

# The American West

## Concert March

David Mruzek

### Instrumentation:

Piccolo - 1  
Flute - 8  
Oboe - 2  
Eb Soprano Clarinet - 1 (not shown on score)  
Bb Clarinet 1 - 4  
Bb Clarinet 2 - 4  
Bb Clarinet 3 - 4  
Eb Alto Clarinet - 1 (not shown on score)  
Bb Bass Clarinet - 1  
Bassoon - 2  
Eb Alto Saxophone 1,2 - 4  
Bb Tenor Saxophone - 2  
Eb Baritone Saxophone - 1  
Bb Trumpet 1 - 2  
Bb Trumpet 2 - 2  
Bb Trumpet 3 - 2  
F Horn 1,2 - 2  
F Horn 3,4 - 2  
Trombone 1,2 - 4  
Trombone 3 - 2  
Baritone - 1  
Baritone Treble Clef - 1  
Tuba - 4  
String Bass - 1  
Bells - 1  
Snare Drum, Bass Drum - 1  
Crash Cymbals - 1

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Saddle up for some fun! Your band members and audience alike will be delighted by this sparkling new concert march which uses the beloved American folksong *Home on the Range* as the trio melody. Full of musical surprises, every player has their time in the spotlight in this cleverly-crafted addition to your next concert program.

*Please contact the composer if you require any further information about this piece or his availability for commissioning new works and appearances.*

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Dr. David Mruzek is Associate Professor of Music and Director of Instrumental Music Activities at Hanover College in southern Indiana. The ensembles under his direction include the Concert Band, College-Community Orchestra, and Jazz Band. He also teaches Music Literature and Wind Band History. He holds a Bachelor of Education (Music) degree from the University of Toledo. Both of his advanced degrees are from Ohio State University, where he served as a teaching assistant in the Music History Department. For his doctoral dissertation on The Warriors of Percy Grainger, Dr. Mruzek was awarded the Grainger Medallion from the International Percy Grainger Society.

Prior to Hanover College, Dr. Mruzek taught at Dodge City Community College (KS), Colby Community College (KS), and Columbus State Community College (OH). In the fall of 2004, Dr. Mruzek was selected as the Outstanding College Music Educator for the Northwest District of the Kansas Music Educators Association.

For eleven years, Dr. Mruzek was a member of the 122nd Army Band of the Ohio Army National Guard, advancing to the rank of sergeant. He served as principal clarinetist and librarian for this ensemble. In 1994, he was awarded the Army Commendation Medal for distinguished service.

Dr. Mruzek is also a composer of original works for concert band, with over thirty works to his credit. His compositions have been performed by numerous ensembles, including the United States Military Academy Band, the Indiana Wind Symphony, the Angelo State University Symphonic Band, and the Ohio State University Concert Band.

Dr. Mruzek is actively involved in the Boy Scouts of America. In July of 2005, 2010, and 2013 he served as the Assistant Band Director for the National Boy Scout Jamboree Band. He looks forward to returning to this position for the 2017 Jamboree. Four of his band compositions were

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$\text{♩} = 120$

2 3 6 7 8 9

Piccolo *f* *mf*

Flute 1,2 *f* *mf*

Oboe *f* *mf*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *f* *mf*

B♭ Clarinet 2,3 *f* *mf* *a2*

B♭ Bass Clarinet *f* *mf*

E♭ Alto Saxophone 1,2 *f* *mf* *a2*

B♭ Tenor Saxophone *f* *mf*

E♭ Baritone Saxophone *f* *mf*

B♭ Trumpet 1 *f* *mf* *div.*

B♭ Trumpet 2 *f* *mf*

B♭ Trumpet 3 *f* *mf*

F Horn 1,2 *f* *mf* *a2*

F Horn 3,4 *f* *mf* *a2*

Trombone 1,2 *f* *mf* *a2*

Trombone 3 *f* *mf*

Baritone Bassoon *f* *mf*

Tuba *f* *mf*

Bells *f* *mf*

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Picc *f* *mf*

Fl *f* *mf*

Ob *f* *mf*

Cl 1 *f* *mf*

Cl 2,3 *f* *mf*

B Cl *f* *mf*

A Sax *f* *mf*

T Sax *f* *mf*

B Sax *f* *mf*

Tpt 1 *f* *mf*

Tpt 2 *f* *mf*

Tpt 3 *f* *mf*

Hn 1,2 *f* *mf*

Hn 3,4 *f* *mf*

Trbn 1,2 *f* *mf*

Trbn 3 *f* *mf*

Bari Bsn *f* *mf*

Tuba *f* *mf*

Bells *f* *mf*

div.

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Picc *f* *ff* *p*

Fl *f* *ff* *p*

Ob *f* *ff* *p*

Cl 1 *f* *ff* *p*

Cl 2,3 *f* *ff* *p*

B Cl *f* *ff* *p*

A Sax *f* *ff* *p*

T Sax *f* *ff* *p*

B Sax *f* *ff* *p*

Tpt 1 *f* *ff* *p*

Tpt 2 *f* *ff* *p*

Tpt 3 *f* *ff* *p*

Hn 1,2 *f* *ff* *p*

Hn 3,4 *f* *ff* *p*

Trbn 1,2 *f* *ff* *p*

Trbn 3 *f* *ff* *p*

Bari Bsn *f* *ff* *p*

Tuba *f* *ff* *p*

Bells *f* *ff* *p*

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This image shows a page from a musical score, likely for a concert band or orchestra. The score is written for multiple instruments, including Piccolo, Flute, Oboe, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2 & 3, Bass Clarinet, Saxophone (Alto, Tenor, Baritone), Trumpet 1, Trumpet 2, Trumpet 3, Horn 1 & 2, Horn 3 & 4, Trombone 1 & 2, Trombone 3, Baritone/Soprano Saxophone, Tuba, and Bells. The music is in 4/4 time and features a variety of rhythmic patterns and dynamics. A large, semi-transparent watermark reading "PREVIEW ONLY" is overlaid across the center of the page. The score includes dynamic markings such as *mf* (mezzo-forte) and *f* (forte). The instruments are arranged in a standard orchestral layout, with woodwinds in the upper staves and brass/percussion in the lower staves.

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Picc *mf* *mp* *div.*

Fl *mf* *mp*

Ob *mf* *mp*

Cl 1 *a2* *mf* *mp*

Cl 2,3 *a2* *mf* *mp*

B Cl *mf*

A Sax *mf* *a2* *mp*

T Sax *mf* *mp*

B Sax *mf*

Tpt 1 *mf* *mp* *div.*

Tpt 2 *mf* *mp*

Tpt 3 *mf* *mp*

Hn 1,2 *mf*

Hn 3,4 *mf*

Trbn 1,2 *a2* *mf* *mp*

Trbn 3 *mf* *mp*

Bari Bsn *mf*

Tuba *mf* *mp*

Bells



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Picc

Fl

Ob

Cl 1

Cl 2,3

B Cl

A Sax

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Tpt 3

Hn 1,2

Hn 3,4

Trbn 1,2

Trbn 3

Bari Bsn

Tuba

Bells

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Picc

Fl

Ob

Cl 1

Cl 2,3

B Cl

A Sax

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Tpt 3

Hn 1,2

Hn 3,4

Trbn 1,2

Trbn 3

Bari  
Bsn

Tuba

Bells

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This image shows a page from a musical score, likely for a symphony or concert band. The score is written for a large ensemble, including the following instruments:

- Picc (Piccolo)
- Fl (Flute)
- Ob (Oboe)
- Cl 1 (Clarinet 1)
- Cl 2,3 (Clarinet 2 and 3)
- B Cl (Bass Clarinet)
- A Sax (Alto Saxophone)
- T Sax (Tenor Saxophone)
- B Sax (Baritone Saxophone)
- Tpt 1 (Trumpet 1)
- Tpt 2 (Trumpet 2)
- Tpt 3 (Trumpet 3)
- Hn 1,2 (Horn 1 and 2)
- Hn 3,4 (Horn 3 and 4)
- Trbn 1,2 (Trombone 1 and 2)
- Trbn 3 (Trombone 3)
- Bari Bsn (Baritone/Soprano)
- Tuba
- Bells

The score is written in 4/4 time and features various dynamic markings such as *f* (forte), *mf* (mezzo-forte), and *div.* (divisi). A large, semi-transparent watermark reading "PREVIEW ONLY" is overlaid across the center of the page.

78 79 80 81 82 83 84 85 86

Picc *tr* *ff* *f*

Fl *tr* *ff* *f*

Ob *tr* *ff* *f*

Cl 1 *ff* *f*

Cl 2,3 *ff* *a2* *p*

B Cl *ff* *p*

A Sax *ff* *p*

T Sax *ff* *p*

B Sax *ff* *p*

Tpt 1 *ff* *p*

Tpt 2 *ff* *p*

Tpt 3 *ff* *p*

Hn 1,2 *ff* *p*

Hn 3,4 *ff* *p*

Trbn 1,2 *ff* *p*

Trbn 3 *ff* *p*

Bari Bsn *ff* *p*

Tuba *ff* *p*

Bells *ff* *p*

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87 88 89 90 91 92 93 94 95

Picc

Fl

Ob

Cl 1

Cl 2,3

B Cl

A Sax

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Tpt 3

Hn 1,2

Hn 3,4

Trbn 1,2

Trbn 3

Bari Bsn

Tuba

Bells

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123

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Picc *f* *mf*

Fl *f* *mf*

Ob *f* *mf*

Cl 1 *f* *mf*

Cl 2,3 *f* *mf* a2

B Cl *f*

A Sax *f* *mf*

T Sax *f*

B Sax *f*

Tpt 1 *f* *mf*

Tpt 2 *f* *mf*

Tpt 3 *f* *mf*

Hn 1,2 *f*

Hn 3,4 *f*

Trbn 1,2 *f*

Trbn 3 *f*

Bari Bsn *f*

Tuba *f*

Bells *f*

132 133 134 135 136 137 138 139 140

Picc *ff* *f*

Fl *ff* *f*

Ob *ff* *f*

Cl 1 *ff* *f*

Cl 2,3 *ff* *f*

B Cl *ff* *f*

A Sax *ff* *f*

T Sax *ff* *f*

B Sax *ff* *f*

Tpt 1 *ff* *f*

Tpt 2 *ff* *f*

Tpt 3 *ff* *f*

Hn 1,2 *ff* *f*

Hn 3,4 *ff* *f*

Trbn 1,2 *ff* *f*

Trbn 3 *ff* *f*

Bari Bsn *ff* *f*

Tuba *ff* *f*

Bells *ff* *f*

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141 142 143 144 145 146 147 148 149

Picc

Fl

Ob

Cl 1

Cl 2,3

B Cl

A Sax

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Tpt 3

Hn 1,2

Hn 3,4

Trbn 1,2

Trbn 3

Bari  
Bsn

Tuba

Bells

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Picc

Fl

Ob

Cl 1

Cl 2,3

B Cl

A Sax

T Sax

B Sax

Tpt 1

Tpt 2

Tpt 3

Hn 1,2

Hn 3,4

Trbn 1,2

Trbn 3

Bari

Bsn

Tuba

Bells

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