

**2008 ASTA Alternative Styles New Music Reading Session**  
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**Chris Ishee piano, Luis Guerra bass, Rick Compton drums**

<b>NAME</b>	<b>Composer/Arranger</b>	<b>INSTRUMENTATION</b>	<b>LEVEL</b>	<b>PRICE</b>	<b>PUBLISHER</b>
Puerto de Libertad (Port of Freedom)	Randy Sabien	String Ensemble/Rhythm Section/guitar/percussio./Improvisation option	Grade 2	\$47	Alfred
Scalin' Back	Matt Turner	String Ensemble/piano/ Improvisation Section	Easy/Medium Easy	\$40	Carl Fischer
Mercy, Mercy, Mercy	Joseph Zawinul, Arr. Bert Ligon	String Orchestra/Rhythm Section/Improvisation Section	Intermediate Grade 3	\$50	Latham/Lorenz
Every Breath You Take	Gordon M. Sumner (Sting) Arr. John Reed	String Ensemble	Easy/Intermediate	\$30-\$35	Mona Lisa Sound
Les Quebecois	Trad. French Canadian Arr. Andrew Dabczynski	String Ensemble/Piano/Improvisation	Level 2.5	\$47	Alfred
Crossroad	Reynard Burns	String Ensemble/ Rhythm Section/ Improvisation	Intermediate	\$35	Reynard Burns Free Flight Music
Obsidian	Thom Sharp	String Orchestra / Drums/ Solo violin improvisation	Intermediate Grade 3	\$45	Sharp Mountain Music/Lorenz
Brown County Breakdown	Traditional Arr. Cristina Seaborn	String Ensemble/ Piano	Intermediate/Adv.	\$35	Cristina Seaborn
I Got Rhythm	George and Ira Gershwin Arr. Bert Ligon	String Ensemble/ Rhythm Section/ Improvisation Section	Intermediate Level 3.5	\$60	Alfred
Bling	Alan Bernstein	String Ensemble/ Rhythm Section/ Improvisation Section	Intermediate/Adv.	\$40	Alan Bernstein
Bach's Lunch	J.S. Bach Arr. Danny Seidenberg	String Ensemble/Improvisation	Grade 4	\$47	Alfred

Mi Negra (My Dear)	Jesus Florido Arr. Jesus Florido and Belford Hernandez	String Ensemble/ Rhythm Section/ Percussion	Level 3.5	\$47	Alfred
Creaking Tree	Darol Anger Arr. Bob Phillips	String Ensemble/ Harp or Piano	Grade 3.5	\$55	Alfred
La Rue	Norine Castine	String Ensemble (14 separate parts)/ Rhythm Section/Improvisation	Grade 3-4	\$50	NAC Music Publisher
Car and Van	Mimi Rabson	String Ensemble/ Improvisation	Intermediate/Adv.	\$40	Meemzmusic
St. Louis Blues/ Some of These Days	W.C. Handy/ Sheldon Brooks Arr. Jeremy Cohen	String Quartet/String Ensemble / Improvisation	Intermediate/Adv.	\$14.95	Strings Letter Publishing
Take the A Train	Billy Strayhorn Arr. Bert Ligon	String Orchestra/ Rhythm Section/ Improvisation	Intermediate Grade 3	\$45	Kendor
Isma'a	Trad. Arabic Arr. Leanne Darling	String Ensemble	Grade 3	\$47	Alfred
Hannah	Ruth Roland	String Quartet/Ensemble (no bass)	Advanced	\$15	Water Bear Music
Road Swing	Reynard Burns	String Ensemble/ Rhythm Section/ Improvisation	Intermediate/Adv.	\$35	Reynard Burns Free Flight Music
Nanigo	Thom Sharp	String Orchestra/ Drums	Grade 3	\$45	Sharp Mountain Music/ Lorenz
Lebedika Honga (A Lively Honga)	Trad. Klezmer Arr. Julie Lyonn Lieberman	String Ensemble	Grade 3.5	\$47	Alfred
El Jabali (The Boar)	Trad. Mexican Arr. Mark Hellum	String Ensemble	Grade 4	\$45	Col Legno Music

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(see Alfred Publishing)**

## ASTA ALTERNATIVE STYLES READING SESSION 3/08

We want to thank everyone who submitted music for this year's session, and we wish we could have played all of it! This list includes all the additional submissions for you to explore. The publishers' websites and other information are listed on the Publisher page of this handout. Also special thanks to our rhythm section: Chris Ishee, Luis Guerra, and Rick Compton, and to the IAJE String Caucus for funding them.

### Sharp Mountain Music/Lorenz

"Sue's Blues" by Thom Sharp  
"Igneous Rock" by Thom Sharp

### Northfield Press

"Denim" by William Rich

### Kendor Music

"The Days of Wine and Roses"  
by Mancini and Mercer/ arr.  
Jarvis

"That Old Black Magic" by  
Mercer and Arlen/ arr .Niehaus

### FJH Music Company

"Fiddle O'Finnegan" by Keith  
Sharp

"Calypso" by Martin Norgaard

"The Wild Western Frontier"  
by Soon Hee Newbold

"Sourwood Mountain" trad. Arr  
by Carrie Lane Gruselle

### Latham Music/Lorenz

"Island Breezes" by Mary Alice  
Rich

"Little Sunflower" by Freddie  
Hubbard, arr. Bert Ligon

### Col Legno Music

Polish Mountain Rhapsody by  
Mark Hellum

### String Letter Publishing

"Three Themes for Steel Guitar,  
String Quartet, and String  
Orchestra" by Alex De Grassi  
and Jeremy Cohen

"Swing Jazz Violin with Hot Club  
Rhythm" (various artists) by  
Jeremy Cohen and Dix Bruce

### Frank M. Rogers Music

"Crank It Up, Shut It Down!" by  
Frank M. Rogers

"Rock the Bow, Baby" by Frank  
M. Rogers

### Reynard Burns/ Free Flight Music

"Country Blue" by Reynard  
Burns

"Apple Snap" by Reynard Burns

"Latin Flair" by Reynard Burns

"Strunk" by Reynard Burns

"Stralsa" by Reynard Burns

### Meemzmusic

"House Hoppin" by Mimi Rabson

### Mona Lisa Sound

"Carry on Wayward Son" by  
Kerry Livgren (Kansas)/arr. John  
Reid for Hampton String Quartet

### Carl Fischer Publisher

"Amadare" (Raindrops) by Keiko  
Yamada

"Bluegrass Blowout" by Carl  
Strommen

"Toss the Feathers" trad. Arr. by  
Sean O'Loughlin

"Bananna Boogie" by Doris  
Gazda

"You Rock!" by Matt Turner

### Cristina Seaborn Music

"Double Bass Bride's Polska"  
trad. Arr by Cristina Seaborn

### Waterbear Music

"Bob" by Mer Boel, arr. Ruth  
Roland

"Deandre" by Ruth Roland

"Ann" by Mer Boel, arr. Ruth  
Roland

### Fiddlistics Music/ Alfred

"Chopagroove" by Darol Anger

### Alfred Publishers

"Tam Lyn" trad. Scottish arr. by  
Crystal Plohman/Bob Phillips

"Music for Found Harmonium"  
by Simon Jeffes, arr. Andrew  
Dabczynski

"Folk Dance from Provence"  
trad. Arr. by Julie Lyonn  
Lieberman

"Midnight's Celtic Run" by Julie  
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"Rockin' It" by Julie Lyonn  
Lieberman

"Summertime" by  
Gershwin/Heyward/Gershwin  
arr. by Bert Ligon

"Bossa Verde" by Bert Ligon

"Reggae Jingle Bells" trad., arr.  
by Brian Q. Torff

"Washburn County" by Randy  
Sabien

"Danny Rocks: A Celtic  
Explosion" trad. Arr. by Bob  
Phillips

"Folk Dance From Provence"  
Trad. Arr. by Julie Lyonn  
Lieberman