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Welcome and thanks so much for talking to me, and Cady, I wonder if I could start with you?

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I gather that you have brought music with you to the International Space Station and wanted to ask what you h

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Well I play the flute on the ground and it's one of the things I love to do so I brought my own flute with me.

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But I also brought some other flutes with me

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I have a pennywhistle from Paddy Moloney of the Chieftains,

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and also a very old Irish flute from Matt Molloy of the Chieftains,

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and I have a flute from Ian Anderson of Jethro Tull.

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So a pretty well-rounded spectrum and I am having a great time up here with them.

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That's amazing. How did it come to be that you have those three flutes with you?

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Well so with mine it makes four total,

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and we get to bring a certain number of things with us to represent, or just to,

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we just get a certain amount of space to bring stuff.

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And you know, one of the things I think that's important to do is try to share how amazing it is up here,

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and relate to different groups of people and I relate to flute players.

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And I just wanted them to understand what a cool place it was

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and how many possibilities there were to play music up here on the space station.

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I'm not sure which flute you have there with you but you have a flute with you,

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Why don't you tell us which one it is and I wonder if you would play us out with a song?

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Well I'm from Massachusetts and I brought my own flute, which was made by a really neat company in Massac

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And the song I'm going to play is called "Bluenose"

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and it's by a Canadian guy named Stan Rogers, who writes a lot of things I love to play,

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and it's about an old sailing ship sailing the oceans, being away from home.

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And that's the kind of perspective you can't help but have when you're up here looking down at the Earth

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and you think about the early explorers.

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And here we are more recent explorers, but we all have some things in common,

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and there are jobs we have to do far from home.

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So this is for John McBrine, who in our International Space Station branch in the astronaut office

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is the cornerstone of our branch, and it's his favorite song

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Great.