

50th Annual Iron County Band Camp
Presents

ACROSS THE WILDERNESS

Music of Celebration

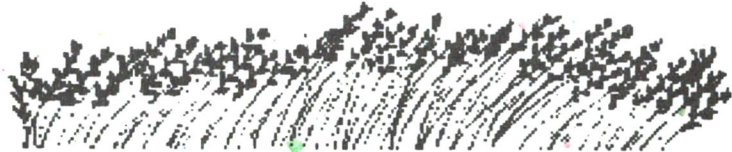
A Note From the Composer

Across the Wilderness

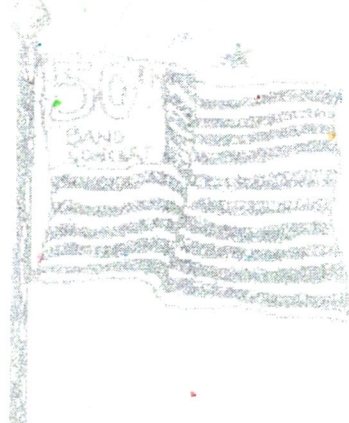
For the 50th Anniversary of Iron County Band Camp, BATAWAGAMA 2005, the commissioned work for the combined Bata and Gama bands needed to be something very special - a fanfare and march. The title comes from one of our best known national songs: "America the Beautiful". At the end of the third stanza are the words "A thoroughfare for freedom beat across the wilderness."

The work opens with a fanfare and with march themes that are original. I chose to use the theme from "America the Beautiful" for the trio melody. After the melody is stated unadorned by the clarinets and saxophones, the flutes and piccolos add a "Sousa-like" countermelody full of runs and trills. The march ends in full with the "America" theme, two countermelodies, and final reference to the opening fanfare.

Robert Hanson



And crown thy good with brotherhood, from sea to shining sea



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TRAVERSE CITY WEST JR. HIGH SCHOOL
TRAVERSE CITY, MICHIGAN

Saturday, June 25, 2005
West Iron County High School Gymnasium
7:30 PM

Special Thanks

to

Mr. Timothy Peruzzi, Mr. Tom Karvala, and Staff
&
The West Iron County Schools for hosting the
50th Annual Iron County Band Camp Concert

Mr. Tom Jayne, Mr. Norm Vanamen, and the Custodial Staff
&
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necessary for instruction and rehearsals

Dr. Matt Ludwig for his assistance during the week and
The Marquette Schools for providing additional percussion instruments

Dr. Gregory Evenson and Mr. David Becker for providing chairs,
stands, and instruments for instruction and rehearsals

and

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scholarships for many of the students attending the 2005
Iron County Band Camp

Program designed by Betsy Weber and Kylee Benson

GAMA BAND

Lynn Hansen, Conductor

Fanfare for a New Year.....Scott Sorenson

Triumphant Festival.....George Frederick Handel
from Music for the Royal Fireworks arr. by John Kinyon

Yellowstone.....John Tatgenhorst

Percussion Section Ensemble.....Roger Braun

BATA BAND

Dennis Glocke, Conductor

Golden Jubilee March.....John Phillip Sousa

Fortress.....Frank Ticheli

Song of the Peace Pipe.....Robert Hanson

Prelude, Siciliando and Rondo.....Malcolm Arnold
trans. by John P. Paynter

COMBINED BANDS

Across the Wilderness.....Robert Hanson

Gama Band

Clarinet

Stan Ritsema
Lealand Anghius
Megan Ritter
Hilary Stenvig
Kaylee Hanson
Tori Ivey
Jessie Schmidt
Jackie Kennedy
Kathryn Hood
Shandi Guzzo
Kristin Fittante
Adam Takala
Andrew Bosk
William Taylor
Tasha Childers

Oboe

Hayley Berndt
Serena Cram
Kimberly Beck
Nicole Chouinard
Emily Patterson

Flute

Lauren Furmanski
Brianna Czeck
Maria Brown
Kilie Horst
Aubrey Atanasoff
Gina Pisoni
Sadie Zuleger
Erin Kirkpatrick
Jordyn Bricker
Katie Hookenson
Emily Anderton
Jessica Kennedy
Dayna DeRidder
Sabrina Eggersgluess

Horn

Molly Wells
Chris Ogren
Julie Ritsema

Trumpet

Chantell LaForest
Tony Smiljanich
Paul Thomas
Catherine Haataja
Marcy Olson
Ashley Burkman
Kaylee West
Scott Kataja
Sabastian Wera

Trombone

Chris Heitz
Ryan Kent
Clinton Millman
Kase Micke
Michael Jean
Andy Carlotto
Angelo Bersine
Dylan Tauzer

Tuba

Jay Woodbeck
Leif Sjoquist

Euphonium

Shannon Kritz
Nolan Madalinski
Tony Menucci

Baritone

Saxophone

Josh Aberly
Ed Zarn

Tenor

Saxophone

Stephanie Spicer
Stephanie Dubord

Alto

Saxophone

Erin Wartick
Travis Sortirin-Miller
Erik Winsor
Rachel Peterson
Amanda Process
Marie Orttenburger
Terra Schneider
Katie Randjelovic
Maddie Rosemurgy

Percussion

Alaine Dickman
John Haefs
Ryan Johnson
Cory Lobner
Katrina Miller
Emily Nikolai
Nick Ralston
Tara Jo Reinhart
Taylor Rosenthal
Ben Van Howe
Kayla Wirz

Bata Band

Clarinet

Autumn Fournier
Michelle Owens
David Rouch
Charlotte Anderson
Samantha Marier
Erica Lake
Ashley Fisher
Sarah Morrison
Michelle Moffitt
James Graham
Stacy Leisner

Bassoon

Sierra Bates

Oboe

Allison Whitfield
Jessie Kriegl
Melissa Patz

Flute

Kassie Lord
Allen Beverly (Piccolo)
Kristin Grahn (Piccolo)
Valerie Takala
Tracie Tedeschi
Katy Kick
Rachel Cahill
Sandrya MacDonald
Jon Menghini
Mariah Dzanbazoff
Amanda McLeod
Stephanie LaFave

Horn

Luke Shepich
Erika Tauzer
Alivia Lawerance
Lisa Herman
Kathrine Beck
Amy West
Brook Thompson

Trumpet

Ross Aho
Jim Sundstrom
Liz Robbe
Frank Brooks
Debbie Wagner
Casey Kick
Sami Horst
Ashely LaBre
Melissa Pirwarski
Ashley Thornton
Bruce Olson
Jake Broesch
Maggie Closs

Trombone

Adam Lowe
Lee Shepich
Jacob Lutey
Lauren Noble

Bass Trombone

Adrian Smith

Baritone

Saxophone

Paige Beyers
Becca Verville

Tenor

Saxophone

Tyler Huss
Jason Posluszny
Nikole Linley
Jaci Solonen

Alto

Saxophone

Chris Maki
Rebekah Leaf
John Lichtwalt
Katie Lord
Michelle Thomas
Krista Tryan
Xin Xu
Lauren Prusi
Clayton Powell
Keely Weiland

Tuba

Autumn Winsor
Kiersten Ritsema
Andrew Mallo
Michelle Hunt
Christiana Kreis

Euphonium

Aimee Cairati
John Daavelittila
Will Menucci
Adam Ladd

Percussion

Ben Baker
Steven Holmes
Sasha James
Kelly Jutila
Tyler Morkin
Kari Pandey
Doug Ramlow
Matthew Wells

Youth Camp Staff

James Adamson
Lorna Addison
Jayni Angeli
Jessica Bailey
Katherine Becker
Kylee Benson
Jim Bigari
Kristie Bigari
Stephen Bowman
Ann Burke
Mike Cattani
Mary Cattani
Brad Christopherson
Elyse Cocco
Walter Dowling
Jessica Engberg
Kira Flannery
Lisa Gervenak
Jeff Gobin
Emily Greeley
Katie Helgren
Angie Hill
Dana Keliin
TJ Kneebone

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Donk Lawless
Jodi Leiburn
Eli Mickelson
Marney MacDonald
Anthony Matthys
Jeff Nichols
Nicole Novak
Aaron Pairolero
Charlie Parker
Karl Romanowicz
Megan Sargent
Katie Schroeder
Brian Schulze
Paula Schulze
Katie Schulze
Vernon Soderbloom
Craig Stevens
Gary Tass
Mike Trewartha
Krysta VanDyck
Betsy Weber
Emily Weber
Bob Williams

Instrumental Specialists

ROGER BRAUN.....PERCUSSION
Professor of Percussion, Ohio University, Principal Percussion, Ohio Valley Symphony

MIKE HALL.....TROMBONE
Professor of Trombone, The University of Kansas; Trombonist, The Kansas Brass Quintet

ROBERT HANSON.....COMPOSER
Composer, Music Director, Elgin Illinois Symphony Orchestra

ALYSSA MCKEITHEN.....OBOE/BASSOON
DMA Candidate, Eastman School of Music

DR. ROBERT KASE.....TRUMPET
Professor of Trumpet and chair of the Music Department, The University of Wisconsin - Steven's Point

CARRIE KOFFMAN.....SAXOPHONE
Professor of Saxophone, The Hartt School, University of Hartford, and Boston University

ED RISINGER.....TUBA AND EUPHONIUM
Professor of Tuba and Euphonium, Illinois Wesleyan University

KIM MCCOUL RISINGER.....FLUTE
Professor of Flute, Illinois State University; Principal Flute, The Illinois Symphony Orchestra and Chamber Orchestra

ROBERT SPRING.....CLARINET
Professor of Music, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona; Principal Clarinet, ProMusica Chamber Orchestra, Columbus Ohio

JIM WILHELMSSEN.....ACCOMPANIST
Teacher of Piano, Accompanist, Vocal Coach, and Free-Lance Musician; Director, Clarkston Conservatory of Music, Fulbright Scholar, Former Faculty; University of Michigan, Wayne State University, Center for Creative Studies, Detroit

WILLARD ZIRK.....FRENCH HORN
Professor of Horn, Eastern Michigan University; Member of Eastern Wind Quintet; Principal Horn, Ann Arbor Symphony