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“Messiah”

GEORGE FREDERIC HANDEL

Soloists

CHLOE OWEN, *Soprano*

DAVID LLOYD, *Tenor*

ANNA KASKAS, *Contralto*

OSCAR NATZKA, *Bass*

UNIVERSITY CHORAL UNION

UNIVERSITY MUSICAL SOCIETY ORCHESTRA

MARY MCCALL STUBBINS, *Organist*

LESTER MCCOY, *Conductor*

SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 10, 1949, AT 8:30

HILL AUDITORIUM, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

PROGRAM

In order to bring the performance within suitable program length certain parts are omitted.

OVERTURE

TENOR

Comfort ye, My people, saith your God; speak ye comfortably to Jerusalem; and cry unto her, that her warfare is accomplished, that her iniquity is pardoned.

The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness: Prepare ye the way of the Lord; make straight in the desert a highway for our God.

Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain and hill made low, the crooked straight and the rough places plain.

CHORUS

And the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together; for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it.

BASS

Thus saith the Lord of Hosts: Yet once a little while and I will shake the heavens and the earth, the sea and the dry land; and I will shake all nations; and the desire of all nations shall come.

The Lord, whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to His temple, even the

messenger of the covenant, whom ye delight in; Behold, He shall come, saith the Lord of Hosts.

But who may abide the day of His coming? and who shall stand when He appeareth?

For He is like a refiner's fire.

CONTRALTO

Behold, a virgin shall conceive and bear a Son, and shall call His name EMMANUEL: *God with us.*

CONTRALTO AND CHORUS

O thou that tellest good tidings to Zion, get thee up into the high mountain! Lift up thy voice with strength! Lift it up, be not afraid! Say unto the cities of Judah, Behold your God! Arise, shine, for thy light is come; and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee!

SOPRANO

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion. Rejoice greatly, shout, O daughter of Jerusalem. Behold, thy king cometh unto thee. He is the righteous Saviour and He shall speak peace unto the heathen.

CHORUS

For unto us a Child is born, unto us a Son is given, and the government shall be upon His shoulders; and His name shall be called Wonderful, Counselor, the Mighty God, the Everlasting Father, the Prince of Peace.

SOPRANO

There were shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night. And lo! the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them, and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them: Fear not, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the City of David, a Savior, which is Christ the Lord.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host, praising God, and saying:

CHORUS

Glory to God in the highest, and peace on earth, good will towards men.

CONTRALTO AND SOPRANO

Then shall the eyes of the blind be open'd, and the ears of the deaf unstopped. Then shall the lame man leap as an hart, and the tongue of the dumb shall sing.

He shall feed His flock like a shepherd, and He shall gather the lambs with His arm, and carry them in His bosom, and gently lead those that are with young.

Come unto Him, all ye that labor, and that are heavy laden; and He will give you rest. Take His yoke upon you, and learn of Him, for He is meek and lowly of heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls.

CHORUS

His yoke is easy, and His burden is light.

INTERMISSION

CHORUS

Behold the Lamb of God that taketh away the sins of the world.

CONTRALTO

He was despised and rejected of men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief.

CHORUS

Surely He hath borne our grief, and carried our sorrows; He was wounded

for our transgressions; He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon Him.

And with His stripes we are healed. And the Lord hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

TENOR

Thy rebuke hath broken His heart; He is full of heaviness. He looked for some to have pity on Him, but there was no man, neither found He any to comfort Him.

Behold, and see if there be any sorrow like unto His sorrow.

BASS

Why do the nations so furiously rage together? Why do the people imagine a vain thing? The kings of the earth rise up, and the rulers take counsel together, against the Lord, and against His anointed.

CHORUS

Let us break their bonds asunder, and cast away their yokes from us.

CHORUS AND AUDIENCE

HALLELUJAH: for the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth.

The kingdom of this world is become the kingdom of our Lord, and of His Christ; and He shall reign for ever and ever.

SOPRANO

I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth; and though worms destroy this body; yet in my flesh shall I see God.

For now is Christ risen from the dead, the first-fruits of them that sleep.

BASS

Behold, I tell you a mystery; we shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet.

The trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible; and we shall be changed.

CHORUS

Worthy is the Lamb that was slain, and hath redeemed us to God by His blood, to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honor, and glory, and blessing. Blessing and honor, glory and power, be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb, for ever and ever. AMEN.

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FIRST SOPRANOS

Abraham, Jacquelyn
 Alschbach, Floy J.
 Aprill, Virginia A.
 Boutwell, Elizabeth
 Boyd, Elinor Jean
 Bradstreet, Lola M.
 Britton, Veronica F.
 Browning, Irene E.
 Campbell, Ruth R.
 Corbin, Horatia J.
 Danforth, Marian E.
 Davis, Barbara Day
 Doudna, Virginia D.
 Elliott, Joanne E.
 Finlay, Nancy Anne
 Hanson, Gladys M.
 Heldreth, Dorothy J.
 Heyde, Norma Lee
 Houston, Alberta Jane
 Jensen, Marielouise
 Jewett, Patty
 Johnson, Barbara R.
 Kirby, Adele
 Lake, Mary Eleanor
 Lock Inez Jeanette
 Logan Bernadyne
 MacLaren, Helen L.
 Malan, Fannie Belle
 Newell, Dorothy P.
 Patton, Beatrice M.
 Pearson, Esther M.
 Proctor, Phyllis J.
 Randall, Ella May
 Reed, Mary Alice
 Shirley, Hazel
 Shufelt, Phyllis J.
 Stauffer, Mary L.
 Van Manen, Lucille L.
 Warren, L. Eleanor
 Williams, Jane N.
 Zeeuw, Faith Dolores
 Zuckerman, Shirley R.
 Zwagerman, Marcia

SECOND SOPRANOS

Baker, Joyce Yvonne
 Brockett, Eleanor G.
 Burton, Mary Jeanne
 Carillo, Edith M.
 Carstens, Dorothy M.
 Christensen, Joanne
 Clark, Janice Ruth
 Clark, Maury Winslow
 Danko, Dorothy L.
 Davidter, Hazel E.
 DeMond, Carol W.
 Detzer, Mary Ann
 Diepenhorst, Marion
 Dietz, Maryellen J.
 Fisher, Winifred
 Green, Jo Ann
 Hall, Lois Jean
 Hendrian, Suzanne
 Hooper, Helen Kay
 Huizenga, Thelma J.
 Ireland, Daphne P.
 Ivick, Franceanne
 Jewell, Arlene Jane
 Jewell, Esther L.
 Kindig, Beverly L.
 King, Mary Patricia
 Lindquist, Carol L.

McDowell, Wanda E.
 McKinley, Ann Watson
 Misner, Patricia Ann
 Mittler, Marilyn J.
 Oates, Dolores E.
 O'May, Miriam Sarette
 Patrick, Patricia J.
 Patsloff, Patricia
 Peterson, Ingrid M.
 Poliquin, Marie T.
 Rapp, Dorothy Jean
 Riley, Margaret M.
 Schmitkons, LaVerne
 Shafer, Ann Dyke
 Traxler, Ellen N.
 Turner, Mary Elizabeth
 Vlisides, Elena C.
 Vogt, Elva Marion
 Wight, Earlene Ann
 Zapf, Joan Carol
 Zickerman, Edith L.

FIRST ALTOS

Baumgarten, Patricia
 Berger, Edith G.
 Blair, Virginia E.
 Boice, Irene A.
 Brask, Harriet B.
 Brask, Sannah A.
 Brehm, Beverly J.
 Conover, Mary Chase
 Craze, Barbara Jean
 Dinnan, Mary E. S.
 Dobberstein, Arlene
 Estep, Jeannette F.
 Falcone, Mary L.
 Fandrem, Barbara J.
 Fowler, Virginia Lee
 Goble, Patricia Ann
 Gould, Marjorie L.
 Griffith, Erma R.
 Gunterberg, Anne P.
 Herrick, Hildegard
 Hoesman, Maxine M.
 Kahn, Janice S.
 Kelso, Barbara Ann
 Leet, Leonora J.
 Lewis, Nancy Joan
 Looney, Mary Jane
 Maguire, Anne
 Margeson, Bette L.
 Mastin, Neva M.
 McCall, Margaret
 McKeachie, Joyce
 Mettetal, Myra A.
 Moran, Marilyn L.
 Niemann, Mary Jane
 O'Conner, Edna A.
 Palmer, Anna W.
 Pettitt, Marcia A.
 Pierce, Janet C.
 Poor, Mary Louise
 Rauschkolb, Sunhild
 Reed, Marilyn E.
 Roff, Lane Shirley
 Rogers, Suzanne S.
 Rouse, Elaine G.
 Sill, Martha M.
 Stoltz, Barbara L.
 Symmonds, Charleen
 Van Laar, Eloise
 Wiedmann, Louise
 Wilcox, Leonella
 Zeeb, Helen R.

SECOND ALTOS

Alchin, Carol W.
 Benson, Patricia V.
 Birk, Allene A.
 Bogart, Gertrude J.
 Branson, Anita C.
 Clark, Barbara L.
 Clark, Helen Marie
 Crossley, Sarah-Lou
 Crossley, Winnifred
 Dawson, Dorothy
 Easton, Helen Ruth
 Enkemann, Gladys C.
 Foster, Dorothy Dice
 Gast, Marcella Jean
 Goodkind, Gloria Lee
 Greene, Barbara Joy
 Hamrick, Julia Ruth
 Helfrich, Mary H.
 Holtman, Estella
 Holzer, Jeanne F.
 Huey, Geraldine B.
 Karnischky, Nancy L.
 Kish, Rhea K.
 Korhonen, Gloria V.
 Larsen, Joan E.
 Lenz, Elsa
 Lown, Mary Lucille
 McKinney E. Belle
 McMurray, Nancy
 Miller, Virginia G.
 Mulkey, Virginia M.
 Oberholtzer, Erma
 Palmer, Beverly S.
 Ries, Catherine M.
 Sargent, Stephanie
 Simmons, Emma Jo
 Sitts, Jean Elaine
 Stevens, Adelaide
 Straley, Elizabeth
 Sullivan, Marion B.
 Tulecke, Hazel B.
 Wear, Louise F.
 Winston, Ernestine
 Woodworth, Alta H.
 Wright, Erma A.
 Wulsin, Margaret M.
 Zumstein, Marguerite

FIRST TENORS

Alperin, Harvey A.
 Brown, Archie M.
 Brown, Hugh C.
 Comfort, Gordon A.
 DeVoe, John H.
 Dunn, Ralph O., Jr.
 Foster, John A.
 Franke, George M.
 Harris, Robert A.
 James, William S.
 Kirby, Richard L.
 Liefer, Gerald H.
 Lowry, Paul T.
 Miller, Richard D.
 Niemann, Frederick
 Norling, Richard L.
 Norman, Jack Lewis
 Pearson, Robert S.
 Premo, Claude R.
 Robertson, Allen B.
 Roush, Richard E.
 Thompson, Frazier
 Thompson, Peter

Vis, Vincent Almon
Waldron, Wilfred
Wiseman, Donald O.
Wright, John J.

SECOND TENORS

Bronson, David L.
Brown, Robert W.
Chronic, Byron J.
Curry, Jon E.
Dietz, Robert James
Freeman, Franklin O.
Goodwin, F. Walter
Hagen, Ivan J.
Hardy, Gerald D.
Haswell, Max
Hennes, Allen R.
Horton, Josiah T.S.
Kirsten, Walter T.
Kochenderfer, L. V.
Lenz, Wallace W.
Munzel, Herbert L.
Olander, Eino R.
Paivinen, John O.
Parrot, S. Jean
Porretta, Frank S.
Rogers, Marion J.
Rothe, Ralph Joseph
Sargent, Douglas A.
Shirley, George W.
Swanson, Nils R.
Tesorsro, Isaac P.
Tripp, Thomas
Vandenberg, E. L., Jr.

Warren, Lester M.
Wortley, Charles K.

FIRST BASSES

Ablin, George
Brask, Willard J.
Button, Donald W.
Button, Robert E.
Caldwell, Carroll
Cathy, Arthur J.
Daley, John G.
DeJager, Donald
Doolittle, Robert
Engel, Albert J., Jr.
Graham, Garrett R.
Hamilton, Ralph E., Jr.
Heyde, John B.
Hines, Paul R.
Ireland, David
Jackson, Paul J.
Kays, J. Warren
McGaw, Richard W.
Meredith, Robert A.
Nylen, J. Lawrence
Pealy, Robert H.
Pelton, Jack Davis
Putnam, Leon J.
Putnam, Lloyd W.
Rash, Jack I.
Raymond, Jack R.
Roberts, William H.
Towler, Lewis W.
Truesdell, Frederick
Umphrey, James R.
Van Laar, Jack
Wechsler, Martin T.

Worth, Harold E.
Young, C. William

SECOND BASSES

Anderson, Carl A.
Berberian, Ara
Berg, Arthur D.
Beu, Karl E.
Boice, Harmon E.
Chase, Willis E., Jr.
Chu, Kuang-ya
Conover, John T.
Coons, John Donald
Crystal, Richard O.
Davidtler, Royal C.
Doolittle, James S.
Gozesky, Max A.
Johnson, Rodney C.
Kolloff, Richard H.
Larson, David D.
LeClair, David V.
Liang, Charles Y.
Marshall, Arnaud T.
McCaughey, Richard
Meade, Jerauld R.
Murray, David C., Jr.
Neuhardt, John B.
Northrup, Peter B.
Olthoff, Ned L.
Petach, Alexander M.
Schubert, Earl D.
Stetter, Charles
Strickland, J. Bertram
Swisher, John E., Jr.
Ulmer, David F.
Williams, Lewis R., Jr.

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VIOLINS

Merte, Herman, Jr.,
Concertmaster
Morris, Donald W.
Throop, Palmer A.
Shanker, Morris
Schmoker, Geraldine
Watson, Barbara
Palm, Marilyn
Kalionen, Elsie
Brown, Archie
Shaler, Dorothy

Warner, Barbara,
Principal
Aquilina, Peter
Ketcham, Warren A.
Button, Robert
Braun, Gertrude
Rutter, Phyllis
Sullivan, Shirley
Boudouris, James
Moore, Miriam
Knoblauch, Barbara

VIOLAS

Ireland, David, *Principal*
Miller, Robert
Mauerhoff, Gert

Bjorke, Wallace
Stoianowski, Sophie
DeVoe, John
Maddy, Joseph E.
Schaeberle, E. A.

VIOLONCELLOS

Speare, Patricia, *Principal*
Clark, Bruce
Butterfield, Phyllis
Ireland, Daphne
Sano, Alice
Wells, Marilyn
Anderson, Donald

BASSES

Hammel, Virginia,
Principal
Bryan, Virginia
Nolen, Wayne

FLUTES

Hauenstein, Nelson
Hauenstein, Louise

OBOES

Heger, Theodore E.
Heger, T. Charles

CLARINETS

Dailey, Dwight
Stubbins, William

BASSOONS

Weichlein, William
Pfeuffer, Robert

HORNS

Bartholomew, Leland
Chastaine, Leah

TRUMPETS

Gallagher, Charles, *Solo*
Dunham, Richard

TROMBONES

Bryan, Paul
Wallace, Paul
Symmonds, Charleen

TIMPANI

Salmon, James