

MUSIC FOR BRASS BAND

Phoenix

From War of the Worlds
Peter Graham

Full Score

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About the Music

Phoenix is the fifth and final movement of the suite **War of the Worlds** which was commissioned by the Senzoku Gakuen College of Music Saxophone Orchestra and first performed by them in the Maeda Hall, Japan on June 29 2012, the composer conducting. The music is dedicated to Professor Shin-ichi Iwamoto. The transcription for brass band was first performed by the Brighouse & Rastrick Band, conductor David King, in the Bridgewater Hall Manchester on September 8 2012.

The suite takes inspiration from the 1953 film script adaptation of the famous HG Wells novel and key scenes from the film are set as individual movements:

5) **Phoenix** – saved from extinction, mankind commence the rebuilding of the ruined cities. The symbolism of the Phoenix, the mythological bird which rises reborn from the ashes of destruction clearly resonates with the Japanese people in the aftermath of the devastating tsunami of 2011. Their spirit and determination has become a present day reminder of mankind's ability to overcome adversity.

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

Phoenix (Movement 5 from War of the Worlds) duration c. 3:00 minutes

Full recording available on **War of the Worlds** (DOY CD303) performed by The Brighouse and Rastrick Band conducted by David King.

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Movement V from War of the Worlds

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Allegro risoluto $\text{♩} = \text{c. } 80$

Soprano Cornet E♭

Solo Cornet B♭

Repiano Cornet B♭

2nd Cornet B♭

3rd Cornet B♭

Flugelhorn

Solo Horn E♭

1st Horn E♭

2nd Horn E♭

1st Baritone B♭

2nd Baritone B♭

1st Trombone B♭

2nd Trombone B♭

Bass Trombone

Euphonium B♭

Bass E♭

Bass B♭

Timpani

Xylophone, Glockenspiel

Percussion

A

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Soprano Cornet E♭

Solo Cornet B♭

Repiano Cornet B♭

2nd Cornet B♭

3rd Cornet B♭

Flugelhorn

Solo Horn E♭

1st Horn E♭

2nd Horn E♭

1st Baritone B♭

2nd Baritone B♭

1st Trombone B♭

2nd Trombone B♭

Bass Trombone

Euphonium B♭

Bass E♭

Bass B♭

Timpani

Xylophone, Glockenspiel

Percussion

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Soprano Cornet E♭ *mp cresc.*

Solo Cornet B♭ *f* *fp cresc.*

Repiano Cornet B♭ *mp cresc.* *f* *mp cresc.*

2nd Cornet B♭ *mp cresc.* *f* *mp cresc.*

3rd Cornet B♭ *mp cresc.* *f* *mp cresc.*

Flugelhorn

Solo Horn E♭ *mp cresc.* *f*

1st Horn E♭ *mp cresc.* *f*

2nd Horn E♭ *mp cresc.* *f*

1st Baritone B♭ *mf*

2nd Baritone B♭ *mf*

1st Trombone B♭ *fp* *f* *fp*

2nd Trombone B♭ *fp* *f* *fp*

Bass Trombone *fp* *f* *fp*

Euphonium B♭ *mf*

Bass E♭

Bass B♭

Timpani

Xylophone, Glockenspiel *mp cresc.* *f* *mp cresc.*

Percussion

B

23

Soprano Cornet E♭

Solo Cornet B♭

Repiano Cornet B♭

2nd Cornet B♭ *fp*

3rd Cornet B♭ *fp*

Flugelhorn *fp*

Solo Horn E♭ *mp cresc.*

1st Horn E♭ *mp cresc.*

2nd Horn E♭ *mp cresc.*

1st Baritone B♭ *mp cresc.*

2nd Baritone B♭ *mp cresc.*

1st Trombone B♭ *fp*

2nd Trombone B♭ *fp*

Bass Trombone *mp cresc.*

Euphonium B♭ *mp cresc.*

Bass E♭ *mp cresc.*

Bass B♭ *mp cresc.*

Timpani *mp cresc.*

Xylophone, Glockenspiel

Percussion *mp cresc.*

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Soprano Cornet E♭

Solo Cornet B♭

Repiano Cornet B♭

2nd Cornet B♭

3rd Cornet B♭

Flugelhorn

Solo Horn E♭

1st Horn E♭

2nd Horn E♭

1st Baritone B♭

2nd Baritone B♭

1st Trombone B♭

2nd Trombone B♭

Bass Trombone

Euphonium B♭

Bass E♭

Bass B♭

Timpani

Xylophone,
Glockenspiel

Percussion

mp — mf

mp — mf

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Soprano Cornet E♭

Solo Cornet B♭

Repiano Cornet B♭

2nd Cornet B♭

3rd Cornet B♭

Flugelhorn

Solo Horn E♭

1st Horn E♭

2nd Horn E♭

1st Baritone B♭

2nd Baritone B♭

1st Trombone B♭

2nd Trombone B♭

Bass Trombone

Euphonium B♭

Bass E♭

Bass B♭

Timpani

Xylophone, Glockenspiel

Percussion

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Soprano Cornet E \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

Both

Bass E \flat

Bass B \flat

Timpani

Xylophone,
Glockenspiel

Percussion

