## **Pavane**

GABRIEL FAURÉ
Arranged by BOB PHILLIPS

## — INSTRUMENTATION

- 1 Conductor
- 8 1st Violin
- 8 2nd Violin
- 5 3rd Violin (Viola T.C.)
- 5 Viola
- 5 Cello
- 5 String Bass

This stunningly beautiful reduction in G Major provides great parts for all players, with each one taking a turn playing the pizzicate harp-like accompaniment while the melody is also shared by most sections. The elegant melody soars over the slow and steady rhythm based on the rhythmic structure of the Spanish court dance of the same name. Perfect for festival or contest, this piece also provides opportunities to practice chromatic alterations and maintaining a piano dynamic with clarity.

## NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

All Belwin string parts have been carefully bowed and fingered appropriately by level. The Yellow Very Beginning series includes many bowings as well as reminder fingerings for first-time readers. The Red Beginning series includes frequent bowings to assist younger players. Fingerings for altered pitches are often marked. The Green Intermediate series includes appropriately placed bowings for middle-level students. Fingerings and positions are marked for notes beyond first position. The Blue Concert series includes bowings appropriate for the experienced high school player. Fingerings and position markings are indicated for difficult passages.

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