

Conductor's Score

(Revised 1/10/23)

Liberty for All

*Dedicated to the Carmel Symphony
in memory of Musician and Arts Director, Fran Shoup*

*For Symphony Orchestra
And Narrator*

By

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Text to "Liberty for All"

Opening Speech to "Liberty for All"

"Give me liberty or give me death." Words from Patrick Henry that sparked a revolution. "Liberty" is the foundation of our great nation. **"We the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessing of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution of the United States of America."** **"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness."**

Second Speech to "Liberty for All"

"Liberty will look easy by and by when nobody dies to get it." These words from George Washington at Valley Forge remind us that we must never forget those who have paid the ultimate price for our unalienable right of liberty. A letter from Abraham Lincoln to a bereaved mother who had lost her five sons to the Civil War speaks the conscience of a nation. **"I feel how weak and fruitless must be any word of mine which should attempt to beguile you from the grief of a loss so overwhelming. But I cannot refrain from tendering you the consolation that may be found in the thanks of the Republic they died to save."**

I pray that our Heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of your bereavement, and leave you only the cherished memory of the loved and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom."

Third Speech to "Liberty for All"

The fight for liberty is an ongoing battle. John F. Kennedy so eloquently challenges a new generation to carry on the torch of freedom in his Inaugural address. These words are as meaningful today as they were in 1961.

**"We observe today not a victory of party but a celebration of freedom,
And yet the same revolutionary beliefs for which our forebears fought are still at issue around the globe - the belief that the rights of man come not from the generosity of the state but from the hand of God.**

**We dare not forget today that we are the heirs of that first Revolution,.....
proud of our ancient heritage, and unwilling to witness or permit the slow undoing of those human rights to which the nation has always been committed. Let every nation know, whether it wishes us well or ill, that we shall pay any price, bear any burden, meet any hardship, support any friend, oppose any foe to assure the survival and success of liberty.
This much we pledge - and more.**

.....And so, my fellow Americans, ask not what your country can do for you - ask what you can do for your country. My fellow citizens of the world, ask not what America will do for you, but what together we can do for the freedom of man."

Final Speech to "Liberty for All"

**"My country 'tis of thee,.....
Sweet land of liberty,.....
Of thee I sing.....
Land where my fathers died,....
Land of the Pilgrims' pride,.....
From every mountainside let freedom Ring."**

Orchestration for "Liberty for All"

2 Flutes
1 Piccolo
2 Oboe
2 Bb Clarinets
1 Bb Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
1 Harp
(Optional) Piano & Celesta

4 Horns in F
3 Trumpets in C
3 Trombones
1 Tuba
1 Timpani
4 Percussion
(4th Percussion is optional)
Narrator

Violin I
Violin II
Viola
Cello
Bass

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"Liberty for All" was commissioned through the Carmel Symphony, David Bowden Music Director. This work was co-premiered by the Carmel and Indianapolis Symphonies in dedication to the memory of Musician and Arts Director, Fran Shoup.

Note to Conductor

All narrations to this work are to be cued by the conductor. Please note the optional repeat, i.e. vamp bar, at the end of the 1st and 3rd speech, measures 38 and 193. These measures can be used to co-ordinate the speaker with the music of the orchestra. The 2nd speech, beginning in measure 126, has no such optional vamp bar. The length of this music is slightly longer than needed for the normal reading of this text so as to avoid the necessity of a repeated vamp bar. If the speaker does take too long to read this 2nd speech, the tempo of the music can be slowed to accommodate the reader. In the timing of the 1st and 3rd speeches, it is okay if the final word of both speeches goes into the first bar of letter **D** and letter **S** rather than end too early within the vamp bars. It is further recommended that the 4th speech, which begins in measure 205, be timed by the narrator so that the orchestra plays these repeated bars from measure 205 through measure 214 only twice, i.e. repeated once. If performing work without Piano & Harp cut measures 161 to 165.

When using the (optional) video or recording of Kennedy delivering his inaugural address which is measure 172 to 193, please note that measure 191 to 192 will need to be repeated once. If using the live narrator for this speech these two bars are not to be repeated. President Kennedy originally spoke slower than the normal narrator would speak in his inaugural address. The exact length of the Kennedy video is 1 minute and 41 seconds. Using the the repeat at measure 191 & 192 once and repeating the optional vamp bar once (if needed) at measure 193 will perfectly time to that recorded speech at the marked tempo.

In performances outside many orchestras have fired three firework shells that are Red, White, and Blue on the word "Ring" in measure 223. This has been extremely effective in live performances and is highly recommended by the composer when possible.

A synthesized CD will accompany the copy of text to "Liberty for All," so any narrator can practice the timing of these final words from measure 205 to the end. This 4th and final speech should be read very dramatically. All other text, except the opening sentence of the 1st speech, should be read without over-dramatization. Please note that letter **P** is a simple **A Tempo**. Allowing this six-measure phrase to slow down too much is less effective.

Performance Duration 12 minutes

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Andante maestoso ($\downarrow = \text{circa } 60$)

Flute 1&2

Piccolo

Oboe 1&2

B \flat Clarinet 1&2

B \flat Bass Clarinet

Bassoon 1&2

F Horn 1&2 3&4

C Trumpet 1,2 &3

Trombone 1&2

3rd Trombone & Tuba

Timpani

Percussion 1

Percussion 2

Percussion 3

Percussion 4

Optional Harp

Optional Piano & Celeste

Solo [3] **ff** hard mallets - consider wood **Tam-tam** **piu f** let ring (Always use a gradual feather dampen on Tam Tam)

*(In Timpani dampen high F & Eb, let low F & Bb Ring)

ff (Use hard sticks with bass drum on its side) **p**

Andante maestoso ($\downarrow = \text{circa } 60$)

Violin 1

Violin 2

Viola

Cello

Contrabass

Musical score page 6, measures 10 to 13. The score includes parts for Flute 1&2, Picc., Oboe 1&2, Bassoon 1&2, Bassoon Cl., Bass Trombone 1&2, Bassoon 1&2, French Horn 1&2 3&4, Trombone 1,2 &3, Trombone 1&2, 3rd Trombone & Tuba, Timpani, Percussion 1, Percussion 2, Percussion 3, Percussion 4, Opt. Harp, Violin 1, Violin 2, Cello, and Double Bass.

The score features a large diagonal watermark reading "Becquerel Music".

Measure 10:

- Fl. 1&2: Rest
- Picc.: Rest
- Ob. 1&2: 3, 4
- B♭ Cl. 1&2: Rest
- B♭ Bass Cl.: Rest
- Bn. 1&2: 3, 4
- F Hn. 1&2 3&4: 4, molto sostenuto
- C Trp. 1,2 &3: Rest
- Trb. 1&2: Rest
- 3rd Trb. & Tuba: 3, 4
- Timpani: 4
- Perc. 1: Rest
- Perc. 2: Rest
- Perc. 3: Rest
- Perc. 4: Rest
- Opt. Harp: 3, mp
- Vln. 1: Rest
- Vln. 2: 3, 4
- Vla.: Rest
- Vcl.: Rest
- Cb.: Rest

Measure 11:

- Fl. 1&2: 4, mf
- Picc.: Rest
- Ob. 1&2: 4, mf
- B♭ Cl. 1&2: 3, 4, mf
- B♭ Bass Cl.: 3, 4, mf
- Bn. 1&2: 3, 4, mf
- F Hn. 1&2 3&4: 4, molto sostenuto
- C Trp. 1,2 &3: 4, molto sostenuto
- Trb. 1&2: 4, mf
- 3rd Trb. & Tuba: 4, mf
- Timpani: ff
- Perc. 1: Tam-tam
- Perc. 2: Snare Drum
- Perc. 3: Sus. Cym.
- Perc. 4: Bass Dr.
- Opt. Harp: 4, ff
- Vln. 1: Rest
- Vln. 2: 4, mf
- Vla.: Rest
- Vcl.: Rest
- Cb.: Rest

Measure 12:

- Fl. 1&2: Rest
- Picc.: Rest
- Ob. 1&2: Rest
- B♭ Cl. 1&2: Rest
- B♭ Bass Cl.: Rest
- Bn. 1&2: Rest
- F Hn. 1&2 3&4: Rest
- C Trp. 1,2 &3: Rest
- Trb. 1&2: Rest
- 3rd Trb. & Tuba: Rest
- Timpani: Rest
- Perc. 1: let ring
- Perc. 2: f
- Perc. 3: let ring
- Perc. 4: dampen
- Opt. Harp: Rest
- Vln. 1: Rest
- Vln. 2: Rest
- Vla.: Rest
- Vcl.: Rest
- Cb.: Rest

Measure 13:

- Fl. 1&2: Rest
- Picc.: Rest
- Ob. 1&2: Rest
- B♭ Cl. 1&2: Rest
- B♭ Bass Cl.: Rest
- Bn. 1&2: Rest
- F Hn. 1&2 3&4: Rest
- C Trp. 1,2 &3: Rest
- Trb. 1&2: Rest
- 3rd Trb. & Tuba: Rest
- Timpani: Rest
- Perc. 1: Rest
- Perc. 2: Rest
- Perc. 3: Rest
- Perc. 4: Rest
- Opt. Harp: Rest
- Vln. 1: Rest
- Vln. 2: Rest
- Vla.: Rest
- Vcl.: Rest
- Cb.: Rest

(3+2) ▲ | B

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
F Hn. 1&2 3&4
C Trp. 1,2 &3
Trb. 1&2
3rd Trb. & Tuba
Tim.
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3
Perc. 4
Opt. Harp
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

B

a4 *ff* *mf* *f* *ff*

ff sostenuto nobile

let ring

Tam-tam

Snare Drum *ff*

Sus. Cym. Roll Soft Mallets *let ring*

Bass Dr.

dampen

Bb Major Gliss.

mf *ff*

V

f *sfz/mp* *f* *ff*

f *sfz/mp* *f* *ff*

f *f* *f*

14 *15* *16* *17*

C

Fl. 1&2 fff f pp p

Picc. fff f pp

Ob. 1&2 fff f p

B♭ Cl. 1&2 fff f p

B♭ Bass Cl. fff f p

Bn. 1&2 A fff f p

F Hn. 1&2 3&4 fff f p

C Trp. 1,2 &3 fff

Trb. 1&2 fff

3rd Trb. & Tuba fff

Narration Enters

"Give me liberty or give me death."

Narration

Words from Patrick Henry that
sparked a revolution.

Tim. let ring p pp

Perc. 1 Tam-tam let ring

Perc. 2 Snare Drum mf niente

Perc. 3 Piatti fff let ring Sus. Cym. let ring

Perc. 4 Bass Dr. p felt mallet

Opt. Harp fff f mf mp p

Opt. Piano fff f mf mp p

Vln. 1 fff f pp

Vln. 2 fff f pp

Vla. fff f pp

Vcl. A fff mf p mf col legno battuto

Cb. A (Play lower note unless you don't have C extension) fff mf p mf col legno battuto

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2

Solo *mp dolce* *p* *mp*

"Liberty," is the foundation of our great nation. "We the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and

Narration

Timp.
Perc. 2
Opt. Harp
Opt. Piano
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

niente

p

Pizz. *pp* *Pizz.*

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2

secure the blessing of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution of the United States of America. "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable Rights,

Narration

Perc. 2
Perc. 4
Opt. Harp
Opt. Piano
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

Snare Drum
Bass Dr.

[Optional Repeat as needed]

D

Fl. 1&2 *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* sostenuto nobile *mf*

Picc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *mf* *f* *ff*

Ob. 1&2 *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* sostenuto nobile *mf*

B♭ Cl. 1&2 *mf* *ff* *mf* *f* *ff*

B♭ Bass Cl. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *mf*

Bn. 1&2 *a2* *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *ff* ♦ *ff*

F Hn. 1&2 3&4 *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *mf* *f* *ff*

C Trp. 1,2 &3 *ff* sostenuto nobile *mf*

Trb. 1&2 *ff* sostenuto nobile *mf*

3rd Trb. & Tuba *ff*

Narration

*that among these are Life,
Liberty, and the pursuit of* **Happiness!"**

Tim. *let ring*

(Play Sus. Cym. Last Time Only) Sus. Cym. Roll Soft Mallets *ff*

Perc. 1 *let ring* Tam-tam

Snare Drum *mp* *f* *f*

Perc. 2 *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)

Perc. 3 Piatti *let ring*

Bass Dr.

Perc. 4 *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *f*

(Play Gliss. Last Time Only) A minor Gliss. (with C#)

Opt. Harp *ff* *f*

Opt. Piano *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff*

[Optional Repeat as needed]

D

Vln. 1 *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *ff* *mf* *f* *ff*

Vln. 2 *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *ff* *mf* *f* *ff*

Vla. *p* *p*

Vcl. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *mf* *sfz/* *mp*

Cb. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *mf* *sfz/* *mp*

mf (molto cresc. last time thru) *ff* *mf*

Fl. 1&2 ff 3 4 ff/f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Picc. ff 3 4 ff grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Ob. 1&2 ff 3 4 ff grad. cresc. 3+3+2

B♭ Cl. 1&2 ff 3 4 ff grad. cresc. 3+3+2

B♭ Bass Cl. sfz/mp 3 4 f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Bn. 1&2 sfz/mp 3 4 f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

F Hn. 1&2 ff 3 4 ff grad. cresc. 3+3+2

C Trp. 1,2 &3 ff 3 4 ff/f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Trb. 1&2 ff 3 4 f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

3rd Trb. & Tuba sfz/mp 3 4 f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Tim. ff 3 4 (p) let ring f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Tam-tam

Perc. 1 Snare Drum f grad. cresc. dampen

Perc. 2 Piatti p<ff p<ff p<ff p<ff

Perc. 3 let ring f grad. cresc.

Perc. 4 Bass Dr. let ring f grad. cresc.

Opt. Harp ff 3 4 f B♭ Major Gliss. with G 3+3+2

Opt. Piano ff 3 4 grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Vln. 1 ff 3 4 div. ff grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Vln. 2 ff 3 4 ff grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Vla. 3 4 f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Vcl. 3 4 f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

Cb. 3 4 f grad. cresc. 3+3+2

14

Allegro giusto ($\text{♩} = 276$)

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

C Trp. 1,2
&3

(2nd Trp. has lead)

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb.
& Tuba

Timp.

dampen

ff

Snare Drum

Piatti

choke cym.

Bass Dr.

(When using only 3 percussion,
Perc. 3 plays Bass Dr. here.)

ff dampen

ff

Opt. Harp

Opt. Piano

Allegro giusto ($\text{♩} = 276$)

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

ff

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

C Trp. 1,2
&3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb.
& Tuba

Tim.

Perc. 2

Bass Dr.

dampen

Opt Piano

Snare Drum

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

16

* Eighth note remains constant between $\frac{3+3+2}{4}$ and $\frac{4}{4}$ throughout piece

(E)

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2

F Hn. 3&4

C Trp. 1,2 &3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb. & Tuba

Tim.

Perc. 2

Perc. 4

Opt Piano

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

fff cantabile

f marcato

f marcato

mf

Snare Drum

subito mf

Bass Dr.

dampen

f

fff cantabile

fff cantabile

fff cantabile

fff cantabile

fff

54 55 56 57 58 59

F

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2

F Hn. 3&4

C Trp. 1,2 &3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb. & Tuba

Tim.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

C Trp. 1,2 &3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb. & Tuba

Perc. 1

Glock.

Snare Drum

Perc. 2

Opt Piano

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

G

Fl. 1&2 *piu f / mp* *ala bell tones*

Picc. *mp* *ala bell tones*

Ob. 1&2 *f / mp* *ala bell tones*

B♭ Cl. 1&2 *f / mp* *ala bell tones*

Bass Cl. *f*

Bn. 1&2 *a3*

C Trp. 1,2 &3 *piu f / mp* *> p*

Trb. 1&2 *piu f / mp* *> p*

3rd Trb. & Tuba *piu f / mp* *> p*

Perc. 1 *Glock.* *mp*

Perc. 2 *p*

Perc. 3 *Triangle* *let ring*

Opt. Harp *mp* *simile*

Opt. Piano *Soli* *piu f leggiero*

Vln. 1 *G*

Vln. 2 *Soli* *piu f leggiero*

Vla. *f cantabile*

Vcl. *f cantabile*

Cb.

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
F Hn. 1&2
3&4
C Trp. 1,2
&3
Trb. 1&2
3rd Trb.
& Tuba
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3
Opt. Harp
Opt Piano
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

I (♩=♩)

ffff p
ffff subto p
ffff p
ffff
ffff
Rip Rip
a2
a2
a2
Xylophone
Snare Drum
Glock.
Triangle
let ring
p simile
p
ffff
ffff
ffff
ffff

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass. Cl.

F Hn. 1&2

F Hn. 3&4

C Trp. 1,2 &3

Perc. 1

Perc. 3

Opt. Harp

Opt. Piano

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

simile

p

simile

simile

mp

(mp)

mp

mp

(mp)

mp

(mp)

mp

mf lyrical with no vibrato

Glock.

Triangle

Solo (1st Trp.)

mp

8va

mp

Pizz.

mp

Pizz.

mp

Pizz.

mp

Pizz.

mp

Pizz.

88

89

90

91

92

93

Fl. 1&2 grad. cresc. f sfz / mp 3+3+2
 Picc. grad. cresc. f 3
 Ob. 1&2 grad. cresc. f sfz / mp 3+3+2
 B♭ Cl. 1&2 grad. cresc. f 3
 B♭ Bass Cl. grad. cresc. f 3+3+2
 Bn. 1&2 mp grad. cresc. 3+3+2
 F Hn. 1&2 grad. cresc. a2 sfz / mp 3+3+2
 F Hn. 3&4 grad. cresc. a2 sfz / mp 3+3+2
 C Trp. 1,2 &3 f sfz / mp sfz / mp 3+3+2
 Trb. 1&2 a2 f 3+3+2
 Perc. 1 Glock. grad. cresc. mf 3
 Perc. 2 grad. cresc. Snare Drum
 Perc. 3 grad. cresc. Sus. Cym. Roll Soft Mallets
 Perc. 4 grad. cresc. Bass Dr.
 Opt. Harp (8va) loco B♭ Major Gliss. with G♭ 3+3+2
 Opt. Piano grad. cresc. mf Sus. Ped. 3+3+2
 Vln. 1 Pizz. Arco div. 3
 Vln. 2 Pizz. Arco div. 3 Arco 3+3+2
 Vla. Pizz. Pizz. Arco mf 3+3+2
 Vcl. Pizz. Arco grad. cresc. mf
 Cb. Arco grad. cresc. 3+3+2

mp grad. cresc. 94 95 96 97 98 99

(♩ = ♩) K

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
Bassoon 1&2
Bassoon Bass Cl.
Bassoon 1&2
F Hn. 1&2 3&4
C Trp. 1,2 &3
Trb. 1&2
3rd Trb. & Tuba
Timp.
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3
Perc. 4
Opt. Harp
Opt. Piano
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

a2 *f*

a2 *f*

a4 *f*

subito mf

subito mf

subito mf

mf hard sticks - consider wood

Xylophone

ff

Snare Drum

subito mf

Sus. Cym. ** let ring*

Bass Dr. *f*

f *let ring*

ff

K

> *f*

> *f*

> *f*

> *f*

104 105 106 107 108

poco rit.....

Fl. 1&2 *a2*

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2 *a2*

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2 3&4 *a4*

C Trp. 1,2 &3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb. & Tuba

Tim.

Xylophone

Perc. 1

Snare Drum

Perc. 2

Perc. 4 *Bass Drum let ring*

Opt. Harp

Opt Piano

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

3⁺3⁺2
8

3⁺3⁺2
8

3⁺3⁺2
8

poco rit.....

div.

div.

div.

div.

f

A tempo

Fl. 1&2 | △ △ |

Picc. | 3+3+2 *ff*

Ob. 1&2 | 8 *ff*

B♭ Cl. 1&2 | ff

B♭ Bass Cl. | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

Bn. 1&2 | 3+3+2 *ff*

F Hn. 1&2 3&4 | 8 *ff* *a2*

C Trp. 1,2 &3 | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

Trb. 1&2 | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

3rd Trb. & Tuba | 3+3+2 *ff* *a2*

Timpani | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

Perc. 1 | Xylophone | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

Perc. 2 | Snare Drum | > > > > > >

Perc. 3 | Piatti | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

Perc. 4 | Bass Dr. | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

Opt. Harp | 3+3+2 *ff*

Opt. Piano | 8 *ff* ♪

Vln. 1 | *A tempo*

Vln. 2 | 3+3+2 *ff*

Vla. | 8 *ff*

Vcl. | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

Cb. | ♭ ♭ ♭ ♭

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114 115 116 117 118

Andante maestoso ($\text{♩} = \text{circa } 60$)

Fl. 1&2
molto sost.

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

F Hn. 1&2
ff molto sost.

F Hn. 3&4
ff molto sost.

C Trp. 1,2 &3
ff molto sost.

Trb. 1&2
ff molto sost.

3rd Trb. & Tuba
ff molto sost.

Tim.

Perc. 1 Xylophone

Perc. 2 Snare Drum

Perc. 3 Piatti let ring simile Bell Tree

Tam-tam let ring let ring simile

Perc. 4 ff

Opt Piano

Andante maestoso ($\text{♩} = \text{circa } 60$)

Vln. 1
molto sost.

Vln. 2
molto sost.

Vla.
div.

Vcl.
ff molto sost.

Cb.
ff molto sost.

M

Narration

"Liberty will look easy by and by when nobody dies to get it."
Narration Enters → *These words from George Washington at Valley Forge
remind us that we must never*

felt sticks

Tim. *mf* *pp* *niente*

Glock.

Perc. 1 *mf*

Perc. 2 *Snare Drum* *pp* *niente*

Bell Tree *let ring*

Perc. 3 *loco* *mp*

Opt. Harp

M

Vln. 1 *pp*

Vln. 2 *pp*

Vla. *pp*

Vcl. *mf* *pp* *spiccato* *niente* *pizz.* *mp* *pizz.*

Cb. *mf* *pp* *spiccato* *niente* *mp*

125 126 127 128 129

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
F Hn. 1&2
F Hn. 3&4

Solo *mf* *espressivo*
pp Soli with 4th Horn & Violas
p *> pp*
pp Soli with Bass Cl. & Violas
p *> ppp*

forget those who have paid the ultimate price for our unalienable right of Liberty.

Narration

*A letter from Abraham Lincoln to a bereaved mother who had lost her five sons
to the Civil War speaks the conscience of a nation. "I fell how weak and*

Perc. 1
Perc. 3
Opt. Harp
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

Glock.
Mark Tree *let ring*
pp

N
Pizz.
mp Pizz. with vibrato - warm sound
Pizz.
mp Pizz. with vibrato - warm sound
ppp
Arco Solo
mf espressivo
Arco Two Stands Play Arco

Fl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.

p

Narration

fruitless must be any word of mine which should attempt to beguile you from a grief of a loss so overwhelming. But I cannot refrain from tendering you the consolation that may be found in the thanks of the Republic they died to save. I pray

Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

Pizz.
mp pizz. with vibrato - warm sound
tutti Pizz.
mp pizz. with vibrato - warm sound

135 136 137 138 139 140

Fl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.

that our Heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of your bereavement, and leave you only the cherished memory of the loved and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the alter of

Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

div.
Arco
Arco
Arco
(*tutti celli* *p*)
Arco

141 142 143 144 145

*poco accel...***O Piu mosso appassionato ($\text{J} = 65$)**

Fl. 1&2 *a2* *mf* *f dolce* (1st Fl. is only *mf*)

Picc. *ff* *molto espressivo*

Ob. 1&2 *a2* *f* *dolce* (1st Oboe is only *mf*)

B♭ Cl. 1&2 *a2* *f* *dolce* (1st Cl. is only *mf*)

B♭ Bass Cl. *mp* *p* *ff molto espressivo*

Bn. 1&2 *ff molto espressivo*

Narration*freedom.*

Tim. *pp* *f*

Sus. Cym. Roll Soft Mallets

Perc. 3 *pp* *mf*

*poco accel...***O Piu mosso appassionato ($\text{J} = 65$)**

Vln. 1 *On the String* *mf* *ff molto espressivo*

Vln. 2 *mf* *ff molto espressivo*

Vla. *mf* *ff molto espressivo*

Vcl. *mp* *p* *ff molto espressivo*

Cb. *Arco* *mp* *p* *ff molto espressivo*

(with constant forward motion)

Fl. 1&2 < *ff* *f* (1st Fl. is only *mf*)

Picc.

Ob. 1&2 < *ff* *f* (1st Oboe is only *mf*)

B♭ Cl. 1&2 < *ff* *f* (1st Cl. is only *mf*)

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

Opt. Harp 7 *f* < *piu f*

Opt. Piano *f* *piu f* Ped. Ped. Ped. Ped.

Vln. 1 Violin Solo

Vln. 2 Violin Solo

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

(Hn. 1&3)

(Hn. 2&4)

mf molto espressivo

C Trp. 1,2
&3

(Trp. 1&2)

mf molto espressivo

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb.
& Tuba

Glock.

Sus. Cym. Roll Soft Mallets

f let ring

p << *mf* << *p* <<

Opt. Harp

Opt Piano

(To Celeste)

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

(Hn. 2&4)

C Trp. 1,2
&3

(Trp. 1&2)

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb.
& Tuba

Glock.

Perc. 1

Sus. Cym.

let ring

Perc. 3

f

p

piu f

p

ff

(dampen cym. by downbeat of next measure)

Perc. 4

Tam-tam

let ring

mf

(dampen gong by downbeat of next measure)

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

* (If performing this work without optional Piano and Harp cut from the end of 160 to the beginning of measure 166.)

poco rit.....

P A tempo ($\text{J} = 60$)

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
F Hn. 1&2 3&4
C Trp. 1,2 &3
Trb. 1&2 &3
Tim. *p* *pp* **Glock.** *mp* *(Play Glock. only in absence of Celesta)*

Perc. 1 *(Play Glock. only in absence of Celesta)*
Perc. 2
Perc. 4

Opt. Harp *(Harmonic sounds 8va higher than written)*
Opt. Celeste *(Celesta)* *mp* *(If celeste is not used, tacet letter P on piano. Letter P should be then played on Glockenspiel.)*

Vln. 1 *sul tasto*
Vln. 2 *div. Pizz.*
Vla. *mf div. Pizz.*
Vcl. *mf div. Pizz.*
Cb. *mf div. Pizz.*

P A tempo ($\text{J} = 60$)

Non Tremolo

160 161 162 163



poco rit.

Tim. *(If playing cues for Celeste play these two measures on Glock.)*

Perc. 1 *Tuned Crotales* *Play* *p* *Soli with Triangle Solo*

Perc. 3 *Triangle* *p* *(When using only 3 percussion. Perc. 2 plays Mark Tree here.)* *let ring*

Perc. 4 *p* *let ring* *simile* *pp*

Opt. Harp

Opt. Celeste

Vln. 1 *(Back to Piano)* *poco rit.*

Vcl.

Cb.

164 165 166

Q Poco meno ($\text{♩} = \text{circa } 57$)

Fl. 1&2 *p*

Picc.

Ob. 1&2 *p*

B♭ Cl. 1&2 *p*

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

Narration Enters

The fight for liberty is an ongoing battle. John F. Kennedy so eloquently challenges a new generation to carry on the torch of freedom in his inaugural address. These words are as meaningful today as they were in 1961....

Tim.

Q Poco meno ($\text{♩} = \text{circa } 57$)

Vcl. *Pizz.*

Cb.

167

168

169

170

171

38 * (When using President Kennedy's Video or Vocal Recording, start video/recording here. Narrator, in consequence, does not read the inaugural address.)

Fl. 1&2

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2

F Hn. 3&4

Solo

mf dolce

Solo

mf dolce

"We observe today not a victory of party, but a celebration of freedom....

Narration

And yet the same revolutionary beliefs for which our forebears fought are still at issue around the globe.- the belief that the rights of man

Tim.

pp

Q1

Pizz.

Vla.

pp

Pizz.

Vcl.

pp

Pizz.

Cb.

172 173 *pp* 174 175 176

come not from the generosity of the state but from the hand of God. We dare

Narration

not forget today that we are the heirs of that first Revolution, proud of our ancient heritage, and unwilling to witness or permit the slow undoing

Tim.

(Pizz.)

Vla.

(Pizz.)

Vcl.

(Pizz.)

Cb.

177 178 179 180 181

R

Fl. 1&2
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
F Hn. 1&2
F Hn. 3&4

religioso
mf ————— *mp* ————— *niente*
religioso
mf ————— *mp* ————— *niente*
religioso
mp ————— *mf* ————— *niente* *mp* < *mf* > *p*
religioso
mp ————— *mf* ————— *niente* *mp* < *mf* > *p*
religioso
mp ————— *mf* ————— *niente*
poco f ————— *pp*
mf ————— *poco f* ————— *pp*

of those human rights to which this nation has always been committed.

*Let every nation know, whether it wishes us well or ill, that we shall
pay any price,*

Narration

Tim. *pizz.*
Perc. 3 *triangle* *let ring*
Opt. Harp *pp* *let ring*

R

Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

pizz.
pp ————— *p*
pizz.
pp ————— *p*
pizz.
pizz.
p

Fl. 1&2 *pp*

Picc. *mp* — *mf* — *pp*
niente *p*

Ob. 1&2 *p*

B♭ Cl. 1&2 *mf* — *p*
mp — *mf* — *pp*

B♭ Bass Cl. *mf* — *p*

Bn. 1&2 *p*

Perc. 2 *Snare Drum* *pp*

*bear any burden, meet any hardship, support any friend, oppose any foe
to assure the survival and success of Liberty. This much we pledge -
and more. . And so, my fellow Americans, ask not*

Narration

Opt. Harp

Opt. Piano

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

Arco *div.*
p

Arco *div.*
p

Arco
p

(Repeat m. 190 & 191 only when using Kennedy Video or Recording)

[Optional Repeat as needed]

Fl. 1&2 Picc. Ob. 1&2 B♭ Cl. 1&2 B♭ Bass Cl. Bn. 1&2 Perc. 1 Perc. 2 Perc. 4

mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
Snare Drum *p* *Bass Dr.* *p*

Sus. Cym. Roll Soft Mallets (Play Sus. Cym. Last Time Only) *mp*

mf (molto cresc. last time thru) *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)

what your country can do for you - ask what you can do for your country.

Narration

*My fellow citizens of the world, ask not what America will do for you,
but what together we can do for the freedom of man!"*

Opt. Harp Opt Piano

mp grad. cresc. *f* A Major Gliss.
mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
Piano

(Play Gliss. Last Time Only)

possible poco accel...

(Repeat m. 190 & 191 only when using Kennedy Video or Recording)

[Optional Repeat as needed]

Vln. 1 Vln. 2 Vla. Vcl. Cb.

mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
mp grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
Arco *mp* grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
div. *Arco* *mp* grad. cresc. *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)
tutti *mf* (molto cresc. last time thru)

S Andante maestoso (\downarrow = circa 60)

Fl. 1&2 **ff** sostenuto nobile

Picc. **ff** \geq **mf** **ff** **mf** **ff**

Ob. 1&2 **ff** sostenuto nobile

B♭ Cl. 1&2 **ff** \geq **mf** **ff** **mf** **ff**

B♭ Bass Cl. **ff** \geq **mf** **a2** **ff** \geq **mf** **ff**

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2 3&4 **a4** **ff** **mf** **ff**

C Trp. 1,2 &3 **ff** sostenuto nobile

Trb. 1&2 **ff** sostenuto nobile

3rd Trb. & Tuba

Tim. **ff** let ring
Sus. Cym. let ring
(Play lower notes if Sn. Drum is not available)

Perc. 1

Perc. 2 **f** **Snare Drum**

Perc. 3 **f** **Piatti** let ring

Perc. 4 **f** **Bass Dr.**

Opt. Harp **ff**

Opt. Piano **ff**

S Andante maestoso (\downarrow = circa 60)

Vln. 1 **ff** \geq **mf** **ff** **mf** **ff** **div.**

Vln. 2 **ff** \geq **mf** **ff** **mf** **ff**

Vla. **ff** \geq **mf** **ff** **mf** **ff**

Vcl. **ff** \geq **mf** **ff**

Cb. **ff** \geq **mf** **ff**

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
F Hn. 1&2 3&4
C Trp. 1,2 &3
Trb. 1&2
3rd Trb. & Tuba
Timp.
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3
Perc. 4
Opt. Harp
Opt. Piano
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

ff / mp
ff / mp
ff / mp
ff / mp
mf
mf
ff / mp
ff / mp
mf
mf
Solo
ff
dampen on down beat
Piatti
let ring
simile
Bass Dr.
let ring
simile
(A Major Scale Gliss.)
f
mf
ff / mp
ff / mp
mf
mf
mf

3+328
3+328
3+328
3+328

44

T Allegro giusto ($\text{♪} = 276$)

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
F Hn. 1&2
C Trp. 1,2 &3
Trb. 1&2
3rd Trb. & Tuba
Timp.
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3
Perc. 4
Opt. Harp
Opt. Piano
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

T Allegro giusto ($\text{♪} = 276$)

200 201 202 203

**(It is recommended that you repeat these bars only once as marked, if narrator needs more time, these repeats can be more than once.)*

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
Tim.

2 4 2 4 2 4 2 4

mp
sfp / mp

Narration

*Narration Enters → "My country
'tis of thee*

*sweet land
of Liberty,*

Xylophone

Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3
Perc. 4
Opt Piano
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

2 4 2 4 2 4 2 4

Snare Drum
Piatti
Bass Dr.
dampen
choke cym.
ff dampen
ff
ff
ff
spiccato
mp
spiccato
mp

(It is recommended that you repeat these bars only once as marked, if narrator needs more time, these repeats can be more than once.)

Musical score for measures 46-211. The score includes parts for Flutes 1&2, Picc., Oboes 1&2, Bassoon 1&2, Bassoon 1, Timp., and Narration. The score shows a series of measures with various dynamics and rests. A note at the top right indicates that the first two measures should be repeated once as marked, or more if needed.

Narration

of thee I sing."

Musical score for measures 208-211. The score includes parts for Percussion 1, Percussion 2, Percussion 3, Percussion 4, Opt. Piano, Violin 1, Violin 2, Viola, Cello, Xylophone, Snare Drum, Piatti, Bass Dr., and Opt. Piano. The score shows a series of measures with various dynamics and rests. The narration "of thee I sing." is indicated above the score.

*(*It is recommended that you repeat these bars only once as marked, if narrator needs more time, these repeats can be more than once.)*

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
Tim.

Narration

*"Land where my fathers died,
land of the Pilgrims' pride,*

Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3
Perc. 4
Opt. Piano
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.

48

poco a poco accel.....

U

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

Narration from every mountain - side let Freedom

Tim.

Xylophone

Perc. 1

Snare Drum

Perc. 2

Opt. Harp

Opt. Piano

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

U

V

poco a poco accel.....

* (Optional Red, White, and Blue Fireworks light up the sky.)

poco accel...

V Allegro vivace ($\text{J} = 148$)

Fl. 1&2 a2 f 8va- (3+2) ff 5 4 loco 5
 Picc. f
 Ob. 1&2 a2 f
 B♭ Cl. 1&2 a2 f
 B♭ Bass Cl. f
 Bn. 1&2 f
 F Hn. 1&2 a2 f ff 5 4 ff 4 5
 C Trp. 1,2 &3
 Trb. 1&2
 Narration * ***Ring!"***
 3rd Trb. & Tuba
 Timp.
 Perc. 1 Xylophone ff 5 4 ff
 Perc. 2 Snare Drum f 4
 Perc. 3
 Perc. 4 Piatti let ring f Chimes
 Opt. Harp A Major Gliss. with F \natural ff Hard Mallets 5 4
 Opt Piano f ff 4 ff 5
 8va- ff
 ff 5 4

poco accel...

V Allegro vivace ($\text{J} = 148$)

Vln. 1 f
 Vln. 2 f
 Vla. f
 Vcl. f
 Cb.

50

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

C Trp. 1,2
&3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb.
& Tuba

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

Opt Piano

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

(3+2)

tr

tr

tr

mf

mf

tr

ff

ff

Glock.

Piatti *let ring*

Chimes

(8va) *tr*

tr

loco

mf

ff

mf

ff

227

228

229

230

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

C Trp. 1,2
&3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb.
& Tuba

Glock.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

Chimes

Snare Drum

Piatti

ff

(If needed, these two
measures may be deleted
to allow for the change to
Xylophone.)

let ring

let ring

Opt Piano

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

W

a2

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

C Trp. 1,2
&3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb.
& Tuba

Xylophone

ff

Snare Drum

Piatti choke cym.

Chimes dampen

Opt. Harp

Opt Piano

(Pianist may leave out B♭ in left hand to facilitate this passage)

marcato [Keep Sustain Pedal Down]

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

poco rit..

Fl. 1&2

Picc.

Ob. 1&2

B♭ Cl. 1&2

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bn. 1&2

F Hn. 1&2
3&4

C Trp. 1,2
&3

Trb. 1&2

3rd Trb.
& Tuba

Xylophone

Perc. 1

Snare Drum

Perc. 2

Piatti

Perc. 3

Perc. 4

Bass Dr.

ff

Bb Major Gliss.

Opt. Harp

Opt. Piano

8va

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

Cb.

X A tempo (♩ = 148)

Fl. 1&2
Picc.
Ob. 1&2
B♭ Cl. 1&2
B♭ Bass Cl.
Bn. 1&2
F Hn. 1&2 3&4
C Trp. 1,2 &3
Trb. 1&2
3rd Trb. & Tuba
Tim. Solo
Xylophone fff hard sticks - consider wood
Perc. 1
Perc. 2
Perc. 3 Piatti choke cym. (To Sus. Cym.) Sus. Cym. Roll Soft Mallets choke cym.
Perc. 4 Bass Dr. mp ff
Opt. Harp B♭ Major Gliss. fff
(8va)
Opt. Piano
X A tempo (♩ = 148)
Vln. 1
Vln. 2
Vla.
Vcl.
Cb.