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Autumn Voices

featuring the Combined Choirs of the USU Music Department

Friday, September 30, 2016
Caine Performance Hall
Utah State University
COMBINED CHOIRS - Cory Evans
The Autumn Leaves ............ Kosma, arr. Hales
          Stirling Brenna, Kiah Brown - soloists

South African Gloria ...... William Bradley Roberts
          Paul Farrell, Brady Stuart - percussion

USU WOMEN’S CHOIR - Luke Shepherd
Savory, Sage, Rosemary and Thyme . . arr. Patriquin

He’s Gone Away ..................... arr. Nelson
Will He Remember .................... arr. Nelson
Barbara Allen .................. arr. Nelson
          Samantha Bunderson - piano

USU CHORALE - Cory Evans
Ave Maria ......................... Anton Bruckner

Gloria (from Keble Missa Brevis) . . Philip Stopford
          Samantha Bunderson - piano

Here I Stand (from Dances to Life) . . Mack Wilberg

Study War No More ............ arr. McElroy/Joubert
          Dominic Stewart, Karley Garrett - soloists
          Samantha Bunderson - piano
          Brooklynn Dyer - student director

USU CHAMBER SINGERS - Cory Evans
Funeral Ikos ....................... John Tavener

Why these bitter words of the dying, o brethren,
which they utter as they go hence?
I am parted from my brethren.
All my friends do I abandon and go hence.
But whither I go, that understand I not,
neither what shall become of me yonder;
only God who hath summoned me knoweth.
But make commemoration of me with the song: Alleluia!

But whither now go the souls?
How dwell they now together there?
This mystery have I desired to learn; but none can impart.
Do they call to mind their own people, as we do them?
Or have they forgotten all those who mourn them
and make the song: Alleluia!

We go forth on the path eternal, and as condemned,
with downcast faces, present ourselves before God.
Where then is comeliness? Where then is wealth?
Where then is the glory of this world?

Five American Songs
1. Ain’-a That Good News! ...... William Dawson
          Bryson Gray, Sydney Creer - soloists
          Beth Foley - flute
          Brooklynn Dyer - piano
4. Gentle Annie ..................... arr. Fissinger
          Brooklynn Dyer - piano
5. By and By ....................... arr. Barnett
          Alex Pierson, Sarah Gagnon - soloists

He Won’t Leave You .......... Richard Smallwood
          Nicole Vander Does - soloist
          Luke Shepherd - piano
          Andrew Taylor - drums

COMBINED CHOIRS - Luke Shepherd
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty . . . . . arr. Wilberg
          Samantha Bunderson - piano
          Jason Fawcett, Sarah White - percussion

There shall none of these things aid us, but only to say oft the psalm: Alleluia!
If thou hast shown mercy unto man, O man,
that same mercy shall be shown thee there;
and if on an orphan thou hast shown compassion,
the same shall there deliver thee from want.
If in this life the naked thou hast clothed,
the same shall give thee shelter there, and sing the psalm: Alleluia!

Youth and beauty of the body fade at the hour of death,
and the tongue then burneth fiercely, and the parched throat is inflamed.
The beauty of the eyes is quenched then, the comeliness
of the face all altered,
the shapeliness of the neck destroyed; and the other parts
have become numb, nor often say: Alleluia!

With ecstasy are we inflamed if we but hear that there is
light eternal yonder;
that there is Paradise, wherein every soul of Righteous
Ones rejoiceth.
Let us all, also, enter into Christ, that we may cry aloud thus
unto God: Alleluia!
UPCOMING CHOIR CONCERTS

Joyful! A St. Thomas Aquinas Celebration
USU Chamber Singers/USU Symphony Orchestra
Friday, October 14, 7:30 p.m.
St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church
Hyde Park, Utah

Halloween “Spook” talacular
American Festival Chorus + Orchestra
Friday, October 29, 2:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Ellen Eccles Theatre
Logan, Utah

Lights On!
a concert for Cache Valley’s After-School Clubs
USU Chorale
Thursday, November 17, 5:30 p.m.
Ridgeline High School Auditorium
Millville, Utah

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USU Combined Choirs
Tuesday, December 6, 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.
St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church
Hyde Park, Utah
Admission is free

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- Rejoice and Be Merry
- Away in a Manger
- The Lamb
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