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PRECIOUS FRIENDS

CONCERT BAND

INSTRUMENTATION:

8	Flute	1	Timpani
2	Oboe		
4	Clarinet in Bb 1	1	Glockenspiel
4	Clarinet in Bb 2	1	Vibraphone
2	Bass Clarinet		
2	Bassoon	1	Percussion 1: Finger Cymbals Chimes
4	Alto Sax		
2	Tenor Sax		
1	Baritone Sax	2	Percussion 2: Triangle Suspended Cymbal Bass Drum
4	Trumpet in Bb 1		
4	Trumpet in Bb 2		
4	Horn in F		
2	Trombone 1		
2	Trombone 2		
2	Euphonium (T.C.)		
2	Euphonium (B.C.)		
4	Tuba		



ABOUT:

Dedicated to a dear friend, the block writing and minimal percussion that permeates this piece is an excellent, and accessible, addition for ensembles of any size!

PERFORMANCE NOTES:

Vibraphone: This piece serves as an introduction to the 4-mallet technique (which is, for the sake of practicality, optional). A few simple chords are all that is required - the largest interval that will need to be covered is a minor sixth in the right hand. Practicing this technique with relaxed wrists, and the right choice of mallets, will be necessary for a successful performance of this part.

If the player wishes to use two mallets instead, all standard-sized notes in the chords should be covered and all cue-sized notes in the chords ignored.

DURATION: 3'10"



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**TUX PEOPLE'S
MUSIC.**

in memory of my dear friend, David "DP" Hawkins

PRECIOUS FRIENDS

for Concert Band

Richard Peters
2022

Transposed
Score

Cantabile ♩ = 82-86

Flute *mp*

Oboe *mp*

1 *mp*

2 *mp*

Clarinet in B \flat

Bass Clarinet *mp*

Bassoon *mp*

Alto Sax *mp*

Tenor Sax *mp*

Baritone Sax *mp*

1

2

Trumpet in B \flat

Horn in F *mf*

1 *mf*

2 *mf*

Trombone

Euphonium

Tuba

Timpani

Glockenspiel *mp*

Vibraphone *mp* pedal as needed

Percussion 1
Finger Cymbals
Chimes

Percussion 2
Triangle Lv. sempre
Suspended Cymbal
Bass Drum *mp*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

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FL.

Ob.

1
B♭ Cl.

2

B. Cl.

Bsn.

A. Sx.

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1
B♭ Tpt.

2

Hn.

1
Tbn.

2

Euph.

Tuba

Timp.

Glk.

Vib.

F. Cym.

Sus. Cym.
Trgl.
B. Dr.

mp

mp

p

Suspended Cymbal

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

25

Musical score for 'Precious Friends' featuring a large red watermark 'PERU SALE COPY legal use requires purchase'.

Instrumentation includes: Fl., Ob., 1 B♭ Cl., 2 B♭ Cl., B. Cl., Bsn., A. Sx., T. Sx., B. Sx., 1 B♭ Tpt., 2 B♭ Tpt., Hn., 1 Tbn., 2 Tbn., Euph., Tuba, Timp., Glk., Vib., F. Cym., and Sus. Cym. Trgl. B. Dr.

Measures 25-32 are shown. Dynamics include *f*, *mp*, and *mf*.

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33 37

FL. *mf*

Ob. *mp*

1 *mf*

B♭ Cl. 2 *mf*

B. Cl. *mp*

Bsn. *mp*

A. Sx. *mp*

T. Sx. *mp*

B. Sx. *mp*

1

B♭ Tpt. 2

Hn. *mp*

1 *mp*

Tbn. 2 *mp*

Euph. *mp*

Tuba *mp*

Timp. *mp*

Glk. *mf*

Vib. *mf*

F. Cym. *f* (*f*)

Sus. Cym. *f*

Trgl. *f*

B. Dr. *f*

33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40

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The musical score is arranged in a standard orchestral format. The instruments listed on the left are: Fl. (Flute), Ob. (Oboe), 1 (Clarinet in Bb), 2 (Clarinet in Bb), B. Cl. (Clarinet in Bb), Bsn. (Bassoon), A. Sx. (Alto Saxophone), T. Sx. (Tenor Saxophone), B. Sx. (Baritone Saxophone), 1 (Trumpet in Bb), 2 (Trumpet in Bb), Hn. (Horn), 1 (Trombone), 2 (Trombone), Euph. (Euphonium), Tuba, Timp. (Timpani), Glk. (Glockenspiel), Vib. (Vibraphone), Chm. (Chimes), and Sus. Cym. Trgl. B. Dr. (Suspended Cymbal/Trigon/Drum). The score begins at measure 57 and continues through measure 65. A dynamic marking of *f* (forte) is present at the start of measure 61 for most instruments. A 'Chimes' section is indicated above the Chimes staff in measure 61. A large red watermark reading 'PERMISSIONS SALE COPY' is overlaid diagonally across the score, with the text 'legal use requires purchase' written below it.

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Musical score for 'Precious Friends' page 9. The score includes parts for Flute (FL), Oboe (Ob.), Clarinets (1, 2), Bass Clarinet (B. Cl.), Bassoon (Bsn.), Saxophones (A. Sx., T. Sx., B. Sx.), Trumpets (1, 2), Horns (Hn.), Trombones (1, 2), Euphonium (Euph.), Tuba, Timpani (Timp.), Glockenspiel (Glk.), Vibraphone (Vib.), and Chimes (Chm.). Percussion parts include Suspended Cymbal (Sus. Cym.), Triangle (Trgl.), and Bass Drum (B. Dr.). The score is marked with dynamics such as *p*, *mp*, and *mf*. A large red watermark reading 'PERMISSIONS ALL COPY legal use requires purchase' is overlaid on the score.

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