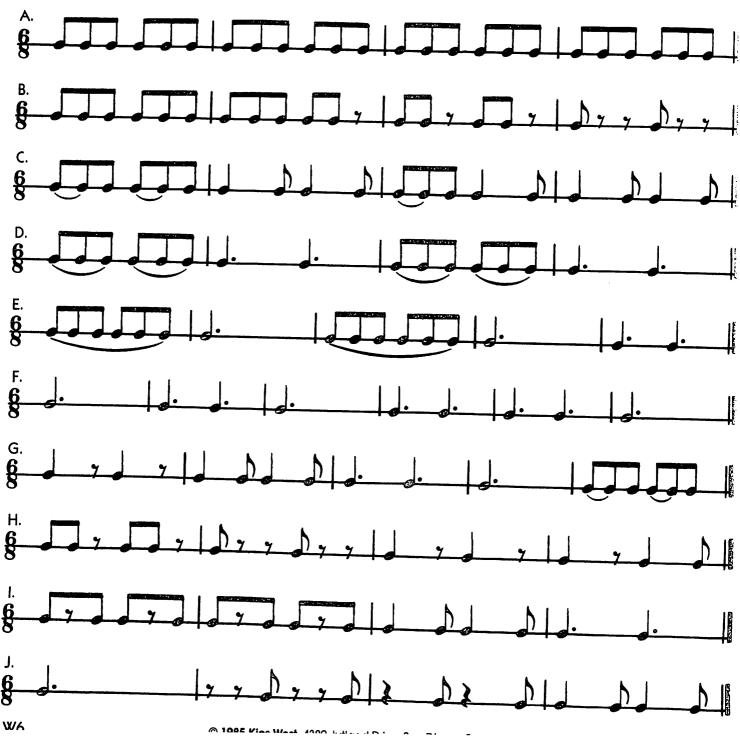
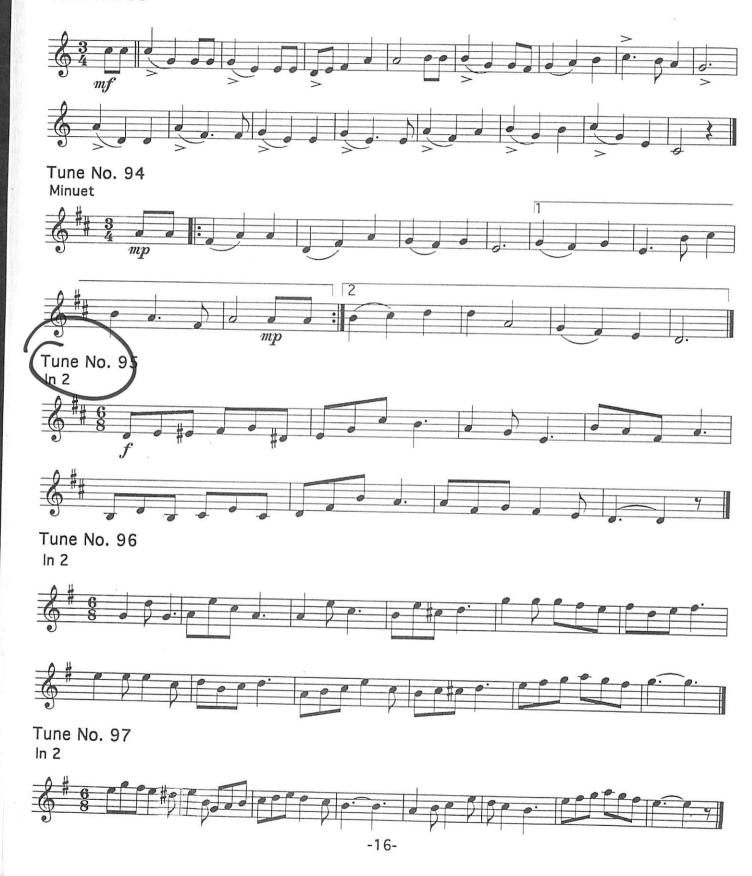


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## **Living Composer Paper 12.2**

You will write a minimum two page paper about a band composer who is currently living. This paper needs to be typed and double spaced with 12 point font. The paper needs to including the following information: where he/she was born and raised, background in music (did they grow up playing an instrument in school? Piano lessons? Does music run in the family?), where he/she was educated and what he/she studied, background in composition, current position (teacher at a university? Full time composer? Conductor of a symphony or band?), typical grade level of music written, typical style of music written, and any other interesting facts about the person.

After you have given a thorough background of the composer, you will then give information about a specific piece he/she has written. Information about the piece to include: title, date written, who it was commissioned by or written for, grade level, style of the music, how many movements (if any), background of the piece (is it written about someone/something? Is it meant to portray a specific emotion or event?), your thoughts on the piece, and finally a link to a recording of the piece.

If you include all information asked for above, you should have no issues filling up two pages. Please write in complete sentences and with correct grammar.