PennState College of Arts and Architecture Glee Club

Christopher Kiver, conductor Jonida Lazellari, piano

SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Saturday, April 20, 2023 ♦ 7:30 p.m.

Hail! Oh Hail!

Recital Hall Ray Fortunato

Look Out Above

Dessa & Jocelyn Hagen

(1923-2017)

We can't be stopped, they can't catch us, just like midnight on the clock: it's all hands up - - before tick goes toc, it's just the dust we kick up, so look out above cause we're coming up, look about above, there's no stopping us, We can't be stopped

Teach me, old World

Andrea Ramsey (b. 1977)

Jonathan Kolm

Teach me, old World, your passion of slow change, Your calm of stars, watching the turn of earth, Patient of man, and never thinking strange The mad red crash of each new system's birth.

Teach me, for I would know your beauty's way That waits and changes with each changing sun, No dawn so fair but promises a day Of other perfectness than men have won.

Teach me, old World, not as vain men have taught, - Unpatient song, nor words of hollow brass, Nor men's dismay whose powerfullest thought Is woe that they and worlds alike must pass.

Nothing I learn by any mortal rule; Teach me, old World, I would not be man's fool.

~ Donald Grady Davidson (1893–1968)

Songs for the People: A World of Peace

Let me make the songs for the people, Songs for the old and young; Songs to stir like a battle-cry Wherever they are sung.

Not for the clashing of sabres, For carnage nor for strife; But songs to thrill the hearts of men With more abundant life.

Let me make the songs for the weary, Amid life's fever and fret, Till hearts shall relax their tension, And careworn brows forget.

Let me sing for little children, Before their footsteps stray, Sweet anthems of love and duty, To float o'er life's highway.

I would sing for the poor and aged, When shadows dim their sight; Of the bright and restful mansions, Where there shall be no night. Our world, so warn and weary, Needs music, pure and strong, To hush the jungle and discords Of sorrow, pain, and wrong. Music to soothe all its sorrow, Till war and crime shall cease; And the hears of men grown tender Girdle the world with peace. ~ Frances E. W. Harper (1825-1911)

Got a mind to do right

Spiritual arr. David Morrow

We Shall Walk Through the Valley in Peace

Spiritual adapt. William Appling (1932–2008)

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Selections by the Hi-Lo's

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Intermission

Song for the Mira

Allister MacGillivray (b. 1948) arr. Stuart Calvert

Jason Scansaroli & Gage Morrison, *baritone* Alexandra LeCrone, *flute*

Out on the Mira on warm afternoons, Old men go fishin' with black line and spoons. And if they catch nothin' they never complain. I wish I was with them again.

As boys in their boats call to girls on the shore, Teasin' the ones that they dearly adore, And into the evening the courting begins. I wish I was with them again. Can you imagine a piece of the universe, More fit for princes and kings? I'll trade you ten of your cities for Marion Bridge, And the pleasure it brings.

Out on the Mira on soft summer nights, Bonfires blaze to the children's delight; They dance 'round the flames singin' songs with their friends. I wish I was with them again.

And over the ashes the stories are told, Of witches and werewolves and Oak Island gold. Stars on the riverface sparkle and spin. I wish I was with them again. Out on the Mira the people are kind. They treat you to homebrew and help you unwind. And if you come broken they'll see that you mend. I wish I was with them again.

Now I'll conclude with a wish you go well. Sweet be your dreams and your happiness swell. I'll leave you here, for my journey begins. I'm going to be with them again.

~Allister MacGillivray

Luz y Sombra

Jorge Cózatl

Avery Millisock, tenor Leif DeForce. baritone

Yo soy el ave errante, Yo soy la negra noche, Yo soy la flor humilde, Duelo del corrazón.

Yo soy el ave errane que solitaria llora, Y en áridos desiertos cruzando siempre va, al ave que ya muerre dulcisimo solaz.

Yo soy la negra noche, sin luces, sin estrellas:

Yo soy cielo de sombras, rugiente tempestad;

sé tu la casta luna que consus luces bellas disipe de esa noche la horrible obscuridad. Eres la luna, illumine la mi obscuridad.

Yo soy la flor humilde sin galas ni belleza, sin plácidos colores ni aroma embriagador; ni, pálida Azucena de eólica pureza cuyo perfume casto es hálito de amor.

Mas si la flor humilde amara la azucena, si venturosa vire premiada su pasión, alzara, su corolla tal vez de aroma llena. irguiérase en su tallo al soplo del amor.

Mi vida es un suspiro, tu vida una sonrisa, sé tú, mivida, el norte que mire mi ambición, eres arroyo y ave eres perfume y brisa, elmás hermoso lauro que anhela el corazón.

I am the errant bird, I am the black night, I am the humble flower, and the aching heart.

I am the errant bird that sobs alone. and is always crossing arid deserts; sé tu la verde rama que brinde bienhechora so you must be the benevolent green branch that offers

sweet solace to the bird that is already dying.

I am the black night, without lights, without stars:

I am the heaven of shadows, of roaring tempests;

so you must be the chaste moon who with her lovely light dissipates the horrible darkness of that night.

I am the humble flower possessing neither beauty nor festive attire, possessing neither placid colors nor

inebriating fragrance; you, the pallid lily of Aeolian purity

whose chaste perfume is the breath of love.

But if the humble flower loved the lily, And thankfully saw its passion rewarded, It might lift up its corolla, full perhaps of sweet aroma,

Its stem forever straightened by the breath of love.

My life is a sigh, your life is a smile; you must be, my love, the north star that quides my ambition, you are brook and bird, you are perfume and zephyr,

the loveliest laurel that the heart desires.

~Manuel Gutiérrez Nájera (1859–1895) trans. D. C. Hawley Penn State Forever

arr. Lewis Spratlan/Trinkley

Every college has a legend, Passed on from year to year, To which they pledge allegiance, And always cherish dear. But of all the honored idols, There's but one that stands the test. It's the Stately Nitt'ny Lion, The symbol of our best.

Hail to the Lion, Loyal and true, Hail, Alma Mater, With your white and blue. Penn State forever, Molder of all. Fight for her honor, Fight! And victory again.

Indiana has its Hoosiers, Purdue its Gold and Black, The Wildcats of Northwestern, And Spartans on attack. Ohio State has its Buckeyes, Up north the Wolverines, But the mighty Nittany Lion's, The best they've ever seen.

Hail to the Lion...

Minnesota has its Gophers, Illini with their spear, The Badgers of Wisconsin, And Iowa – never fear! The Big Ten is our conference, The nation's best, by far, And the Penn State Nittany Lion's, The Big Ten's shining star.

Hail to the Lion...

Then came the three new worthies, To join our Big Ten club, Nebraska with its Huskers, And not be outdone, Maryland with its Terrapins, And Rutgers' Scarlet Knights, Give our Penn State Nitt'ny Lion, More foes for Big Ten fights!

Hail to the Lion...

Come now, classmates let us sing: Loyally support the team, We're here today with our colors gay, Ready to win the fray. Whether it be Pitt or Penn, Harvard or Cornell, We'll play the game every man, And we will win again.

Fight, fight, for the Blue and White, Victory will our slogan be, Dear Alma Mater, Fairest of all, Thy loyal sons will obey thy call To fight, fight, fight, with all their might, Ever the goal to gain; Into the game for Penn State's fame, Fight on to Victory, all along the line.

Where the vail of old Mount Nitt'ny meets the eastern sky, Proudly stands our Alma Mater on her hilltop high. Flag we love, Blue and White, float for aye. Old Penn State, o'er Thee; May thy sons be leal and loyal to thy memory.

Fight, on State, fight, on State, Strike your gait and win. Victory we predict for Thee. We're ever true to you, Dear old White and Blue. Onward, State, Onward State, Roar, Lions Roar! We'll hit that line, roll up the score, Fight on to vict'ry ever more. Fight on Penn State!

Alma Mater

Fred Lewis Pattee

John Barnhart, conductor

For the glory of old State, For her founders strong and great, For the future that we wait, Raise the song, raise the song.

Sing our love and loyalty, Sing our hopes that bright and free, Rest, O Mother dear, with thee, All with thee, all with thee.

When we stood at childhood's gate, Shapeless in the hands of Fate, Thou didst mold us, dear old State, Dear old State, dear old State.

May no act of ours bring shame, To one heart that loves thy name. May our lives but swell thy fame, Dear old State, dear old State.

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#Hi-Lo's

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