## Prince of Denmark's March

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## **Trumpet Voluntary**

Composed in London around 1700 for harpsicord or wind ensemble by the Baroque English organist and composer Jeremiah Clarke (1674-1707), Prince of Denmark's March is a very popular piece played at weddings. Often called Trumpet Voluntary this march is typically performed on piccolo trumpet and organ in the key of D major. To learn this piece begin playing it as is in the key of C major (Bb concert) paying close attention to the notations. Once comfortable add the trills and ornaments then transpose up a third for Bb trumpet in D or up a forth for piccolo in A. The pieces form alternates between the (A) section and bridge sections (B) and (C) before the recap of the melody (D) but can be modified.

