

# Philharmonic Poet and Peasant Recording

The eventual goal is to make a full length recording of our Poet and Peasant Overture (Suppe) as a virtual orchestra. I would like everyone to practice and record a specific section from the Suppe this week. I will edit together your recordings as a trial for a much longer project. If it works, we will try to record the entire piece this way!

## What you will need:

- A **recording device** (your phone is a good option, just use the “voice memo” app or similar that records only audio, no visual)
- A **playback device** that can play the YouTube recording through headphones, so you can listen to the YouTube recording as you make a recording of yourself playing along (your computer or iPad for example)
- Headphones to plug into your playback device
- Your instrument and music

**EXCERPT:** Poet and Peasant Overture, from the beginning and ending with the fermata in measure 51. Here’s what to do:

1. Practice your part with the YouTube recording, paying close attention to tempo and ensemble. Stay right with the recording as you practice! The link to the recording is here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WrnfguljYj4&feature=youtu.be>

2. Put your headphones on, and plug them into your playback device. Begin recording and press “Play” on the YouTube simultaneously! This will take a couple of tries, so practice starting the two devices at precisely that same time. We are splicing all these recordings together, so keep counting and recording through the rests. For those musicians resting from measure 39-51, you may stop recording you’re your music ends.

3. When you are happy with your recording, send it to me by Sunday, May 3, no later than 8 pm. My email address is [bottellirm@gmail.com](mailto:bottellirm@gmail.com)

Best of luck, see you Monday,

Dr. Bottelli