

Dinos Constantinides

The Frog Prince

for Reader and string orchestra

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Duration: 12 minutes

The Frog Prince is adapted by Judy Constantinides from a Grimm's fairy tale.

The Frog Prince is the tenth in a series of musical stories for children, involving small ensembles, reader, and solo instruments. **The Dancing Turtle** (1999), **The Singing Cucaracha** (2000), **Lazy Jack** (2001), **The Penguin Parade** (2002), **The Dancing Shoes** (2003) **Anansi and the Hat Shaking Dance** (2006), **The Cat that Walked by Himself** (2007) **How the Camel Got His Hump** (2008), and **The Magic Pot** (2010) are the previous pieces in the series.

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The music of Dinos Constantinides has been performed throughout the world. He is the recipient of many grants, commissions and awards, including first prize in the 1981 Brooklyn College International Chamber Opera Competition and the 1985 First Midwest Chamber Opera Conference. He also received the 1985 American New Music Consortium Distinguished Service Award, the 1989 Glen Award of l'Ensemble of New York, several Meet the Composer grants and numerous ASCAP Standard Awards. In the 1994 he was honored with a Distinguished Teacher White House Commission on Presidential Scholars.

Judy Constantinides has been a storyteller and children's librarian for over forty years. She has a BA in English from the University of Rochester and an M. S. in Library Service from Columbia University. She is recently retired from the East Baton Rouge Parish Library where she worked as a Children's Librarian for over 14 years, serving as Head of Children's Services at Bluebonnet Regional Branch Library for six years. She also reviews children's books for the *School Library Journal*, and appears as storyteller often with the Louisiana Sinfonietta.