



Department of Music
University of Alberta

Lab Choir Concert

Joy-Anne Murphy and
László Nemes, conductors

Friday, December 3, 1993
at 4:00 pm

Convocation Hall, Arts Building
University of Alberta

Program



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| Missa Brevis
Kyrie
Gloria | Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina
(1526-1594) |
| Advent Song | Zoltán Kodály
(1882-1967) |
| A Little Advent Music, Op. 4 | Hugo Distler
(1908-1942) |
| A Boy Was Born | Benjamin Britten
(1913-1976) |
| In Bethlehem
This Christmas Morn | Jacobus Clemens non Papa
(ca. 1500-1556) |
| Ave Maria | Igor Stravinsky
(1882-1971) |
| O magnum mysterium | Tomás Luis de Victoria
(1548-1611) |
| Es ist ein Ros entsprungen | Michael Praetorius
(ca. 1571-1621) |
| Dadme albricias, hijos d'Eva | Anonymous
(Spanish, 16th Century) |
| Sister Mary Had-a But One Child | arr. Walter Ehret
(Spiritual) |
| Deck the Halls (in 7/8) | arr. James McKelvey |

Texts and Translations

Missa Brevis

Kyrie: Lord have mercy on us, Christ have mercy on us, Lord have mercy on us.

Gloria: Glory be to God in the highest. And on earth peace to men of good will. We praise Thee. We bless Thee. We adore Thee. We glorify Thee. We give Thee thanks for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father almighty. O Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son. Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father. Who taketh away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us. Who taketh away the sins of the world, receive our prayer. Who sittest at the right hand of the Father, have mercy upon us. For Thou alone art holy. Thou alone art Lord. Thou alone, O Jesus Christ, art most high. Together with the Holy Ghost, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Advent Song

O come, O come Emmanuel,
And ransom captive Israel,
That mourns in lonely exile here,
Until the Son of God appear.

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

O come, Thou Rod of Jesse, free
Thine own from Satan's tyranny;
From depths of hell Thy people save,
And give them victory o'er the grave.

Rejoice!...

O come, thou Day-spring, come and cheer
Our spirits by Thine Advent here;
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadows put to flight.

Rejoice!...

O come, Thou Key of David, come
And open wide our heavenly home;
Make safe the way that leads on high,
And close the path to misery.

Rejoice!...

O come, O come, Thou Lord of Might,
Who to Thy tribes, on Sinai's height,
In ancient times didst give the law
In cloud, and majesty, and awe.

Rejoice!...

Ave Maria

Hail Mary, full of grace, God is with you:
Blessed are you among women,
And blessed is the fruit of your womb Jesus.
Holy Mary, mother of God,
Pray for us sinners,
Now and in the hour of our death.
Amen.

O Magnum mysterium

O great mystery and wondrous sacrament,
That animals might see the birth of the Lord
As he lay in the manger.
O, Blessed Virgin,
Who wast worthy of bearing our Lord Jesus Christ,
Alleluia.

Es ist ein Ros entsprungen

Lo, how a rose e'er blooming
From tender stem hath sprung!
Of Jesse's lineage coming,
As of old we have sung.
It came, a flower bright,
Amid the cold of winter,
When half-spent was the night.

Isaiah was, foretold it,
The Rose I have in mind,
With Mary we behold it,
The Virgin Mother kind.
To show God's love aright,
She bore to us a saviour
When half-spent was the night.

Dadme albricias, hijos d'Eva

Sons of Eve, reward my tidings!
Why should we make gifts to you?
Born is he, the Adam new.
Almighty God, what glad tidings!

Pay my boon, and sing for joy,
For tonight is born our saviour,
The Messiah promised to us,
Man and God, a virgin's boy.

By his birth he gives us pardon
For the sin and wrong we do.
Born is he, the Adam new.
Almighty God, what glad tidings!

**University of Alberta
Lab Choir Members**

Soprano:

Louise Dawson
Melanie Hladunewich
Ellen Kim
Heidi Klann
Teresa Kneller
Elaine Laflamme
Danielle Mitchell
Tanya Shewchuk
Heather Tilroe

Tenor:

George Murphy
Ian MacDonald
Mathias Silveira

Bass:

Alan Murray
Tom Soldan
Dan Wiart

Alto:

Sharon Barke
Eva Jane Butler
Carolyn Nelson
Leônora Rondeau
Nicole Schubert
Sue Stollings
Denise Wilson
Silvia Yee

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Upcoming Events:

Sunday, at 3 pm
December 5, 1993
Convocation Hall
Admission: \$5/adult
\$3/student/senior

The University of Alberta Concert Band Concert. William II Street, director. Program will include works by Musgrave, Francis McBeth, van Lijnschooten, Wagner, San Miguel, Reed and Grainger.

Monday, at 7:30 pm
December 6, 1993
Convocation Hall
Admission: \$5/adult
\$3/student/senior

Stage Band I & II Concert. Neil Corlett and Allan Gilliland, directors. An evening of big band jazz.

Tuesday, at 8 pm
December 7, 1993
Convocation Hall
Free Admission

Student Composer Recital. A concert of new music by student composers at the University of Alberta.

Wednesday, at 5 pm
December 8, 1993
Convocation Hall
Free admission

Advent Service.
Program: TBA

Friday & Saturday, at 8 pm
December 10 & 11, 1993
Convocation Hall
Admission: \$5/adult
\$3/student/senior

The University of Alberta Symphony Orchestra, University of Alberta Concert Choir, University of Alberta Madrigal Singers Concert. Program will feature Haydn's *Harmoniemesse* and Kodály's *Budavari Te Deum*.

Sunday, at 7:30 pm
December 12, 1993
John L Haar Theatre
Grant MacEwan
Community College
Admission: \$5/adult
\$3/student/senior

Stage Bands I & II Concert. Neil Corlett and Allan Gilliland, directors. Program: TBA