

# Water Music Suite No. 1

(for Saxophone Quartet)

## 1. Overture

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♩ = 50

Soprano Saxophone

Alto Saxophone

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

5

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

10

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

A

15

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

20

Sop. Sax.  $mp$

Alto Sax.  $mp$

Ten. Sax.  $mp$

Bari. Sax.  $mp$

26

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax. *tr*

Bari. Sax.

31

Sop. Sax. *f*

Alto Sax. *f*

Ten. Sax. *f*

Bari. Sax. *f*

36

Sop. Sax.  $mp$

Alto Sax.  $mp$

Ten. Sax.  $mp$

Bari. Sax.  $mp$

40

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*mf*

45

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*f*

49

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*mf*

**D**

53

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

57 *tr*

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.



61 **E**

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*mfmp*

*mf > mp*



65

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*f*



68

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

73 5

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

**F**

77

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*mp*

81

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*ff*

85

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

# 2. Adagio e staccato

6

89  $\text{♩} = 60$

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax. *f* *mp*

Bari. Sax. *f* *mp*

99 **G**

Sop. Sax. *f*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mp*

108

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mp*

115 *f* *p* *tr*

Sop. Sax. *f* *p*

Alto Sax. *f* *p*

Ten. Sax. *f* *p*

Bari. Sax. *f* *p*

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### 3. Allegro, Andante, Allegro

123 ♩ = 120

Sop. Sax. *tr*

Alto Sax. *tr*

Ten. Sax. *f*

Bari. Sax. *f*

130 *tr*

Sop. Sax. *tr*

Alto Sax. *tr*

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

137 *tr*

Sop. Sax. *tr*

Alto Sax. *tr*

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

144 *tr* **H**

Sop. Sax. *tr*

Alto Sax. *tr*

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

8 151

Sop. Sax. *mf* *tr*

Alto Sax. *p*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax.

157

Sop. Sax. *mp*

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax. *f*

Bari. Sax. *f*

164

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mf*

171

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax. *f*

Bari. Sax. *f*



177

Sop. Sax. *p*

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mp*

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

*mf*

9

184

Sop. Sax. *f*

Alto Sax. *f*

Ten. Sax. *f*

Bari. Sax. *f*

**J**

191

Sop. Sax. *tr*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mf*

*mf*

198

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mf*

10 205 **K**

Sop. Sax. *tr* *mp*

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mp*

Sop. Sax. *f*

Alto Sax. *f*

Ten. Sax. *f*

Bari. Sax. *f*

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

222 *tr* *rit.* *fine*

Sop. Sax. *rit.* *fine*

Alto Sax. *rit.* *fine*

Ten. Sax. *rit.* *fine*

Bari. Sax. *rit.* *fine*

Sop. Sax. *Adagio*

Alto Sax. *mp Adagio*

Ten. Sax. *mp Adagio*

Bari. Sax. *mp Adagio*

Sop. Sax. *mp*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mp*

Sop. Sax. *f*

Alto Sax. *f*

Ten. Sax. *f*

Bari. Sax. *f*

Sop. Sax. *mp*

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mp*

**M**

245

Sop. Sax. *f* *p*

Alto Sax. *f* *p*

Ten. Sax. *f* *p*

Bari. Sax. *f* *p*

249

Sop. Sax. *mf* *f*

Alto Sax. *mf* *f*

Ten. Sax. *mf* *f*

Bari. Sax. *mf* *f*

253

Sop. Sax. *mf* *mp* *p*

Alto Sax. *mf* *mp* *p*

Ten. Sax. *mf* *mp* *p*

Bari. Sax. *mf* *mp* *p*

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4. Menuet I

258  $\text{♩} = 132$

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

267

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

277

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

288

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Sop. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Alto Sax. *mp* *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Sop. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Alto Sax. *mp* *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Sop. Sax. *mp f*

Alto Sax. *mp f*

Ten. Sax. *mf* *mp f*

Bari. Sax. *mf* *mp f*

**P**

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344

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

354

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

364

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

374

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

5. Air

16

385  $\text{♩} = 84$  *tr*

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mf*

391

Sop. Sax. *mp*

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mp*

397 *tr* **R**

Sop. Sax. *mf* *mp*

Alto Sax. *mf* *mp*

Ten. Sax. *mf* *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mf* *mp*

404

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mf*



Sop. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Alto Sax. *mp* *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mp* *mf*

Sop. Sax. *p* *mf* *trm*

Alto Sax. *p* *mf*

Ten. Sax. *p* *mf*

Bari. Sax. *f* *mf*

Sop. Sax. *f* *mf*

Alto Sax. *f* *mf*

Ten. Sax. *f* *mf*

Bari. Sax. *f* *mf*

Sop. Sax. *f* *rit.*

Alto Sax. *f* *rit.*

Ten. Sax. *f* *rit.*

Bari. Sax. *f* *rit.*

6. Menuet II

T

439

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*mf*

*f*

448

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

457

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

467

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

U

476

Sop. Sax. *mp*

Alto Sax. *p*

Ten. Sax. *p*

Bari. Sax. *p*

485

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

V

495

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax. *mp*

Bari. Sax. *mp*

503

Sop. Sax. *mp*

Alto Sax. *mp*

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax. *mp*

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.



Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.



Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.



Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

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7. Bouree

543  $\text{♩} = 112$

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mf*

548

Sop. Sax. *f*

Alto Sax. *f*

Ten. Sax. *f*

Bari. Sax. *f*

553

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

559

Sop. Sax. *mf*

Alto Sax. *mf*

Ten. Sax. *mf*

Bari. Sax. *mf*

X

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*f*



Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*> mf*

**Y**



Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*f*



Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*rit.*

# 8. Hornpipe

$\text{♩} = 105$

588

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

594

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

600

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

AA

606

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

24 612 **BB**

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*p*

618 **CC**

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*f*

624 **DD**

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*ff*

630

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*rit mf*



9. Andante

636  $\text{♩} = 96$

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

640

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

644

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

648

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

653

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

657

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

**EE**

*mp*

661

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

665

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

669 27

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

674

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

**FF**

678

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

*mf*

682

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.



GG

Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.



Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.



Sop. Sax.

Alto Sax.

Ten. Sax.

Bari. Sax.