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Christmas Concert No. 1

Complete Series 3248

“Messiah”

GEORGE FREDERICK HANDEL

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KENNETH SMITH, *Bass*

UNIVERSITY CHORAL UNION
MUSICAL SOCIETY ORCHESTRA
MARY McCALL STUBBINS, *Organist*
LESTER McCOY, *Conductor*

SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 6, 1958, AT 8:30

HILL AUDITORIUM, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN

PROGRAM

In order that the continuity of the work be maintained, it is requested that the audience refrain from applause until the end of each part of the program.

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.

CHORUS—And He shall purify the sons of Levi, that they may offer unto the Lord an offering in righteousness.

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

CONTRALTO—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!

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, saying:

CHORUS—Glory to God in the highest, and peace on earth, good will toward men.

SOPRANO—Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem: Behold, thy king cometh unto thee! He is the righteous Savior, and He shall speak peace unto the heathen.

CONTRALTO—Then shall the eyes of the blind be open'd, and 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.

SOPRANO—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—Surely He hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: He was wounded for our transgressions; He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon Him.

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

TENOR—All they that see Him, laugh Him to scorn; they shoot out their lips, and shake their heads, saying:

CHORUS—He trusted in God that he would deliver him; if he delight in Him.

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.

TENOR—He that dwelleth in heaven shall laugh them to scorn; the Lord shall have them in derision.

Thou shalt break them with a rod of iron; Thou shalt dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel.

CHORUS AND AUDIENCE—HALLELUJAH: for the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth.

The kingdom of this world has 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.

CHORUS—Since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

CONTRALTO—Then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallow'd up in victory.

CONTRALTO AND TENOR—O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin, and the strength of sin is the law.

CHORUS—But, thanks be to God, who giveth us the victory thro' our Lord Jesus Christ.

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.

UNIVERSITY CHORAL UNION

WILLIAM OSBORNE, *Accompanist*

FIRST SOPRANOS

Adler, Maryann Louise
Allen, Wendy Jean
Anderson, Cynthia J.
Arentz, Joan Carol
Atkinson, Jeanne O.
Bergeret, Eleanor N.
Bradstreet, Lola M.
Brophy, Lucretia A.
Burr, Virginia A.
Cole, Judith Lynne
Copenhagen, Nancy J.
Curtiss, Shirley
Elliott, Roberta D.
Evans, Mary Jo
Fischer, Laurel S.
Hanson, Gladys
Harris, Margaret L.
Henry, Charleen H.
Herter, Mary Jean
Hiraga, Mary E.
Hoard, Merna Jean
Huber, Sally S.
Jerome, Ruth O.
Keck, Nancy Joan
Keefer, Mary J.
Laidlaw, Sue Ann
Leeke, Marlene Anne
Lock, Inez Jeanette
Louch, June
Lowe, Emily Boyd
Luecke, Doris L.
Lutz, Amanda
MacLaren, Helen L.
Malan, Fannie Belle
McDonald, Ruth M.
Medina, Delia P.
Milanowski, Marcia R.
Patton, Beatrice
Pearson, Agnes I.
Pott, Margaret O.
Robinson, K. Lisa
Schreiber, Sylvia I.
Search, Carol Ann
Shapiro, Janet Stark
Skinner, Elizabeth B.
Smith, Judith Jean
Stachnik, Lois
Stevens, Ethel C.
Tabor, Sally E.
Tarboux, Isabelle N.
Titterton, Mary E.
Ward, Mary C.
Warren, Eleanor
Wendeln, Sue Anne
Wright, Jean Elizabeth
Youkilis, Elaine R.

SECOND SOPRANOS

Bahnmler, Martha L.
Barr, Evelyn Jean
Boice, Mary Carolyn
Brady, Joyce Williams
Chase, Geraldine Mae
Cobb, Carole Lee
Coffell, Mary Ellen
Corsaut, Pat L.
Cromwell, Ann Putnam
Curtis, Margaret L.
Datsko, Doris Mae
Dowsett, Susanne
Dykhouse, Delphine A.
Esquivel, Leonarda L.
Fenwick, Ruth A.

Funk, Phyllis Diane
Green, Etta M.
Groves, Kathryn M.
Guenther, Kay Austin
Hahn, Ruth Marie
Hakken, Jane
Horn, Elaine T.
Irwin, Alice Jeannette
Isbell, Melinda O.
Jones, Marion A.
Keller, Suellen
Kellogg, Merlyn L.
Knollmueller, Elizabeth C.
Knowlton, Suzanne K.
Kozachik, Marian L.
Kramer, Christine M.
Marshall, Molly W.
May, Barbara Ann
McAdoo, Mary J.
McCann, Karen Nelle
McCann, Mary Frances
Miller, Nandeen L.
Nobilette, Dorothy
Olmstead, Kathryn I.
Ostroski, Mary Joan
Over'll, Eleanor C.
Pike, Judith Lee
Pilot, Nancy Louise
Rosenbaum, Iris R.
Serbin, Sandra I.
Shagrin, Lana Sue
Sharpe, Wenonah M.
Sleet, Audrey M.
Striker, Donna H.
Thomas, Carole L.
Thoren, Ellen L.
Trautwein, Janet L.
Traweck, Sarah L.
Turner, Sara Jane
VerSchure, Arlene J.
Vlisides, Elena C.
Warren, Delores C.
Whealey, Lois D.

FIRST ALTOS

Abraham, Nadia
Adams, Wendy E.
Andrews, Joyce M.
Angevine, Joan K.
Arnstine, Lillian Kay
Beam, Eleanor Phillips
Beane, Alice Lucille
Birch, Dorothy T.
Bross, Joan Allison
Bussler, Janice B.
Clapp, Joanne E.
Clark, Elizabeth Lee
Cole, Christine A.
Conn, Eleanor Lee
Donald, Helen Mary
Eiteman, Sylvia C.
Ellis, Carol Sharon
Evans, Daisy E.
Fell, Patricia
Fillmore, Lucille R.
Fulk, Mary Barbara
Gross, Ruth A.
Hafner, Carolyn H.
Haley, Elizabeth W.
Hodgman, Dorothy B.
Huggard, Susan M.
James, Innez L.
Jones, Mary M.

Joslyn, Carol Sue
Kallock, Carolyn E.
Kaufmann, Karen Lee
Kennedy, Ann M.
Kirchman, Margaret
Lane, Rosemarie
Leffel, Judith Lynne
Liu, Marlita R.
Marsh, Martha M.
Matar, Jean L.
Matthews, Jean W.
McCoy, Bernice T.
Mehler, Hallie Jane
Nance, Margaret H.
Nelson, Sally Jo
Nichols, Elizabeth A.
Nyboer, Gretchen Ann
Peterson, Phyllis
Putnam, Judith M.
Sayre, Jean B.
Stroh, Miriam L.
Thomas, Patricia Ann
Tinker, Mary Ann
Walter, Nessena Lee
Warner, Anne K.
Wentworth, Elizabeth B.
Westerman, Carol F.
Wetherington, Sandra L.
Wiedmann, Louise P.
Zeeb, Helen R.

SECOND ALTOS

Adams, Sharon C.
Allen, Winifred
Arnold, Helen M.
Bishop, Mary R.
Blaurock, Margaret A.
Bogart, Gertrude J.
Bolt, Phyllis
Cummings, Ann
DuBree, Geraldine D.
Dykhouse, Thelma I.
Effinger, Peggy
Enkemann, Gladys C.
Gault, Ann W.
Gault, Gertrude W.
Groff, Linda Jane
Howard, Jean
Jenkins, Bernice
Johnston, Theolia C.
Kamper, Jo
Katona, Marianna V.
Kieft, Mary Lou
Knight, Mona
Kraus, Virginia
Lahde, Judith E.
Levine, Judith Ann
Lewin, Sherry Noma
Liebscher, Erika
Limburg, Aline M.
Lovelace, Elsie W.
Marcy, Anne Louise
Meyerson, Linda E.
Nelson, Beverly J.
Okey, Ruth Ann
Patchett, Elizabeth R.
Phillips, Priscilla F.
Pickard, Marilyn A.
Poland, Sydney Z.
Price, Susan L.
Ramsey, Marjorie Claire
Roeger, Beverly B.
Ross, Judy Ann
Ruby, Jean Kemp

Rudesill, Ann L.
 Schneider, Jean L.
 Schwartz, Susan
 Smith, Evelyn Marie
 Stoneburg, Mary Jane
 Stringer, Ruth Miriam
 Strumia, Lucia Joan
 Toles, Alberta C.
 Walker, Sue Ann
 Williams, Nancy P.

FIRST TENORS

Baker, Henry Robert
 Baker, Hugh E.
 Beck, David Read
 Bowen, Emmett Leslie
 Chao, James
 Cicchinelli, Alexander L.
 Collins, Allan M.
 Cooley, David Bruce
 Crane, Bradford Harman
 Ebner, Jerome Morton
 Edmiston, James
 Eick, John David
 Forsyth, Brian Lenton
 Franke, George Marshall
 Gardner, John William
 Greenberger, Allen Jay
 Johnson, George Francis
 Kuhlman, James Melvin
 Lowry, Paul T.
 MacNaughton, Orison A., Jr.
 Miller, Charles Stuart
 Nance, Nardi
 Norman, Matthew White
 Snortum, Neil K.
 Symons, James S., III

SECOND TENORS

Brady, David S.
 Edlund, John H.
 Frazier, James
 Fuller, Robert B.
 Gaskell, Jerry T.
 George, Emery E.

Gerrard, Allen G.
 Hakes, Jerry West
 Hartz, Theodore M.
 Humphrey, Richard
 Johnson, Harvey C.
 Knudson, Richard A.
 Kragl, Dieter
 Liu, Jung-Chao
 Manning, Gerald R.
 Marks, Robert H., Jr.
 Noparstak, Irwin H.
 Pearson, John R.
 Pelcman, Jean J.
 Pratt, Richard E.
 Smith, Donald L.
 Smith, Phillip H.
 Sterrett, David R.
 Sublette, Warren J.
 Tibbits, John A.
 Warthman, Forrest D.
 Wolverton, Franklin B.
 Yonkers, Anthony J.

FIRST BASSES

Arentz, Richard E.
 Austin, Gene E.
 Bates, Herman D.
 Beam, Marion L.
 Beck, Charles B.
 Borne, Gerhardt
 Bower, Bruce C.
 Burke, Michael A.
 Burr, Charles F.
 Cathey, Arthur
 Clemens, Earl
 Cook, Gerald E.
 Damouth, David E.
 Dunlap, Robert W.
 Dwyer, Donald H.
 Eisman, Michael M.
 Farley, Alan E.
 Farrar, Howard B.
 Farrar, Joel C.
 Hall, Lawrence E.
 Hill, Richard C.
 Hughes, David A.
 Irwin, Thomas C.

Kays, J. Warren
 Kissel, Klair
 Leach, Ronald K.
 Matthews, Frank
 Meader, Robert E.
 Morgan, Douglass H.
 Parker, Geoffrey B.
 Pasco, Carl Edward
 Pontious, Henry A.
 Schmitt, Frederick G., Jr.
 Sue, Wallace
 Troutman, Thomas B.
 Wagner, Richard V.
 Williams, Richard C.

SECOND BASSES

Allen, John Leon
 Bay, John Paul
 Beam, Bradley M.
 Beam, Joel F.
 Becker, Wayne M.
 Bedell, Kenneth G.
 Collinson, Kenneth L.
 Dykhouse, David Jay
 Elliott, Paul R.
 Evans, P. David L.
 Farrand, William R.
 Hall, Donald James
 Hecht, Dwight W.
 Helber, Paul R.
 Hofmann, John T.
 Huber, Franz
 Kincaid, William H.
 Klevgard, Charles N.
 Kooy, Charles
 Lowe, Donald S.
 McAdoo, William P.
 Mitchell, Peter
 Natanson, Leo
 Nauman, John D.
 Pelton, Jack Davis
 Rathbun, Roger C.
 Shingledecker, Richard
 Steinmetz, George P.
 Stone, Karl Johnson
 Vandever, James F.
 Westman, Ronald S.

MUSICAL SOCIETY ORCHESTRA

FIRST VIOLINS

Green, Elizabeth
Concertmaster
 Bloom, Lynn Z.
 Dunne, Kathleen
 Haughn, Elizabeth
 Kelley, Mary
 Merte, Herman
 Meyer, Judith Ann
 Rupert, Jeanne
 Thompson, Donna
 Perrow, Edith

SECOND VIOLINS

Carter, Mary Ellen
Principal
 Adler, Maryann
 Croteau, Dorothy
 Gretzler, Belle
 Joseph, Alice
 Mansfield, Judy
 Rainaldi, Mary
 Schenk, Helen
 Slawson, Nancy
 Villa, Ella

VIOLAS

Wilson, George
Principal
 Baay, Muriel

Hayes, Alice
 Hughes, Byron
 Karapetian, Karl
 Lillya, Ann
 Mueller, Blanche

VIOLONCELLOS

Shetler, Donald
Principal
 Allen, Anne
 Arnos, Connie
 Dalley, Gretchen
 Dunne, Tom
 Grove, Jean
 Ulmer, Peter

BASSES

Hurst, Larry
Principal
 Blubaugh, Sally
 Hammel, Virginia
 McCullough, Diane
 Spring, Peter
 Wolff, Roberta

FLUTES

Martin, Pat
 Rearick, Martha

OBOES

Lynch, Raymond
 Ruffner, Janet

CLARINETS

Skei, Allen
 Wilson, J. Richard

BASSOONS

Scribner, William
 Benson, Richard

HORNS

Whitwell, David
 Wickham, David

TRUMPETS

Stollsteimer, Gary
 Tison, Donald

TROMBONES

Hause, Robert
 Wirt, Karl
 Christie, John

TYMPANI

Jones, Harold