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Chiaroscuro
Contrasts of humanity and nature

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## **God's Grandeur**

Gwyneth Walker (b. 1947)

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## **PROGRAM NOTES**

"Chiaroscuro" is a portmanteau from the 16th century combining the Italian words 'chiaro', or light, with 'oscuro' or dark. The terminology is rooted in the Renaissance aesthetic that prized the deliberate and lifelike contrast of light and shade—particularly in portraits. This trait of realism later became one of the distinguishing touchstones of Renaissance art. This contrast of shade and light, and the perspective imparted by it, allowed Renaissance art to surmount two-dimensional medieval style and bring degrees of depth, perspective, and realism that had been largely ignored in the West since Classical antiquity. Well-known artists who relied upon the technique include Leonardo da Vinci, Hans Holbein, and Caravaggio—whose John the Baptist (1604) is a part of the collection of the Nelson Atkins Museum of Art. These fundamental principles of chiaroscuro wove their way into means of artistic expression like poetry, music, drama, and architecture and represent one of the dominant characteristics of much music from the last half-millennium. Taking this notion of chiaroscuro and the perspective it imparts as a starting point, these works focus specifically upon notions of light, shade, and other polar contrasts like day and night; humanity and divinity; and natural and man-made.

Gwyneth Walker (b. 1947) is a celebrated New England composer, proud of her agricultural and Quaker heritage. Her three-movement cantata *God's Grandeur* is representative of her ongoing dedication to an American style rooted in the tuneful and accessible works of Aaron Copland and Charles Ives. Words and melody remain clearly at the fore in Walker's style, and are accompanied by expanded harmonies and cluster chords, but never at the cost of clarity. Each movement contains motivic material that is clearly conveyed and subtly developed. Like the work of Renaissance madrigalists, Walker's style conveys poetry with word painting and timbral exploration. The rich poetry of Gerard Manley Hopkins, with its purposeful fixation upon nature and faith, proves to be rich soil for her compositional voice.

Gerard Manley Hopkins (1844–1889) remains one of the most distinctive poets to emerge from the Victorian era, though he was by vocation a Jesuit priest. Above other characteristics, Hopkins' use of compound nouns, compound adjectives, and use of archaic and abbreviated words are often bewildering at a first read, though upon repetition the meaning of his poetry emerges in layers. Each movement of Walker's cantata stems from an independent poem by Hopkins, each one with a title that greatly clarifies the content to the reader. Curiously, even when Hopkins' broader meaning is obscured, the imagery his words convey can be as crystalline as a photograph or still-life portrait.

Thomas Tallis (1505–1585) composed through one of the most turbulent times in the history of English church music. By the end of his life he had written in the specific styles favored by each of the successive Tudor monarchs, a fact noted by an epitaph on his tombstone. He tailored his compositional style to the demands of each incarnation of the sixteenth century Anglican church—from the austere simplicity of Edward VI's Puritanism to the florid Catholic polyphony of Mary. The hymn *Te lucis ante terminum* is one of two settings by Tallis, each of which are based on a hymn for Compline, the final service of the monastic Daily Office. Both settings sandwich a harmonized chant in between the outer verses of chanted unison, representative of the via media, or 'way of the middle'. This blending of elements is indicative of Elizabeth's Anglican church: catholic in liturgy, but protestant in authority and theology.

While Tallis' entire career was spent in service to the church and chapel of the reigning English monarch, Heinrich Schütz travelled widely, learned the florid Venetian style, and exported it back to his native Germany. While his later church music is well-known and frequently-programmed, the earlier secular madrigals that influenced his brilliant settings of sacred texts are often ignored. *Ride la* 

primavera is taken from his first book of madrigals, written during his study with Giovanni Gabrielli. Like many other non-Venetians who studied and emulated the Venetian style, his works from these days were published under an Italian version of his name, Heinricus Saggittarius. Like the madrigals of Monteverdi and Gabrielli, Schütz is intensely focused upon musical portrayal of contrasting poetic ideas. Nearly each independent clause receives unique musical treatment as the poetic ideas oscillate between notions of love and apathy, light and dark, and warmth and frigidity.

The seasonal contrasts in Tennyson's poem *The Bee* are musically painted by Frank Bridge (1879–1941) in a different way. Rather than relying upon unique musical treatment of each grammatical phrase, Bridge uses the same musical material for each stanza. A pupil of C.V. Stanford and a friend of Edward Elgar, he represents the oft-forgotten link between the rich harmonies of Edwardian composers and the contemporary aesthetic of Benjamin Britten, his pupil. Before his death, Bridge publicly lamented that his early works rooted in the Victorian aesthetic were so greatly preferred over his more recent experimental works which found their culmination in mature works by Britten.

Max Reger is a polarizing figure who exhibits traits of both Wagner and Brahms, a characterization that both older composers would likely take issue with! Both works contain expansive phrases and include multiple chromatic side journeys, but they always return to a cadence that makes sense when seen from the long view. An exploration of Reger's music from a theoretical vantage often reveals that there is a firm, almost Bach-like, structure underpinning what seems like a meandering musical journey. Subsequent phrases often contrast with the preceding cadences in unexpected ways, such that new phrases seem to begin already in motion. They lurch ahead in pursuit of resolution and harmonic settling that is a delayed final cadence of a section. *Nachtlied* begins with a sense of mystery and stillness, before being propelled ahead by the timelessness and omniscience of the divine. *Morgengesang* is a series of acclamations addressing the eternal brightness of the divine—instantly upward looking and glowing. In each case the circuitous harmonic and chromatic adventures are confirmed with arrival at a strong cadence in the key of the piece, even if that key has been largely hidden until that terminus.

Composing at nearly the same time as Reger, Josef Rheinberger spent his career working in and around the musical environs of Munich. A devotee of Schumann, Mendelssohn, and Brahms, and a participant in the Bach revival, Rheinberger counted Engelbert Humperdink and Richard Strauss among his many pupils. While his operatic works have remained virtually unperformed since his death, Rheinberger's church music has retained a position in the canon of music for Catholic and Lutheran services in contemporary Germany. *Abendlied* is a setting of the opening phrases of the Lutheran Vesper service. Contrasting with Reger, Rheinberger uses short melodic fragments that are imitatively interwoven into expansive and lush splashes of musical color. Rheinberger's tuneful works value stable key centers and his phrases are always comfortingly settled, seeming to relish in the beauty and assurance rather than in the unsettled pursuit of an end goal.

Today we view Vaughan Williams as a masterful orchestrator and one of the most stalwart personifications of a distinctive 20th century English style. But at the turn of the twentieth century Vaughan Williams was a relatively young man who had yet to make his mark; his larger symphonic and choral-orchestral works were products of later study with Maurice Ravel. His compositional focus in these early years revolved around elegant settings of words for chorus and congregation, eventually leading to great acclaim as a composer of songs for solo voice in the years leading up to the Great War. His partsong *Rest* is similar to those by Elgar, Parry, and Stanford but is distinctive in how chords are voiced and dissonances are used. Thus, Vaughan Williams highlights particular aspects of Rosetti's poetry in the unaccompanied partsong genre in much the same way that the more

mature and aged Vaughan Williams would the poetry of Walt Whitman in his large choral-orchestral work *Dona Nobis Pacem*.

In the last twenty years a number of composers from the Baltic region have emerged to popular acclaim in western Europe and North America. While the older generation of Pärt, Górecki, and Tormis were mature adults at the fall of Communism, Ēriks Ešenvalds (b. 1977) entered adolescence just as Latvia declared her independence from the Soviet Union. Ešenvalds' *Stars* remains true to the expanded harmonic language of his Baltic comrades. The writing is strikingly melodic and set against closely stacked blocks of intervals, perhaps illuminating Teasdale's lone narrator describing the procession of shimmering stars in the sky.

Morten Lauridsen is one of America's most-performed and respected living composers. Devoted primarily to works based upon secular poetry, *O magnum mysterium* is one of a small number of sacred works. Described as "the only American composer who can be called a mystic..." Lauridsen's signature harmonies partner with subtle development and textual repetitions that eventually unfold into an ecstatic 'alleluia'.

~Program notes by Jay Carter, DMA

God's Grandeur Walker

#### I. God's Grandeur

The world is charged with the grandeur of God.

It will flame out, like shining from shook foil;

It gathers to a greatness, like the ooze of oil

Crushed. Why do men then now not reck his rod?

Generations have trod, have trod, have trod;

And all is seared with trade; Bleared, smeared with toil;

And wears man's smudge and shares man's smell: the soil

Is bare now, nor can foot feel, being shod.

And for all this, nature is never spent;
There lives the dearest freshness deep down things;
And though the last lights off the black West went
Oh, morning, at the brown brink eastward, springs—
Because the Holy Ghost over the bent
World broods with warm breast and with ah! bright wings.

#### II. The Windhover (excerpted)

I caught this morning morning's minion, kingdom of daylight's dauphin, dapple-dawn-drawn Falcon, in his riding Of the rolling level underneath him steady air, and striding High there, how he rung upon the rein of a wimpling wing In his ecstasy! then off, off forth on swing, As a skate's heel sweeps smooth on a bow-bend: the hurl and gliding Rebuffed the big wind. My heart in hiding Stirred for a bird,—the achieve of; the mastery of the thing!

#### III. Pied Beauty

Glory be to God for dappled things—
For skies of couple-colour as a brinded cow;
For rose-moles all in stipple upon trout that swim;
Fresh-firecoal chestnut-falls; finches' wings;
Landscape plotted and pieced—fold, fallow, and plough;
And all trades, their gear and tackle and trim.
All things counter, original, spare, strange;
Whatever is fickle, freckled (who knows how?)
With swift, slow; sweet, sour; adazzle, dim;
He fathers-forth whose beauty is past change:
Praise him.

~ Gerald Manley Hopkins (1844 –1889)

Te lucis ante terminum Tallis

Te lucis ante terminum, Rerum Creator, poscimus, Ut pro tua clementia, Sis praesul et custodia.

Procul recedant somnia, Et noctium phantasmata: Hostemque nostrum comprime, Ne polluantur corpora.

Praesta, Pater piissime, Patrique compar Unice, Cum Spiritu Paraclito, Regnans per omne saeculum.

Amen.

To your light before the day's end, Creator of all, we pray, That with your clemency You guard and watch over us.

Keep away from our slumber Nightmares and ill-spirits: Guard our slumber So that our bodies remain unpolluted.

This we pray, to you Father, With your only son Jesus Christ, And with the Holy Ghost, Who lives and reigns eternally.

Amen.

~ Office hymn from Compline

Ride la Primavera Schütz

Ride la primavera, torna la bella Clori, odi la rondinella, mira l'herbette e i fiori. Ma tu Clori più bella, nella stagion novella. Serbi l'antico verno, deh, s'hai pur cinto il cor di ghiaccio eterno. Perchè, ninfa crudel, quanto gentile, porti negl'occhi il sol, nel volt'aprile?

Spring is laughing,
As beautiful Cloris returns,
She hears the singing birds,
gazes upon the grasses and flowers.
But you, Cloris, are yet more beautiful
in this new season.
But old winter grips you tightly,
Alas, your heart is encased in eternal ice.
Why, lovely but cruel nymph,
does the sun shine in your eyes
and April in your face?

~ Giambattista Marino (1569-1625)

The Bee Bridge

The bee buzzed up in the heat,
"I am faint for your honey, my sweet."
The flower said, "Take it, my dear,
For now is the spring of the year.
So come, come!"
"Hum!"
And the bee buzzed down from the heat.

And the bee buzzed up in the cold, When the flower was withered and old. "Have you still any honey, my dear?" She said, "It's the fall of the year, But come, come." "Hum."
And the bee buzzed off in the cold.

~ Alfred Tennyson (1809 – 1892)

Morgengesang Reger

Du höchstes Licht, ewiger Schein, du Gott und treuer Herre mein, von dir der Gnaden Glanz ausgeht und leuchtet schön gleich früh und spät.

Das ist der Herre Jesus Christ, der ja die göttlich Wahrheit ist, der mit seinr Lehr Hell scheint und leucht, bis er die Herzen zeucht.

Er ist der ganzen Welte Licht, dabei ein jeder klarlich sicht den hellen, schönen, lichten Tag, an dem er selig werden mag. Thou highest light, eternal brightness, My God and faithful Lord, From thee graciousness shining goes out Illuminating beautifully across all time.

This is the Lord Jesus Christ, Who is godly truth, And shines bright with his teaching, That penetrates to our hearts.

He is the light of the whole world, And can clearly been seen As each bright, beautiful, lighted day, From which we are made happy.

~ *Johannes Zwick* (1496 – 1542)

Nachtlied Reger

Die Nacht ist kommen, Drin wir ruhen sollen; Gott walt's, zum Frommen Nach sein'm Wohlgefallen, Daß wir uns legen In sein'm G'leit und Segen, Der Ruh' zu pflegen.

Treib, Herr, von uns fern Die unreinen Geister, Halt die Nachtwach' gern, Sei selbst unser Schutzherr, Schirm beid Leib und Seel' Unter deine Flügel, Send' uns dein' Engel!

Laß uns einschlafen Mit guten Gedanken, Fröhlich aufwachen Und von dir nicht wanken; Laß uns mit Züchten Unser Tun und Dichten Zu dein'm Preis richten! Night is approaching, And we should rest; God keeps watch over us According to his goodwill, That we can lie back In his presence and blessing, As he keeps us at peace.

Drive out, Lord, far from us Unclean spirits. Keep the night's watch. Be our protecting Lord, Shield both our body and soul Under your wings, Send us your protecting angels.

Let us fall asleep
With good thoughts,
And joyfully awaken
Never turning away from you:
Let us, by your cultivation,
Focus our deeds and words
Rightly upon your glory!

~ Petrus Herbert (1533 – 1571)

Abendlied Rheinberger

Bleib bei uns, denn es will Abend werden, und der Tag hat sich geneiget. Stay with us, for it is evening, And the day is almost ended.

~ from the Lutheran Vesper Service

Rest Vaughan Williams

O Earth, lie heavily upon her eyes;
Seal her sweet eyes weary of watching, Earth;
Lie close around her; leave no room for mirth
With its harsh laughter, nor for sound of sighs.
She hath no questions, she hath no replies,
Hushed in and curtained with a blessed dearth
Of all that irked her from the hour of birth;
With stillness that is almost Paradise.
Darkness more clear than noon-day holdeth her,
Silence more musical than any song;
Even her very heart has ceased to stir:
Until the morning of Eternity
Her rest shall not begin nor end, but be;
And when she wakes she will not think it long.

~ Christina Rossetti (1830 – 1894)

Stars Ēriks Ešenvalds

Alone in the night On a dark hill With pines around me Spicy and still,

And a heaven full of stars Over my head White and topaz And misty red;

Myriads with beating Hearts of fire The aeons Cannot vex or tire;

Up the dome of heaven Like a great hill I watch them marching Stately and still.

And I know that I Am honored to be Witness Of so much majesty.

~ Sara Teasdale (1884 – 1933)

# O magnum mysterium

O magnum mysterium, et admirabile sacramentum, ut animalia viderent Dominum natum, iacentem in praesepio!

Beata Virgo, cujus viscera meruerunt portare Dominum Iesum Christum.

Alleluia!

# Lauridsen

O greatest mystery, And wonderful sacrament, That animals should see the newborn Lord Lying in a manger!

Blessed virgin, whose body Was worthy to carry The body of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Alleluia.

~ responsorial chant for Matins on Christmas Day

# ARNOLD EPLEY, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR & CONDUCTOR

Arnold Epley was Professor of Music and Director of Choral Studies at William Jewell College from 1982 until 2009, when he became Emeritus Professor. He led the William Jewell Choir in 26 American tours, and to England and Scotland for nine concert tours (the last in May 2009). His students have distinguished themselves in Kansas City and around the country as university and college professors, secondary and elementary choral teachers, church musicians and as professional singers and conductors.

In 2008, Arnold Epley stepped down as Artistic Director and Conductor of the Kansas City Symphony Chorus after a seventeen-year tenure. The Kansas City Symphony has named him Conductor Laureate of the Symphony Chorus. He prepared the Symphony Chorus for over 70 works, heard in more than 200 performances with the Kansas City Symphony, in addition to the Symphony Chorus's guest appearances with other orchestras, concert tours and their self-produced concerts.



# JAY CARTER, ASSOCIATE ARTISTIC DIRECTOR & CONDUCTOR

American countertenor Jay Carter has gained recognition as one of the nation's finest. In recent seasons he has routinely appeared with acclaimed conductors Nicholas McGegan, Ton Koopman, John Butt, John Scott, and Matthew Halls. Highlights of the current season include appearances throughout North America with Maasaki Suzuki and the Bach Collegium Japan, the Bach Virtuosi Festival (Portland, Maine), and the Saint Louis Symphony and Nicholas McGegan in Vivaldi's *Gloria* and opera arias. Last season, he made his Lincoln Center debut as the alto soloist in Bach's *Weinachts Oratorium* with Suzuki and the Bach Collegium Japan.

Carter holds a DMA from the University of Missouri-Kansas City Conservatory of Music and Dance and a Masters in Music from the Yale School of Music and Institute of Sacred Music, where he was a pupil of



Simon Carrington, Judith Malafronte, and James Taylor. He received his undergraduate degree from William Jewell College where he studied voice with Arnold Epley. He lives in Liberty with his wife and children, while balancing freelance solo work across North America with private teaching and coaching.

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This is the eleventh season of Musica Vocale performances. Musica Vocale is an ensemble made up of highly skilled choral musicians that performs choral literature, often accompanied by instrumental ensembles, that is not often performed in the greater Kansas City metropolitan are. This 24-member volunteer ensemble is comprised of veteran members of the region's musical community. Most of the choral artists bring extensive experience as music educators and performers, and are engaged throughout the region as soloists and conductors.

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Libby Larsen	I Just Lightning		Sing, my soul, His wondrous love
Orlando di Lasso	Chanson Dessus le marché d'Arras	John Rutter	What sweeter music
	Justorum animae in manu Dei	Johann Hermann	Das ist mir lieb, motet on
	Magnificat in the First Tone for	Schein	Psalm 116
	six parts		Die mit Threnen seen
Kenneth Leighton	Drop, drop, slow tears	Franz Schubert	Mass No. 2 in G, D. 167
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Antonio Lotti	Crucifixus a 8	Georg Schumann	Das ist ein köstliches Ding,
Sean MacLean	Pange lingua		Op. 52 No. 2
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		William Schuman	Carols of Death

Heinrich Schütz Singet dem Herrn ein neues Lied, Thomas Tallis Loquebantur variis linguis **SWV 35** O nata lux de lumine Lobe den Herren, meine Seele, Randall Thompson Alleluia **SWV 39** Fare Well Quid commisisti, o dulcissime Virgil Thomson Green Fields (Old Southern puer, SWV 56 Hymn Tune) Ego sum tui plaga doloris, Fanfare for Peace from Cantiones sacrae, SWV 57 My Shepherd will supply my need Die Himmel erzählen die Ehre (Psalm 23) Gottes, SWV 386 Frank Ticheli There will be rest Selig sind die Toten, SWV 391 Paula Foley Tillen A Prayer for Peace Deutsches Magnificat, SWV 426 Michael Tippett Five Spirituals from A Child of John Sheppard Libera nos, salve nos II Our Time Salvator mundi, Domine Christopher Tye Sanctus from Missa Euge bone Williametta Spencer At the round earth's imagined Patricia Van Ness Cor meum est templum sacrum corners William Walton Drop, drop, slow tears Sir John Stainer God so loved the world, from The Magnificat & Nunc dimittis Crucifixion Thomas Weelkes When David heard Charles Villiers The Bluebird Judith Weir Illuminare, Jerusalem Stanford Three Motets, Op. 38 Geoffrey Wilcken To See the Earth, Op. 43 No. 2 Go, Lovely Rose Halsey Stevens Life's Symphony, Op. 51 No. 12 Igor Stravinsky Mass Phós, Opus 52 Giles Swayne Magnificat Adrian Willaert Chanson Dessus le marché d'Arras Jan Pieterszoon Gaudete omnes H. W. Zimmermann Psalmkonzert (1958) Sweelinck

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