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## Homage à Michael Kamen

Listen to our latest audio demo in the MUSIC menu of our website, a virtual version of [Michael Kamen's "Quintet"](#)!

"Quintet" was originally commissioned by the popular and eclectic Canadian Brass ensemble and was completed by Michael Kamen just prior to his passing. Jay Bacal, who many of you might still remember for his legendary virtual version of Stravinsky's *Rite of Spring* in 2009, recently performed and recorded this reflective piece exclusively with these *Vienna Instruments*: [Trumpet in Bb](#), [Tenor Trombone](#), [Viennese Horn](#), and [Bass Tuba](#).

What's more, Jay has also provided the Cubase Project File and a standard MIDI file that you can download [here](#). Load the MIDI tracks into your sequencer, listen and learn how Jay managed to get an authentic brass ensemble sound. And just remember: All single instruments included in our Brass bundle are now available at 25% off their regular price!

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Three-times Grammy Award winner Michael Kamen studied oboe at the Juilliard School in New York and started his tremendous career as a session musician and arranger in pop and rock music, collaborating with artists such as Bryan Adams, David Bowie, Eric Clapton, Bon Jovi, Pink Floyd, Kate Bush, Metallica and Queen.

In 1976, Kamen started to write music for film and television series. Before his untimely passing in 2003 he had scored over 60 movies, including the James Bond feature *License to Kill*, *Robin Hood – Prince of Thieves* (featuring Bryan Adams on the hit song "Everything I Do"), *The Three Musketeers*, *Last Action Hero*, *Die Hard 1–3*, *Mr. Holland's Opus*, *101 Dalmatians*, *Lethal Weapon 1–4*, *X-Men*, *Band of Brothers* and many more. He died of a presumed heart attack on November 18, 2003, at the age of 55.



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Best wishes from Vienna,

– Your Vienna Symphonic Library Team