

Variations On Great Trumpet Methods

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Lesson Plan

The following four lesson plans work with my book “Variations On Great Trumpet Methods”.

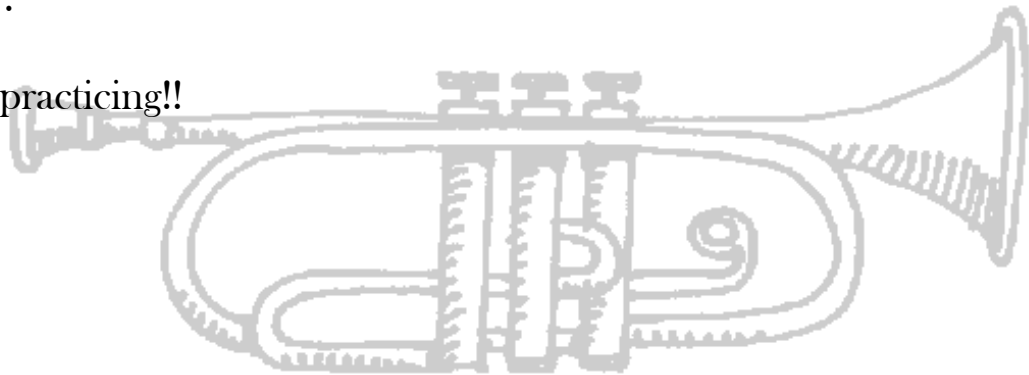
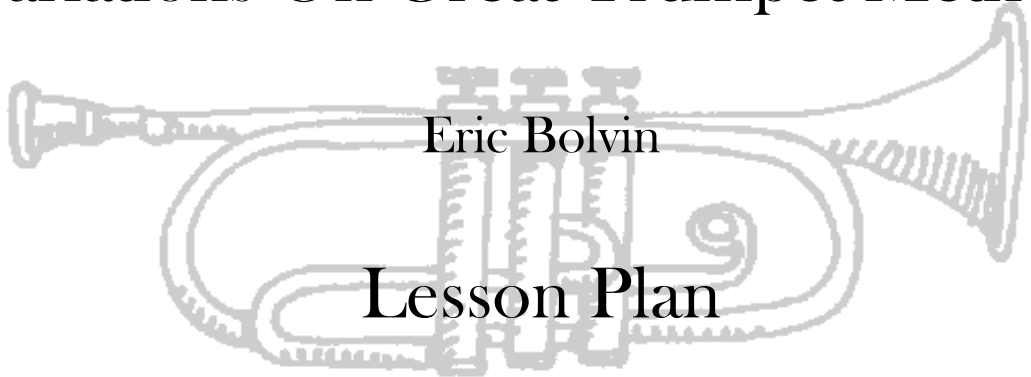
After publishing the book, there were many requests for guidance on how to use all this great material so I came up with four 16-19 week plans for Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced and Professional levels.

These are really just starting points for players and teachers, so feel free to augment the plans with outside material.

Variations On Great Trumpet Methods is an exercise book and does not contain any actual pieces of music, therefore each lesson ends with “Play Music!”.

Happy practicing!!

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Beginner Lesson Plan

Week 1

- I. Schlosberg Warm-Up # 1&2
- II. First Flexibilities #1
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of C #1&2.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 2

- I. Schlosberg Warm-Up # 1-3
- II. First Flexibilities #2
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of C #3&4.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 3

- I. Schlosberg Warm-Up # 1-4
- II. First Flexibilities #3
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of C #5.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 4

- I. Schlosberg Warm-Up # 1-5
- II. First Flexibilities #1A
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of C #6-8.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 5

- I. Schlosberg Warm-Up # 1-6
- II. First Flexibilities #2A
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of C # 9.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 6

- I. Schlosberg Warm-Up # 1-7
- II. First Flexibilities #3A
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of G #1&2.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 7

- I. Schlosberg Warm-Up # 1-8
- II. First Flexibilities #1B
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of G #3&4.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 8

- I. Schlosberg Warm-Up # 1-8
- II. First Flexibilities #2B
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of G #5.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 9

- I. Schlosberg #31 AB
- II. First Flexibilities #3B
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of G #6-8.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 10

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABC
- II. First Flexibilities #1C
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of G #9.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 11

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCD
- II. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1 Key of C
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of Bb # 1&2.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 12

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDE
- II. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1 Key of D
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of Bb #3&4.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 13

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDEF
- II. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1 Key of Eb
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of Bb #5.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 14

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDEFG
- II. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1 Key of F
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of Bb #6-8.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 15

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDEFGH
- II. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1 Key of G
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of Bb # 9.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 16

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDEFGH
- II. The Clarke Variations. Study 1, Variation 1
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of D # 1&2.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 17

- I. Schlosberg #13AB
- II. The Clarke Variations. Study 1, Variation 1&2
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of D #3&4.
- IV. Play Music!

Week 18

- I. Schlosberg #13ABC
- II. The Clarke Variations. Study 1, Variations 1-3
- III. The Complete Arban Scales. Key of D #5.
- IV. Play Music!

Intermediate Lesson Plan

Week 1

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 ABC
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. As written.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. As Written.
- V. Play Music!

Week 2

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 ABCD
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. As written.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 1.
- V. Play Music!

Week 3

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 EFG
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 1.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 2.
- V. Play Music!

Week 4

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 EFGH
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 2.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 3.
- V. Play Music!

Week 5

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 EFGHI
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 3.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 4.
- V. Play Music!

Week 6

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 EFGHI
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 4.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 4 slurred.
- V. Play Music!

Week 7

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 JKL
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 5.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 5.
- V. Play Music!

Week 8

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 JKLM
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 6.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 5 slurred.
- V. Play Music!

Week 9

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 JKLMN
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 7.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 6.
- V. Play Music!

Week 10

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #13 JKLMN
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 8.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 7.
- V. Play Music!

Week 11

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #31 ABCD
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 8 Tongue.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 7 slurred.
- V. Play Music!

Week 12

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #31 ABCDEF
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 9.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 8.
- V. Play Music!

Week 13

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Schlossberg #31 ABCDEFGH
- III. 26 Pedal Tone Studies. Variation 9 Tongue.
- IV. 12 Range Studies. Variation 9.
- V. Play Music!

Week 14

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Note Bends 1. 1ABC
- III. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #38
- IV. The Clarke Variations. #1-19 tongued
- V. Play Music!

Week 15

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Note Bends 1. 1ABC, 2ABC
- III. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #47
- IV. The Clarke Variations. #1-25 tongued
- V. Play Music!

Week 16

- I. The Seven-Minute Warm-Up (See video)
- II. Note Bends 1. 1ABC, 2ABC
- III. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #48
- IV. The Clarke Variations. #1-33 tongued
- V. Play Music!

Advanced Lesson Plan

Week 1

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCD
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1, key of C.
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #1
- V. Play Music!

Week 2

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCD
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1, key of Db
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #2
- V. Play Music!

Week 3

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDEF
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1, key of D
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #3
- V. Play Music!

Week 4

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDEF
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1, key of Eb
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #4
- V. Play Music!

Week 5

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDEFGH
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1, key of E
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #5
- V. Play Music!

Week 6

- I. Schlosberg #31 ABCDEFGH
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1, key of F.
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #6
- V. Play Music!

Week 7

- I. Schlosberg #13 ABCD
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 1, key of F#
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #7
- V. Play Music!

Week 8

- I. Schlosberg #13 ABCD
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 2, key of C
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #8
- V. Play Music!

Week 9

- I. Schlosberg #13 EFGH
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 2, key of Db
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #9
- V. Play Music!

Week 10

- I. Schlosberg #13 EFGH
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 2, key of D
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #10
- V. Play Music!

Week 11

- I. Schlosberg #13 EFGHI
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 2, key of Eb
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #11
- V. Play Music!

Week 12

- I. Schlosberg #13 EFGHI
- II. The Arban Scales. One key each day.
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 2, key of E
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #12
- V. Play Music!

Week 13

- I. Schlosberg #13 JKLM
- II. The Clarke Variations #1-31. Tongue
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 2, key of F
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #13
- V. Play Music!

Week 14

- I. Schlosberg #13 JKLM
- II. The Clarke Variations #1-31. Slur
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 2, key of F#
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #14
- V. Play Music!

Week 15

- I. Schlosberg #13 JKLMN
- II. The Clarke Variations #34-47. Tongue
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 3, key of C
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #15
- V. Play Music!

Week 16

- I. Schlosberg #13 JKLMN
- II. The Clarke Variations #34-53. Tongue
- III. St. Jacome Intervals For Range. Exercise 3, key of Db
- IV. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #16
- V. Play Music!

Professional Lesson Plan

Week 1

- I. The Stamp Variations. Exercise 3.
- II. CG Tongue Level #1&2
- III. The Clarke Variations #1-31 Tongue
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #38
- V. Play Music!

Week 3

- I. The Stamp Variations. Exercise 3, 3A.
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-3
- III. The Clarke Variations #1-31 Slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #40
- V. Play Music!

Week 4

- I. The Stamp Variations. Exercise 3, 3B, 3C
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-4
- III. The Clarke Variations #34-65 tongue
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #41
- V. Play Music!

Week 5

- I. The Stamp Variations. Exercise 3, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4.
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-5
- III. The Clarke Variations #34-65 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #44
- V. Play Music!

Week 6

- I. The Stamp Variations. Exercise 3, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4, 4A.
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-6
- III. The Clarke Variations #66-95 tongue
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #45
- V. Play Music!

Week 7

- I. The Stamp Variations. Exercise 3, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4, 4A, 4B
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-7
- III. The Clarke Variations #66-95 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #46
- V. Play Music!

Week 8

- I. The Stamp Variations. 3, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4, 4A, 4B, 5
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-8
- III. The Clarke Variations #96-119 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #47
- V. Play Music!

Week 9

- I. The Stamp Variations. 3, 3A, 3B, 3C, 4, 4A, 4B, 5, 5A
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-9
- III. The Clarke Variations #96-147 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #48
- V. Play Music!

Week 10

- I. The Stamp Variations. All
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-10
- III. The Clarke Variations #148-179 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #49
- V. Play Music!

Week 11

- I. The Stamp Variations. All
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-10
- III. The Clarke Variations #180-191 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #51B
- V. Play Music!

Week 12

- I. The Stamp Variations. All
- II. CG Tongue Level #1-10
- III. The Clarke Variations #196-219 tongue
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #52A
- V. Play Music!

Week 13

- I. The Stamp Variations. All
- II. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #18-22
- III. The Clarke Variations #196-219 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #52B
- V. Play Music!

Week 14

- I. The Stamp Variations. All
- II. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #23-26
- III. The Clarke Variations #220-234 tongue
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #52C
- V. Play Music!

Week 15

- I. The Stamp Variations. All
- II. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #27-30
- III. The Clarke Variations #220-234 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #52D
- V. Play Music!

Week 16

- I. The Stamp Variations. All
- II. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #40-43
- III. The Clarke Variations #235-253 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #52E
- V. Play Music!

Week 17

- I. The Stamp Variations. All
- II. The Complete St. Jacome Flexibilities #44-46
- III. The Clarke Variations #254-271 slur
- IV. The Complete Schlossberg Intervals #55-1
- V. Play Music!