

Sons of Orpheus - The Male Choir of Tucson

Grayson Hirst - Founder/Artistic Director

24th Anniversary Gala Spring Concert

Wednesday, April 8, 2015, 7:00 P.M.
Community Performance and Art Center
1250 W. Continental Rd., Green Valley

Sunday, April 12, 2015, 3:00 P.M.
Casas Adobes Congregational Church
6801 N. Oracle Rd., Tucson

Saturday, April 18, 2015, 3:00 P.M.
Grace St. Paul's Episcopal Church
2331 E. Adams Street

I

Drig! Drig! Drig!.....Jacques Offenbach (1819-1880), adpt. Michael Fraser
from *Les Contes d'Hoffmann (The Tales of Hoffmann, Prologue)*
Hermann: Ned Mackey, *baritone*/ Luther: Gary Smyth, *bass*/ Nathanael: James Austin, *tenor*

To pivečko, to věru je nebeský dar (Chorus in Praise of Beer),
from *Prodaná Nevěsta (The Bartered Bride, Act II)*.....Bedřich Smetana (1824-1884)

Drinking Song from *The Student Prince, Act I*.....Sigmund Romberg (1887-1951)

II

Finlandia- hymni.....Jean Sibelius (1865-1957)

Plotiyu usnuv yako myertv (Having Fallen Asleep).....Aleksandr Glazunov (1865-1936)

'O Sole Mio!.....Eduardo di Capua (1865-1917), adpt. Thomas Wentzel
James Austin, *tenor*/ Bryce Tomlin, *tenor*

III

Commemorating the Sesquicentennial of the End of the Civil War

Ashokan Farewell.....Jay Ungar (b.1946)
Kai Skaggs, *violin*/ Jim Hogan, *guitar*/ Bruce Mortensen, *guitar*
Grayson Hirst, *narration*

Was My Brother in the Battle?.....Stephen Foster (1826-1864), adpt. T. Wentzel
Emily Garcia, *soprano*/ Lindsey McHugh, *soprano*
Rebecca Shiao, *violin*/ Nicole Skaggs, *violin*

Battle Hymn of the Republic.....Julia Ward Howe (1819-1910)/ William Steffe (1830-1890),
arr. Peter Wilhousky

Intermission

IV

Commemorating the 70th Anniversary of the End of World War II

March.....Malcolm Arnold (1921-2006)
from *The Bridge on the River Kwai* (Columbia Pictures, 1957)

The White Cliffs of Dover.....Walter Kent (1911-1994), adpt. Jim Filipek
Lindsey McHugh, *soprano*

Le Chant des Partisans.....Anna Marly (1917-2006), adpt. T. Wentzel
Brian McNiff, *tenor*/ Bryce Tomlin, *tenor*

Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy.....Don Raye (1909-1985), adpt. J. Filipek

V

In Old Mexico.....Tom Lehrer (b. 1928)

New Math.....Tom Lehrer

Lobachevsky.....Tom Lehrer

Lindsey McHugh, *soprano*

VI

El Paso.....Marty Robbins (1925-1982), adpt. M. Fraser

The Green Leaves of SummerDimitri Tiomkin (1894-1979)
from *The Alamo* (Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios, 1960)

Jingle, Jangle, JingleFrank Loesser (1910-1969), arr. Maurice Hill
from *The Forest Rangers* (Paramount, 1942)

Theme from Rawhide.....Dimitri Tiomkin, arr. M. Hill
Jim Hogan, *tenor*

Brent Burmeister, *piano*