



## About the Work

Let your adventures begin with this musical piece, the journey of a lifetime! Beginning with an opening fanfare, the music quickly shifts to 12/8 meter with an unrelenting ostinato pattern in the bass underlying the boisterous melody. You can practically feel the waves of the ocean as you sail your fingers over the piano keys. The music continually builds and intensifies, ending with the ostinato pattern in octaves for both hands – a fitting ending for this whirlwind work! Bon voyage!

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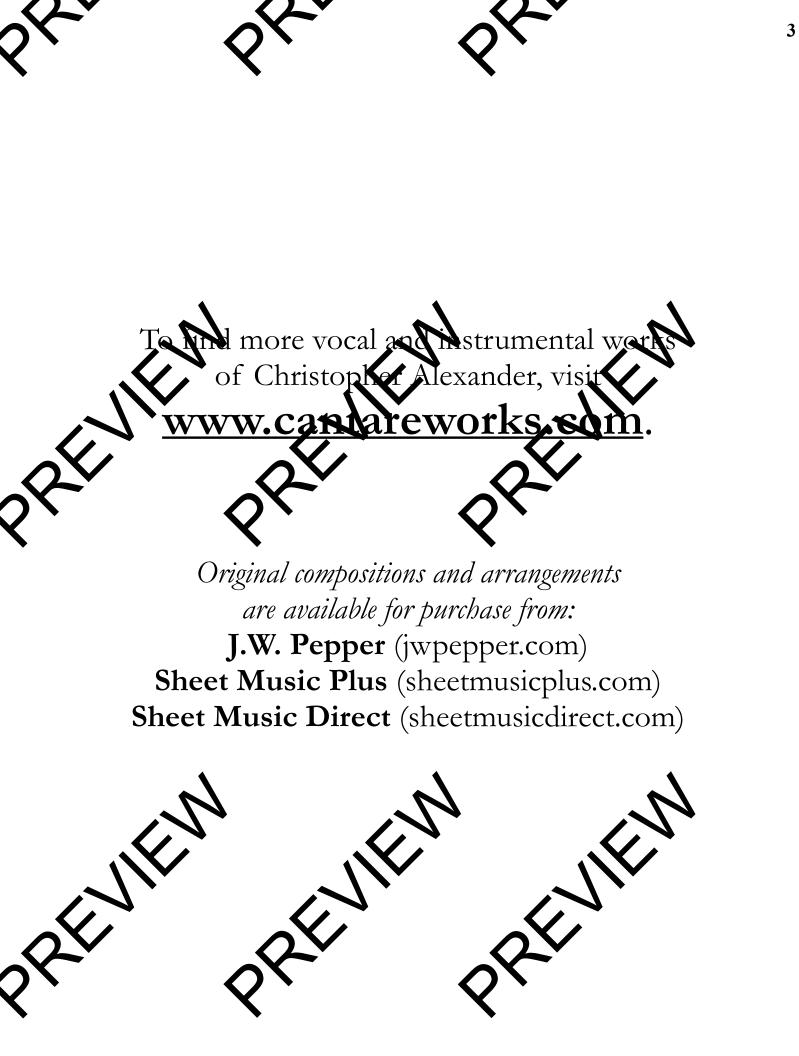
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Mr. Christopher Alexandr is an award-winning composer and arranger from St. Joseph Missouri. He received his Bachelor of Science in Vocal Music Education degree from Missouri Western State University in 2009. A self-taught pianist, his compositions and arrangements ranging from instrumental works to vocal solo and choral literature. Mr. Alexander has been commissioned numerous times by singing groups and church choirs within the northwest Missouri and northeast Kansas regions. He is also active in musical theatre productions as a music director and pianist. His works have been published with GIA Music Publications and Hal Leonard.

In 2016, he was awarded the St. Joseph Allied Arts Council Mayor's Award for Artist of the Year. In 2022, he was inducted into the New Generation Singers Hall of Fame.

Mr. Alexander currently serves as the pianist and primary arranger for The New Generation Singers, a Christian Singing youth group based in St. Joseph, Missouri. He is a number of NAfME ACDA, MCDA, and Phi Mc Apha Sinfonia Fraternity

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