1980



THE CONCERT CHOIR of OTTAWA UNIVERSITY

PROGRAM

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SING PRAISE TO THE LORD

Barry Cormack

ALL GLORY TO THE LORD

Sweelinck-Lovelace

AND IN THAT DAY

John Ness Beck

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Two Choruses
SURE ON THIS SHINING NIGHT
UNDER THE WILLOW TREE, FROM THE
OPERA "VANESSA"

Samuel Barber

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Two German Lieder

LERCHENGESANG (SONG OF THE LARK)

DIE NACHTIGALL (THE NIGHTINGALE)

Mendelssohn

arr. Van Camp

edited by - Robinson

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Music of Jester Hairston
WHO'LL BE A WITNESS
I WANT JESUS
MARY'S LITTLE BOY-CHILE
GOING DOWN DAT LONESOME ROAD
HOME IN DAT ROCK

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The Visions of St. John
PROLOGUE
THE SEVEN ANGELS AND THE SEVEN
TRUMPETS
THE HEAVENLY CITY
John Ness Beck

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AND THOU AMERICA

Eugene Butler

BATTLE HYMN

Steffe-Wilhousky

SONG OF GALILEE

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THE CONDUCTOR

Dr. Stanley DeFries, choir conductor, is Chairman of the Department of Music. He returned to his alma mater in 1968 from Sioux Falls College, where he held a similar position. He holds advanced degrees from Indiana University, is listed in Who's Who in American Education and Who's Who in the Midwest, and was elected an Outstanding Educator in America. Dr. DeFries is annually involved in clinics and workshops, and participates as adjudicator for state music festivals, Federation of Music Clubs, and Metropolitan Opera Auditions.

THE CHOIR

Founded in 1938 by Professor Edgar D. Kerr, the Ottawa University Choir has been heard by thousands throughout America - in concerts, on radio, television, and recordings. The choir's annual tours have taken them to Europe, the East Coast, and throughout the Midwest. A five-week tour of Europe and the Mediterranean in the summer of 1972 took them to eight countries and included concerts in such historic places as the Basilica of St. Francis in Assisi, St. Cecilia's in Rome, Notre Dame de Paris, the Chartres Cathedral in France, and The Church of the Holy Nativity in Bethlehem.

THE UNIVERSITY

Ottawa's unique educational program is attracting national recognition and support because it contains so much of what today's students are seeking. There are opportunities to pursue self-designed educational and career plans with a student-selected team of advisors to help determine the student's own goals. That team works together to write out a personal education "contract" which acts as an agreement between the University and the student as to what constitutes graduation requirements for him or her.

There are opportunities to devise new combinations of courses or to design unusual specialties in areas such as urban studies, ecology, social change, ethnic studies, arts, and management.

The University has a flexible calendar that allows a combination of short-term and semester-length courses. Cross-cultural and cooperative education programs afford off-campus travel, study or work experiences.

THE ORGANIST

Carol Wilson, Instructor in organ and University Organist at Ottawa University, is a graduate of Colorado State University, Fort Collins, where she was an organ performance major studying with Robert Cavarra.

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THE CHOIR ASSISTANT

Alice Jo DeFries, wife of the conductor, fulfills many responsibilities on the tour. She is assistant to Dr. DeFries, nurse, counselor and advisor to the students. In Ottawa she teaches in the English Language Institute for foreign students at O.U. A singer herself, she also teaches music privately.

1980 CONCERTS

1300	CONCLINIS
January 27	First Baptist Church Coffeyville, Kansas
February 24	First Methodist Church Ottawa, Kansas
March 2	Delmar Baptist Church St. Louis, Missouri
March 2	Elliott Ave. Baptist Church Springfield, Illinois
March 3	First Baptist Church Peoria, Illinois
March 5	First Baptist Church Ames Iowa
March 6	First Baptist Church Fort Dodge, Iowa
March 7	First Baptist Church Harlan, Iowa
March 9	First Baptist Church Knoxville, Iowa
March 9	First Baptist Church Kansas City, Kansas
March 16	Home Concert Ottawa University Chapel

CONCERTS YET TO BE SCHEDULED

Prairie Baptist Church Prairie Village, Kansas

First Baptist Church Leavenworth, Kansas

Central Baptist Theological Seminary

Mariah Walker A.M.E. Church Kansas City, Missouri

THE CHOIR MEMBERS

Juan Alegria
Nicaragua
Susan Anderson
Ottawa, KS
Rick Behrens
Kansas City, KS
Matt Belden
Overland Park, KS

Bryce Bettin
Lyons, KS
Janelle Bettin
Lyons, KS

Randy Blattner
Great Bend, KS
Lynette Blazier

33:00

Norristown, PA

Dana Bliss Clearwater, KS

Carey Bloom
Tempe, AZ
Kathy Bradford
Brookville, KS

Cindy Buckner Coffeyville, KS

Bruce Burfield Lakewood, CO

Lisa Casey Augusta, KS Jay Coombes

Ottawa, KS
*Alan Cunningham

Williamsburg, KS David Dav

Cranston, RI Jody Ely

Lymon, CO Michelle Ferree

Muskogee, OK Rhonda Glanville

Shawnee M., KS

*Sandy Harbold Brookfield, WI

* Section Leaders

Pat Herrera El Salvador

Janelle Haworth

Stockton, CA

Steve Heath

Tulsa, OK Doug Hubbard

Denver, CO Jennifer Jones

St. Louis, MO

*Mark Killingsworth Shawnee Mission, KS

Rob Killingsworth

Shawnee Mission, KS

Joy Moeller Kansas City, KS

Elisa Mullen Ottawa, KS

Glenda Newell Onega, KS

Rebecca Pixley

Mexico City, Mexico

Connie Popp Warsaw, OH

Carol Pritchard Jerseyville, IL

Annette Pyle Littleton, CO

Debbie Roy Wichita, KS

Cathy Smith

Coffeyville, KS Jon Spencer

Bridgeport, NE
Joyce Steeby

Jerseyville, IL Ditmara Tamayo

Ditmara Tamayo Nicaragua

Duncan Teague Kansas City, MO

*Lorene Welch Inman, KS Steve Wilhoft

Denver, CO

CONCERT CHOIR OFFICERS

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