

THE PERFORMERS

Soloists

Soprano	Christine Abrams	Tenor	George Richards
Soprano	Lisa Paradise	Bass	Jack Warren
Alto	Sandra Collins		

Members of the Chorus

SOPRANOS	Rosie M. Mitchell	* Jeanne Liddle	* Jean Gray
Peggy Allgaire	Kay Oliver	Susan Lingamfelter	Herbert G. Hosten
*** Lynette Bagley	** Rhonda Osborne	* Peg Lopapa	* William D. Kuckuck
Terry Basco	Betty Parker	** Margie Lopez	* Phong Quoc Le
****† Mary L. Boxter	Mildred Carter Peay	Mercedes Matos	* Wesley E. Lewton
****† Jessie Boyett	****† Patricia M. Pleva	Susan Miller	** Frank S. Little
B. Lee Breedlove	** Myra Rodemann	Gwen Mittel	Enrique Matos
**** Dorothy K. Brown	Lois Rumbelow	Patricia Moore	**** Don E. Moore
* Valerie H. Clelland	Chris Schneider	** Esther Muse	Daniel E. Moro
Marty A. Collins		** Elaine Pancake	*** William Schwartz
* Jean Contopassi	ALTOS	* Cecily Pedersen	* Jack M. Smith
Patricia Crosby	*** Anne R. Berg	Celeste I. Persaud	*** Robert Stonerock, Jr.
* Nancy Davis	Mildred Bowman	* Anita Pinchem	** Richard C. Tomaino
* Amy E. Dees	Diana Brown	Joan Pinelli	
Audrey C. Dobler	Sharon Barrow	* Sue Pritchard	BASSES
* Deborah Donaldson	Nancy J. Calhoun	Lorraine Resmer	Ed Arnos
Linda Dunn	* Brenda Carner	* Melody Rivers	† Kenneth R. Baum
Carol S. Edmondson	* Marjorie Christino	* Sharon Snyder	*** Mark Bloom
****† M. Ruth Ellis	Gloria Cook	* Fay L. Steenhouse	* Fred Bloesch
Annette Evans	*** Sharon Coons	Elizabeth V. Storm	James Cramrine
** Delores Freudenburg	** Barbara J. Cooper	Suzanne Saprise	* Douglas A. Danke
Jennifer Fussell	* Damaris M. Cruz	* Dorrie Swan	** Bob Dilg
Mary Ann Gagen	Elizabeth D. Cruz	Norma Jean Torres	Arthur G. Doege
Phyllis Gray	Sherry Dahlstedt	Nydia Torres	Steve Doolittle
** Jacqueline E. Green	* Virginia Flemming	Becky Torres	* David L. Green
** Sharon Hemphill	** Charlene H. Foeth	Clare Wheeler	*** Henry J. Jibaja
Donna Hofmann	Nancy Hill	** Margaret S. Wiggs	* K. Michael Kell
Joyce M. Jerome	Terri Hofmann	Julie Woodland	* Arthur H. Klein
** Eleanor C. Johnson	Lucilda Hosten	****† Sheila Wootton	* Michael R. Lenherr
* Vera S. Kates	* Del Jackson	TENORS	* Paul A. Lopapa
* Mary A. Kuckuck	Ethel Koshan	*** Betty Barger	*** Oscar Matarainen
Caroline Laby	Kathy Koshan	Gregory J. Bottini	* Elmer G. Prum
Eileen LaSeur	Wendy Kraus	John D. Chaiky	Randolph D. Ray
Dyan J. Leodora	* Shirley Kuschwitz	* Howard E. Chase	John Rosquist
Martha Lyle	* Mary C. Kuckuck	* Patrick J. Collipp	Charles Smoyer
*** A. Grace Matarainen	Diane E. Kulig	Michael Delaney	****† Gene Tate, Sr.
Dawne H. Miles	** Sylvia Daniel Kath	* Raymond Grabinski	
Marion C. Mills	* Kay C. Lenherr		
		CHORUSMASTER	ACCOMPANIST
* 5 - 9 years	**** 20 years	George Richards	Keiko Ohnuki-Andrews
** 10 - 14 years	† Charter Member		
*** 15 - 19 years	‡ Section Leader		

Members of the Orchestra

FIRST VIOLINS	SECOND VIOLINS	VIOLAS	CELLOS
Lev Gurevich*	Matt Topper	Barbara Rizzo	Kathleen Luger
Sabina Micarelli	Elizabeth Sutton	Marianne Beck	Norma Huff
Michelle Hastings	Lillian Tepitsky	Nancy Blue	Kristi Parsons
Craig Evans	Rhonda Burnham		
OBOES	BASSOON	TRUMPETS	TIMPANI
Ann Ward	Donna Ronco	Paul Butcher	Beth Radock
Debbie Gottschalk		Ken Parsons	
*Concertmistress			HARPSICHORD
			Keiko Ohnuki-Andrews

In remembrance of Messiah Choral Society members Raymond V. Grabinski & Edward M. Pitt

About the cover...

A performance of Handel's Messiah in 1784, taken from a contemporary engraving.

MESSIAH

by

George Frideric Handel

Twenty-First Annual Performance

presented by

The Messiah Choral Society

John V. Sinclair - Conductor

Sunday, November 28th, 1993, 4:00 p.m.

Bob Carr Performing Arts Centre

THE SOCIETY

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ABOUT THE MESSIAH CHORAL SOCIETY

The Messiah Choral Society was founded in 1973 to provide members of the community an opportunity to participate in Messiah. Today's performance is offered free of charge thanks to the generous contributions of the Friends of the Messiah Choral Society.

MESSIAH CHORAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

The Messiah Choral Society consists of individuals from all walks of life throughout Central Florida. Persons interested in joining or sponsoring the Messiah Choral Society for the 1994 season are invited to call Jean Gray, (407) 365-7151. Auditions are not required.

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THE PROGRAM

Part One

Overture
Recitative
Air
Chorus
Recitative
Air
Chorus
Recitative
Air and Chorus
Chorus
Recitative
Recitative
Recitative
Recitative
Chorus
Air
Recitative
Air

Sinfonia
Comfort ye my people
Ev'ry valley shall be exalted
And the glory of the Lord
Thus saith the Lord
But who may abide the day of His coming?
And He shall purify
Behold, a virgin shall conceive
O thou that tellest good tidings to Zion
For unto us a child is born
There were shepherds abiding in the field
And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them
And the angel said unto them
And suddenly there was with the angel
Glory to God
Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion
Then shall the eyes of the blind
He shall feed his flock

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Part Two

Air
Chorus
Chorus
Chorus
Recitative
Chorus
Chorus
Air
Air
Recitative
Air
Chorus

He was despised
Surely He hath borne our griefs
And with His stripes we are healed
All we like sheep have gone astray
All they that see Him laugh Him to scorn
He trusted in God
The Lord gave the word
How beautiful are the feet
Why do the nations so furiously rage together?
He that dwelleth in heaven
Thou shalt break them
Hallelujah

Part Three

Air
Chorus
Recitative
Air
Duet
Chorus
Chorus

I know that my Redeemer liveth
Since by man came death
Behold, I tell you a mystery
The trumpet shall sound
O death, where is thy sting?
But thanks be to God
Worthy is the Lamb that was slain

In order to maintain the spirit of the work we ask that you please remain seated and withhold applause until the conclusion of the performance.