

FULL SCORE

Charles Booker LA FORZA del SOL

INSTRUMENTATION

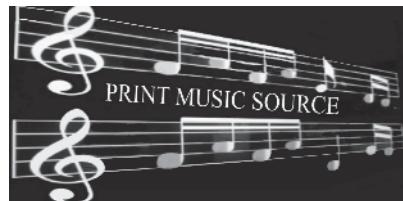
1-Full Score (Letter Size)	1-Baritone Saxophone
1-Full Score (Large Score)	3-1 st Trumpet
1-Piccolo	3-2 nd Trumpet
3-1 st Flute	3-3 rd Trumpet
3 2 nd Flute	2-1 st Horn in F
1-1 st Oboe	2-2 nd Horn in F
1-2 nd Oboe	2-1 st Trombone
1-1 st Bassoon	2-2 nd Trombone
1-2 nd Bassoon	2-Bass Trombone
3-1 st Clarinet	3-Baritone (B.C.)
3-2 nd Clarinet	2-Baritone (T.C.)
3-3 rd Clarinet	4-Tuba
2-Alto Clarinet	1-Double Bass
2-Bass Clarinet	1-Timpani
1-Contra Alto Clarinet	2-Mallet I (Xylophone/Vibraphone)
1-Contra Bass Clarinet	2-Mallet II (Bells/Chimes)
2-1 st Alto Saxophone	3-Percussion 1 (Snare Drum./Bass Drum)
2-2 nd Alto Saxophone	3-Percussion 2
2-Tenor Saxophone	(Cymbals/Maracas/Whip/Large Gong)

Duration: Approx. 4 minutes

Grade: 4 (Medium-Advanced)

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LA FORZA del SOL

By Charles Booker

About the Music

From its rhythmic opening coupled with its Latin character, **La Forza del Sol** moves into a driving and melodic section with its rhythmic undercurrents and then on to a highly percussive close. This extraordinary new concert work shows off a mix of sonorities of the wind band.

About the Composer

Charles Booker, Jr. (b. 1952) recently retired as Associate Professor of Theory and Composition at the University of Arkansas - Fort Smith. Mr. Booker, a former U.S. Army Bandmaster studied composition with Hank Levy (composer/arranger for Stan Kenton), Dr. Steve Strunk and Dr. James Balentine, and conducting with Dr. Robert Garofalo and Dr. Robert Rustowicz. Mr. Booker has over forty published compositions and arrangements. His music is published by Alfred, Kendor, Southern Music Company, Wingert-Jones, Print Music Source and Booker Music, and has been performed internationally by schools, universities and professional bands that include The Army Band ("Pershing's Own"), the U.S. Army Field Band, the U.S. Military Academy Band (West Point), the U.S. Air Force Band of Mid-America and the U.S. Air Force Academy Band. Mr. Booker's 21 year career in the U.S. Army included service in the Fifth Army Band in San Antonio, Texas, staff arranger for the Army Field Band, conductor of Army Bands in Louisiana, Germany, New York City, and director of the Jazz Ambassadors in Washington, D.C. As a trumpeter with the Fifth Army Band, Mr. Booker performed for the funerals of Presidents Truman and Johnson. In 1981, as the conductor of the 3rd Armored Division Band in Germany, Mr. Booker conducted welcoming ceremonies at Rhein Main Air Force Base for the returning American hostages from Iran. In New York City, he conducted the Army Band of New York City at ceremonies for head of states of the United States, Germany, France, Netherlands, Portugal and China, and his band performed at the centennial activities of the Statue of Liberty. While an associate conductor of the Army Field Band and director of the Jazz Ambassadors, Mr. Booker performed at the Kennedy Center, in 48 states, India, Japan, Canada, Mexico, Europe, and marched in the inauguration parades of Presidents George H. W. Bush and William J. Clinton. He was Interim Director of Bands at Trinity University from 1996 to 1997 and assistant editor at Southern Music Company from 1994 to 1997. In addition, Charles Booker is the founder and former conductor of the River Valley Community Band of Fort Smith, Arkansas. When Mr. Booker is not composing or teaching, he performs on trumpet with the Chris Cameron Blues Band throughout Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Texas and with the River Valley Community Band. Charles Booker has been recognized by the Mayor of Fort Smith (the 2006 "Mayor's Honors to the Visual and performing Arts"), the North Side Independent School District of San Antonio, Texas (the 2008 "Pillars of Character Award") and received the Arkansas Arts Council Award in music composition for 2009. Mr. Booker is past president of the Arkansas Chapter of College Band Directors National Association, past president of the Arkansas Chapter of the International Association of Jazz Educators, a member of the National Band Association, Texas Bandmasters Association and is past president of the Arkansas Bandmaster Association. Mr. Booker is also a member of the Arkansas Chapter of Phi Beta Mu, band fraternity Kappa Kappa Psi, and honorary music fraternity Pi Kappa Lambda. He and his wife Claudette now reside in San Antonio, Texas.



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Score
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The score consists of two systems of music. The top system (measures 1-8) features woodwind entries (Picc., Flutes, Oboes, Bassoons, Clarinets, Bass Clarinet, Alto Saxophone, Tenor Saxophone, Bass Saxophone) with dynamic markings like *ff*, *p*, and *fp*. The bottom system (measures 9-16) features brass and percussion entries (Trumpets, Trombones, Horns, Tuba, Double Bass, Timpani, Xylophone/Vibraphone, Bells/Xylophone, Snare/Bass Drum, Auxiliary Percussion, Suspended Cymbal, Crash Cymbal, and Large Gong!) with dynamic markings like *ff*, *p*, *fp*, and *dampen!*.

La Forza del Sol

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5

25

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st B♭ Tpt.

B♭ Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D. B.

25 Gb to G natural

Tim.

Mallet I Xyl./Vibes

Bls.

25 Perc. 1 Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2 Auxiliary

30

La Forza del Sol

6

34

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B[♭] Cl.

B[♭] Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st B[♭] Tpt.

B[♭] Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Mallet I Xyl./Vibes

Mal.

Perc. 1 Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2 Auxiliary

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7

La Forza del Sol

8

43

48

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st B♭ Tpt.

B♭ Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D. B.

Timp.

Mallet I Xyl./Vibes

Mallet II Bells/Chms./Xylo.

Perc. 1 Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2 Auxiliary

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>>

>

dampen!

>

choke

La Forza del Sol

9

La Forza del Sol

10

La Forza del Sol

La Forza del Sol

67

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st B♭ Tpt.

B♭ Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

67

Timp.

Vib.

Mallet II
Bells/Chms./Xylo.

Perc. 1
Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2
Auxiliary

mp

mp

p *mf* *p*

p *mf* *p*

p *mf* *p*

Hn Cue

mp

St. Mute

mp

St. Mute

St. Mute

mp

mp

St. Mute

mp

mp

mp

To Xylo.

p *mf* *p*

mp

mf

Whip!

Whip!

To Maracas

Two Maracas!

f

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13

73 Niente!

76

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B. Cl.

B. Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st B. Tpt.

B. Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim.

Mallet I

Xyl./Vibes

Bls.

Perc. 1
Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2
Auxiliary

79

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st B♭ Tpt.

B♭ Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Mallet I

Xyl/Vibes

Bls.

Perc. 1
Sn/Br. Dr.

Perc. 2
Auxiliary

84

St. Mute

Open

3rd Tpt. Out!

Sus. Cym.

add Cr. Cym.

La Forza del Sol

15

La Forza del Sol

92

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st Bb Cl.

Bb Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Bb Tpt.

Bb Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D. B.

Timp.

Mallet 1 Xyl./Vibes

Bls.

Perc. 1 Sn./Bs. Dr

Perc. 2 Auxiliary

La Forza del Sol

17

97

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

97

1st B♭ Tpt.

B♭ Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

97

D.B.

97

Timp.

Mallet I
Xyl./Vibes

Bls.

Perc. 1
Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2
Auxiliary

97

(Bb to A) dampen! D to F

Vibes

dampen! To Xylo.

dampen!

choke

La Forza del Sol

104

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B. Cl.

B. Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st B. Tpt.

B. Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim.

Vib.

Xyl.

Perc. 1
Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2
Auxiliary

La Forza del Sol

La Forza del Sol

116

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B_b Cl.

B_b Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st B_b Tpt.

B_b Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Mallet I Xyl./Vibes

Bls.

Perc. 1 Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2 Auxiliary

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21

La Forza del Sol

23

133

Picc.

Fl. 1/2

Ob. 1/2

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st Bb Cl.

Bb Cl. 2/3

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2

T. Sx.

B. Sx.

1st Bb Tpt.

Bb Tpt. 2/3

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Timp.

Mallet I
Xyl./Vibes

Bls.

Perc. 1
Sn./Bs. Dr.

Perc. 2
Auxiliary

137

24

Picc. *mf*

Fl. 1/2 *mf*

Ob. 1/2 *mf*

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

1st B. Cl. *mf*

B. Cl. 2/3 *f*

A. Cl.

B. Cl.

C. Alt. Cl.

A. Sx. 1/2 *mf*

T. Sx. *f*

B. Sx.

1st B. Tpt. *ff*

B. Tpt. 2/3 *ff*

1st Hn.

2nd Hn.

Tbn. 1/2

B. Tbn.

Euph.

Tuba

D.B.

Tim. *ff* dampen! dampen! Db to C dampen!

Mallet I Xyl/Vibes *ff* dampen! dampen! dampen!

Bls.

Perc. 1 Sn/Bs. Dr. *ff* choke choke If xtra perc., add Maracas roll here! *fff* choke

Perc. 2 Auxiliary *ff*

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