

MUSIC FOR BRASS BAND

Lady Stewart's Air

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Full Score

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Programme Note

Lady Stewart's Air was commissioned by David King on behalf of the Federation of Australasian Brass Bands as a tribute to Lady Adrienne Stewart.

Lady Stewart has been a long-standing supporter, promoter, fund-raiser and patron of most arts organizations in New Zealand and has strong links with the brass band community in both New Zealand and Australia.

About the Composer

Born in Scotland, Peter Graham read music at Edinburgh and London Universities (Goldsmiths' College) and following spells in publishing in New York and London he is currently Professor of Composition at the University of Salford in Greater Manchester, England.



His music for brass and wind is performed across the globe, from China, Taiwan, Japan, Korea and Singapore in the Far East, across North and South America and in every major European country. Awards include the American Bandmasters Association/Ostwald Award for Original Composition for Symphonic Winds and the Iles Medal of the Worshipful Company of Musicians

Lady Stewart's Air (duration c. 2:30 minutes)

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Andante $\text{♩} = c.72$ poco rit. A a tempo

The score is for a brass and percussion ensemble. It includes parts for Soprano, Solo, Repiano, 2nd, and 3rd Cornet B♭; Flugelhorn; Solo, 1st, and 2nd Horn E♭; 1st and 2nd Baritone B♭; 1st, 2nd, and Bass Trombone; Euphonium B♭; Bass E♭ and Bass B♭; and Percussion 1 and 2. The music is in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The tempo starts at Andante (♩ = c.72), slows to poco rit., and then returns to a tempo. A section marked 'A' begins at the start of the fifth measure. Dynamic markings include mp, mf, and p. Performance instructions include 'One' and 'All' for the Solo Cornet B♭ part. Percussion parts include Cym. (Cymbal) and a drum set.

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Soprano Cornet B \flat

Solo Cornet B \flat

Repiano Cornet B \flat

2nd Cornet B \flat

3rd Cornet B \flat

Flugelhorn

Solo Horn E \flat

1st Horn E \flat

2nd Horn E \flat

1st Baritone B \flat

2nd Baritone B \flat

1st Trombone B \flat

2nd Trombone B \flat

Bass Trombone

Euphonium B \flat

Bass E \flat

Bass B \flat

Percussion 1

Percussion 2

mp

mp

mp

Tri.

mp