



directed by Leonard Enns

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Death Be Not Proud

Music of Remembrance & Hope

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Sunday, November 14, 1999 – 2:30pm
St John the Evangelist Anglican Church, Kitchener

programme...

Missa Brevis	Ruth Watson Henderson
Four Motets	Aaron Copland
<i>Help Us, O Lord</i>	
<i>Thou, O Jehovah, Abideth Forever</i>	
<i>Have Mercy on Us, O My Lord</i>	
<i>Sing Ye Praises To Our King</i>	
Agnus Dei	Samuel Barber

intermission...

Dance of Death	Hugo Distler
Ich bin die Auferstehung und das Leben	Heinrich Schütz
In Remembrance (from Requiem)	Eleanor Daley

...please join us for a post-concert reception

Missa Brevis

Kyrie

Kyrie eleison.
Christe eleison.
Kyrie eleison.

Lord have mercy.
Christ have mercy.
Lord have mercy.

Gloria

Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Glory be to God on high.

Et in terra pax hominibus
bonae voluntatis.

And in earth peace,
good will towards all.

Laudamus te, benedicimus te,
adoramus te, glorificamus te.

We praise thee, we bless thee,
we worship thee, we glorify thee.

Gratias agimus tibi propter
magnam gloriam tuam.

We give thanks to thee for thy
great glory.

Domine Deus, rex coelestis,
Deus Pater omnipotens.

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

Domine Fili unigenite, Jesu Christe.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ.

Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris.

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father.

Qui tollis peccata mundi,
miserere nobis.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
have mercy upon us.

Qui tollis peccata mundi,
suscipe deprecationem nostram.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer.

Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris.
miserere nobis.

Thou that sittest at the right hand
of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

Quoniam tu solus sanctus,
tu solus Dominus,
tu solus Altissimus, Jesu Christe.
Cum Sacto Spiritu in gloria
Dei Patris.

For thou only art holy,
thou only art the Lord,
thou only, O Christ,
with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the
glory of God the Father.

Amen.

Amen.

Sanctus

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus,
Dominus Deus Sabaoth.
Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua.

Holy, holy, holy,
Lord God of Hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Hosanna

Hosanna in excelsis.

Hosanna in the highest.

Benedictus

Benedictus qui venit
in nomine Domini.

Blessed is He that cometh
in the name of the Lord.

Agnus Dei

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi:
miserere nobis.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins
of the world: have mercy on us.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi:
miserere nobis.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins
of the world: have mercy on us.

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi:
dona nobis pacem.

Lamb of God, that takest away the sins
of the world: grant us thy peace.

Four Motets

Help Us, O Lord

Help us, help us O Lord.
For with Thee is the fount of life.
In Thy light shall we see light.
Let us march and try our ways.
Turn to God.

It is good that we should wait.
It is good that we should hope,
hope for the salvation of the Lord.

Help us, help us O Lord. Ah!

Thou, O Jehovah, Abideth Forever

Thou, O Jehovah, abideth forever.
God reigneth over the earth and nations.
His throne doth last
and doth guide all the ages.

Wherefore wilt Thou forsake us ever?
When then wilt Thou forget us never?

Thou, O Jehovah, abideth forever
and all the length of our days
will ever be our Saviour.
Thou, O Jehovah, abideth forever.

Have Mercy on Us, O My Lord

Have mercy on us, O my Lord.
Be not far from us, O my God.
Give ear to our humble prayer.
Attend and judge us in Thy might.
Uphold us with Thy guiding hand.
Restore us to Thy kindly light.

Have mercy on us, O my Lord.
Be not far from us, O my God.
O my heart is sorely pained.
Cast me not away from Thee.

Then we shall trust in Thee,
then we will bear our place.

Be not far from us, O my Lord.
Oh my heart is sorely pained.
Cast me not away from Thee.
Have mercy on us, O my Lord.
Be not far from us, O my God.

Sing Ye Praises To Our King

Sing ye praises, sing ye praises to our King.
O sing ye praises,
sing ye praises to our King and Ruler.

Come and hear nations all.
Come and hear my praises.
He doth bless all the earth,
bringeth peace and comfort.

Shout unto God, nations all.
Shout unto God all your praises.
He doth bless all the earth,
bringeth peace and comfort.

Sing ye praises, sing ye praises to our King.
O sing ye praises, sing ye praises.

Come and praise Him nations all.
Shout and praise Him nations all.
He doth bless all the earth,
bringeth peace to us all.

O sing ye praises to our King and Ruler.
Sing!

Agnus Dei

For text, see Missa Brevis

Dance of Death

1. Leave all this, that you own, so that you may win!
Renounce your sins, that you may thousand-fold receive.
In God we find our light.
God asks us to decide.
Blest be, the man who weighs this choice!
2. Man, this world's beauteous form will fade away in time.
Why then depend so much on passing joys?
Man, this world's beauteous form will pass away in time.
3. If you expect to share eternal life with God,
then let your love of self grow less in prominence.
4. O sinner, if you would recognize how time flies soon,
And the eternity, you would no evil do!
5. Your greatest friend, your body, it is your fiercest foe.
It binds and hinders you.
Your greatest friend, it leads you far astray.
6. The rich man of this world, what does he truly gain,
since he with debt and loss must leave his wealth behind?
7. Friend fighting is not enough.
You must fight for a just cause.
In God you shall find rest and find your peace forever.
8. The world is your deep sea, the pilot is God's word.
Your soul is what shall travel home.
9. The pure celestial light shines forth during your lifetime
for those men who dare to go and seek it in the darkness.
10. Friend, if in yonder world you hope for roses blooming,
then you must here on earth the thorns' discomfort suffer.
11. Arise, the bridegroom comes!
You will not go with him if you are not prepared to meet him instantly.
12. Man, when your tedious load become too hard for you,
then turn yourself to God and His eternity.
13. The soul which on earth is smaller yet than small,
shall in the realm of God the fairest angel be.
14. The soul, since it is born for eternity,
finds never truly peace in worldly goods and gains.
Thus it's astonishing, you love this passing show
and put your faith and trust in frail mortality.

Ich bin die Auferstehung und das Leben

Ich bin die Auferstehung und das Leben.
Wer an mich glaubet,
der wird leben ob er gleich stürbe.
Und wer da lebet und glaubet an mich,
der wird nimmermehr sterben.

I am the resurrection and the life.
Those who believe in me will live,
even though they die.
And whoever lives and believes in me
will never die.

In Remembrance – from Requiem

Do not stand at my grave and weep.
I am not there, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow,
I am the diamond glint on snow,
I am the sunlight on ripened grain,
I am the gentle morning rain.
And when you wake in the morning's hush,
I am the sweet uplifting rush
of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft stars that shine at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry,
I am not there, I did not die.



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