# PREVIEW SCORE

# NAVY HYMN TRIBUTE NBU 22

for Concert Band

Arranged by Laurie J. Kunzle

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**Medium-Easy** 

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#### ABOUT THE ARRANGER

Laurie J. Kunzle is a composer, performer and educator residing in New Jersey. As a Band Director for over 30 years, Kunzle continues to compose works for instrumental ensembles that students love to play. Her compositions have been performed by the Dallas Wind Symphony, the Ridgewood Concert Band, the Hanover Wind Symphony, and more. She has arranged for the Marching Arts across the U.S. east coast and England. Commissioned works from 1st Presb. Church in White Bear Lk, MN, Ben Franklin Middle School in Ridgewood, NJ, Vernon HS Band in Vernon, NJ and (2022) Ridgewood HS, NJ. For more chamber ensemble music, band compositions, arrangements and commissions, visit www.kunzlemusic.com

Additional concert band selections, grade level medium-easy/medium, by Laurie J. Kunzle available at JWPepper.com

O COME EMMANUEL medium-easy +

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CEREMONIAL MARCH medium-easy +

SAFE HARBOR medium

AMAZING GRACE medium

AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL medium-easy

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## FOR NAVY BAND UNIT 22 80th ANNIVERSARY TRIBUTE DECEMBER 7th 2021

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### **PROGRAM NOTES**

#### TO BE READ IN THE OPENING

On December 7th, 1941, almost half of the casualties at Pearl Harbor occured on the Battleship USS Arizona. Among over one thousand crewmen killed were all 21 members of the Arizona's band, the U.S. Navy Band Unit 22. Most of the band members were up on deck preparing to play for the daily flag raising ceremony when the attack began. They instantly moved to man their battle positions. At no other time in American history has an entire military band died in action. (These 21 chimes are in their honor.)

#### NOTE TO THE CONDUCTOR

The opening two measures can be repeated as needed to include the reading above, overlaying the snare drum, timpani and chimes. A set amount of repeats can be designated (4-6 times) to complete most of the reading. The chimes can continue into the opening phrase to achieve 21 chimes for the number of band members lost. If preferred, read the opening statement before the piece begins. Solo options available to make this piece work best for your ensemble. Choose one solo for each part; Oboe or muted Trumpet, Flute or Alto Saxophone, Bass Clarinet or Bb Clarinet.

On this 80th anniversary of December 7th, 1941, this arrangement is in tribute to NBU 22.

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#### **INSTRUMENTATION**

Flute

Oboe

Bb Clarinet 1

Bb Clarinet 2&3

**Bb** Bass Clarinet

Bassoon

Eb Alto Saxophone 1&2

Bb Tenor Saxophone

Eb Bari Saxophone

Bb Trumpet 1

Bb Trumpet 2

F Horn 1&2

Trombone 1&2

Euphonium

Tuba

Timpani

Chimes

Vibraphone

Snare Drum

Aux. Percussion

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