

(Grade 5)

Odyssey

for concert band

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Michael Nunes
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Instrumentation

Choir (optional)

Piccolo

Flutes 1 2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoons

Clarinets in Bb 1 2 3

Bass Clarinet

Alto Saxes 1 2

Tenor Sax

Baritone Sax

Trumpets in Bb 1 2 3

Horns in F 1 2 3 4

Trombones 1 2

Bass Trombone

Euphoniums

Tuba

Double Bass

4 Timpani

Percussion 1:

A musical staff with four measures. Measure 1: Bass Drum (double bar line). Measure 2: Gong. Measure 3: Snare Drum. Measure 4: Triangle.

Percussion 2 (optional extra player):

A musical staff with four measures. Measure 1: Bass Drum. Measure 2: Suspended Cymbal. Measure 3: Triangle. Measure 4: Cymbals.

Percussion 3: Chimes, Marimba, Suspended Cymbal (shared with Percussion 2)

Percussion 4: Xylophone, Bells, Bass Drum (shared with Percussion 1 and 2)

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Performance Notes

If there is a choir, they may either stand on one side of the band, together, or split in half on both sides of the band. Should one choose to have a soloist at letter G, they should move in front of the choir and return to their spot afterwards.

*The exposition and recapitulation of *Odyssey* should be energetic throughout, with extremely confident entries in every part. Although notated as 6/8, 2/4 for clarity, both sections are phrased in 5/4. Crescendos and decrescendos should always be dramatic—especially in spots such as 25; a sudden decrescendo is required to properly hear the moving line.*

The Timpanist and 1st Percussion Player must be coordinated and clean in their solo sections, or these sections risk losing their rhythmic effect.

Letter F should give the impression of a brass band, with a warm trumpet sound heard predominantly.

Letter G should sound noticeably different than previous sections. Trumpet 1 may play where they have cues, but they are not required to should they wish to recover their embouchure.

The clarinet section and double bass soli at measure 142 should sound improvised, and every section is encouraged to play with a soloistic style. If coordination becomes a problem, consider reducing each part to one player for those four bars.

At Letter J, the horn calls should be powerful and noble. When the section joins the first horn with bells up, a slightly brassy tone is appropriate. The rest of the instruments should sound dramatic, with extra emphasis on the triplet figure in measure 163.

In measure 171, the band should not take a breath between the fermata and the rest of the phrase.

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Mark Lietz, Director

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Energetic! $\text{♩} = 175$

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Choir

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoons

Clarinet in B♭ 1

Clarinet in B♭ 2

Clarinet in B♭ 3

Bass Clarinet

Alto Sax 1

Alto Sax 2

Tenor Sax

Baritone Sax

Trumpet in B♭ 1

Trumpet in B♭ 2

Trumpet in B♭ 3

Horns 1 2 in F

Horns 3 4 in F

Trombone 1

Trombone 2

Bass Trombone

Euphoniums

Tuba

Double Bass

4 Timpani

Percussion 1

Percussion 2 (optional extra player)

Percussion 3

Percussion 4

Odyssey - Transposed Score

2

A $\text{♩} = \text{♩} 3, 3, 2, 2 \text{ Pulse}$ **B**

Choir { *Choir tacet during exposition*

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2 *mf*

B♭ Tpt. 3 *mf*

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4 *mf*

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4 *mf*

Odyssey - Transposed Score

3

21

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

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Odyssey - Transposed Score

C

33

Choir

Picc.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl.1

B♭ Cl.2

B♭ Cl.3

B. Cl.

A. Sx.1

A. Sx.2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt.1

B♭ Tpt.2

B♭ Tpt.3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

Odyssey - Transposed Score

5

D

44

Choir

Picc.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

Bb Cl.1

Bb Cl.2

Bb Cl.3

B. Cl.

A. Sx.1

A. Sx.2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Trumpet 1

Euphoniums

Bb Tpt.1

Bb Tpt.2

Bb Tpt.3

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timpani

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

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Odyssey - Transposed Score

E

E

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

Odyssey - Transposed Score

7

69

Choir

Picc.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

Bb Cl.1

Bb Cl.2

Bb Cl.3

B. Cl.

A. Sx.1

A. Sx.2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Bb Tpt.1

Bb Tpt.2

Bb Tpt.3

Hn. 1.2

Hn. 3.4

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Perc.3

Perc.4

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Xylophone, hard mallets

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F

Odyssey - Transposed Score

9

94

Melody for reference pitch

G Opt. soprano or mixed soloist

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

DB.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

Melody for reference pitch

Opt. soprano or mixed soloist

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Trumpet 2 3

Chimes

Odyssey - Transposed Score

H

106

Choir

Picc.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

Bb Cl.1

Bb Cl.2

Bb Cl.3

B. Cl.

A. Sx.1

A. Sx.2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Bb Tpt.1

Bb Tpt.2

Bb Tpt.3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Perc.3

Perc.4

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Odyssey - Transposed Score

11

Melody for reference pitch G_4

118 *rit.* $\text{J} = 80$

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Choir

Picc.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

Bb Cl.1

Bb Cl.2

Bb Cl.3

B. Cl.

A. Sx.1

A. Sx.2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Bb Tpt.1

Bb Tpt.2

Bb Tpt.3

Hn. 1

Hn. 3

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Perc.3

Perc.4

12

Odyssey - Transposed Score

I *p* Calm, Legato *ca* 80

Choir
"Mmm"

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

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B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timpani

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4 plastic mallets

Odyssey - Transposed Score

143 stretch *rit.* *a tempo*

Horn

J

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Horn Solo

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D. B.

Timpani

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

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Odyssey - Transposed Score

154 *f*

Choir play

Picc.

Fl. 1 *mf*

Fl. 2 *mf*

Ob. *f* *mf*

E. Hn. *f* *mf*

Bsns. *f* Div.

B♭ Cl. 1 *mf*

B♭ Cl. 2 *mf*

B♭ Cl. 3 *mf*

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1 *ff* Horn Solo

A. Sx. 2 *ff* Horn Solo

T. Sx. *ff*

B. Sx. *f*

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B♭ Tpt. 1 *f*

B♭ Tpt. 2 *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 3 *f*

Hn. 1 2 , bells up a 2 *ff*

Hn. 3 4 a 2 bells up yearning *ff*

Tbn. 1 *f*

Tbn. 2 *ff*

B. Tbn. *f*

Euph. *f*

Tuba *f*

D.B. *f*

Tim. *f*

ff

Perc. 1 *f* *p* < *ff* *p* < *ff* *p* < *ff*

Perc. 2 *f*

Perc. 3 *f*

Perc. 4 *f*

brass mallets *f*

Odyssey - Transposed Score

15

K *accel.*

ca 115 *molto rit.*

ca 80

L

The score consists of two systems of music. The first system (measures 115-80) includes staves for Choir, Picc., Fl. 1 (poco animato), Fl. 2 (poco animato), Ob. (poco animato), E. Hn. (mf poco animato), Bsns. (Unis. mf), Bb Cl. 1 (poco animato), Bb Cl. 2 (poco animato), Bb Cl. 3 (poco animato), B. Cl. (mf), A. Sx. 1 (mf poco animato), A. Sx. 2 (mf poco animato), T. Sx. (mf poco animato), B. Sx. (mf), Bb Tpt. 1, Bb Tpt. 2, Bb Tpt. 3, Hn. 1 2, Hn. 3 4, Tbn. 1 (mf), Tbn. 2 (mf), B. Tbn., Euph. (mf), Tuba, D.B. (mf), Timp., Perc. 1, Perc. 2, Perc. 3 (Marimba, yarn mallets, mf poco animato), and Perc. 4. The second system (measures 80-?) continues with similar instrumentation, featuring dynamic markings such as ff, f, mp, p, and crescendos. A large diagonal watermark 'For Perusal Only' is overlaid across the page.

Odyssey - Transposed Score

molto rit.

Odyssey - Transposed Score

M Energetic! ♩ = 175 3, 3, 2, 2 Pulse**N**

Choir {

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc.

Perc. 4

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Odyssey - Transposed Score

197

Melody for reference pitch

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F# to G

Eb to E

Choir

Picc.

Fl.1

Fl.2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

Bb Cl.1

Bb Cl.2

Bb Cl.3

B. Cl.

A. Sx.1

A. Sx.2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

Bb Tpt.1

Bb Tpt.2

Bb Tpt.3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn.1

Tbn.2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Div. f

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Perc.1

Perc.2

Perc.3

Perc.4

Odyssey - Transposed Score

19

O

209

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

B to C

Odyssey - Transposed Score

P

220

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1, 2

Hn. 3, 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

Odyssey - Transposed Score

21

Q

233 *p*

Choir
Picc.
Fl.1
Fl.2
Ob.
E. Hn.
Bsns.
B♭ Cl.1
B♭ Cl.2
B♭ Cl.3
B. Cl.
A. Sx.1
A. Sx.2
T. Sx.
B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt.1
B♭ Tpt.2
B♭ Tpt.3
Hn. 1
Hn. 3
Tbn. 1
Tbn. 2
B. Tbn.
Euph.
Tuba
D.B.

Timpani
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3
Perc. 4

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G to D

A to G

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23

Odyssey - Transposed Score

R ♩ = ♩

258

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

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Odyssey - Transposed Score

Melody for reference pitch

S

p

268

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

"Ah"

Odyssey - Transposed Score

25

277

T

Choir

Picc.

Fl. 1

Fl. 2

Ob.

E. Hn.

Bsns.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

B. Cl.

A. Sx. 1

A. Sx. 2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

B♭ Tpt. 1

B♭ Tpt. 2

B♭ Tpt. 3

Hn. 1 2

Hn. 3 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

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