

Tenor Saxophone

Blues Notes - The Important Ones

(Can be played over any 12-bar Bb Blues)

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The musical score is written for Tenor Saxophone in 4/4 time. It consists of 72 measures, organized into 12-measure phrases. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats). The score is divided into sections labeled A, B, C, D, E, F, and G, each with a boxed letter and a subscript 'I'. The notes are primarily eighth and quarter notes, with many notes marked with an accent (>). Chord symbols (I, IV, V) are placed above the staff to indicate the harmonic structure. The piece concludes with a double bar line at the end of the 72nd measure.

A_I

9 **B**_I

17 **C**_I

25 **D**_I

32 **E**_I

39 **F**_I

46 **G**_I

53 **F**_I

60 **G**_I

67 **G**_I

74 IV I

80 V (b) IV I [H] I

86 IV

91 I V (b) IV I

96 [I] I

101 IV I V (b)

106 IV I