

The Travelers Choral Club

Presents



Directed by Lois Jungas
Accompanied by Stacy Cahoon

Thursday, May 15, 2003

7:30 p.m.

The Bushnell • Mortensen Hall
Hartford, Connecticut

Our Director:

Lois Jungas, Director of the Travelers Choral Club, received her Bachelor and Master of Music degrees from Westminster Choir College, Princeton, N.J., where she was the recipient of the Outstanding Student Award. On a full scholarship, she attended The Curtis Institute of Music, Philadelphia, Pa., where she graduated with an Artist's Diploma in organ and piano accompanying. Lois has appeared throughout New England, the Midwest and the Philadelphia area in solo organ recitals, as an accompanist and as a director of choral works. Before becoming Director of Travelers Choral Club in 1982, she was the Club's accompanist for seven years. She has served as a director of music in a number of churches and synagogues in the New England area.

Our Accompanist:

Stacy Cahoon received her Master of Music Degree in Piano Accompanying from the Hartt School of Music and a Bachelor of Music in Performance from the University of Massachusetts at Lowell. In demand as a freelance accompanist, she has appeared throughout the Northeast, including the Lincoln Center Library and St. Peter's Church in New York City. She has had the distinct pleasure of being the Choral Club Accompanist since 1995. As a soloist, Stacy has performed recitals in Hartford, most recently at Center Church, as well as throughout Cape Cod. Stacy is a staff accompanist for the Hartford Conservatory and is an independent piano teacher.

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Our Thanks To:

The Board of Directors, Travelers Senior Staff, and the Travelers Foundation for continuing support.

The Travelers Employees' Club for providing ushering assistance.

You, our audience, for joining us this evening and for your always generous donations for Foodshare.

A Gershwin Gala

Let There Be Music Young
The Heavens Are Telling Haydn
Catharine Floryan, Soprano; John Nelson, Tenor; Peter Vaughn, Bass
The Road Not Taken R. Thompson
Waters Ripple And Flow Czecho-Slovak Folksong arr. Taylor
Cheryl Sullivan, Soprano & Dan Tuve, Baritone
Homeland Holst arr. Stroope



Preludes For Piano George Gershwin
1. Allegro Ben Ritmato E Deciso
2. Andante Con Moto E Poco Rubato
3. Allegro Ben Ritmato E Deciso
Fascinating Rhythm George Gershwin
Stacy Cahoon, Piano



Let Me Be The Music Friedman
Lovely Way To Spend An Evening McHugh arr. Hayward
I'll Build A Stairway To Paradise Gershwin
St. Louis Blues Handy arr. Page
Georgia On My Mind Carmichael arr. Shaw
William Very, Baritone
Seventy Six Trombones Willson
Tim Kloczko, Bass; Phil Stice & William Very, Drums

◆◆◆ Intermission ◆◆◆

By George The Choral Club
Somebody Loves Me Robert Balmer
The Man I Love Patricia Gray
It Ain't Necessarily So Phil Stice
Nice Work If You Can Get It The Choral Club
Porgy & Bess Medley Carroll Toal & Ellen Arendt
My Cousin in Milwaukee Diane MacNeal
The Babbitt & The Bromide William Curlew & Larry Goodwin
I Got Rhythm Patrick Nollet & The Choral Club

SOPRANO I

Paivi Annast
 Ellen Arendt
 Stephanie Carroll
 Yushen Chu
 Linda Cromwell
 Catharine Floryan
 Carolyn Carr
 Patricia A. Gray #*
 Beth Haluszka
 Bernadette Lebel
 Rose Libratore
 Doreen Linton

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 Jo-An Ulrich
 Pamela Paul
 Muriel Poisson °
 Carolyn Rempt
 Beatrice Ann Shields °
 Dorothea Suchecki
 Divinagracia Vernier

SOPRANO II

Karen Bale
 Kathy Bouchard
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 Tara Bush
 Maureen Buyak
 Grace Carlson
 Lucille Dubreuil
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ALTO I

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 Alice Sheremeta
 Grace Shuman
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 Suzanne Thomas

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Nancy Andrix
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 Marie Johnson

Susan McGonigle *
 Nancy Perrone
 Connie Polansky
 Nancy M. Wilson

TENOR

Robert Balmer
 Richard Daggett
 Lawrence Goodwin #
 Marty Landusky
 John A. Nelson

Martin Proulx
 Tom Robinson
 Jean-Michel Sibille *
 Phil Stice

BASS

Kenneth Burr
 Theodore Clark
 William Curlew
 Carl Delmolino
 Greg Fisher
 Eric Johnson
 Bernard E. Kean
 Doug Kern
 Tim Kloczko
 Ray Knapp

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 Jerry McGiver
 Al Nadeau
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The Travelers Choral Club was formed in 1924 and is the oldest company-sponsored, mixed singing group in the country. It started out as a very small group, performing in the company's auditorium. Except for the World War II years, the group has been performing twice a year at the Bushnell since 1931. Our concerts have always been open to the public and free of charge. In the early years, the group sang Christmas carols on radio station WTIC, then owned by Travelers. In 1965, the group performed at the World's Fair Travelers Pavilion in New York City under the baton of Director Emeritus Dr. Frank Groff.

In addition to our Bushnell concerts, Travelers Choral Club serves the Greater Hartford community through contributions to Foodshare and the Salvation Army, and through performances at the Festival of Trees at the Wadsworth Atheneum, for United Way events, and at other company and community events.



Please join us for our next concert on December 4, 2003.
 For free tickets and information, please call (860) 954-2756.