

QUIET STEPS

Erik Morales

Instrumentation

Alto Sax 1

Alto Sax 2

Tenor Sax 1

Tenor Sax 2

Opt. Baritone Sax

Trumpet 1

Trumpet 2/Opt. Flugelhorn

Trumpet 3

Opt. Trumpet 4

Trombone 1

Trombone 2

Opt. Trombone 3

Opt. Trombone 4

Guitar Chord Guide

Guitar

Piano

Bass

Drum Set

Conductor's Full Score

Alternate Parts

C Flute

F Horn

Baritone T.C.

Extra Conductor Score: \$5.00

Extra Parts: \$2.50

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The Composer

Erik Morales (b. December 10, 1966) began his composing career shortly after graduation from high school in south Florida. He studied composition at Florida International University, and completed his bachelor's degree at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette. Accessible at all levels, the music of Erik Morales has a unique melodic and harmonic vocabulary that appeals to audiences nationwide. His published works encompass a large variety of styles and settings, including works for concert, orchestral, jazz, and chamber ensembles. Mr. Morales currently teaches and plays trumpet professionally in the New Orleans area, in addition to maintaining an active composing and conducting schedule.

About the Music

Although the title is similar to John Coltrane's *Giant Steps*, this composition bears no similarities. Coltrane's work is only used here as inspiration. *Quiet Steps* is, however, a simple ballad with a fairly complex chord structure. The key signature is not indicative of the tonal center. One could argue that the work's key signature should be C major, as this is the chord the main melody begins and ends with. However, if placed in the key of C, the piece would be much harder to read, as it contains numerous tonal deviations. The general feel of the work should be interpreted as a light, slow swing.

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(ASCAP)

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HI-HAT PEDAL

BRUSHES

CHORDS APPEAR ON PART

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Preview Only

F-7 Bb7 EbA7 C7(b9) A-7(b5) D7sus4 G-7 Eb13 AbA7 DbA9 D-7 G13

2 3 4 5 6 7 8

B.D.

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9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

Chords: C#7, F#9, Bb9, Eb7, Ab7, Db7, E-7, A-7, D-7, C/E, F#7, Bb7, Db7

CHORDS APPEAR ON PART

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LEGATO

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17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24

Chord symbols: C#7, G#7, Bb-7, A7(b9), Ab#7, D#7, E-7, A7, D-7, G#7, Db#7, C#9

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AS WRITTEN

F-7 Bb7 Eb7 C7(b9) A-7(b9) D7(b9) G-7 Ab7 Db9

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FILL

Cym.

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25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32

D-7 G7(b9) G15

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SOLO - FLUGELHORN OPT.
Bb9

Eb9 F#-7 B-7 E-7 D/F# G#7 C7(#11) C#9

C#7 F9 Bb9 Eb9 Ab9 Db9

E-7 A-7 D-7 C/E F#7 Bb7(#11) B#7

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Chords: D⁹7, G⁹, C⁹, B⁷sus4(b⁹), B^b7, E^b9, F[#]-7, B-7, E-7, A¹³, E^b9, D⁹9, C⁷(b⁹), C⁹7, F⁹, B^b9, A⁷sus4(b⁹), A^b7, D^b9, E-7, A-7, D^b9, C⁹9, CHORDS APPEAR ON PART

FILL

41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48

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57 *mf* 58 59 60 61 62 63 64

FILL

Chord progression: C^Δ7, F⁹, B^b9, E^b9, A^bΔ7, D^b9, E-7, A-7, D-7, C/E, F, B^b7, D^b9

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65 66 67 68 69 70 71

Chords: C#7, G#7, Bb-7, Eb9, Ab#7, Db7, E-7, A-7, F#-7(b9), F-6, E-7, Eb13

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72 73 75 76 77 78

Chords: D-7, G7, E-7, A-7, D-7, G13 sus4, D♭9, C♭7(♯11)

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