

Keeping Step With the Union March

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arranged by Keith Brion

♩ = 120 *With sparkling rhythm*

A

leggiero

The musical score is arranged for a full band. The instruments and their parts are as follows:

- Piccolo:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *leggiero* (measures 5-8), *mf/mp* (measures 9-12).
- Flute 1:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Flutes 2,3:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- 1st and 2nd Oboes:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Clarinet in E♭:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Clarinet in B♭ 1:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Clarinet in B♭ 2:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Clarinet in B♭ 3:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Bass Clarinet in B♭:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Alto Saxophone:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Tenor Saxophone:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Baritone Saxophone:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Bassoons:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Solo & 1st Cornet in B♭:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- 2nd Cornet in B♭:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- 1st & 2nd Trumpets in B♭:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Horns 1 & 2 in F:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Horns 3 & 4 in F:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- 1st and 2nd Trombones:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- 3rd and 4th Trombones:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Euphonium:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Tubas:** *ff* (first 4 measures), *mf/mp* (measures 5-8), *leggiero* (measures 9-12).
- Snare Drum:** *ff* (measures 5-12), *Cym. Solo* (measures 9-12).
- Bass Drum:** *ff* (measures 5-12), *choke* (measures 9-12).
- Cymbals:** *ff* (measures 5-12), *choke* (measures 9-12).
- Orchestra Bells:** *ff* (measures 5-12).
- Suspended Cymbal:** *ff* (measures 5-12).

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2,3

Oboe 1,2

E♭ Clar.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

Clar. 3

Bs. Clar.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Bssn. 1

Solo/1st Cor.

Cor. 2

Tpt. 1, 2

Horn 1, 2

Horn 3, 4

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph.

Tuba

SD/BD
Crash Cym.

Bells
Sus. Cym.

Piccolo
 Flute 1
 Flute 2,3
 Oboe 1,2
 Eb Clar.
 Clar. 1
 Clar. 2
 Clar. 3
 Bs. Clar.
 A. Sax.
 T. Sax.
 Bari. Sax.
 Bssn. 1
 Solo/1st Cor.
 Cor. 2
 Tpt. 1, 2
 Horn 1, 2
 Horn 3, 4
 Tbn. 1, 2
 Tbn. 3
 Euph.
 Tuba.
 SD/BD
 Crash Cym.
 Bells
 Sus. Cym.

C Trio

Piccolo

Flute 1
p

Flute 2,3
p

Oboe 1,2
p

E♭ Clar.
p

Clar. 1
cantabile Gentle

Clar. 2
cantabile Gentle

Clar. 3
cantabile Gentle

Bs. Clar.
cantabile Gentle

A. Sax.
cantabile Gentle

T. Sax.
cantabile Gentle

Bari. Sax.
p Gentle

Bssn. 1
cantabile Gentle

Solo/1st Cor.
cantabile Gentle
Play 1st X Only

Cor. 2
cantabile Gentle
Play 1st X Only

Tpt. 1, 2
p
(Out Door Performances Only)

Horn 1, 2
p

Horn 3,4
p
(Out Door Performances Only)

Tbn. 1,2
p
(Out Door Performances Only)

Tbn. 3
p

Euph.
cantabile Gentle

Tuba
p

SD/BD
Crash Cym.
w/o cymbal

Bells
Sus. Cym.
p
Bells - Play 2nd X Only

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2,3

Oboe 1,2

E♭ Clar.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

Clar. 3

Bs. Clar.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Bssn. 1

Solo/1st Cor.

Cor. 2

Tpt. 1, 2

Horn 1, 2

Horn 3, 4

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph.

Tuba.

SD/BD

Crash Cym.

Bells

Sus. Cym.

pp

ff

mf

Play

soli pp

D

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2,3

Oboe 1,2

E♭ Clar.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

Clar. 3

Bs. Clar.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Bssn. 1

Solo/1st Cor.

Cor. 2

Tpt. 1, 2

Horn 1, 2

Horn 3, 4

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph.

Tuba.

SD/BD

Crash Cym.

Bells

Sus. Cym.

p *mf* *ff* *p* *ff*

Choke *ff* *Choke* *mf* *ff* *Choke* *f*

Suspended cym.

58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65

F

Piccolo
 Flute 1
 Flute 2,3
 Oboe. 1,2
 Eb Clar.
 Clar. 1
 Clar. 2
 Clar. 3
 Bs. Clar.
 A. Sax.
 T. Sax.
 Bari. Sax.
 Bssn. 1
 Solo/1st Cor.
 Cor. 2
 Tpt. 1, 2
 Horn 1, 2
 Horn 3, 4
 Tbn. 1, 2
 Tbn. 3
 Euph.
 Tuba.
 SD/BD
 Crash Cym.
 Bells
 Sus. Cym.

*In the stand
1 Player only*

Piccolo
Flute 1
Flute 2,3

Oboe 1,2
E♭ Clar.
Clar. 1
Clar. 2
Clar. 3

Bs. Clar.
A. Sax.
T. Sax.
Bari. Sax.
Bssn. 1

Solo/1st Cor.
Cor. 2
Tpt. 1,2

Horn 1,2
Horn 3,4

Tbn. 1,2
Tbn. 3

Euph.
Tuba.

SD/BD
Crash Cym.
Bells
Sus. Cym.

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2,3

Oboe 1,2

E♭ Clar.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

Clar. 3

Bs. Clar.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Bssn. 1

Solo/1st Cor.

Cor. 2

Tpt. 1, 2

Horn 1, 2

Horn 3, 4

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph.

Tuba

SD/BD
Crash Cym.

Bells
Sus. Cym.

90 91 92 93 94 95 96 97

I

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2,3

Oboe 1,2

E♭ Clar.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

Clar. 3

Bs. Clar.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Bssn. 1

Solo/1st Cor.

Cor. 2

Tpt. 1, 2

Horn 1, 2

Horn 3, 4

Tbn. 1, 2

Tbn. 3

Euph.

Tuba.

SD/BD

Crash Cym.

Bells

Sus. Cym.

fff

ff

106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113 114

J *Slight separation*

Piccolo *Slight separation* *ff*

Flute 1 *Slight separation* *ff*

Flute 2,3 *Slight separation* *ff*

Oboe 1,2 *Slight separation*

E♭ Clar. *Slight separation* *ff*

Clar. 1 *Slight separation* *ff*

Clar. 2 *Slight separation* *ff*

Clar. 3 *Slight separation* *ff*

Bs. Clar. *Slight separation*

A. Sax. *Slight separation* *ff*

T. Sax. *Slight separation* *ff*

Bari. Sax. *Slight separation*

Bssn. 1 *Slight separation*

Solo/1st Cor. *Slight separation* *ff*

Cor. 2 *Slight separation* *ff*

Tpt. 1, 2 *Slight separation* *ff*

Horn 1, 2 *Slight separation*

Horn 3, 4 *Slight separation*

Tbn. 1, 2 *Slight separation*

Tbn. 3 *Slight separation*

Euph. *Slight separation*

Tuba *Slight separation*

SD/BD
Crash Cym. *Slight separation*

Bells
Sus. Cym. *Slight separation*

K *Grandioso*

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2,3

Oboe 1,2
ff

E♭ Clar.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

Clar. 3

Bs. Clar.
ff *sempre marc. and detached*

A. Sax.
cantabile, sempre marcato, slightly detached

T. Sax.
cantabile, sempre marcato, slightly detached

Bari. Sax.
ff

Bssn. 1
ff

Solo/1st Cor.
cantabile, sempre marcato, slightly detached

Cor. 2
cantabile, sempre marcato, slightly detached

Tpt. 1,2
cantabile, sempre marcato, slightly detached

Horn 1,2
ff

Horn 3,4
ff

Tbn. 1,2
ff *sempre marc. and detached*

Tbn. 3
ff *sempre marc. and detached*

Euph.
ff *sempre marc. and detached*

Tuba
ff

SD/BD
ff

Crash Cym.
ff

Bells
light accent

Sus. Cym.

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2,3

Oboe 1,2

E♭ Clar.

Clar. 1

Clar. 2

Clar. 3

Bs. Clar.

A. Sax.

T. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Bssn. 1

Solo/1st Cor.

Cor. 2

Tpt. 1,2

Horn 1,2

Horn 3,4

Tbn. 1,2

Tbn. 3

Euph.

Tuba

SD/BD

Crash Cym.

Bells

Sus. Cym.

light accent

Cym.