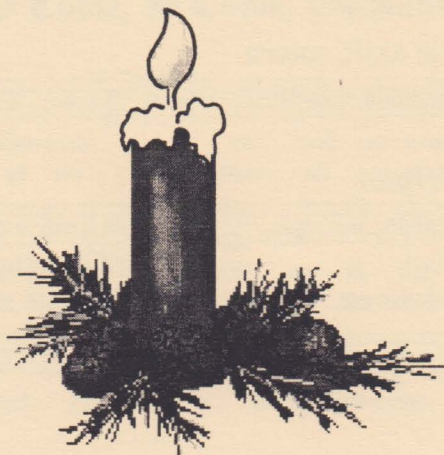


Christmas In Hudson Hall

a production of the



Willamette University
Music Department

Thursday, December 11, 2003 - 8:00 p.m.

Friday, December 12, 2003 - 8:00 p.m.

Mary Stuart Rogers Music Center
Jerry E. Hudson Concert Hall

PLEASE HOLD APPLAUSE UNTIL THE END OF THE SERVICE

Prelude Music by Jeffrey Parsons, Adjunct Professor of harp

PROCESSIONAL

Choirs

Once in Royal David's City

H. J. Gauntlett
Arr. David Willcocks

Matthew Hoffman, Organ

Verse 1 - Thursday, Katie Skiff, soloist

- Friday, Bryn Lynch, soloist

Verses 2-3 - *Choirs*

Verse 4 - *Audience and Choirs*

Not in that poor lowly stable,
With the oxen standing by,
We shall see him; but in heaven,

Set at God's right hand on high;
When like stars his children crowned
All in white shall wait around.

Reading

Choirs

Personent Hodie

Lara Hoggard

*Derek Goin-Trumpet I, Robb Harrison-Trumpet II, Tyler Baker-Trumpet III
Jay Biethan, Darren McCoy-Percussion, Matthew Hoffman-Organ
Combined Choirs*

(Translation)

1. Let youthful voices resound today, joyfully praising Him who is born for us, who is given unto us by the Most High God, and brought forth from a virgin.
2. He is born in the world, is wrapped in swaddling cloths and placed in a manger in a stable of beasts. He is ruler over all things. (The prince of darkness has lost his prey!)
3. Three wise men come, bearing gifts. They have found the Child by following a little star. Adoring the Lord, they offer Him gold, incense and myrrh.
4. Let all young choristers now sing as did the angels, praising Him who has come into all the world: "Glory to God in the highest!"

Reader *Hark the glad sound! The savior comes, the Savior promised long!*

Audience *Let every heart prepare a throne, and every heart a song.*

Women *He comes the prisoners to release, in Satan's bondage held;*

Men *The gates of brass before him burst, the iron fetters yield.*

Women *He comes the broken heart to bind, the bleeding soul to cure,*

Men *And with the treasures of his grace, to enrich the humble poor.*

Women *Our glad hosanna, Prince of peace,*

Men *Thy welcome shall proclaim;*

All *And heaven's eternal arches ring, with thy beloved name.*

Choir and Audience

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

Arr. Christine Welch

*Anthony Calcagno, Soloist
Male Ensemble Willamette and Audience*

Introductory verse sung by Male Ensemble Willamette

(All sing)

Latin, 9th century

⊙ Come, ⊙ Come, Emmanuel

Plainsong, 15th century

O come, O come, Em-man - u - el, and ran - som cap - tive Is - ra - el,
O come, De - sire of Na - tions, bind all peo - ples in one heart and mind;
that mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here un - til the Son of God ap - pear.
bid en - vy, strife, and dis - cord cease, fill the whole world with heav - en's peace.
Re - joice! Re - joice! Em - man - u - el shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el!

Choir

Adam Lay I-bounden

Katherine Dienes (b. 1970)

*Paul Klemme, Organ
Voce Femina*

Reading

Choir

Gaudete

Arr. Brian Kay

*Ryan Renwick, Soloist
Male Ensemble Willamette*

(Translation)

Rejoice, rejoice, Christ is born
Of Mary, the virgin, rejoice!
The closed gate of Ezechiel is being past through
From where the light has sprung (the East), salvation is found.
Rejoice, rejoice, Christ is born
Of Mary, the virgin, rejoice!
May our assembly, therefore, sing praise during the time of purification
May it praise the Lord: Hail to our king!

Choir

Annunciation

Lloyd Pfautsch

*Jeffrey Parsons, harp
Voce Femina*

(Translation)

Hail Mary, full of grace
The Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among women.
You shall conceive and bear a son, and his name shall be called Jesus.

Reading

Choir

Magnificat

Jackson Berkey (b. 1942)

*Jana Fischer, piano
Chamber Choir*

(Translation)

My soul magnifies the Lord.
And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Saviour.

My soul rejoices in God, my Saviour.
For He has remembered me, His humble servant.
From this day on, all people will call me blessed.
Because of the wonderful things
The mighty God has done, my Saviour!

He that is mighty has magnified me.
His name is holy.
He shows mercy to all who fear him.

His mighty arm has scattered the proud and
Brought down the kings from their thrones.
He filled the hungry and sent away the rich with empty hands.
His promises are true and his mercy is forever.

My soul magnifies the Lord.
And my spirit has rejoiced in God my Saviour!

Choir

Suo Gân

Arr. Lawrence Wiliford

*Charles Owen, soloist
Male Ensemble Willamette*

(Translation)

Sleep, child, at my bosom,
Where you are snug and warm;
Mother's arms are fast about you,
Mother's love is in my heart.
Nothing shall disturb your sleeping,
No-one will do you harm.
Sleep softly, dear child,
Sleep gently on your mother's breast.
Don't be frightened, it's only a leaf
That's knocking, knocking at the door;
Don't be frightened, it's only a lonely little wave
That's lulling, lulling at the sea-shore
Sleep child, here there's nothing to be afraid of;
Smile softly in my embrace,
At the blessed angels far away.

Reading

Choir

Angels from the Realms of Glory

Henry Thomas Smart

*Derek Goin, Trumpet I Robb Harrison, Trumpet II
Jeremy Jones, Trombone I Aaron Young, Trombone II
John Englund - timpani
Combined Choirs and Audience Participation*

James Montgomery

Angels from the Realms of Glory

Henry Thomas Smart

1. An - gels, from the realms of glo - ry, wing your flight o'er all the earth;
2. Shep - herds in the field a - bid - ing, watch - ing o'er your flocks by night,
3. Sa - ges, leave your con - tem - pla - tions; bright - er vi - sions beam a - far:
4. Saints be - fore the al - tar bend - ing, watch - ing long in hope and fear,
ye, who sang cre - a - tion's sto - ry, now pro - claim Mes - si - ah's birth:
God with you is now re - sid - ing; yon - der shines the in - fant Light:
seek the great De - sire of Na - tions; ye have seen his na - tal star:
sud - den - ly the Lord, de - scend - ing, in his tem - ple shall ap - pear:
Refrain
Come and wor - ship, come and wor - ship, wor - ship Christ, the new - born King!

Reading

Choir

Hodie Christus natus est

Giovanni Pierluigi de Palestrina

Voce Femina

(Translation)
Today Christ is born;
Today the Savior has appeared;
Today the Angels sing,
The Archangels rejoice;
Today the righteous rejoice, saying;
Glory to God in the highest. Alleluia!

Choir

There Will Be Rest

Frank Ticheli

Chamber Choir

Reading

Choir

Sing We Now of Christmas

Arr. Howard Helvey

(Traditional French Carol)

*Jana Fischer, piano
Male Ensemble Willamette*

Choirs and Audience

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Arr. Michael Burkhardt

Combined Choirs, Brass and Audience Participation
Matthew Hoffman, organ

1. *Choirs and Audience*

Hark, the herald angels sing, "Glory to the new-born King;
Peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful, all ye nations rise, Join the triumph of the skies;
With th'angelic host proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem!"
Hark, the herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn king!"

2. *Chamber Choir*

3. *Choirs and Audience*

Hail the heaven born Prince of Peace!
Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all He brings, risen with healing in His wings.
Mild He lays His glory by, born that we no more may die,
Born to raise us from the earth, born to give us second birth.
Hark, the herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn king!"

Reading

Choir

Sanctus

Frank Martin

Chamber Choir

(Translation)

Holy, Holy, Holy,
Lord God of Hosts
Heaven and earth are full
Of thy glory.

Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes
In the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Reading

Choirs

I Saw Three Ships

Arr. Mack Wilberg

*Bells: Curtis Bell, Andrew Dirks, Julia Hansmeier,
Ashley Lindsay, Darren McCoy, Bob Macfarlane, John Turner*

Jana Fischer, Matthew Getz and Noreen Murdock, piano

Combined Choirs

Reading

Combined Choirs and Audience

Verse 1 - *Audience & Choirs:*

Silent night, holy night, all is calm, all is bright,
Round yon virgin mother and child. Holy infant so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace.

Verse 2 - *Choirs*

Verse 3 - *Audience & Choirs:*

Silent night, holy night, shepherds quake at the sight;
Glories stream from heaven afar, heavenly hosts sing Alleluia!
Christ the savior is born, Christ the savior is born!

Verse 4 - *Audience & Choirs:*

Silent Night, holy night, Son of God, love's pure light;
Radiant beams from thy holy face with the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord, at thy birth, Jesus, Lord, at thy birth.

CHAMBER CHOIR

Dr. Wallace H. Long, Jr., Director

Soprano I

Mary Ann Albright
Sarah Boyer
Jennifer Danner
Amy Kerr
Bryn Lynch *
Noreen Murdock
Karin Sandberg

Soprano II

Allison DeWilde
Christine Greger
Kirsten Lloyd
Mary McCauley
Rachael Ray
Katie Skiff **
Caitlin Stephens

Alto I

Heather Bullock
Jana Fischer *
Insil Kang
Ashley Lindsay
Alli Magee
Marcella Orwick

Alto II

Julia Hansmeier
Abby Kahl
Lisa Oakley
Britt Rognes
Renée Schwab **
Kristi Zaiger

Tenor I

Pierre-Alain Chevalier *
Matthew Getz
Jonathan Hicks
Hidetoshi Hagiwara
Nick Grant
Ryan Rogers

Tenor II

Tyler Baker
Jay Biethan
Marc Lehmkuhler
Read McFaddin
John Turner
Andy Wilson **

Baritone

Sean Fennell
Robb Harrison
Mike Kiefer
Ian Lindsay
Bob Macfarlane
Ryan Tong **
*Section Leader

Bass II

Curtis Bell
Andrew Dirks
Darren McCoy
Mike Osborne
Jonathan Westfall *
Kelly Zietz
**Asst Section Leader

MALE ENSEMBLE WILLAMETTE

Dr. Paul Klemme, Director

Tenor I

Matt Buehler
Damien Butler
Hidetoshi Hagiwara
Charlie Owen
Ryan Renwick

Tenor II

Anthony Calcagno
Chris Foot
Kevin Hall
Bill Pippel
Aaron Riffe
Andrew Wimer

Baritone

Scott Baird
Chas Beshears
Mike Kiefer
Ian Lindsay
Alex Mackenzie
Josh Snyder
Jeff Thompson
Ben Weyerhaeuser

Bass

Curtis Bell
Andrew Dirks
Matthew Efseaff
John Englund
Howard Fon
Eric Hill-Tarquist
Chris Jarvis
Curtis Johnson
Joe Liles
Chris Murphy
Joe Spinrad
Andrew Tayler

VOCE FEMINA
Christine Welch, Director

Soprano I

Erica Blum-Barnett
Kacy Church
Stevie Greenwell
Paige Lindsay
Brittany Starr
Liz Gustafson
Emily Leeding
Kendra Graham
Gillian Clague

Soprano II

Sri Bangaru
Leah Bertin
Beth Doughty
Kristen Iverson
Alice Jolly
Rachel Kamna
Kazumi Kumagai
Kylie Pine
Mikki Pomerence

Alto I

Katie Archibald-Woodward
Ellen Beebe
Jennifer Aszklar
Rebecca Fischer
Caitlyn Hix
Ariel Nelson
Alice Pederson
Michelle Mendoza

Alto II

Kristina Arquette
Christi Bell
Sarah Butler
Krysta Drechsler
Liz Evans
Amand Hiti
Yumiko Ogaki
Audra Petrie
Caitlin Weese

Acknowledgments

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Director of Male Ensemble Willamette
Director of Voce Femina
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A special thank you to Egan Gardens for the beautiful poinsettias used to decorate Hudson Hall.
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Other Holiday Happenings

Sunday, Dec. 14 John Doan - A Victorian Christmas, 7:00pm, HH, \$10 Adults; \$8 Children under 12.
Tickets on sale in the Music Department.

Saturday, Dec. 20 Willamette Master Chorus Holiday Concert, 7pm, HH
Sunday, Dec. 21 Willamette Master Chorus Holiday Concert, 3pm, HH
A Holiday Concert with Extraordinary Salem Kids
Gen. Adm. \$15, Students/Seniors \$12, Children 12 and under Free (ticket required).
Tickets on sale in the Music Department. To charge by phone (503) 370-6255.

Wednesday, Dec. 24 **Christmas Eve Special!**
Three Willamette choirs will be singing in a nationally televised special airing on CBS, Christmas Eve! They are scheduled to appear in a CBS produced Christmas Eve music special that was taped at the First Presbyterian Church in Salem. Voce Femina, directed by Christine Welch; the Chamber Choir, directed by Wallace Long; and Male Ensemble Willamette, directed by Paul Klemme are the Willamette ensembles to be featured on the program, which includes more than 250 performers. Christine Welch, who is the music director for the First Presbyterian Church is coordinating the one-hour, nationally televised event. It will air at 11:30p.m. Wednesday, December 24th on CBS.

Thank you for sharing Christmas in Hudson Hall with us this evening. May you have a wonderful holiday season filled with meaning and joy.

