Middle School Band Literature......

A sample of some favorite teaching pieces!

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Grade 1
1. As Winds Dance – Sam Hazo
2. Prehistoric Suite – Paul Jennings
3. Clouds – Anne McGinty
4. Whirlwind – Jodie Blackshaw

Grade 2
5. Song for Friends – Larry Daehn
6. Ancient Voices – Michael Sweeney
7. The Red Balloon – Anne McGinty
8. Psalm 42 – Sam Hazo
9. Chant and Savage Dance – Brian Balmages
10. A Childhood Hymn – David Holsinger
11. Joy – Frank Ticheli
12. Portrait of a Clown – Frank Ticheli
13. Soldiers Procession and Sword Dance – Bob Margolis

Grade 3
14. The Great Locomotive Chase – Robert W. Smith
15. Simple Gifts – Frank Ticheli
16. Rhythm Machine – Timothy Broege
17. Encanto – Robert W. Smith
18. Among the Clouds – Brian Balmages
20. Not Afraid to Dream – Brian Balmages
21. Ascend – Sam Hazo
22. Voices of the Sky – Sam Hazo
23. The Road Unknown – Richard Meyer
24. Moscow 1941 – Brian Balmages
25. Rhythm Stand – Jennifer Higdon
26. A Child’s Embrace – Charles Young
27. Each Time You Tell Their Story – Sam Hazo
28. Belle Qui Tiens Ma Vie – Bob Margolis
29. Abracadabra – Frank Ticheli
30. Air For Band – Frank Erickson