

## **GUIDE TO MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS IN *DESERT DREAMS*** listed in order of appearance in the film

**OPENER** :: *view of Planet Earth, zoom to Sonoran Desert*

- Southwest Desert Rim Flute

### **DRY SUMMER:**

*Sonoran Desert scene with flowering palo verde trees*

- Natural Sounds

*Backlit late-afternoon desert scene; close-ups + cottontail eating cactus*

- Chinese Bamboo Dize Flute

*Western diamondback rattlesnake meets cottontail*

- Moyo Drum
- Keyboard Sound Effects
- Clay Contemporary Marimba
- Keyboard Sound Effects

*Tip of Saguaro cactus arm with flower buds, rotating*

- Keyboard Sound Effects
- Bell Tree

*Program TITLE over sunset + setting sun + view of Milky Way rising + saguaro flowers opening + bat + elf owl + kangaroo rat + kingsnake + daybreak*

- Chinese Bamboo Xiao Flute
- Keyboard Sound Effects
- Bell Tree

*Gila Woodpecker*

- Natural Sounds

*Flowering Ironwood trees, scenics and close-ups + Gambel's quail + Gila monster*

- East Indian Tambura Drone String Instrument
- Brazilian Gourd & String Berimbau
- Cello
- Chinese Bamboo Xiao Flute

*White-winged doves on ocotillo stems + heat ripples*

- Brazilian Gourd & String Berimbau

*Desert cicada singing*

- Natural Sounds

*Flycatcher + adolescent gambel's quail + nesting great horned owls + red-tailed hawk + roadrunner + jackrabbit + bobcats + deer + dry plants + ripening saguaro fruit + animals eating saguaro fruit on plant and on ground + verdin at nest*

- American Indian Hand Drum
- Clay Wind Whistle
- Poppy Seed Shaker
- American Indian Contemporary Drone Flute
- Natural Sounds

*Dust devil + clouds forming & evaporating*

- Clay Wind Whistle
- Southwest Desert Rim Flute

## **WET SUMMER:**

*Storm clouds + dust storm/gust front + monsoon storm + flash flood*

- Bass Drum
- Southwest Desert Rim Flute
- Clay Wind Whistle
- Natural Sounds

*After-storm scenes + wet millipede + beetle + sun comes out + wet deer fawn + rainbow + dragon cloud*

- Chinese Bamboo Xiao Flute
- Bell Tree
- Bass Drum
- Clay Wind Whistle

*Rain pond + clouds at sunset + lightning/thunder*

- Natural Sounds
- Clay Contemporary Water Drum - subtle

*Night-blooming cereus flowers opening*

- Chinese Bamboo Xiao Flute

*Lightning flashes/thunder + tarantula + cactus mouse*

- Natural Sounds

*Lightning stills*

- Tibetan Tingsha Bell

*Toad emergence & orgy*

- Clay Contemporary Water Drum
- Clay Contemporary Marimba

*Full moon + Datura flower + silk moths + gecko*

- Natural Sounds

*Gecko + daybreak/sunrise + bobcat drinking + peccaries/javelinas + resurrection plant + saguaro seeds/seedlings + lush vegetation + quail + wolfberry + jojoba nut + tarantula hawk wasps + flowering pincushion cacti + velvet mites + desert tortoise eating + flowering barrel cacti*

- Navajo Traditional River Cane Flute
- African Clay Pot Udu Drum
- Kola Seed Pod Shaker
- Idiophone Wood Box
- Clay Wind Whistle

*Mule deer family + rattlesnake*

- Natural Sounds

## **AUTUMN:**

*Ocotillo with yellowing leaves + silkmoth caterpillars feeding + landscapes with dry grass + jackrabbit*

- Middle Eastern Frame Drum
- Bass Contemporary Bamboo Flute

*Rabbitbrush with bees, butterflies, wasps, grasshopper + velvet ant*

- Natural Sounds + Keyboard Sound Effects

*Horse lubber grasshopper + stink beetle + leaf-cutter ants + horned lizard eating ants + Harris' antelope squirrel + desert iguana*

- Poppy Seed Shaker
- American Indian Cedar Flute
- Brazilian Gourd & String Berimbau
- American Indian Hand Drum

*Jackrabbit closeup + mule deer + great horned owl + fleeing jackrabbit*

- Natural Sounds

*Desert broom seeds blowing away + turkey vultures sunbathing + riparian trees in autumn color + deer drinking + dragonfly + white-tailed deer + coatimundi*

- Clay Wind Whistle
- Southwest Desert Rim Flute
- Poppy Seed Shaker

*Mountain lion + Inca doves + covey of quail + Cooper's hawk + winter clouds over mountain*

- Southwest Desert Rim Flute
- Clay Wind Whistle

## WINTER

*Desert scenes with winter clouds + fog + gentle winter rain (scenics and wet mammals & birds)*

- Southwest Desert Rim Flute
- Clay Wind Whistle

*Late afternoon Winter skylscapes*

- Natural Sounds

*Winter sunset + night-time snowfall + screech owl*

- Wind – Natural Sound
- Keyboard Sound Effects

*Morning snowscapes + snow melt*

- Acoustic Piano
- Rain Stick
- Clay Wind Whistle
- Lightly Strummed Piano Strings
- Brazilian Wood Birdcall

*Bobcat :: silence*

*Frozen waterhole with birds and mammals seeking water*

- Southwest Desert Rim Flute
- Keyboard Sound Effects

*Roadrunner basking + cactus wren*

- Chinese Bamboo Xiao Flute
- Idiophone Wood Box
- Cuban Marimbula Thumb Piano

## SPRING

*Bighorn sheep + ocotillo sprouting leaves + harris hawks + phainopepla*

- Chinese Bamboo Xiao Flute
- Idiophone Wood Box

- Brazilian Gourd & String Berimbau
- Tibetan Tingsha Bell

*Coyote*

- Natural Sounds

*SPRING WILDFLOWERS MONTAGE + two timelapse shots of cholla cactus flowers opening*

- Cuban Marimbula Thumb Piano
- Navajo Traditional River Cane Flute
- Clay Ocarina
- Kola Seed Pod Shaker

*Wide view of cholla with saguaro + flowering prickly pear cactus + cactus bees*

- Natural Sounds
- Clay Ocarina
- Remo Spring Drum
- Middle Eastern Frame Drum

*Flowering ocotillo + hummingbirds + spiny lizard + ground squirrel digging + mule deer browsing + cactus wren and roadrunner nests + closing shot of desert tortoise with CLOSING CREDITS*

- Southwest Desert Rim Flute