



O Waly, Waly

The Water Is Wide

Traditional British Folk Song

Arranged by DOUGLAS E. WAGNER (ASCAP)

INSTRUMENTATION

- 1 Conductor
- 10 C Flute
- 2 Oboe
- 10 B \flat Clarinet
- 2 B \flat Bass Clarinet
- 6 E \flat Alto Saxophone
- 4 B \flat Tenor Saxophone
- 2 E \flat Baritone Saxophone
- 8 B \flat Trumpet
- 4 F Horn

- 6 Trombone/Baritone/Bassoon
- 2 Baritone Treble Clef
(World Part Trombone in B \flat Treble Clef)
- 4 Tuba
- 2 Mallet Percussion
(Bells, Chimes)
- 1 Optional Timpani
(Tune: B \flat , E \flat)
- 2 Percussion
(Suspended Cymbal, Triangle)

WORLD PARTS

- 4 Horn in E \flat
- 5 Trombone/Baritone in B \flat
Bass Clef
- 2 Tuba in E \flat Bass Clef
- 2 Tuba in E \flat Treble Clef
- 2 Tuba in B \flat Bass Clef
- 2 Tuba in B \flat Treble Clef

PROGRAM NOTES

From its origin in the eighteenth century to the present day, "O Waly, Waly" (also known as "The Water Is Wide") is a perennial favorite and one of the most recognized tunes in all of Britain and America.

Richly scored with ample doublings for Grade 1 level bands, this setting will enjoy a myriad of program opportunities, not to mention the teachable moments of phrasing, dynamic contour, breath support, and balance that will occur in preparing this work for performance.

Douglas E. Wagner

CONDUCTOR

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Gently, with motion ♩ = 92

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C Flute

Musical staff for C Flute, 4/4 time signature, starting with a rest and then playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *mf*.

Oboe

Musical staff for Oboe, 4/4 time signature, starting with a rest.

B♭ Clarinet

Musical staff for B♭ Clarinet, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *mf*.

B♭ Bass Clarinet

Musical staff for B♭ Bass Clarinet, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *mp*.

E♭ Alto Saxophone

Musical staff for E♭ Alto Saxophone, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *mp*.

B♭ Tenor Saxophone

Musical staff for B♭ Tenor Saxophone, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *mp*.

E♭ Baritone Saxophone

Musical staff for E♭ Baritone Saxophone, 4/4 time signature, starting with a rest.

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B♭ Trumpet

Musical staff for B♭ Trumpet, 4/4 time signature, starting with a rest.

Horn in F

Musical staff for Horn in F, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *mp*.

Trombone/Baritone/
Bassoon

Musical staff for Trombone/Baritone/Bassoon, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *mp*.

Tuba

Musical staff for Tuba, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *mp*.

Mallet Percussion
(Bells, Chimes)

Musical staff for Mallet Percussion, 4/4 time signature, starting with a rest.

Optional Timpani

Musical staff for Optional Timpani, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *p*. Tune: B♭, E♭.

Percussion
(Suspended Cymbal,
Triangle)

Musical staff for Percussion, 4/4 time signature, playing a melody in the fifth measure marked *p* and *mp*.

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