## "I will both lie down and sleep in peace..."

(Psalm 4:8. Psalm 23)



Madison River, West Yellowstone, Wyoming (Photo by Stephen Hill)

Concert Band

(Grade 3-4)

Stephen Hill (ASCAP)



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## **Instrumentation**

Piccolo

Flute 1-2

Oboe

Bb Clarinet 1-3

**Bb Bass Clarinet** 

Bassoon

Eb Alto Saxophone 1-2

Bb Tenor Saxophone

Eb Baritone Saxophone

Bb Trumpet 1-3 (Flugelhorn)

French Horn 1-3

Trombone 1-3

Euphonium

Tuba

**String Bass** 

Timpani

Percussion

(Cymbals)

Mallets

(Vibraphone, Glockenspiel)

Piano

Duration - ca. 5:30



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"I will both lie down and sleep in peace for you alone, Lord, make me live in safety." (Psalm 4:8)

"The Lord is my shepherd; I have what I need. He lets me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside quiet waters. He renews my life; he leads me along the right paths for his name's sake. Even when I go through the darkest valley, I fear no danger, for you are with me; your rod and your staff — they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Only goodness and faithful love will pursue me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord as long as I live." (Psalms 23)

Composed - 2020 Original String Orchestra Version. 2022 Re-orchestrated for Wind Ensemble.

About the Composer... Stephen Hill (b.1958) was born and raised in Southern California. He studied composition with Philip Westin at Cerritos College (CA), W. Francis McBeth at Ouachita Baptist University (Arkansas), and Byong Kon Kim at California State University, Los Angeles. Stephen's studies with these composers connect him to a lineage that includes their teachers, Roy Harris, Ingolf Dahl, Clifton Williams, Bernard Rogers, Bernhard Heiden, and Howard Hanson. Stephen composes for the simple joy of it.

For over 40 years, Stephen taught K-12 instrumental music in the Private Christian School (Whittier Christian) and Public School (California High School) settings. Although semi-retired, Stephen continues to work with students by teaching part-time at California High School and maintaining his private music studio, where he plays and teaches Woodwinds, Brass, Strings, and Piano. Stephen also plays with the church orchestra at Calvary Chapel in La Habra, CA., where Stephen attends. When teaching full-time, he was primarily a "summer" composer. No longer teaching full-time, Stephen has the privilege of composing beyond just the summer months and publishes through his company, SARAHTIM — a title that comes from simply combining the names of his daughter, Sarah, and son, Timothy. (Notes by Dr. John Burdett, Azusa Pacific University)

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"Where there is devotional music, God is always at hand with His gracious presence." J.S.Bach

"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want..." (Psalm 23)

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