## THE AMERICAN SPIRIT

MICHAEL STORY (ASCAP)

## INSTRUMENTATION

- I Conductor
- 10 C Flute
- 2 Oboe (Opt. 2nd C Flute)
- 10 B♭ Clarinet
- 2 B Bass Clarinet
- 6 E Alto Saxophone
- 4 Bb Tenor Saxophone
- 2 E Baritone Saxophone
- 8 B Trumpet

- 4 Horn in F
- 6 Trombone/Baritone/Bassoon
- 2 Baritone Treble Clef
- 4 Tuba
- I Mallet Percussion (Bells)
- 2 Percussion I (Snare Drum, Bass Drum)
- 2 Percussion II (Triangle, Suspended Cymbal)

## **PROGRAM NOTES**

"The American Spirit" is a celebration of all who have contributed to make this country great. The earliest pioneers who crossed the rugged plain brought with them a tenacity and fierce desire not only to survive but also to prosper.

Today, millions of Americans—from teachers to firefighters, from astronauts to police officers, from doctors to countless volunteers—share the same dream, the same winning spirit, the American spirit!

**Please note**: Our band and orchestra music is now being collated by an automatic high-speed system. The enclosed parts are now sorted by page count, rather than score order. We hope this will not present any difficulty for you in distributing the parts. Thank you for your understanding.

