Tradition of Excellence™

Excellence in Chamber Music

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Dear Student,

Welcome to TRADITION OF EXCELLENCE: EXCELLENCE IN CHAMBER MUSIC, a collection of fifteen songs in a wide variety of music styles, all arranged for maximum performance flexibility.

The arrangements are written in three parts: **A**, **B**, and **C**. The **A** part is the "melody" part, the **B** part is the "harmony" part, and the **C** part is a "bass line" part. By mixing and matching these parts, each arrangement can be performed in an unlimited number of ways by any combination of band instruments — **A** as a solo; **A** and **B** as a duet; or **A**, **B**, and **C** as a trio. If more than one instrument plays the **A**, **B**, or **C** part, the arrangements can also be performed as quartets, quintets, larger ensembles, percussion ensembles, or even by a full concert band when the percussion parts are included (W40PR). You can also add the Piano/Guitar Accompaniment (W40PG) to any combination to further enhance your performance.

We hope you enjoy EXCELLENCE IN CHAMBER MUSIC.

Best wishes.

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