

SATB

Hook

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Arranged by
Christopher Alexander

Solo and SATB, accompanied

Full Score and Parts available separately:

*Tenor Saxophone, 2 Trumpets in B-flat, Trombone, Piano,
Electric Guitar, Bass Guitar, Synthesizer, and Drums*

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About the Work

The independent-rock group Blues Traveler pulled out all the stops with this 1990's hit. Overlaying a chord sequence similar to that of Johann Pachelbel's *Canon in D*, the ingenious lyrics at their unfathomable fast pace will captivate your audience and show off the skills of your impressive lyrical soloist. The melody lines and harmonica solos have been simplified to be more easily comprehensible and teachable, but still provides some challenges to keep it within the spirit of the original song. With supportive vocals from the choir, this will no doubt be a standout hit at your next concert.

About the Arranger



Mr. Christopher Alexander 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 2007. 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, Hal Leonard, and Excelcia Music Publishing.

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 member of NAFME, ACDA, MCDA, and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity.

He is available for commissions and conducting events on request.

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Words and Music by
JOHN POPPER

90's Indie Rock (♩ = 80)

ACCOMP.

f

A E F#m C#

3

A D E

5 SOLO *mf*

8 It does - n't mat - ter what I say,

5

A E F#m C#

mf

7

8 so long as I sing with in - flect - ion.

7

D A D E

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9
8 That makes you feel I'll con - vey

9 A E F#m C#

11
8 some in - ner truth of van - re - flect - ion.

11 D A D E

13
8 But I've said no - thing so far,

13 A E F#m C#

15
8 and I can keep it up for as long as it takes

15 A D

17
8 And it don't mat - ter who you are, _____

17 A E F#m C#

19
8 if I'm do - ing my job, _____ it's your re - solve _____ that breaks. _____ Be - cause the

19 D D E

21 SOLO *f*
8 hook brings _____ you back. _____

SOPRANO, ALTO *f*
The hook, it brings you back. _____

TENOR, BASS *f*
The hook, it brings you back. _____

21 A E F#m C#

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23

8 I ain't tell - in' you ___ no lie. _____ The

I ain't tell - in' you no lies. _____

23

D A D E

25

8 hook brings you ___ back, _____

The hook brings you, it brings you back, _____

25

A E F#m C#

27 *(Solo tacet to m. 65)*

on that you can re - ly.

on that you can re - ly.

27 D A D

on that you can re - ly.

on that you can re - ly.

29 *mf unis.*

There is some - thing a - miss.

There is some - thing a - miss.

29 A E F#m C#

There is some - thing a - miss.

There is some - thing a - miss.

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unis. *mf*



I am be - ing in - sin - cere. _____

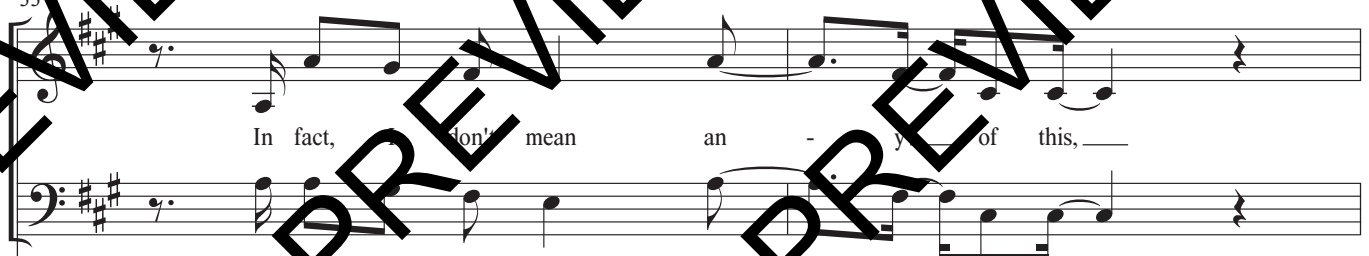
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D A D E



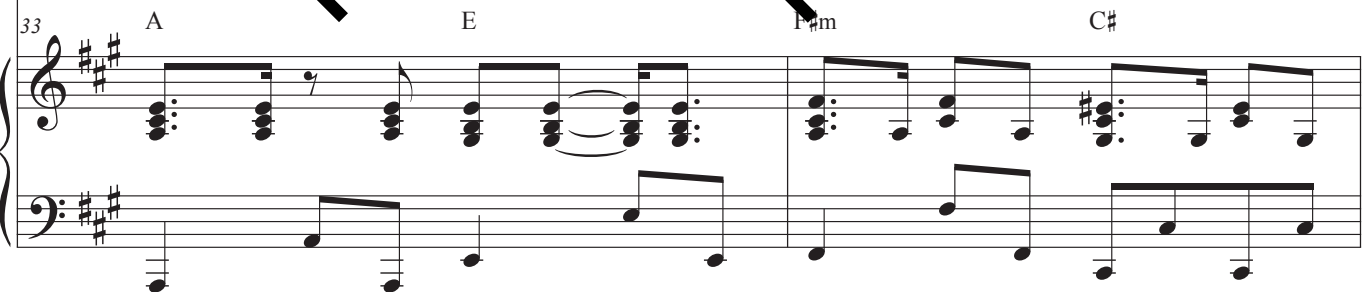
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In fact, don't mean an - y of this, _____



33

A E F#m C#



35

still my con - fes - sion draws _____ you near. _____



35

A D

