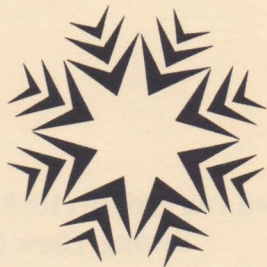


WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF



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WINTER
CHOIR
CONCERT



Chamber Choir
Male Ensemble Willamette
Voce Femminile

Saturday, February 25, 2006 ~ 7:00 p.m.

Hudson Hall, Mary Stuart Rogers Music Center

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900 STATE STREET
SALEM, OR 97301

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

Good evening ladies and gentlemen and welcome to our Winter Choir Concert. As always, thank you for coming out to support our musical efforts. The evening promises to be filled with some vibrant and beautiful choral singing.

This evening we are joining forces with Willamette University's "Take a Break" program. As many of you know, this program raises funds to help send students to areas in great need throughout our country. TAB students then volunteer their time and talents to perform community service projects. This past December, many of you donated funds or bought our CD's in an effort to send several students to the Gulf Coast in the aftermath of hurricane Katrina. By all reports, the trip was an unqualified success. Thank you for your generous contributions.

Tonight, "Take a Break" is holding a silent auction. We will take an intermission after Voce Femminile performs this evening to allow you to bid on the many excellent auction items. Following the concert, please go by the tables in the hallway to see if you have won your favorite item.

I am also making a plea this evening for support of a special opportunity that has been given to the members of the Chamber Choir and me. In the spring of 2005 the choir was selected to perform in Carnegie Hall. It is our hope to travel to New York to give a performance of the Franz Haydn, *Mass in the Time of War* on May 22, 2006.

We are experiencing difficulty with obtaining the funding required for our trip. We have been operating under the assumption that students would raise one-third of the funds needed for the trip and donor support would fund the remainder of the cost. Recently, the choir was informed that funding for the trip was going to be severely restricted. Students have gone back to family members and asked for financial support to take advantage of this unique opportunity. Recognizing this nature and prestige of this special performance invitation, our students, their families, and Willamette University have generously contributed toward the cost of this trip.

As of today, we still need to raise \$7,000 to be able to make this trip a reality. If you would like to help us raise the additional funds for our Carnegie Hall performance, we would ask you to consider giving a donation as you leave this evening. As always, thanks in advance for your generous support of our program. I hope you enjoy the concert.

Sincerely,

Wallace H. Long, Jr., A.Mus.D.

Director of Choral Activities



PROGRAM



Male Ensemble Willamette

Dr. Paul Klemme, Director

Send in the Clowns

Stephen Sondheim
Arr. Michael Martin

Down in the Valley

Arr. George Mead

Andy Wilson, Student Conductor

Winter Night

James Mulholland

Darren McCoy, Accompanist

Voce Femminile

Christine Welch, Director

O Frondens Virga

Text & Chant: Hildegard von Bingen (1098-1179)
Setting: Drew Collins

Dixit Dominus

Johann Michael Haydn (1737-1806)

Joannah Ball, Elspeth DeShaw, sopranos

Faith Dreskey, alto

Kirsten Erwin, Sylvie Nelson, violin

Michelle Levin, cello

Dr. Paul Klemme, harpsichord

Salve Regina

Kocsár Miklós

Down by the Riverside

Arr. Kirby Shaw

Chamber Choir

Dr. Wallace H. Long Jr., Director

Horizons

Peter Louis Van Dijk

Kyrie

Darren McCoy

Willamette University Chamber Choir
Soloists: Amanda Hiti, alto, and Casey Hedrick, tenor

*Lord have mercy.
Christ have mercy.
Lord have mercy.*

Water Night

Eric Whitacre

Neslēgtais Gredzens
III. Rotaļa

Juris Karlsons

Vidu! To the middle!

*One came, the other went,
One lets go, another waves, vidu!*

*The outstretched hand is not yet grabbed,
You already swing along in a circle, vidu!*

Freely, freely the days spin,

*Hither, thither, part and join your hands,
further joining, further swaying, vidu!*

Freely, freely swirl around!

John the Revelator

Paul Caldwell & Sean Ivory

John Englund, piano

TRANSLATIONS

O Frondens Virga

O verdant branch,
standing in your nobility
as dawn advances:
now rejoice and be glad,
and deem us, helpless ones, worthy
of freeing us from evil habits,
and even stretch forth your hand to lift us up.

Dixit Dominus (Psalm 110)

The LORD says to my lord, "Sit at my right hand
until I make your enemies your footstool."
The LORD sends out from Zion your mighty scepter.
Rule in the midst of your foes.
Your people will offer themselves willingly
on the day you lead your forces
on the holy mountains.
From the womb of the morning,
like dew, your youth will come to you.
The LORD has sworn and will not change his mind,
"You are a priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek."
The Lord is at your right hand;
he will shatter kings on the day of his wrath.
He will execute judgment among the nations,
filling them with corpses;
he will shatter heads
over the wide earth.
He will drink from the stream by the path;
therefore he will lift up his head.

Salve Regina

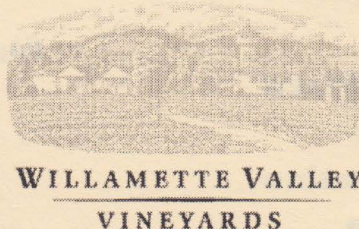
Hail, O Queen, Mother of mercy;
our life, our sweetness, and our hope: hail!
To thee we cry, poor banished children of Eve.
To thee we send up our sighs,
groaning and weeping in this valley of tears.
Hasten therefore, our Advocate,
and turn your merciful eyes toward us.
And show us Jesus, the blessed fruit
of your womb, after this exile.
O merciful, O pious, O sweet Virgin Mary.

TaB Silent Auction!

Please help support our program by bidding on an item before the concert and during intermission!

Items will be awarded to the highest bidders after the concert.

TaB is an annual alternative Spring Break program at Willamette that sends students around the country to do service work. This year we have 6 trips with a total of 85 students, staff, and faculty. For more information visit the table in the lobby or <http://www.willamette.edu/org/cop/tab/>



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Safeway
Fast Lane Coffee
Governors Cup
Words Lovely Words
Salem Electric
Windcrest Stables
Dooger's Seafood and Grill**

PERSONNEL

Male Ensemble Willamette

Dr. Paul Klemme, Director

Tenor I

Bennet Herbison
Jon Hicks
Josh Lee
Ryan Renwick
Jeremy Spear

Tenor II

Thomas Balcom
Michael Chevalier
Pierre Alain Chevalier
Oliver Donaldson
Daniel Gossard
Anthony Harvey
Ben Nockles

Bass I

Justin Alvey
Javier Gargotena
Joel Hunderford
Scott Kennedy
Alex Leeding
Alex MacKenzie
William Mockry
Nicolas Knauer
Conor Pilarowski
Kevin Rancik
Dave Sluss
Christer Sonheim
Ben Weyerhauser
Andy Wilson

Bass II

John Englund
Howard Fan
Daniel Heathcock
Brent Knowles
Malcolm McClarron
Patrick Mulligan
David Payne
Joe Spinrad

Voce Femminile

Christine Welch, Director

Soprano I

Joannah Ball
Sridevi Bangaru
Hazel Bell-Robinson
Frances Butler
Kathryn Goldsmith
Alice Jolly
Emily Leeding
Whitney Lynch
Marie Pankov
Caitlyn Swan

Soprano II

Tolly Davis
Elspeth DeShaw
Sarah Fairbrook
Kristen Iverson
Kelsey Jacobs
Melissa Magaña
Alice Pederson
Kristin Roney
Anna Sabo
Lauren Vice

Alto

Kristina Arquette
Nikki Boyce
Amber Cruz
Allison Gilman
Kalia Gurnee
Raewyn Kelley
Faith Kreskey
Jenna Kreuger
Lydia Link
Anna Travers
Andrea Walker



Chamber Choir
Dr. Wallace H. Long Jr., Conductor

Soprano I

Hazel Bell-Robinson
Hayley Freedman
Maureen Goltz
Leslie Katter*
Jessica Tissell

Soprano II

Jacque Dunn
Kylie Pine
Mikki Pomerence**
Brittany Starr
Megan Tragethon

Alto I

Stevie Greenwell
Rachel Kamna
Alli Magee
Michelle Mendoza
Ariel Nelson**

Alto II

Maria Burri
Julia Hansmeier
Amanda Hiti
Eleanor Howe
Julia Ulshafer*
Morgana Williams

Tenor I

Damien Butler**
Joshua Lee
Steve Millard
Ryan Renwick
Jon Hicks

Tenor II

Pierre-Alain Chevalier*
Casey Hedrick
Rusty Licht
Read McFaddin
Andy Wilson

Baritone

Robb Harrison*
Reece Sauvé
Elliot Williams
Brian Wise
Nick Woolsey

Bass II

John Englund
Eric Hill-Tanquist
Malcom McClarron
Darren McCoy
Minh Pham**

*Section Leader

**Asst. Section Leader

President: Darren McCoy, **Vice-President:** Andy Wilson,
Secretary: Michelle Mendoza, **Historian:** Casey Hedrick



Puttin' On The Ritz

Friday, March 10th, 2006

Saturday, March 11th, 2006

Cat Cavern, University Center, 7:00-11:00 P.M.

\$34.50 per person; \$138 Table-of-four; \$260 Table-of-eight



Now in its eleventh year, this sell-out event has become very popular with both the Willamette University and Salem community. You will not want to miss this delightful evening which includes a delicious dinner and dancing to the music of the University Jazz Ensemble and Willamette University Singers vocal jazz choir. Our groups will be offering a variety of music during the evening.

Ticket price includes appetizers, dinner, dessert, and all the snazzy jazzy music you want for easy listening or dancing. Evening attire. For ticket reservations call: (503) 370-6214.