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PROGRAM No. 2005

2/3/2020

Can This Be Love? . . . in anticipation of Valentine's Day, some popular and classical selections which examine the emotion that makes the world go round.

- COLE PORTER: From this moment on. RICHARD RODGERS: You took advantage of me -Jelani Eddington (1928 Barton/Capitol Theater, Madison, WI) PD Archive (r4. 5/4/04)
- DON GIBSON: I can't stop loving you -Jonas Nordwall (Wurlitzer/Organ Grinder Pizza, Denver, CO) OGAR 101
- REGINALD KING: Serenade for my lady -Simon Gledhill. RICHARD RODGERS: My funny valentine - Jim Riggs (1927 Wurlitzer/Alabama Theatre, Birmingham, AL) ALA 1783-09
- HARRY WARREN: 42nd Street Medley -Nathan Avakian (Kimball/Cleveland High School, Portland, OR) Avakian 709-01
- RICHARD CUMMINS: Hymn Prelude, In heavenly love abiding -Thomas Baugh (2004 Fisk/Christ Episcopal Church, Roanoke, VA) Raven 850
- OTTO OLSSON: Romance, Op. 24 Gunilla von Bahr, flute; Hans Fagius (1975 Christensen/ Härnösand Cathedral, Sweden) Bis 160
- PAUL FEJKO: Wildflowers of the heart (improvisation) -Paul Fejko (1934 Aeolian-Skinner/All Saints Episcopal Church, Worcester, MA) Arkay 6147.
- NAT AYER: If you were the only girl. BURTON LANE: How could you believe me? -Charlie Balogh (Wurlitzer.Organ Stop Pizza, Mesa, AZ)
- JOHANN LUDWIG KREBS: Herzlich Liebe hab ich dich Herr (2 versions) -William Wright (1746 Hildebrandt/Wenzelkirche, Naumburg) Deer Park 7836
- LARRY KING: Let us love in deed and in truth -Marble Choir/Kenneth Dake 1895 Müller & Abel/St. Joseph's Church, Yorkville, NY) Tuneful Oasis 120813
- MAURICE RAVEL (trans. Briggs): Daphnis et Chloé (Suite No. 2) -Paul Carr (1993 Walker/ St. Chad's Cathedral, Birmingham, England)
- HENRY MANCINI: Charade -Jonathan Ortloff (1928 Wurlitzer/Auditorium Theatre, Rochester, NY) Ortloff 2009
- ELNAR SWANN: When your lover has gone -Mark Herman (1928 Page/Embassy Theatre, Fort Wayne, IN) MH Productions 1001
- COLE PORTER: Just one of those things -Simon Gledhill (1928 Wurlitzer/Fox Theatre, Detroit, MI) Clue 436
- Tenderly -Donnie Rankin WALTER GROSS: (1929 Wurlitzer/Civic Theatre, Akron, OH) DR4-1993
- LOUIS ALTER: You turned the tables on me. HARRY BARRIS: Wrap your troubles in dreams -Ken Double (1926 Wurlitzer/Babson College, Babson Park, MA) KD 2011

Program No. 2006

2/10/2020

Rising Stars & Pipedreams Live! (I) young winners of the Quimby-AGO Regional Competitions perform at the Community of Christ Auditorium in Independence, Missouri.

- J. S. BACH: Toccata in F, BWV 540. MARCEL DUPRÉ: Variations on a Noël, Op. 20 -Ben Kerswell (North Central Region).
- HERBERTHOWELLS: Paean. FLOR PEETERS: Aria. ANTONIN DVORAK (trans. Lemare): Carnival Overture, Op. 92 - Clara Gerdes (Mid-Atlantic Region)
- FRANZ LISZT: Prelude & Fugue on B-A-C-H. DOMINIC PANG: Trumpet Voluntary. ANGELA KRAFT CROSS: Tree of Life -Dominic Pang (Western Region)
- FLORENCE PRICE (trans. Bickett): Andante, fr Piano Sonata in e. JOSEF RHEINBERGER: Passacaglia, fr Sonata No. 8 in e, Op. 132 -Matthew Bickett (Great Lakes Region)

Michael Barone chats with these promising youthful performers during the 2018 AGO National Convention (r. 7/5/18). They played the legendary 113-rank Aeolian-Skinner organ made famous through The Auditorium Organ broadcasts with John Obetz.

Program No. 2007

2/17/2020

Rising Stars & Pipedreams Live! (II) ... more young Quimby-AGO Regional Competition winners perform at the Community of Christ Auditorium in Independence, Missouri.

- CHARLES-MARIE WIDOR: Allegro (i), fr Symphony No. 6 in g, Op. 42, no. 2. LOUIS VIERNE: Allegro vivace (iv.), fr Symphony No. 1 in d, Op. 14. DAVID CONTE: Pastorale & Toccata – Jiaqui Shao (Northeast Region)
- MARCEL DUPRÉ: Prelude in g, Op. 7, no. 3a. MAURICE DURUFLÉ: Sicilienne, fr Suite, Opus 5. WIDOR: Allegro vivace (i), fr Symphony No. 5 in f, Op. 42, no. 1 -Bruce Xu (Southeast Region)
- S. BACH: Allein Gott in der Höh sei Ehr, BWV 664. CESAR FRANCK: Choral No. 3 in a-John Obetz (1934-2015)
- MAX REGER: Fantasy & Fugue on B-A-C-H, Op. 46 - Collin Miller (Southwest Region)

Shao, Xu, and Miller were recorded during the 2018 National Convention of the American Guild of Organists (r. 7/5/18). Obetz performances were drawn from the archive of The Auditorium Organ broadcast series (RBW 010).

Program No. 2008

2/24/2020

A Few Rare Welsh Bits . . . intriguing choral and organ repertoire from or about Wales, to honor the country's patron, Saint David, and the 'Land of Song'

TRADITIONAL: Hymn, Hyfrydol-Pontarddulais Male Choir/Noel G. Davies, director; David Bell (1921 Willis/Brangwyn Hall, Swansea, Wales) Conifer 137

- WILLIAM MATHIAS: Let the people praise thee, Op. 87 -Wells Cathedral Choir/Matthew Owens; Jonathan Vaughn (974 Harrison/Wells Cathedral, England) Hyperion 67740
- RALPH VAUGHAN WILLIAMS: 3 Preludes Founded on Welsh Hymn Tunes (Bryn Calfaria & Hyfrydol) -Robert Joyce (1958 Hill, Norman Beard/Llandaff Cathedral, Wales) EMI 85416; (Rhosymedre) - Alan McGuinness (1998 Wood/St. Asaph Cathedral, Wales) Regent 287
- HAROLD CARPENTER LUMB STOCKS: Variations on Y Delvn Aur/The Golden Harp John Hosking (1898 Hill-1998 Wood/St. Asaph Cathedral, Denbighshire, Wales) Regent 402
- MATHIAS: As truly as God is our Father Choir of St. Paul's Cathedral, London/John Scott; Andrew Lucas (Mander/St. Paul Cathedral, London) Hyperion 66519
- MATHIAS: Fantasy, Op. 78 (1978) John Scott (Mander/St. Paul Cathedral, London) Nimbus
- TERTIUS NOBLE: Prelude on Aberystwyth -John Scott Whiteley (1903-1960 Walker/York Minster, England) Priory 1116
- MATHIAS: All thy works shall praise thee -St. Alban's Abbey Girls Choir and Lay Clerks/ Tom Winpenny; Michael Papadopoulos (1962 Harrison/St. Alban's Cathedral, England) Naxos 8.573523
- MANSEL THOMAS: Anthem, For thy servant David -Llandaff Cathedral Choir/Michael Smith; Michael Hoeg (1958 Hill, Norman & Beard/Cathedral of Saints Peter & Paul, Llandaff, Wales) Priory 510
- W. T. BEST: Concert Fantasia on a Welsh March (Gorhoffedd Gwyr Harlech/Men of Harlech) -Thomas Heywood (1927 Casavant-2002 Schantz/St. Andrew's Lutheran Church, Mahtomedi, MN) PD Archive (r. 9/15/03)
- VAUGHAN WILLIAMS: 2 Organ Preludes founded on Welsh Folk Songs (Toccata, St. David's Day & Romanza, The White Rock) -David Briggs (1912 Walker/Sacred Heart Church, Wimbledon, England) Albion 021/22
- JOHN HOSKING: Te Deum -Selwyn College Chapel Choir & Ely Girls Choir/Sarah MacDonald; Timothy Parsons (1908-2001 Harrison/Ely Cathedral, England) Regent 438 (this work commissioned by and premiered at St. Asaph's Cathedral, Wales)
- ALEXANDER MASON: Improvisation on Suo Gan -Alexander Mason (1883 Willis-2000 Harrison/St. David's Cathedral, Wales) Regent
- JOHN HUGHES: Hymn, Arwelfa -1988 Male Chorus Festival Choir/Haydn James; Carys Hughes (Willis-Harrison/Royal Albert Hall, London) Polyphonic 004D

The Welsh patronal feast, Saint David's Day, is observed on March 1.

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