

EDINA HIGH SCHOOL  
VOCAL MUSIC DEPARTMENT

presents

*Holiday  
Choral  
Concert  
1997*



Directed by  
**Robert L. Peterson**  
**David O. Henderson**

**Karen Ouren**  
Accompanist

December 2, 4, 1997  
7:30 PM

Leo J. Fick Auditorium

# HOLIDAY CHORAL CONCERT

EDINA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

December 2,4, 1997 7:30 P.M.

## CHAMBER SINGERS

- "The Christmas Song" ..... arr. Ed Logeski  
soloist: Charles Schwandt
- "Lirum Lirum" ..... Thomas Morley  
(1558-1602)
- "Winter Wonderland" ..... arr. J. David Moore
- "I'll Be Home For Christmas" ..... arr. Mac Huff
- "Deck The Hall" ..... arr. Gene Puerling

## TREBLE SINGERS

- "Carol of the Bells" ..... M. Leontovich
- "And Nature Smiled" ..... Allen Koepke
- "There is no Rose" ..... Ronald Center  
Anonymous Text c.1420

### Treble Ensemble

- "Cantate Domino" ..... Hans Leo Hassler  
(O Sing unto the Lord a new Song) (1564-1612)

- "The Dream Tree" ..... Buffy Sainte-Marie  
soloist: Lydia Haines oboe: Emily Wyse arr. Ben Allaway

- "Wir eilen mit schwachen, doch emsigen Schritten" ..... J.S. Bach  
(We hurry with tired, unfaltering footsteps) (1685-1750)  
from the Cantata No. 78

- "The Storm is Passing Over" ..... Charles Albert Tindley  
arr. by Barbara W. Baker

## MEN'S CHORUS

- "Zion hört die Wächter singen" ..... Dietrich Buxtehude  
(Zion Hears the Watchmen Singing) (1637-1707)

- "Veni Jesu" ..... Luigi Cherubini  
(1760-1842)

- "Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening" ..... Randall Thompson  
from *Frostiana* text by Robert Frost

- "A-Roving" ..... Sea Chantey  
arr. by Norman Luboff

Men's Chorus Accompanist: Deborah Bang

INTERMISSION: 10 minutes

refreshments are available in the Commons

-please do not bring food or drink into the Auditorium-

## VARSIITY CHOIR

"Sing Unto God" ..... Paul Fetler  
"Agnus Dei" ..... Eugene Butler  
"Hold On! " ..... arr. Jackson Berkey

### *Varsity Ensemble*

"All Ye Who Music Love" ..... Baldassare Donato (1548-1603)  
"El Grillo" ( The Cricket) ..... Josquin Des Prez (1450-1521)

"Blessed Be The Name Of The Lord" ..... Dale Grotenhuis  
"I Hear a Voice A-Prayin' " ..... Houston Bright  
"Sleigh Ride" ..... arr. Hawley Ades

## CONCERT CHOIR

VII. "Have ye not known?" (Isaiah XL:21) ..... Randall Thompson

VIII. "Ye shall have a song" (Isaiah XXX:29)

*from The Peaceable Kingdom*

"Weep, O Mine Eyes" ..... John Bennet  
(c. 1599)

"Ain' - a That Good News" ..... William L. Dawson

"Letters to Santa Claus" ..... Gordon Johnson

guest soloist: Grace Litteken

*from Children's Letters to Santa Claus* by Bill Adler

1. Big Girl, 2. Little Girl, 3. Too Bad, 4. My Name is Robert,
5. A Lot of Santas

## *Gloria*

by

John Rutter

(1974)

1. Gloria

2. Domine Deus

3. Quoniam tu solus sanctus

soloists: Johanna Dorn, Katherine Crawford, Rachael Zorn

trumpets: Ralph Schwartz, William Webb, Dr. Robert Ouren,  
Dru McGill

trombones: Karna England, Megan Calgren, Ben Kohlmann

percussion: Andy Thompson, Nick Schrock

organ: Mrs. Karen Ouren

## CONCERT CHOIR

### Soprano

Melina Andron  
*Deborah Bang*@  
 Katherine Bennett  
 Amy Bitterman  
 Jessica Boschee  
 Clara Boyum  
 Holly Dolesji  
 Camilla Eilertsen  
 Jennifer Erickson  
 Amanda Erwin  
 Laura Frank  
 Regan Ilten  
 Elizabeth Jenson  
 Julie Johnson  
 Mary Kasiske++  
*Elizabeth Kumagai*  
 @+&+++  
 Kate Lawrence  
*Megan Northrup*+  
 Julie Pastor  
 Jennifer Peck  
 Tanya Peterson  
 Michelle Ratliff  
 Brooke Simmons  
 Bonnie Smith  
*Sara Wagner*  
 Emily Wyse

### Alto

Katherine Agustsson  
 Meta Anderson  
 Sarah Backes  
 Kelley Baker #  
 Katie Carpenter

### Alto (continued)

Mary Ashley Carr  
 Rachel Commerford  
*Katherine Crawford* @+  
 Johanna Dorn  
 Katie Grivna  
 Emily Hall++  
 Bridget Hanus  
 Candace Lobay  
 Elizabeth Massopust  
 Julia Metil xx  
 Mara Michaletz  
 Rebekah Montgomery  
*Colleen Mulheran*  
 Amanda Murdock  
*Ruthie Schaitberger*  
 Maija Thomsen  
 Sara Wylie  
*Rachael Zorn*+++

### Tenor

P.J. Besinger \*  
 Erick Chi \*  
 Gregor Feige\*  
 Pete Fitzgerald \*  
 James Foster \*  
 James Freeman\*  
 Patrick Fronek \*  
*Martin Gottesman* \*  
 Robert Goudy \*  
 Cory Hample \*  
 Matt Hansen \*

### Tenor (continued)

Eric Ingvaldson \*  
*Steven Jepsen* \*  
 Jonathan Lippert \*  
*Jeffrey Litman*+ \*++  
 RickMalphrus \*  
 Tom Richardson \*  
 Josh Rodgers \*  
 Mark Seaberg \*  
*Perry Sommers* \*@+

### Bass

Mark Berger  
 Marshall Bolin \*  
 Johnny Crowther \*  
 Jesse Dodge \*  
 Loren Girsberger \*  
 Jonathan Glaser \*  
 Chad Goldberg \*  
 Nicholas Griffin \*  
 Kyle Hawkins \*  
*Mark Hunter* \*  
 Paul Johnson \*  
*Mike Landvik* \*+  
 Jeff Ledeboer \*  
*Kris Mertz* \*  
 Scott Meyer \*  
 Nate Mitchell \*  
 Tom Pelissero\*  
 Nick Schrader \*  
 Brett Schultz \*  
*Charlie Schwandt* \* @+  
 Ted Warner \*

### KEY

<i>Italic</i>	=	Chamber Singers
@	=	1997-98 Minnesota All-State Choir
xx	=	Choir President
&	=	Choir Vice President
#	=	Choir Secretary/Treasurer
+	=	Section Leader
++	=	Class Representative
*	=	Men's Chorus

Natalie Andron  
Lauren Ariz  
*Heather Asbury*  
Ulrike Augst  
Sarah Bakken  
Arthur Bein\*  
*Anders Bengtson\**  
*Sean Borg\**  
Lynn Borgen  
Robert Brown  
John Bryan  
Joshua Budish\*  
Laura Cade  
*Tatiana Calderon*  
Andrew Carlson\*  
*Zachary Chamberlain*  
Louise Colwell  
Steven Cornelius\*  
Lindsey Cox  
Laura Curtiss  
Michael Davis  
Adam Duff\*  
Sam Garske  
*Christopher Giampietro\**  
Michael Giles  
Amar Gill  
*Lindsay Glaser*  
Kevin Goodlund  
*Andrea Grabham*  
Christopher Graft\*  
Mara Gustafson  
Tyler Hagemo\*  
Nicole Halper  
*Amanda Halvorson*  
Elen Halvorson  
Emily Hanson  
Maren Harden  
Richard Harrison\*  
Areyan Hashemi Rad  
Dustin Heigl  
Rachel Heikenen  
Laura Helland  
Jennifer Heupel  
Vanessa Hill  
Sara Holvid  
Lindsey Homeyer  
Abigail Horwitz  
Michael Hubbell  
*Karl Iverson\**  
Joel Johnson\*

## VARSAITY CHOIR

Meredith Jonswold  
Michael Kachan\*  
Shannon Kaley  
Jenny Kanjanavivitch  
Debra Kanter  
*Alyssa Kersten*  
Jordan Knapp\*  
James Kohler\*  
Nina Kosmas  
Rebecca Krupnick  
Margaret Lancaster  
Simrall Lancaster  
Michael Latterell\*  
Hannah Leverentz  
*Matthew Lorig*  
Scott Loving\*  
*Kristine Lund*  
Sarah Lushine  
*Philip Mahal\**  
Jacci Manson  
Charise McClure  
Kyle McGaa  
Patrick McGlynn  
Molly McLouth  
Jessica Melcher  
Jonathan Merrill\*  
Charles Miller  
*Corey Moore\**  
Amy Mullins  
*Lindsey Munson*  
Brett Nelson  
Andrea Nesbitt  
Margot Nesbitt  
Emma Offerman  
John Pasko\*  
Stephen Peterson\*  
Katherine Phillips  
*Marissa Plume*  
Roberta Prasciunas  
Jenna Prewitt  
Kristen Reeslund  
Margeaux Ries  
*Andre Roggy\**  
Brian Salmi  
Susan Schmidt  
Brett Severson  
Malia Siemon  
Kia Spencer  
*Betsy Stassen*  
Elizabeth Tewksbury

Ann Thiel  
Aaron Thompson\*  
Annie Thompson  
Laura Tollefson  
*Adam Treece\**  
*Leslie Warner*  
Lindsay Widmoyer  
Michael Wigart  
Kelly Williams  
Michael Wylie\*

### KEY

*Italic = Ensemble*

\* = Men's Chorus

## MEN'S CHORUS

### STUDENT MEMBERS

Eric Anderson  
Elijah Bang  
Oosh Blake  
Bill Day  
Conor Green  
Tom Jepsen  
Mike Johnson  
Jon Kattke  
David Kuehn  
Nick Linstroth  
Jeff Mahmud  
Dru McGill  
Trent Ostman  
Todd Pett  
Alex Rice  
Ryan Siemers  
John Sjoblom  
Jeffrey Skrentner  
Jason Somrock

## TREBLE SINGERS

Jenny Anderson  
Kathleen Anderson  
Melissa Anderson  
Kemberly Backes  
Kristin Beltrand  
Sarah Bennett  
Abigail Binder  
Jessica Boe  
Natalie Brau  
Kirsten Brinkman  
Ashley Brown  
Jenny Carpenter  
Carrie Christiansen  
Jamie Christopher  
Christa Coelho  
Jill Cournoyer  
Kathrine Crawford  
Rebecca Crowe  
Kelly Crowther  
Amanda Davison  
Emily Dievel  
*Meghara Eichhorn-Hicks*  
Laura Ellis  
Jacquelyn Erdall

Mackenzie Evans  
Saba Fazl  
Nicole Frederick  
*Katie Gaytan*  
Kristin Gillick  
Cassie Glover  
Jenna Goldstein  
*Samantha Goodner*  
*Lydia Haines*  
Katherine Hamm  
*Catharine Haugen*  
Laura Heindrich  
Cathryn Hergott  
*Elizabeth Hutchison*  
Whitney Ilten  
Kristine Johnson  
Kristin Kavanagh  
*Kathryn Kessler*  
Nicole Kimmel  
Jennifer Larson  
*Sarah Larson*  
Melissa Lyons  
Nicole Martin  
Sara McCary  
*Kelly McGowan*  
Meghan McMunn  
Sara McPheeters

Anne Miller  
*Ashley Olauson*  
Stephaine Opitz  
Sara Pedersen  
Signe Peterson  
Julie Price  
Katherine Sandvig  
Hannah Schaefer  
Kendra Seitez  
Nicole Spikins  
Courtney Snyder  
Sopheap Soth  
Kristan Squires  
Pamela Stachovich  
Rachel Stamp  
*Maya Stensvaag*  
Margaret Stephens  
Anne Strong  
*Kelly Szarzynski*  
Sarah Thompson  
Autumn Tongson  
Illyria Turk  
Kelly Vanden Hoek  
*Amy Vick*  
Elizabeth Young

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## MEN'S CHORUS (Adult Members)

Lyle Anderson  
Brad Bolin  
John Borg  
Kim Budish  
John Carlis  
John Coelho  
Bill Conlin  
Dave Davies  
David Davison  
Dave Dodge  
Bill Donelly  
Jerry Erickson  
Steve Frank  
Jim Freeman  
Dave Fronck  
David Graft  
Eric Hansen

Doug Hawkins  
Perry Hunter  
Eric Ingvaldson  
Tom Iverson  
Doug Johnson  
Steve Kattke  
Dallas King  
Jeff Knapp  
John Kuehn  
Paul Linstroth  
Leander Lippert  
Steve Litman  
David Litteken  
Doug Mahal  
Bruce Meyer  
Russ Michaletz  
Mike Montgomery

Dan Mulheran  
Ed Murdock  
Lyn Opitz  
Gary Pedersen  
Steve Richardson  
Rich Rosch  
Gerald Schwandt  
Jon Scoll  
Norm Siekman  
Bob Skrentner  
Bill Sommers  
Saul Stensvaag  
Darcy Szarzynski  
Johnny Thompson  
Rick Treece  
Steve Wagner  
Ted Warner

## PROGRAM NOTES (continued)

**Karen Ouren**, Accompanist. Karen Ouren received her B.S. degree in Music Education from Winona State University. A former band and vocal director, she is currently on staff at EHS as the choral accompanist and assistant to the bands. She freelances as an accompanist in the metro area and is currently the music director and pianist for the EHS musicals. Prior to her appointment at EHS, Ms. Ouren was accompanist for the 3M women's chorus in St. Paul. Karen is in her fifth year with the Edina Schools and resides here with her family. We are very fortunate to have Karen on our Music Staff at Edina High School.

**Dr. David O. Henderson**, Varsity Choir, Varsity Ensemble, Chamber Singers Director. We welcome Dr. Henderson to our Vocal Music Staff this year. David has been connected with Edina High School for several years as a voice teacher. In 1991, he replaced Dr. Peterson for a sabbatical leave, and directed all the choirs at EHS. Dr. Henderson is active as a professional singer in the area. He is a member of the Plymouth Ensemble Singers.

**John Rutter** composed, *Gloria* in response to a commission from The Voices of Mel Olson, who gave the first performance on May 5 in Omaha, Nebraska, under the direction of the composer, who was making his first visit to the United States. The work is based on a Gregorian chant associated with the opening phrase of the text, and has strong elements of traditional symphonic structure. The **Concert Choir** is pleased to present this outstanding work for you this evening. A special thanks to the fine instrumentalists performing this work.

The **Edina Men's Chorus** has been invited to perform for the North Central Division Convention of the American Choral Directors Association. They will be performing a full hour concert of traditional Men's Chorus music on Friday, March 13 at 9:00 AM in Minneapolis. We are excited about this performance and hope you enjoy the work of this wonderful choir this year.

A note from Dr. Peterson - Most of you know that I plan to retire from Edina High School this spring. I would like to thank the community of Edina for the tremendous support the Vocal Music Department has enjoyed over the past 22 years. Also, thank you for the opportunity to work with your daughters and sons.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

- Lights: Light Board Operator crew: Erin Crain And Cate Carlis  
Tickets: Edina Vocal Music Booster's Club, Linda Richardson,  
Shelley Carpenter, Jan Michaletz, Chairs  
Ushers: Edina Vocal Music Booster's Club, Connie Mertz, Maria  
Giampietro, Chairs  
Refreshments: Edina Vocal Music Booster's Club, Sarah Foster  
Jane Griffin, Chairs  
Publicity: Edina Vocal Music Booster's Club, Luana Metil, Marilyn  
Christenson, Chairs  
Vocal Music Booster's President: Sarah Kumagai  
Vocal Music Booster's Secretary: Naomi Thomsen  
Vocal Music Booster's Treasurer: Mitzi Litman  
Choir Robes: Debbie Beltrand and Barb Seaberg, Chairs  
Happenings Book Sale: Debbie Beltrand, Trudy Hanus, Barb  
Seaberg, Sarah Kumagai  
Fruit Sale Chairs: Nancy and Greg Hanson, Jane Kasiski, Chairs  
Chamber Costumes: Audrey MacArthur

## Join the *EDINA VOCAL MUSIC* *BOOSTER'S CLUB*

For Information contact:  
Sarah Kumagai, President  
Telephone: 944-2683

or

Peggy Dodge, Membership Chair  
Telephone: 920-4431

The Edina Choir shirts and jackets are being sold  
as a fund raising activity for the Booster's.

Contact Ruth Peterson for ordering information  
Telephone: 922-0753

## PROGRAM NOTES

The Vocal Music Department of Edina Senior High School attempts to expose students to choral literature representative of the various historical periods and different musical cultures of the world. The program this evening will include selections from German, English, Italian, Dutch, Russian, and American composers. It is hoped that the music performed will help cultivate a mutual respect and understanding for the music of the composers and the countries they represent on the part of the students and the listening audience.