (2 parts), Oboe, Bassoon, Clarinet (1 part), Bass Clarinet, Alto Saxophone (2 parts), Tenor Saxophone, Bass Saxophone, Trombones (3 parts), Horns (2 parts), Tuba, Mallet Percussion, Percussion 1, Percussion 2, and Timpani. The music is in common time, mostly in B-flat major, with some changes indicated by key signatures. Measure numbers 133, 134, 135, and 136 are visible at the bottom of the page. The score includes dynamic markings like *f*, *p*, and *a2*. A large red watermark reading "Preview Only Legal Use Requires Purchase" is diagonally across the page.

139

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1

2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1

2 3

Hns. 1

2

Tbns. 1

2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Change: F to G $\flat$ , E $\flat$  to F

144 Slower  $\text{♩} = 76$

Fls. 1 2 +Picc. rit. a<sup>2</sup>  
Ob. f  
Bsn. f  
Cls. 1 2 3 tr f  
B. Cl. f  
A. Saxes. 1 2 fp f f a<sup>2</sup>  
T. Sax. fp f f  
Bar. Sax. f  
Tpts. 1 2 3 rit. a<sup>2</sup>  
Hns. 1 2 fp f f  
Tbns. 1 2 3 fp f f f  
Eup.  
Tuba  
Mlt. Perc.  
Perc. 1  
Perc. 2  
Timp.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Clz. 1

Clz. 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Timp.

Fls. 1 2 Fls. rit.  
Ob. Ob.  
Bsn. Bsn. *a<sup>2</sup>*  
Cl. 1 Cl. 1  
2 Cl. 2 *a<sup>2</sup>*  
B. Cl. B. Cl.  
A. Saxes. 1 2 A. Saxes. *a<sup>2</sup>*  
T. Sax. T. Sax.  
Bar. Sax. Bar. Sax.  
Tpts. 1 Tpts. rit.  
2 Tpts. 3 Tpts. *fp* *f* *fp*  
Hns. 1 Hns. 2 Hns. *fp*  
Tbns. 1 Tbns. 2 Tbns. *fp* *f* *fp*  
Euph. Euph. *fp* *f* *fp*  
Tuba Tuba  
Mlt. Perc. Mlt. Perc. Chimes  
Perc. 1 Perc. 1 *f*  
Perc. 2 Perc. 2 *mp*  
Timp. Timp.

41

153 a tempo

molto rall.

Fls. 1 2

Ob.

Bsn.

Cls. 1 2 3

B. Cl.

A. Saxes. 1 2

T. Sax.

Bar. Sax.

Tpts. 1 2 3

Hns. 1 2

Tbns. 1 2 3

Euph.

Tuba

Mlt. Perc.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Tim. Timp.