

2009 Matrix Concert Band New CD

1. Intro

2. Rise of the Crystal Moon (NEW)

by Dallas Burke

MCB072 \$ 55 Easy

Concert-Contest Music

Opening with an ominous, brooding statement, the tempo quickly accelerates on this playable concert work. Every section gets a chance to weave the theme thru this inventive chart.

3. Dracula's Tango (NEW)

by Jim Territo

MCB067 \$55 Easy

Lighter Selections

This tango is extremely playable and features too of your best students.....screaming! This chart is the perfect choice to provide a lighter moment in your next concert.

4. Gravitas

by Dallas Burke

MCB046 \$55 Easy

Concert-Contest Music

This exciting concert opener uses the timpani and concert toms to create a driving opening statement. A stunning middle section leads into a dramatic recap of the opening theme as it continually evolves to a powerful close.

5. A Knight's Oath (NEW)

by Jim Territo

MCB058 \$55 Easy

Concert-Contest Music

This kingly majestic piece is a great way to introduce students to 6/8 time.

6. Mystic Garden

by Rob Grice

MCB013 \$ 50

Easy

Concert-Contest Music

Here's a lyric piece for young players that appeals at several levels. You'll enjoy the opportunity to teach a melodic selection that's in 3/4 with its flowing lilt and tuneful melody. Also included in the clarinet parts are some low-register passages that will enhance their sound as they display the warm, rich tone quality.

7. Emerald Horizons (NEW)

by Dallas Burke

MCB068 \$60

Medium Easy

Concert-Contest Music

The stirring opening conjures up scenes of a ship reaching a long awaited shore for the first time and evolves into the joy of discovering new uncharted territories.

8. Chaconne for Band (NEW)

by Jim Mahaffey

MCB064 \$55

Easy

Concert-Contest Music

Jim Mahaffey's original chaconne.

9. At The Races (Gallop) (NEW)

by Andrew C. Fox

MCB060 \$60

Medium Easy

Concert Marches

This lively original march really moves.....at a gallop.

10. Choral Prelude (Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence) (NEW)

arr. Jim Mahaffey

MCB063 \$60 Medium Easy

Concert-Contest Music

A stirring setting of the 17th century French carol, this arrangement is truly eloquent.

11. Walking Tune (NEW)

by Jim Mahaffey

MCB075 \$60 Medium Easy

Concert-Contest Music

This original composition is reminiscent of strolling thru a lush countryside on a cool fall day. You'll enjoy the nice relaxed pace of this tune from the catchy opening statement all the way to the end.

12. Commencement Processional (NEW)

by Andrew C. Fox

MCB066 \$60 Medium Easy

Graduation

This stately majestic march works well for graduation, visiting heads of state or as a concert selection. Plenty of fanfares announce the arrival of someone important before a kingly procession-like theme is introduced.

13. A Spirit Unconquered (NEW)

by Dallas Burke

MCB059 \$70 Medium Easy

Concert-Contest Music

After a dark and brooding opening, this original piece quickly moves to an up-tempo drama filled with hope and expectation as it continues building to an exciting finish.

14. The Prophecy (NEW)

by Dallas Burke

MCB071 \$90

Medium Advanced

Concert-Contest Music

This contemporary original work unfolds in four dramatic movements titled "I. The Conqueror", "II. The Devastation of War", "III. The Hungry Soul" and "IV. The Downfall of the Profane".

15. Palmyra: Chorale and March (NEW)

by Dallas Burke

MCB070 \$55

Very Easy

Concert-Contest Music

Just right for younger groups, this original work offers great opportunities to study lyrical playing before moving into a medium tempo march to change up the styles. Featuring limited ranges and scored for young band success, this chart works well for beginner or intermediate bands of all sizes.

16. Rose City Festival (NEW)

by Dallas Burke

MCB073 \$50

Very Easy

Concert-Contest Music

Scored for beginning bands, this original medium tempo work is perfect for first concerts.

17. Gaudeamus (NEW)

by Jim Territo

MCB069 \$55

Easy

Concert-Contest Music

This triumphant original work paints a picture of elegant kings of lore.

18. Emerald Coast Overture

by Dallas Burke

MCB044 \$50

Very Easy

Concert-Contest Music

Using only the first six notes of the Bb concert scale and limiting rhythms to quarter notes and eighth notes, this piece is a great choice for any beginning, middle school or younger bands first concert.

19. A Christmas Prelude (NEW)

arr. Dallas Burke

MCB065 \$60

Medium Easy

Christmas and Hanukah Music

The perfect opening to any Christmas Concert, this arrangement majestically weaves thru many holiday favorites.

20. The Angels of Christmas

arr. Dallas Burke

MCB052 \$55

Easy

Christmas and Hanukah Music

This holiday concert tune rocks! A rockin' intro leads into a classic portrayal of "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" followed by a groovin' rendition of "Angels We Have Heard on High".

21. Three Welsh Chorales for Young Band (NEW)

arr. Keith Terrett

MCB074 \$55

Easy

Warm Ups

This very playable package of chorales includes "All Through the Night", "Hyfrydol" and "Cwm Rhondda" and provides a great way to warm up young to intermediate bands. All of the chorales are scored to incorporate percussion.

22. Basic Training (12 Major Scales and Drum Rudiments) (NEW)

by Dallas Burke

MCB061 \$55

Medium Easy

Warm Ups

All twelve major scales and arpeggios in sequential order combined with basic to intermediate snare drum rudiments. You'll be ready for all-state tryouts with the entire band.

23. Building Blocks (4 Scales and Etudes to Develop Musicianship) (NEW)

by Dallas Burke

MCB062 \$55

Easy

Warm Ups

This chart includes scales, arpeggios, interval studies, melodic etudes and a chorale for each of the keys of Bb, Eb, F and Ab. Works well to get younger groups playing confidently in the four most frequently used band keys.