

The United States
AIR FORCE BAND
WASHINGTON, D. C.



Such Brave
DEFENDERS



Colonel Dennis M. Layendecker, Commander and Music Director

AMERICA'S INTERNATIONAL MUSICAL AMBASSADORS

MAX IMPACT

1. That's Why (3:20)

Composed SMSgt John Henley****
MSgt Matthew Ascione, guitar

2. Holding On (5:06)

Composed MSgt Regina Coonrod****/
CMSgt Larry MacTaggart****
MSgt Matthew Ascione, guitar
TSgt Tedd Baker, tenor saxophone

3. Rock This House (4:09)

Composed CMSgt Larry MacTaggart****
MSgt Matthew Ascione, guitar

SILVER WINGS

4. Free (4:48)

Composed MSgt Matthew Ascione**** /
MU1 Ira Ostrowski***
SMSgt John Henley, keyboards
TSgt Dennis Hoffman, drums

5. When They Come Home (4:24)

Composed MSgt Matthew Ascione****/
Travis James Humphrey****/MU1 Ira Ostrowski***
MU1 Ira Ostrowski***, background vocal

6. Up High (3:59)

Composed MSgt Matthew Ascione****
MU1 Ira Ostrowski***, background vocal

THE ARMEN OF NOTE

7. God Bless America (2:53)

Composed Irving Berlin; Arr. John Clayton;
Adapt. LCDR John Fluck (Ret.)**
TSgt Paige Wroble, vocal
TSgt Tedd Baker, tenor saxophone

8. Amazing Grace (6:21)

Composed James P. Carrell/David S. Clayton;
Lyrics John Newton; Arr. MSgt Alan Baylock****
TSgt Paige Wroble, vocal
MSgt Kevin Burns, trumpet
TSgt Brian MacDonald, trumpet

9. Battle Hymn of the Republic (5:22)

Composed John William Steffe;
Lyrics Julia Ward Howe;
Arr. MSgt Eric Richards (Ret.)*
TSgt Paige Wroble, vocal
CMSgt Joe Eckert, alto saxophone

10. Change the World (6:55)

Composed Tommy Simms/Gordon Kenney/
Wayne Fitzpatrick; Lyrics Eric Clapton;
Arr. MSgt Joe Jackson****
TSgt Paige Wroble, vocal
TSgt Tedd Baker, tenor saxophone
MSgt Rich Sigler, trumpet
MSgt Joe Jackson, trombone
MSgt Paul Henry, bass

HIGH FLIGHT

11. Sally Ann (5:01)

Composed Adrienne Kirkey;
Arr. TSgt Dennis Hoffmann****
MSgt Matthew Ascione, guitar
TSgt Jonathan McPherson, piano

12. The Silence of This Moment (3:49)

Composed Adrienne Kirkey
MSgt Matthew Ascione, guitar
TSgt Jonathan McPherson, piano

13. Let Freedom Swing (2:12)

Composed SMSgt Chris Kosky****;
Arr. TSgt Jonathan McPherson****
/TSgt Christin Foley***
MSgt Tim Leahey, trumpet
TSgt Jonathan McPherson, piano

14. America the Beautiful (4:43)

Composed Samuel A. Ward;
Arr. TSgt Jonathan McPherson****
TSgt Jonathan McPherson, piano

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— **President George W. Bush**, Memorial Day, 2005, Arlington National Cemetery

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