

Bass Drum

God Bless America

for Marching Band

Irving Berlin
arr. Drake

Majestic ♩ = 112

2

5

mf

10

13

19

21

25

27

29

molto rit.

33

The image shows the bass drum part of a marching band score for 'God Bless America'. It consists of four staves of music. The first staff begins with a 'Majestic' tempo marking and a tempo of 112 beats per minute, indicated by a quarter note. A '2' is written above the first measure, and a '5' is in a box above the fifth measure. The music is in 4/4 time, as indicated by the '4/4' time signature. The first staff has a measure rest for two measures, followed by a series of eighth notes and quarter notes. The second staff starts at measure 10 and continues with a similar rhythmic pattern. The third staff starts at measure 19 and includes a measure rest for two measures. The fourth staff starts at measure 27 and includes a measure rest for two measures. The piece concludes with a final double bar line and a repeat sign. The dynamic marking *mf* (mezzo-forte) is present in the first staff, and *molto rit.* (molto ritardando) is present in the fourth staff.