

Roland Barber Quintet

Ensemble members:

NAME	INSTRUMENT
Roland Barber	Trombone
Rahsaan Barber	Saxophones
Ulysses Owens	Drums
John Benitez	Bass
Bruce Dudley	Piano

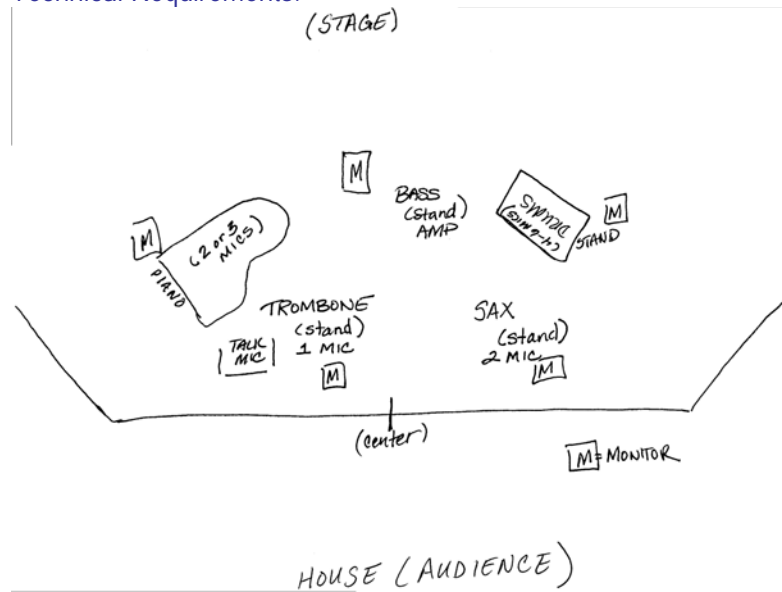
Title of the commissioned work: Songs of the Village

Composer's Statement:

"Songs of the Village" is a collection of nine songs composed and arranged by trombonist Roland Barber. Each song is in some way a musical portrait or story that comes out of the composer's treasured experiences with family members and loved ones. This new work features the Roland Barber Quintet. At the heart of that ensemble lie gifted rhythm section players like Ulysses Owens, John Benitez, and Bruce Dudley, who faithfully prioritize interaction and broad, deep supportive musicality above individual showmanship, as well as the melodic partnership and gifted interplay between Roland Barber and his twin brother, Rahsaan Barber, an accomplished multi-saxophonist.

Length of the work: 90 minutes
 Recording: Please contact the artist directly.

Technical Requirements:



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