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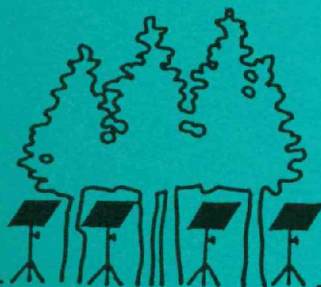
ORCHESTRA CONCERT

JAMES M. KLEIN

conductor

Center for Faith and Life Main Hall
Luther College
Decorah, Iowa

8:00 P.M., Saturday, July 20, 1996



PROGRAM

Prelude to *The Meistersinger of Nürnberg*

Richard Wagner
(1813-1833)

Concerto No. 3 in C Minor
for Piano and Orchestra, Op. 37

Ludwig van Beethoven
(1770-1827)

I. Allegro con brio

Cole Burger, piano

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Metamorphosis (1996)

Andrew Norman
(b. 1980)

INTERMISSION

Five Mystical Songs

Ralph Vaughan Williams
(1872-1958)

- I. Easter
- IV. The Call
- V. Antiphon

David Judisch, *baritone*
Weston Noble, *conductor*

Adagio for Strings

Samuel Barber
(1910-1981)

Dennis Friesen-Carper, *conductor*

Romeo and Juliet, Ballet

Sergey Prokofiev
(1891-1953)

- Montagues and Capulets
- The Child Juliet
- Romeo at the Grave of Juliet
- Tybalt's Death

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1996 LSM ORCHESTRA

FLUTES

Leslie Carlson*
Sarah Cole
Joe Sheehan
Shannon Abels (piccolo)

OBOE

Megan Weiss*
Angela Haugen
Christopher Scheer
Helen Strietelmeier (English horn)

CLARINET

Sean Dennison*
Sylva Jacobus
Olivia Truckenmiller
Aaron Milburn (bass clarinet)

TENOR SAX

Shannon Abels

BASSOON

Joshua Hunnex*
Quanah Jeffries
Vanessa Williams
Leah Schaaf (contrabassoon)

HORN

Kathryn Lehr*
Jeff Wall
Eric Lesch
Nicole Maschman
Katie Cummins
Nathan Voges

TRUMPET

Dan Smith*
Carl Lindquist
Kyle Haugen
Tim Krohn
Evan Roverud
Melissa Wittnebel

TROMBONE

Brian Ferrel*
Angela Palomaki
Marci Major
Sylvain Mear

TUBA

Kim Leverenz

PERCUSSION

Cathy Anderson*
Eric Drotning
Amanda Baum
Tom Graff

HARP

Christy Thomas*
Devon Carpenter

PIANO/CELESTE

Franco Holder

*Principal

VIOLIN I

Rachel Brosz, concert mistress
Andy Strietelmeier
Beth Weisser
Jennifer Von Behren
Billie Jean Howard
Jennifer Knowles
Angela Ziebarth
Erika Robeck
Stephanie Rachor
Steve Willemsen
Rachel Jank
Nate Clinton
Kate Holmquest
Christine Larson

VIOLIN II

Holly Airheart*
Deena Schochenmaier
Marissa Kolander
Katie Segerdell
Allison Ringold
Amy Gutel
Tracy Saboe
Danny Hwang
Beth Gusenius
Robin Sneeringer
Samantha Shaffer
Aundrea Schmidt
Ryan White
Jennifer Ordalen
Christa Peters
April Raymond
Cole Burger

REHEARSAL ASSISTANTS

Jeanine Krause
Karin Boyce

VIOLA

Ashley Hwang*
Martha Cluver
Bjorg Larson
Maja Knutson
Carli Rossow
Jeffrey Wiemenn
Deb Smith
Heidi Burrell
Grace Radcliff
Niki Noll

CELLO

Maggie Darby*
Beth Von Behren*
Clair Wernly
Greg Clinton
Carla Wesby
Katie Geeseman
Peter Gudlewski
Jason Grimm
Elizabeth Scott
Phil Wagner
Heather Iverson
Eric Jones
Eric Bliss
Anna McKnight
Phil Otte
Sean Johnson-McNutt

BASS

Dylan Vanderhoof*
Nate Wallace
Chris Lauer
Kristy Blanchard

James M. Klein is Professor of Music at California State University, Stanislaus where he is conductor of the Stanislaus Symphony Orchestra. He also serves as Conductor of the Senior Division of the Modesto Symphony Youth Orchestra. Active as a guest conductor, he has conducted throughout the U.S. as well as four conducting tours of the former Soviet Union conducting the Kiev Chamber Orchestra, the Crimea Philharmonic, the Donetsk Philharmonic, the Knepopetrovsk Philharmonic, and the Lugansk Philharmonic in performances critically acclaimed. In addition to the All-State Orchestras of California and Nebraska, he has served as guest conductor for numerous regional honor orchestras throughout California and other states. This season, Dr. Klein returned to Ukraine for a concert with the Lvov Philharmonic Orchestra, one of four conductors chosen internationally to conduct at the Beethoven Festival. Other highlights of this season include serving as Assistant Conductor for the National High School Honors Orchestra in Kansas City in April besides returning here to Lutheran Summer Music as orchestra conductor.

Dr. Klein has served as Coordinator of Instrumental Music at the California State Summer School for the Arts, as President of the California Orchestra Directors Association, and as Orchestra Representative for the California Music Educators Association and now serves on the board of the National School Orchestra Association as Public Relations Chair.

He holds the Bachelor and Master of Music degrees with high honors from the University of Texas, and the Doctor of Musical Arts degree from the Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music.

Weston Noble, director of music activities at Luther College, is an internationally known conductor and clinician. He has served as guest conductor for more than 275 music festivals in the United States and abroad. He has adjudicated at the International Festival of Three Cities (Vienna, Budapest, and Prague) and served as the band consultant and guest director of the Association for International Cultural Exchange in Vienna.

In 1995, Noble was the guest conductor of the Australian National Choral Association in Perth, Australia.

Noble received the first Outstanding Music Educator Award from the National Federation of High School Associations in recognition of his contributions to the quality of performance in high school music programs. He has also received the Iowa Music Educators Association's Outstanding Music Educator Award, the Illinois Music Educators Association's Presidential Award and the Citation of Merit from the University of Michigan.

Dennis Friesen-Carper conducts the Symphony and Chamber Orchestras, and teaches composition at Valparaiso University, in Valparaiso, Indiana. In his sixth year as Music Director for Indiana Opera North, he has worked as festival conductor and clinician from Texas to Ontario, and performed in over forty states, Canada, Europe, Korea and Japan. His works have been commissioned by the Houston Symphony, Lake Superior Chamber Orchestra, South Bend Symphony, Houston Chamber Singers, and the Valparaiso University Kantorei.

Mr. Friesen-Carper holds Doctor of Musical Arts and Master of Music degrees from the Shepherd School of Music at Rice University and a Bachelor of Arts degree from Bethel College, and has performed extensively as a jazz pianist.

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