



**Laudate: A Concert of Praise,  
Mastersingers Program (10/9/1994)**

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The  
**RHODES  
CHORALE**

*Tony Lee Garner, Conductor*

*presents*

**“LAUDATE”**  
*A Concert Of Praise*

**PSALMKONZERT—Heinz Werner Zimmermann**

Rhodes College Music Academy Children's Chorus

Susan Van Dyck, Director

Trumpets, Vibraphone, String Bass

Soloists: Benjamin Legett, William Krieger

**SYMPHONY OF PSALMS—Igor Stravinsky**

Jane Gamble and David Ramsey, Two Piano Accompaniment

**GLORIA—Francis Poulenc**

Jane Gamble and David Ramsey, Two Piano Accompaniment

Soloist: Carole Choate Blankenship

**CHICHESTER PSALMS—Leonard Bernstein**

Harp, Percussion, Two Pianos

Soloist: Charles Edward Sharp III

**Sunday, October 9, 1994, 3:00 P.M.**

**Church of the Holy Communion**

**4645 Walnut Grove Road**

## Psalmkonzert—Heinz Werner Zimmermann

### Movement I

Sing to the Lord, all ye lands. Your newest song!  
Sing praises to His glory!  
From day to day make known His saving grace!  
Declare unto all the nations His glory and His wonders!

### Movement II

Blessed is he who puts his trust in the Lord and does not turn to them  
who are arrogant and to all them who deceive with vicious lies!  
I cried to the Lord, He inclined His heart to me, and, hearing my cry,  
He brought me out of a horrible pit, out of miry clay, and  
He has set my feet upon a rock that I may safely walk.  
And He has given a song, another song to me to praise and thank our God.  
Many shall see His wonders and they shall fear Him.

### Movement III

Thy mercy and grace is great, O Lord, Thy patience and abundant goodness!  
He will not always chide thee nor show His wrath ever,  
He has not dealt with us for our transgressions, for our iniquities!  
For as high as heaven is above earth and sea, so great is His mercy  
toward them that fear Him! Amen.

### Movement IV

Thanks be to God, for He is gracious, His love endureth forevermore!  
Let the redeemed of the Lord tell of His might, those whom He has  
rescued from trouble, and those whom He has gathered from far distant  
countries, from rising 'til setting of the sun, from north and from south.  
Those in trouble called upon the Lord, and He brought them out of their distress,  
and He safely led them unto the straight way, 'til they reached the city where  
they could abide.  
Let all redeemed thank Him for His might and goodness!  
Thank Him for His wonders, shown unto the children of mankind!  
Those in trouble called unto the Lord, and He brought them out of their distress;  
He gave them His Word and made them whole again,  
and delivered them all from death and ruin!  
Who is wise enough to heed this?

### Movement V

#### Children:

Now thank we all our God, with heart and hands and voices.  
Who wondrous things hath done, in whom His world rejoices.  
Who from our mothers' arms hath blessed us on our way  
With countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

## Symphony of Psalms—Igor Stravinsky

### Movement I

#### Psalm 39: 13-14

Hear my prayer, O Lord,  
and give ear to my cry;  
hold not thy peace at my tears!  
Do not be silent for I am thy passing guest,  
a sojourner like all my fathers.  
Look away from me, that I may know  
gladness, before I depart and be no more.

### Movement II

#### Psalm 40:2-4

I waited patiently for the Lord;  
He inclined to me and heard my cry.  
He drew me up from the desolate pit,  
out of the miry bog,  
and set my feet upon a rock,  
making my steps secure.  
He put a new song in my mouth,  
a song of praise to our God.

Many will see and fear, and  
put their trust in the Lord.

### Movement III

#### Psalm 150

Alleluia.  
Praise the Lord!  
Praise God in His sanctuary;  
praise Him in His mighty firmament!  
Praise Him for His mighty deeds;  
praise Him for His exceeding greatness!  
Praise Him with the sound of trumpet;  
praise Him with lute and harp!  
Praise Him with timbrel and dance;  
praise Him with strings and pipe!  
Praise Him with sounding cymbals;  
praise Him with loud clashing cymbals!  
Praise Him all spirits (everything that is).  
Praise the Lord!

## Gloria—Francis Poulenc

### Movement I

Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace to men of good will.

### Movement II

We praise thee; we bless thee; we adore thee; we glorify thee.  
We give thee thanks for thy great glory.

### Movement III

O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

### Movement IV

O Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son.

### Movement V

O Lord God, Lamb of God,  
Son of the Father, who takest away the sins of the world, have mercy on us:  
thou who takest away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.

### Movement VI

Thou who sittest at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.  
For thou only art holy: thou only art the Lord: thou only, O Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## Chichester Psalms—Leonard Bernstein

### Movement I

#### *Psalm 108:2*

Awake, psaltery and harp:  
I will rouse the dawn!

#### *Psalm 100*

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord all ye  
lands.  
Serve the Lord with gladness.  
Come before His presence with singing.  
Know ye that the Lord, He is God.  
It is He that hath made us, and not we  
ourselves.  
We are His people and the sheep of his  
pasture.  
Enter into His gates with thanksgiving,  
And into His courts with praise.  
Be thankful unto Him, and bless His name.  
For the Lord is good, His mercy is  
everlasting.  
And His truth endureth to all generations.

### Movement II

#### *Psalm 23*

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want,  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures,  
He leadeth me beside the still waters,  
He restoreth my soul,  
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness,  
For His name's sake.  
Yea, though I walk  
Through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil,  
For Thou art with me,  
Thy rod and Thy staff  
They comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me  
In the presence of mine enemies,  
Thou anointest my head with oil,  
My cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy

Shall follow me all the days of my life,  
And I will dwell in the house of the  
Lord forever.

#### *Psalm 2:1-4*

Why do the nations rage,  
And the people imagine a vain thing?  
The kings of the earth set themselves.  
And the rulers take counsel together  
Against the Lord and against His anointed.  
Saying, let us break their bands asunder,  
And cast away their cords from us.  
He that sitteth in the heavens  
Shall laugh, and the Lord  
Shall have them in derision!

### Movement III

#### *Psalm 131*

Lord, Lord,  
My heart is not haughty,  
Nor mine eyes lofty,  
Neither do I exercise myself  
In great matters or in things  
Too wonderful for me.  
Surely I have calmed  
And quieted myself  
As a child that is weaned of his mother,  
My soul is even as a weaned child.  
Let Israel hope in the Lord  
From henceforth and forever.

#### *Psalm 133:1*

Behold how good,  
And how pleasant it is,  
For brethren to dwell  
Together in unity.

## Members of The Rhodes Chorale

### Sopranos

Christine Bertz  
Carole Choate Blankenship  
Kate Cockrill  
Lynn Crabb  
Macon Davis  
Pam Dotson  
Bette Garner  
Cindy Harris  
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Lane McNab  
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Cynthia Stephens  
Anita Wiggins  
Megan Young

### Altos

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Mary Beth Bankson  
Jan Bigham  
Robin Blalack  
Maria Cawood  
Heather Coleman  
Susan Edmonds  
Holly Hall  
Ellen Koziel  
Sage Lambert  
Joy Lingerfelt  
Susan Mallory  
Rebecca Patterson  
Jean Schmidt  
Terron Shoemaker  
Oma Strickland  
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### Tenors

Josh Almond  
Keith Arnold  
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Thomas Haller  
Tim Johnson  
Greg Koziel  
Chris Luter  
Scott Miller  
Edward Sharp  
Winkle Sterling  
Roger Tucker  
Stuart Turner  
Jim Vogel

### Basses

Greg Bodin  
Adam Crowder  
Bill Flores  
Robert Harris  
Jason K. Martin  
William Krieger  
Benjamin Legett  
Karl London  
Travis Miller  
Robert Patterson  
Dan Petit  
Ed Pichon  
James Williamson  
Dan Witherspoon

The Rhodes Chorale is under the aegis of Rhodes College. The goal for the Chorale is to become a professional chorus, performing choral music of all kinds at the highest level possible. The intent is to include in the membership high school and college students of outstanding abilities, offering them a rare opportunity to learn and experience the joy of performing great choral music with professional choral singers.

Do not miss the Memphis premier performance of the "Vespers" by Sergei Rachmaninoff on February 19, 1995. The Chorale will perform this beautiful work at St. Mary's Episcopal Cathedral at 4:00 P.M.

We want to thank James Brinson and the staff at Holy Communion. With grateful hearts we thank the talented and gifted Jane Gamble and David Ramsey, Patricia Gray, the Business Manager of the Chorale, and Margo Raiford, Program Director at the McCoy Theatre, Rhodes College.

Auditions for membership in the Chorale may be arranged by calling Mr. Garner at 726-3775.

If you would like to learn more about the Chorale, you may get on our mailing list by calling 726-3775 or by filling out the form below and sending it to:

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