

The University of Mississippi Department of Music
presents



The Poet ings

A CHORAL CONCERT

All we are we have found in song.

I believe in the sun, even when it's not shining.

Come to the woods, for here is rest.

May the road rise to meet you

I will lift up my eyes to the hills.

This is the sound of one voice. One people, one voice.

Maked by the trumpet sound.

Featuring

Come to the Woods, Jake Runestad, *composer*
with

Amanda Johnston, *collaborative pianist*

Women's Glee • Debra Spurgeon, *conductor*
Women's Ensemble • Eric Johnson, *conductor*
Men's Glee • Richard Culpepper, *conductor*
Concert Singers • Debra Spurgeon, *conductor*

Nutt Auditorium • 7:30 PM • Tuesday, March 21

Women's Ensemble

Eric Johnson, *Conductor*

Janet Simpson, *Pianist*

Wir eilen mit schwachen,
doch emsigen Schritten Johann Sebastian Bach
edited by Arthur S. Talmadge

Sue Gaston, cello

We hurry with weak yet eager steps,
O Jesus, O master, to you to help.
You faithfully look for the sick and straying.
Ah hear, as we raise our voices to pray for help!
May your gracious countenance give us joy!

Lunar Lullaby Jacob Narverud

A Girl's Garden Randall Thompson

One Voice Ruth Moody
arr. Marcelline Moody

Tabitha Foster, Amy Lewis & Cassidy Perez, trio

Women's Glee

Debra Spurgeon, *Conductor*

Nancy Welch, *Pianist*

Hakuna Munga Kana Wewe East African song,
arr. Alex Gartner

Stellah Mbugua, conductor

Rebecca McAlister, soprano

Billy Roberts, djembe

There is no God like you. There is no God like Him.
There is no one and will never be. I've walked and walked all over.
I've searched all over. I've turned and turned all over.
There is no one, and there will never be.

Even When He is Silent Kim Arnesen

I believe in the sun even when it's not shining.
I believe in love even when I feel it not.
I believe in God even when He is silent.
(Text found on a wall at a concentration camp after World War II)