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DISCOGRAPHY

Alan Hovhaness: From the Ends of the Earth

SACD and full color booklet
with program notes,
texts and translations

Total Time: 75:33:00

UPC: 709887005220
USA & Canada: CD52
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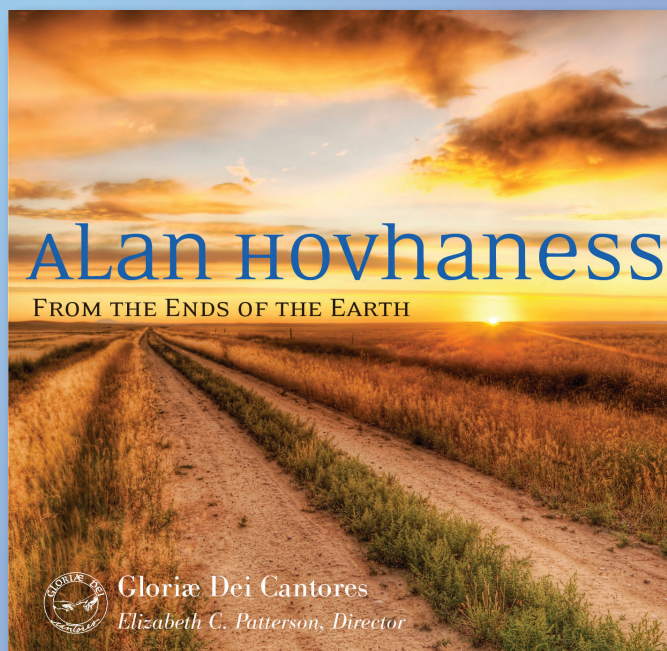
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Alan Hovhaness: From the Ends of the Earth



*“...an excellent introduction to the sacred
music of this fascinating and deeply
spiritual composer.”*

—THE DIAPASON

Gloriæ Dei Cantores marks the centenary of American composer Alan Hovhaness with this collection of sacred choral works: *Alan Hovhaness: From the Ends of the Earth*. With selections spanning Hovhaness' rich musical career, this CD invites the listener to explore the broad-ranging cultures and styles from East and West that the composer loved and sought to portray in his music. The critically-acclaimed Gloriæ Dei Cantores lends their hearts and voices to Hovhaness' "noble desire for the regeneration of mankind," and invites a new generation of listeners to experience his work.

*“In the superb hands and voices of Gloriæ Dei Cantores, Hovhaness
clearly aligns himself with a higher authority.”*

—GRAMOPHONE

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Aliyah! Israel

CD and full color booklet with
program notes, texts and
translations

Total Time: 57:36:00

UPC: 709887012020
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*“The opening piece, Bernstein’s
Chichester Psalms is stunning—so strong
and moving. Every piece makes for a
stunning recording. Well done!”*

—AN AMAZON REVIEWER

Gloriæ Dei Cantores joins voices with the Jewish people in celebration of the 60th Anniversary of the State of Israel! This commemorative recording is a compilation of extraordinary choral works by several 20th century, Jewish-American composers, reflecting the ancient Jewish heritage of joy, sacrifice, and profound faith in God. Highlights on this recording include the *Chichester Psalms* by Leonard Bernstein, *L'Chah Dodi*, *Chaneini*, *Be Gracious to Me*, *Hodu*, *Glory to the Lord*, *Mah Tov* and *Proverbs for a Son*.

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All-Night Vigil, Op.37

SACD and fifty two page full color booklet with iconography, Cyrillic texts, transliterations, translations and extensive notes by Peter Jermihov

Total Time: 66:34

UPC: 709887006326

USA & Canada: CD63

Naxos Global Logistics:
PARCD63

Retail price: \$28.99

Gloriæ Dei Cantores Russian Tours
1998 – Moscow, Vladimir, Ivanova,
Kostroma, Yaroslavl, St. Petersburg

1992 – Russia: Volokolamsk,
Moscow, Siberia: Irkutsk,
Krasnoyarsk, Novosibirsk

1990 – Moscow, St. Petersburg

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All-Night Vigil, Op.37



Gloriæ Dei Cantores releases *All-Night Vigil, Op. 37* by Sergei Rachmaninoff, conducted by Peter Jermihov (internationally recognized specialist in Russian and Orthodox liturgical music) and produced by Richard K. Pugsley, director of Gloriæ Dei Cantores. Expressing their ongoing vision of unity through music, Gloriæ Dei Cantores is joined by members of the St. Romanos Cappella, The Patriarch Tikhon Choir, and The Washington Master Chorale. Soloists Dmitry Ivanchenko and Mariya Berezovska of the National Opera of Ukraine in Kiev join the seventy-seven singers for this landmark collaboration. Vadim Gan, protodeacon under the First Hierarch of the Russian Orthodox Church sings the clergy exclamations with Dmitry Ivanchenko. *All-Night Vigil* was recorded by legendary sound engineer Keith O. Johnson of Reference Recordings.

"Ardent lyricism" —Gramophone

"Superb" —BBC

"One of the very finest recordings this work has ever received" —Fanfare

"A landmark recording . . . the new standard for this work" —Musica Russica

"A bass section that is virtually unmatched" —Oktavism.com

"A splendid achievement" —Music Web International

"An exemplary performance . . . superlative. . . beyond glorious." —The Buffalo News

"Stunning surround sound" —Audiophile Audition

"A superlative performance . . . brilliant recording . . . sheer beauty" —HRAudio.net

Gloriæ Dei Cantores is known for their extensive commitment to the vision of the composer and the expression of the text through the music. The search for authenticity, direct empathy with each word and phrase, and the premise of a religious approach were aspirations that prompted and sustained the vision for this project. This recording, and accompanying fifty-two page booklet, explores Rachmaninoff's vision and intention in a work that has become known as the crowning achievement of the Golden Age of Russian Orthodox sacred choral music.

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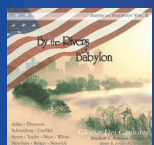
3 CD set



Make His Praise Glorious

American Psalmody Vol. I

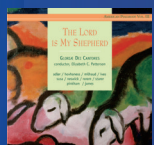
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By the Rivers of Babylon

American Psalmody Vol. II

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The Lord Is My Shepherd:

American Psalmody Vol. III

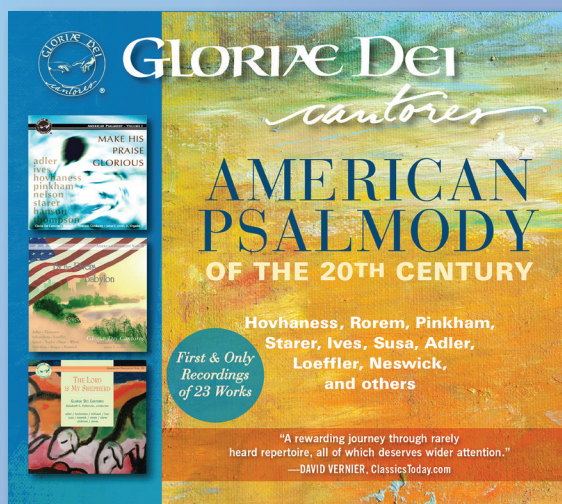
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gdccrecordings.comAmerican Psalmody
of the 20th Century

"Their singing is startlingly superb. . . wonderfully warm, yet clear sonorities. They consistently deliver levels of emotional intensity and aching spirituality. This is some of the finest, most inspiring American choral singing you will hear this year."

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

The works in this three-CD set were selected to give voice to both familiar and unfamiliar 20th-century American composers and their sacred choral repertoire themed on the universal texts of the Psalms. This rich treasure of music has been waiting to be discovered! Gloriae Dei Cantores presents a unique and varied program—making this a legacy preserving the heritage of sacred choral music in America.

Composers:

Charles Loeffler
Arnold Schoenberg
Jean Berger
Gerald Near
Bruce Neswick
David Ashley White
Alan Hovhaness
Ronald A. Nelson
Randall Thompson
Ned Rorem
Philip James

Virgil Thomson
Clifford Taylor
Kent Newbury
Samuel Adler
Robert Starer
Charles Ives
Daniel Pinkham
Howard Hanson
Conrad Susa
Darius Mulhaud

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DISCOGRAPHY

Appalachian
Sketches

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 60:47:00

UPC: 709887003127

USA & Canada: CD31

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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Appalachian Sketches



"Nothing could have prepared me for the day I first heard this music sung back to me... Gloriæ Dei Cantores' voices sounded like angels descending from Heaven, delivering and rendering my music in a way that seemed to shake the rafters and elevate the spirit."

—MARK O'CONNOR

Gloriæ Dei Cantores, critically acclaimed for their interpretations of American music, presents an exciting collaboration with Grammy Award-winner Mark O'Connor. Featured on this recording is a 15-minute commissioned work by O'Connor, Let Us Move, with violin obligato. Featured are arrangements of beloved hymns and folk songs from Appalachia and the South. Exploding with energy and excitement, this album presents a new American classical style of music, inspired by the rich American folk tradition.

"Well-chosen examples of... early American folk-hymns and arrangements, performed in Gloriæ Dei Cantores' usual expert, technically assured, stylistically appropriate manner."

—CLASSICS TODAY

"O'Connor continues to merge his formal virtuosity and training with his early love of traditional Appalachian folk music, and takes both in new directions ... if you like choral music, purchase this CD."

—ELDORADO NEWS TIMES

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DISCOGRAPHY

The Bells of Christmas

CD and booklet
with program notes

Total Time: 57:44:00

UPC: 709887012228
USA & Canada: G122
Naxos Global Logistics:
PARG122

Retail price:\$14.99

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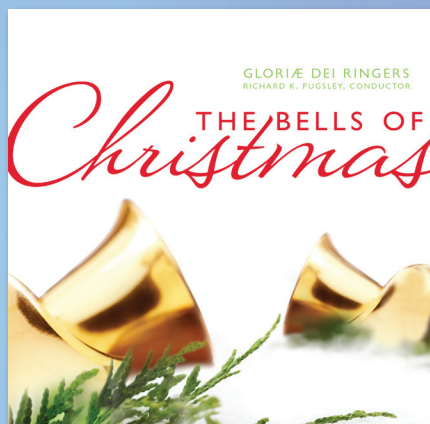
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The Bells of Christmas



“Their ensemble is metaltight, the sonorities they conjure full of lithe and pleasurable novelty.”

—MUSICWEB-INTERNATIONAL.COM

Brilliant and clear, like the stars on a cold winter's night, infuse your home with the joyful sounds of handbell arrangements of favorite carols including *Ding Dong! Merrily on High*, *The Twelve Days of Christmas*, and more! Our best-selling recording of all time – more than 20,000 copies sold! *The Bells of Christmas* will fill your home with the joyful and sparkling sound of handbells, played by the dynamic ensemble, Gloriae Dei Ringers. Playing on a six-and-a-half octave set of Malmark handbells, these young musicians explore the full range of Christmas cheer and wonder – from the tenderness of *Away in a Manger* to the majestic expanse of *A Flight of Angels* – all in arrangements that showcase the tremendous musicality and unique spirit of handbells.

“These virtuosi of metal and mallet positively palpitate with imagination and their arrangements are the ne plus ultra of shimmering, quivering pulsating pulchritude...a delicious range of colors – including plucking and martellato effects.”

—MUSICWEB-INTERNATIONAL.COM

“From the Red Kettle Santas to the midnight call from the steeple, bells are a part of Christmas. This recording of Gloriae Dei's musicians with their six-and-a-half-octave handbells goes beyond the usual arrangements of carols to transcriptions weaving dissonances and descants, the very highest and lowest tones, even the use of mallets on the bells to produce an intriguing and beautiful concert.”

—THE LIVING CHURCH

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DISCOGRAPHY

The Beloved Son The Life of Christ Series

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 64:40:00

UPC: 709887003226
USA & Canada: CD32
Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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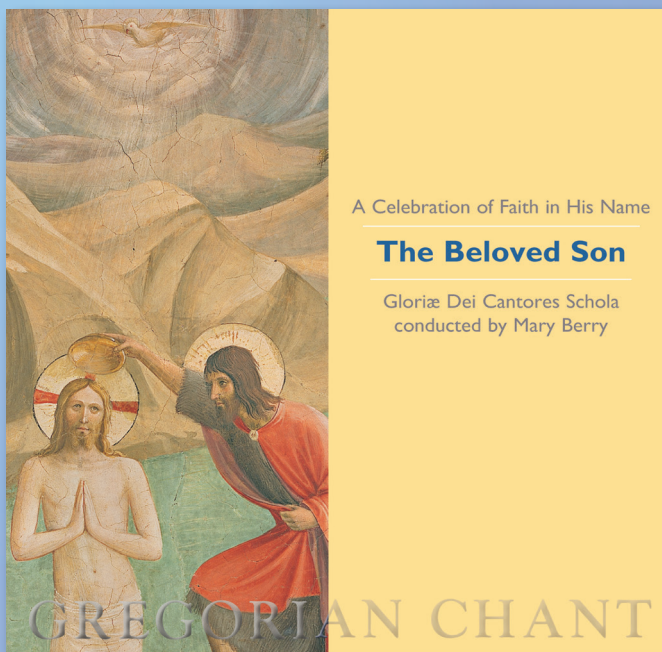
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The Beloved Son The Life of Christ Series



*"...their superb delivery of the music is no surprise,
given their long association with Dr. Berry, a
longtime proponent of Dom Cardine's semiological
interpretation. The voices are lovely..."*

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

This recording is part of a series illuminating the life of Jesus through the exquisite music of Gregorian chant. In this series, well-known pieces alternate with brief antiphons to show the path of Christ's life. In addition, chant-based organ pieces form a frame around each volume in the series. This particular volume, *The Beloved Son*, celebrates the public life and ministry of Christ through Gregorian chant.

*"This program is a distinct contrast with chant discs that are
arranged according to liturgical usage. Here it is the text that
gives meaning to each selection, whatever the chant form may be.
Antiphons from the Office are most numerous because they are
invariably designed to tell the story of each feast."*

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

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DISCOGRAPHY

Be Merry!

CD and full color festive booklet with program notes, texts, and translations

Total Time: 68:51:00

UPC: 709887012426
USA & Canada: GDC124
Naxos Global Logistics:
PARGDCD124

Retail price: \$18.99

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Be Merry!



“Be Merry! would be a superb addition to any classical music lover’s seasonal collection. Enjoy, and BE MERRY!”

—CHRISTMASREVIEWS.COM

Gloriæ Dei Cantores offers a joyful Christmas gift! Paraclete Press is pleased to present a recording of Christmas music that everyone will love. *Be Merry!* captures that wonder of Christmas—its joys, mysteries and sheer delight! Listeners can sing along as the choir shares new arrangements of familiar and beloved Christmas carols like *What Child is This?* and *Deck the Hall!* with contributions from Gabriel V Brass and Extol Handbell Choir.

“Here’s a joyful and beautifully sung album of seasonal specialties from a choir I’ve long considered the nation’s finest amateur ensemble.” —AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

“This is musical merriment that will bring great cheer at Christmastime—or any time!” —THE AMERICAN ORGANIST

“...an imaginative Christmas album.” —CHORAL JOURNAL

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DISCOGRAPHY

**By the Rivers of
Babylon
American Psalmody
Series, Vol. II**

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 56:04:00

UPC: 709887002724
USA & Canada: CD27
Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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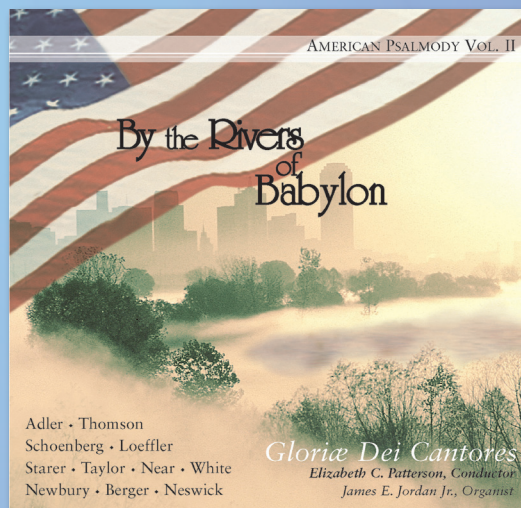
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By the Rivers of Babylon
American Psalmody Series, Vol. II



“The performances are excellent. This is clearly a fine choir. The recorded sound is spacious and reverberant. This is a very satisfying choral program that can be heartily recommended.”

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

Following on the success of *Make His Praise Glorious*, Gloriæ Dei Cantores continued a distinguished series of recordings dedicated to psalm settings by American composers. *By the Rivers of Babylon* shows a wide range of style and includes several works recorded for the first time. From the lush romanticism of the setting of *Psalm 137* by Charles Loeffler (composed in 1901) to the adventurous setting of *De Profundis* by Arnold Schoenberg (composed in 1950), Gloriæ Dei Cantores explores the great variety of psalm settings by American composers.

“Those who know the Deux Rapsodies of Loeffler...will find the Loeffler they love in this beautiful work, which is musically the jewel of this album. The severe difficulties of the Schoenberg De Profundis have brought out the best in this group, and they give us an excellent performance. This is anguished, passionate music...all the singers perform their difficult parts with commitment and excellent tone, to overwhelming effect.”

—MUSICWEB INTERNATIONAL

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Call to Freedom

The Music of a Great Nation

Ray E. Cramer, Conductor
Richard K. Pugsley, Director

CD includes full color
patriotic booklet honoring
American veterans

Total Time: 76:58:00

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Call to Freedom: The Music of a Great Nation



A Patriotic Tribute to Our Nation's Freedom Keepers

Spirit of America, the award-winning band from Cape Cod, Massachusetts, presents *Call to Freedom: The Music of a Great Nation*. Featuring works by American composers, from John Philip Sousa to Charles Ives, this CD is a musical tribute to the nation's freedom keepers.

Call to Freedom celebrates the breadth of American history and character, from the victories of war expressed in Morton Gould's *American Salute*, to the vivid, moving tone poem *Heroes Lost and Fallen* inspired by the tragic emotions of war as a tribute to all who gave their lives in Vietnam, to spirited renditions of the Armed Forces marches, to heartfelt patriotism in Carmen Dragon's *America the Beautiful*.

- ✦ Perfect for Memorial Day, July 4th, and Veteran's Day celebrations
- ✦ Recommend for gifts to veterans and to support military families
- ✦ Ideal for listeners of all ages, children through adults
- ✦ Full color booklet honoring our veterans

Under the direction of Richard K. Pugsley, Spirit of America is dedicated to the pursuit of the ideals upon which our country was founded. Through the medium of music and marching, Spirit of America upholds the values of teamwork, patriotism, and excellence to inspire the youth of America and audiences of all ages throughout the world. The Wind Ensemble, consisting of the band's finest musicians, has been privileged to work with Ray Cramer of Indiana University, who directed the band for this recording.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Celebration in Brass

SACD and booklet
with program notes,
texts, and translations

Total Time: 49:55:00

UPC: 709887005824
USA & Canada: CD58
Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$18.99

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Celebration in Brass



“Suave and spirited.”

—AUDIOPHILE AUDITION

Gabriel V Brass Ensemble presents *Celebration in Brass*, an inspiring collection of fanfares, beloved hymns, and masterworks arranged for brass by twentieth-century composers. Music lovers will know the hymns *Be Thou My Vision*, *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*, *Be still, my soul*, *God of Grace and God of Glory*, *All Creatures of our God and King*. Music lovers will revel in these resounding works of praise, meditation, and faith-filled celebration. Joining Gabriel V Brass Ensemble are the award-winning members of Spirit of America Band's Winter Percussion Ensemble.

Gabriel V Brass Ensemble offers the best in fanfare and solo brass works, presenting distinctive programs from classics of the Venetian School to contemporary works, as well as elegant jazz, patriotic favorites, and holiday fare. Gabriel V collaborates frequently with Gloriae Dei Cantores, and has toured 23 countries in the U.K., Europe, and Russia, and by invitation performed works by Gabrieli for the 900th anniversary celebration of Saint Mark's Basilica in Venice, Italy. In the U.S. they have performed in 49 cities from New York to San Francisco, and they can be heard at their annual concert series in the Church of the Transfiguration.

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DISCOGRAPHY

The Chants of Angels

SACD and full color booklet
with fine art, program notes,
texts and translations

Total Time: 56:34:00

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USA & Canada: C51

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$18.99

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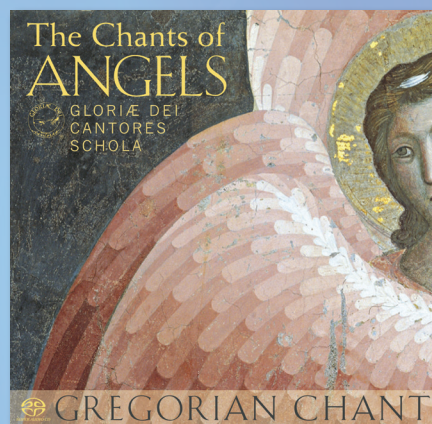
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The Chants of Angels



*“Three of the finest chant CDs have been released by
Gloriæ Dei Cantores...be transported to a timeless
place of eternal beauty.”*

—KANSAS CITY STAR

Celebrating these heavenly guardians and guides, *The Chants of Angels* is relaxing, peaceful, uplifting. Using the ancient melodies and texts of the early church, each Gregorian chant depicts a new aspect or story of the angels. From our most intimate plea to the angels for aid, to the great announcement made by the Archangel Gabriel, *The Chants of Angels* surrounds the listener with these songs of prayer and comfort. Great for driving, background music, or quiet meditation.

*“I’ve been writing about the angels for many years. When I listen
to The Chants of Angels, I feel as if I’m that much closer to my
heavenly subject matter. This music is glorious.”*

—MIKE AQUILINA, AUTHOR, *ANGELS OF GOD
AND A YEAR WITH THE ANGELS*

*“Not even the most seasoned monastic group delivers it better than
the Gloriæ Dei Cantores Schola.”*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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DISCOGRAPHY

The Chants of Christmas

CD and booklet with program notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 72:03:00

UPC: 709887012525

USA & Canada: G125

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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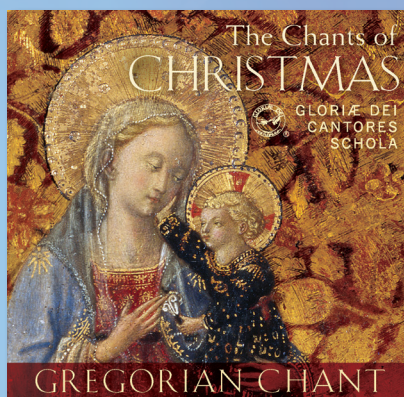
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The Chants of Christmas



“Allow this CD to transport you right past the malls and into the season’s sacred mystery.”

—THE DALLAS MORNING NEWS

This Christmas, give the gift of music – the earliest, purest music of the church. Gregorian chant lifts us out of the ordinary stresses of life and invites us to contemplate the timeless and unchanging love of God. *The Chants of Christmas* presents some of the most beautiful Gregorian chants, including the *Christmas Day Mass*. Avoid the commercial frenzy of the season and enjoy this beautiful collection of peace and tranquility. This CD features the well known Introits: *Dominus dixit* and *Puer natus*, as well as the *Christmas Day Mass* and the Antiphons to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

“In The Chants of Christmas, the ancient Gregorian ‘melodies’ deliver a mystical aura that envelops the listener, and the mesmerizing impact is equally effective during the holiday season and throughout the year.”

—CHRISTMASREVIEWS.COM

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DISCOGRAPHY

The Chants of Easter

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 73:27:00

UPC: 709887012624

USA & Canada: G126

Naxos Global Logistics:
PARG126

Retail price: \$16.99

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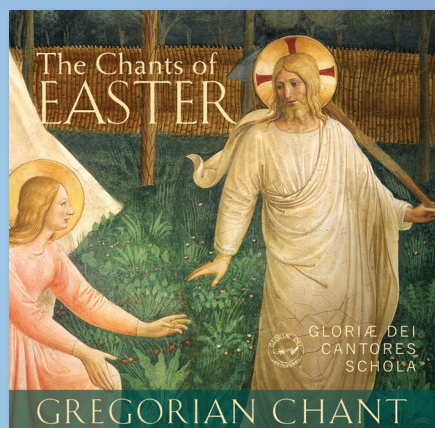
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The Chants of Easter



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it better than the Gloria Dei Cantores Schola.”*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

This recording of Gregorian Chant from the Gloria Dei Cantores Schola celebrates the Feast of the Resurrection, which is rooted in the earliest centuries of Christian worship. This “celebration of celebrations” is a time for rebirth, and this recording reflects that sense of personal renewal and joy. *The Chants of Easter* includes the Propers of Easter Day and Gregorian chants for the octave of Easter – daily services that are part of the week-long celebration of the Easter miracle. These chants are conveyed with careful attention to subtleties in the ancient Gregorian notation, inviting listeners to share the experience of Christ’s resurrection in all its richness.

*“The free-flowing lyric lines are indeed other-worldly in their refined
sense of suspended animation. The result is elegantly overpowering.
Marvelous!”*

—IN TUNE MAGAZINE

“Valuable addition to a chant library.”

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SACD with full color booklet
with program notes,
texts and translations

Total Time: 72:79:00

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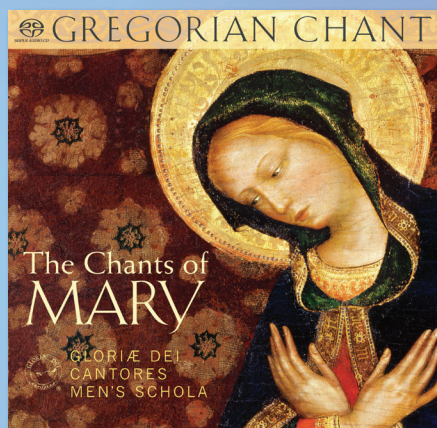
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“This is yet another superb production from a source that sets the example time and time again. Do delve into the clear, cool waters of Gregorian chant – and this is a perfect place to start.”

—AUDIOPHILE AUDITION

Gregorian Chant transcends the stresses of daily life and revives the tired and wearied soul. *The Chants of Mary* brings together the chants of love and devotion to Mary, the Mother of god, the Theotokos, the Star of the Sea.

This SACD features the *Litaniae Laurentanae*, the *Stabat Mater*, the Marian antiphons for Compline, and selected propers from the Feasts of the Immaculate Conception, the Nativity of Mary, the Annunciation, the Visitation, and the Assumption.

“Three of the finest chant CDs have been released by Gloriæ Dei Cantores: The Chants of Angels, The Chants of Mary and The Chants of the Holy Spirit. Put a Gloriæ Dei Cantores SACD on your surround sound stereo and be transported to a timeless place of eternal beauty.”

—KANSAS CITY STAR

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DISCOGRAPHY

The Chants of the Holy Spirit

SACD with full color booklet
with program notes,
texts and translations

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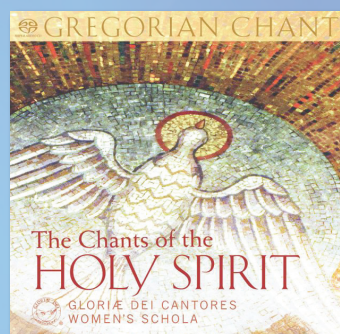
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The Chants of the Holy Spirit



“Technically they are immaculate, and one can hear the evident love and devotion in every breath taken in this astoundingly beautiful music. This is a highly recommended disc.”

—AUDIOPHILE AUDITION

The disciples waiting in the Upper Room, the rush of wind, the tongues of fire, and the spreading of the Gospel are all depicted in these Gregorian chants from two masses for the Feast of Pentecost. Opening and closing with the traditional tolling of the Angelus bell, this SACD also features a reading of the Pentecost story from the book of Acts, and Guillaume Dufay's *Veni Creator Spiritus*. *The Chants of the Holy Spirit* surrounds the listener with these songs of prayer and comfort. Great for driving, background music, or quiet meditation.

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—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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The Chants of Transfiguration

SACD and booklet with
program notes, texts and
translations

Total Time: 76:58:00

UPC: 709887012723

USA & Canada: G127

Naxos Global Logistics:
PARG127

Retail price: \$16.99

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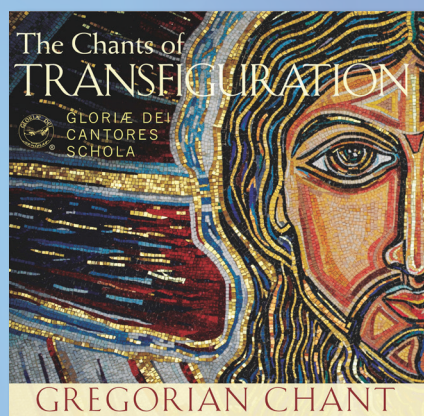
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The Chants of Transfiguration



*“The singing of these chants by this
professional ensemble is wonderful.”*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

Gregorian chant inspires us to recharge our spiritual batteries with its sense of tranquility and peace. Full of joy and hope, these prayers and meditations encourage us to lift up our eyes and bask in the heavenly light of Christ. Includes chants about the prophecies of the Transfiguration, chants that tell the story of Christ's Transfiguration, and chants that highlight the possibility and promise of our own transfiguration. Beautiful, chant-inspired organ works bookend the program.

“The singing is characteristic of a group that sings chant as a daily service of worship, yet under the influence of Dr. Berry the interpretation leaves nothing lacking that a professional ensemble would bring to the task. This is an unusual presentation that will appeal to many chant enthusiasts.”

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

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DISCOGRAPHY

Christmas in Brass

CD and full color booklet
with program notes

Total Time: 56:59:00

UPC: 709887005428
USA & Canada: CD54
Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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Christmas in Brass



*Nothing heralds the majesty of
Christmastime like the brilliance
and beauty of brass...*

—THE DIAPASON

Gabriel V Brass Ensemble presents a new collection of music for Christmas by masters of brass, including Rolf Smedvig, Anthony DiLorenzo, Morten Lauridsen, William Berry, and more. From the overflow of joy in J.S. Bach's *Wie will ich mich freuen*, to the cinematic soundscape of DiLorenzo's *Baltazar (A King's Journey)*, to the rosy-cheeked romp of Leroy Andersen's *Sleigh Ride*, each piece adds new luster to your celebration of this glorious season.

Gabriel V Brass Ensemble offers the best in fanfare and solo brass works, presenting distinctive programs from classics of the Venetian School to contemporary works, as well as elegant jazz, patriotic favorites, and holiday fare. Gabriel V collaborates frequently with Gloriae Dei Cantores, and has toured 23 countries in the U.K., Europe, and Russia, and by invitation performed works by Gabrieli for the 900th anniversary celebration of Saint Mark's Basilica in Venice, Italy. In the U.S. they have performed in 49 cities from New York to San Francisco, and they can be heard at their annual concert series in the Church of the Transfiguration.

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DISCOGRAPHY

The Coming of Christ

The Life of Christ Series

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 66:00:00

UPC: 709887003325

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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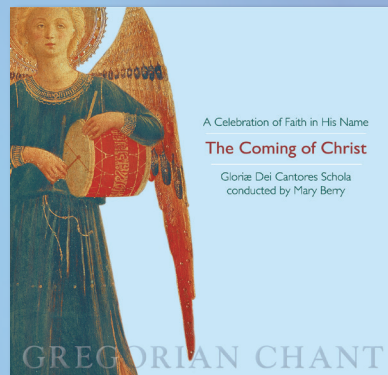
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The Coming of Christ The Life of Christ Series



“Chant aficionados will certainly want this, but anyone searching for genuinely uplifting music for Christmas also need not hesitate.”

—INTERNATIONAL RECORD REVIEW

The Coming of Christ is sung by the Gloriae Dei Cantores Schola and conducted by Dr. Mary Berry, CBE, reknowned experts who bring a wealth of experience to the interpretation of Gregorian chant. Well-known pieces alternate with numerous antiphons to bring us closer to the time of Christ's birth and early childhood. The prophetic announcements, the longing and anticipation of Christ's birth as well as the joy of the angels' message are all vividly portrayed in the Gregorian chant.

“Gramophone's own Mary Berry conducts with unassailable authority. The singers create an atmosphere that is retained impressively throughout.”

—GRAMOPHONE

“Dr. Mary Berry is one of the leading Gregorian scholars, and all the singing is excellent, in perfect style...elegant and sincere...”

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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DISCOGRAPHY

I Am With You**The Life of Christ Series**

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 76:32:00

UPC: 709887003424

USA & Canada: CD34

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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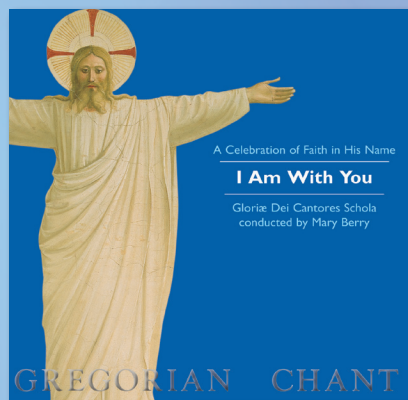


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I Am With You

The Life of Christ Series



"...their superb delivery of the music is no surprise, given their long association with Dr. Berry, a longtime proponent of Dom Cardine's semiological interpretation."

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

Christ's Passion, the ultimate sacrifice, is the subject of *I Am With You*, the third disc in the Gregorian chant series "A Celebration of Faith in His Name." This release includes one of two recordings of the chanted passion narrative according to the Gospel of John, featuring three cantors who assume the characters in the story of the passion. This stirring Gregorian chant evokes the passion, mystery, and beauty of the life of Christ.

"This program is a distinct contrast with chant discs that are arranged according to liturgical usage. Here it is the text that gives meaning to each selection, whatever the chant form may be. Antiphons from the Office are most numerous because they are invariable designed to tell the story of each feast."

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

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DISCOGRAPHY

**Illuminations:
Organ works by King,
Widor, Eben, Bach,
Messiaen & Reubke**

SACD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 65:53:00

UPC: 709887005923
USA & Canada: CD59
Naxos Global Logistics:

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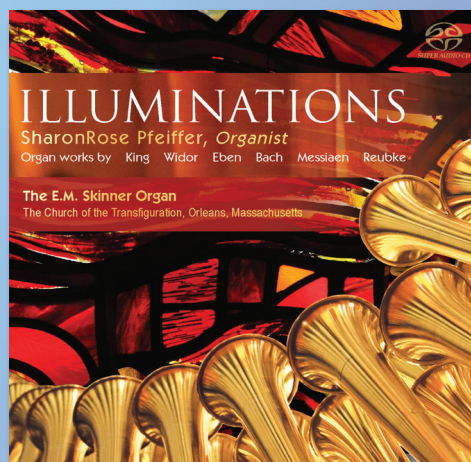
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**Illuminations: Organ works by
King, Widor, Eben, Bach,
Messiaen & Reubke**



“Spectacular—overwhelming amazing artistry—a SOUND FOR THE AGES! If you were looking to have one recording that showed the best organ, the best music from many eras, played by the best artist... THIS IS THE ONE!”

—SOLI DEO GLORIA

Through the E.M. Skinner Organ at the Church of the Transfiguration in Orleans, Massachusetts, Dr. SharonRose Pfeiffer gives voice to works by master composers from the Baroque to the twentieth century. Recorded on Super Audio CD this disc creates a surround-sound experience, enabling listeners to hear the full effect of this organ. In a unique design by Nelson Barden & Associates of Boston, the organ pipes line the north and south side aisles the full length of the church, allowing the entire building to sing.

The program includes *Resurrection: Lament, The Rising, The Ecstasy, Reflection* by Larry King, *Sonate der 94ste Psalm* by Julius Reubke, *Job for Organ, 6. Penitence and Realization* by Petr Eben, *Symphonie VI Op. 42: 1. Allegro* by Charles-Marie Widor, *Fantasia Super “Komm Heiliger Geist” BWV 651* by J.S. Bach, and *Messe de la Pentecote: V. Sortie (Le vent d’Esprit)* by Olivier Messiaen.

Dr. Pfeiffer, winner of a Fulbright scholarship, spent a year in Toulouse, coaching with the late composer and organist Xavier Darasse. She won first prize in the prestigious Concours Internationale des Arts Renaissance, and was named one of America’s Outstanding Organists by the Organ Historical Society for this solo album, *Illuminations*. Dr. Pfeiffer is also featured on *Olivier Messiaen: The Mystical Colors of Christ*.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Aaron Copland &
Virgil Thomson

CD and full color booklet
with program notes, texts
and translations

Total Time: 68:12:00

UPC: 709887002922

USA & Canada: CD29

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Aaron Copland &
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*“Gloriæ Dei Cantores continues to
produce recordings featuring interesting
and often neglected repertoire performed
with great style and polish.”*

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

Celebrating the centenary of Aaron Copland's birth, Gloriæ Dei Cantores presents a broad spectrum of choral music by Aaron Copland and Virgil Thomson. These two musical giants exemplified the ideals of American culture and established a truly American style for music. The centerpiece for this recording is the first American recording in many years of Copland's choral masterpiece *In the Beginning*, featuring American mezzo-soprano Luretta Bybee. Also included are Thomson's beloved *Four Southern Hymns* and some of his fascinating early works written during his sojourn in Paris, and a selection of vibrant choral arrangements of Copland's *Old American Songs*.

*“Best of all are the Hymns from the Old South, sung with care,
elegant but never lost their bright simplicity. Green Fields may be the
loveliest hymn I've ever heard.”*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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DISCOGRAPHY

Eclipse: The Voice of Jean Langlais

Double CD and full color booklet with program notes, texts and translations

Total Time:
56:16:00
62:21:00

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USA & Canada: CD41
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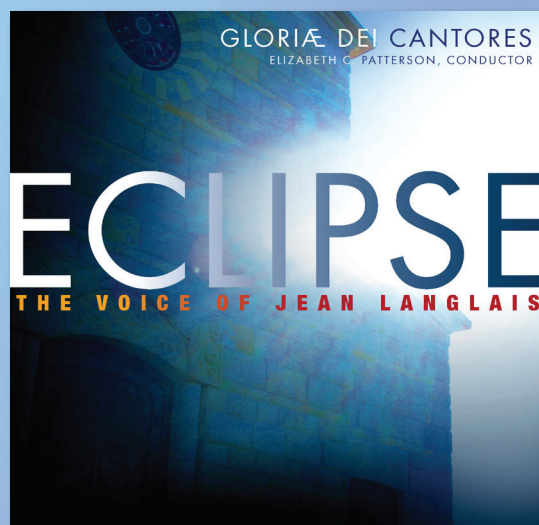
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Eclipse: The Voice of Jean Langlais



"I have been amazed by the very high level of the performances... Messe Solennelle is absolutely magnificent Elizabeth Patterson's direction of my husband's music is absolutely wonderful."

—MADAME MARIE LOUISE LANGLAIS

This is a centennial celebration of Langlais' legacy of sacred music, featuring three masses and nine anthems for choir, organ works, and rare compositions for brass.

"These two CDs are about as good an introduction to [Langlais'] art as I know of, and the fabulous Gloria Dei Cantores sing with the enthusiasm and devotion that their fans have come to expect. They are an exceptionally wide-repertory group, and Elizabeth Patterson has worked miracles in keeping them so excellently consistent over the years. . . . Great singing and one of the few ways to come to know this man's work."

—AUDIOPHILE AUDITION

*...an exhilarating journey of music and faith!
Highly recommended."*

—CHORAL JOURNAL

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**The Doctrine
of Wisdom:
Sacred Choral Music
of William Mathias**

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 74:36:00

UPC: 709887002625

USA & Canada: CD26

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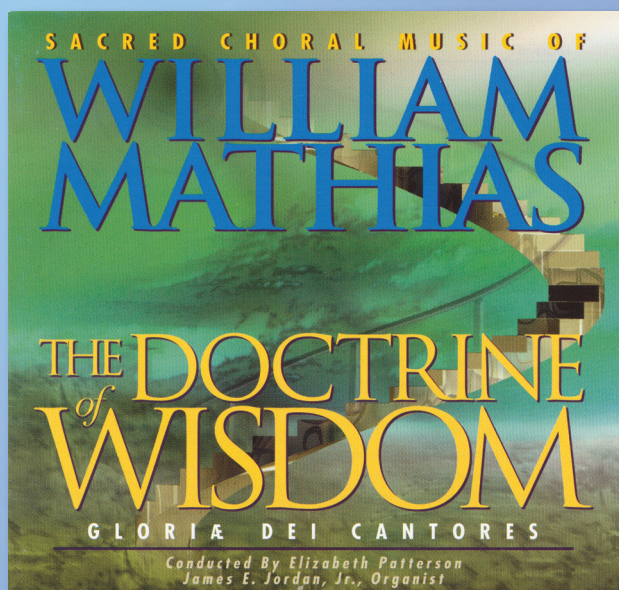
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**The Doctrine of Wisdom:
Sacred Choral Music of William Mathias**



*“Mathias could hardly have hoped for more
persuasive advocacy, nor finer recording.”*

—PENGUIN GUIDE TO COMPACT DISCS
AWARDED A “ROSETTE”

Gloriae Dei Cantores celebrates the exuberance and touching humanity of this great Welsh composer. This recording of Mathias's sacred choral music includes several recorded premieres as well as his last sacred choral work, *Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam*. Also featured are the *Missa Brevis*, *Rex Glorïæ* (four a cappella motets), *The Lord is My Shepherd* (Psalm 23) sung in Welsh by the men's choir, and *Veni Sancte Spiritus* (commissioned for the Three Choirs Festival in 1985), among other works. This release from Glorïæ Dei Cantores was recorded in Methuen Memorial Music Hall (Methuen, Massachusetts) with its grand acoustic and superb organ.

*“This is a superb find, with rare gems by one of the most brilliant
20th century composers... If you've ever enjoyed choral works by
British composers like Benjamin Britten, William Walton or Ralph
Vaughan Williams, this disc is a must.”*

—AN AMAZON REVIEWER

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Esperanza: A Gift of Spanish Song

CD and booklet with program notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 71:15:00

UPC: 709887003721

USA & Canada: CD37

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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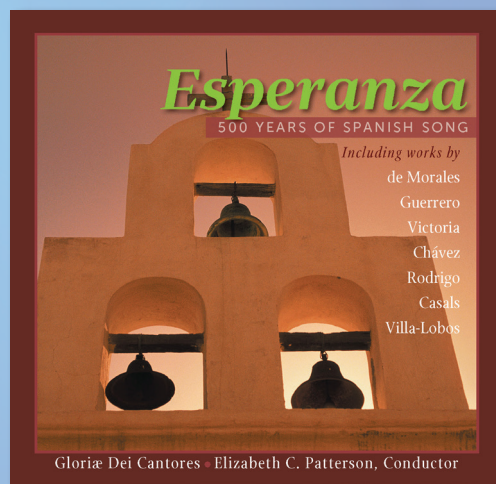
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**Esperanza:
A Gift of Spanish Song**

“A varied program...rendered with exquisite reverence...The Vivanco Mass is framed by motets of Morales and Victoria, among the loveliest pieces on the disc.”

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

Gloria Dei Cantores celebrates the rich contribution of Spanish music and culture to the world. This recording spans 500 years, from the golden age of the Spanish Renaissance, with works by Guerrero, Victoria and Morales to the 20th century, with music by Rodrigo. Also included are works of Mexican composers de Zumaya (a striking setting of the Miserere) and Carlos Chavez, and Latin-American composers such as Villa-Lobos, Casals, and Joaquin Nin. *Esperanza* will be a revelation to those unfamiliar with the riches of Spanish literature and a great discovery for all devotees of choral music.

“A broad survey of mostly choral works by mostly Spanish composers. It draws much of its material and most of its strength from music of 16th-century Spain.”

—ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

“The warmth of the choral tone is perfectly appropriate for conveying the text...The singing of the chant interspersed throughout this piece is exemplary.”

—CLASSICS TODAY

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Three SACD's with full color booklets with fine art, program notes, texts and translations

The Chants of Angels: 56:34
 The Chants of the Holy Spirit: 51:28
 The Chants of Mary: 72:79

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The Essential Gregorian Chant Collection



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—KANSAS CITY STAR

The chant was never designed to be a museum piece . . . but a living expression of a living and vibrant faith, and one hears this in every syllable of the Cantores' singing.”

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE (THE CHANTS OF ANGELS)

“This is yet another superb production from a source that sets the example time and time again. Do delve into the clear, cool waters of Gregorian chant – this is a perfect place to start.”

—AUDIOPHILE AUDITION (THE CHANTS OF MARY)

Gloria Dei Cantores Schola has been praised by the *New York Times* for “expert renditions of Gregorian Chant” and “excellence of interpretation” by *Fanfare Magazine*. Their daily singing of Gregorian chant brings this vibrant and living form of sung prayer to life in these three stunning SACDs. These ancient chants still speak volumes today in this essential collection by the Schola.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Eternal Light

CD and booklet with program notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 67:37:00

UPC: 709887011122

USA & Canada: G111

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$12.99

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Eternal Light



*“You have no idea what you are missing if you
have not yet heard these heavenly musicians.”*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

For nearly thirty years, Gloriæ Dei Cantores has traveled extensively, performing in the world's finest concert halls—from London to Moscow, Belgium to Venice, and all over the United States—stirring the hearts of thousands of listeners, delighting classical music fans, and astounding critics with their versatility and interpretive sensitivity. In *Eternal Light*, Gloriæ Dei Cantores presents a “collector’s edition” of some of their most beloved meditative choral works. Ideal for playing at home, on a commute, at the office, or any place that would be enhanced by the lush choral melodies of Palestrina, Rachmaninoff, Brahms, Argento, and others.

GLORIÆ DEI CANTORES (Singers to the Glory of God), holds a passionate dedication to illuminate truth and beauty through choral artistry, celebrating a rich tradition of sacred choral music from Gregorian chant through the twenty-first century. Currently under the direction of Richard K. Pugsley, Gloriæ Dei Cantores has received critical acclaim for its artistic elegance, performance authenticity, and compelling spirituality. Sharing its vision of inspiration and hope, the choir has toured extensively, touching the hearts of audiences in twenty-four countries in Europe, Asia, and N. America. Its discography of over fifty recordings is distributed internationally through Paraclete Recordings, a division of Paraclete Press, Inc., and NAXOS, Inc. The choir makes its home in Orleans, MA. www.gdcchoir.org

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DISCOGRAPHY

Faith of My Heart: Sacred Choral Music of Franz Liszt

SACD and full color booklet
with program notes, texts
and translations

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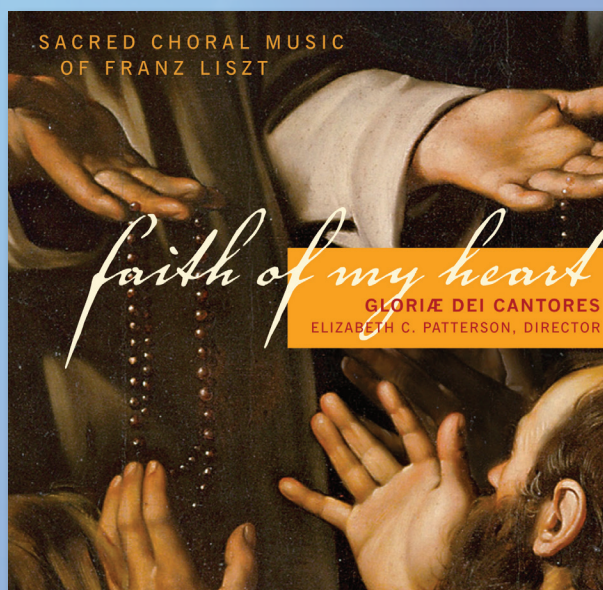
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Faith of My Heart: Sacred Choral Music of Franz Liszt



*"It's rare to find a recorded program like
this...it's a welcome addition to the catalog."*

—CLASSICS TODAY

Celebrating the 200th birth anniversary of Franz Liszt, Gloriae Dei Cantores presents an overview of his sacred choral music, including the *Missa Choralis*, settings of the *Pater noster* and *Ave maris stella*, and other works. *Faith of My Heart* reveals a lesser-known, deeply spiritual side of Franz Liszt.

"There is a generous sense of ambience here, and in louder passages the sound swells to envelope you as you listen... Stimulating – an excellent way to experience the special sound world Liszt creates in his choral music."

—AUDIOPHILE AUDITION

"This recording makes an early entry into the Liszt year. It is welcome because it shows two sides of the composer's religious music, the meditative and the exuberant."

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

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For the Beauty of the Earth

CD and full color insert with
program notes.

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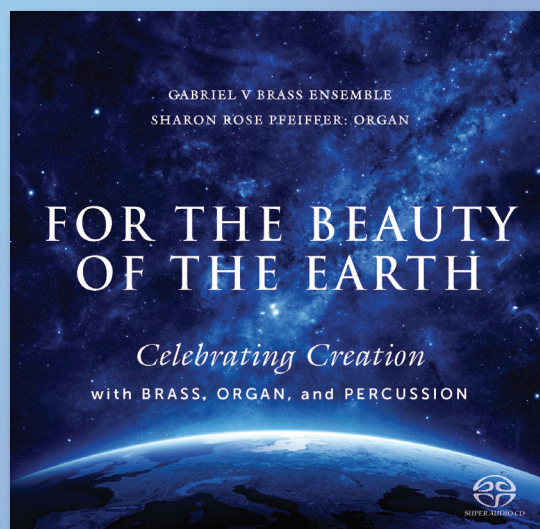
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For the Beauty of the Earth Celebrating Creation with Brass, Organ and Percussion



Gabriel V Brass Ensemble brings us a new release honoring the beauty of creation. From David Marlatt's evocative *Windscape* and *Earthscape* to the brilliant and stirring hymn arrangements of James Curnow; from the echoes of space in Anthony DiLorenzo's *Luminosity* to Charles Widor's renowned *Toccata* arranged for brass and organ; and the beauty of Brenton Broadstock's *Benediction* ("God be with you till we meet again"), each piece on this CD inspires and appreciation for the awe-filled universe we live in. The generous range of sound and colors produced by the 15-member Gabriel V Brass Ensemble and organist SharonRose Pfeiffer, creates a musical glimpse into the majesty of creation that surrounds us every day.

Recorded in the superb acoustics of Mechanics Hall, Worcester, MA, this disc gives the listener the full experience of hearing the brilliance of these works and the vibrant artistry of Gabriel V Brass Ensemble and organist SharonRose Pfeiffer. This CD not only provides inspirational music for personal listening but also creates an evocative atmosphere for meditation and worship.

Gabriel V Brass Ensemble is a unique brass ensemble comprised of men and women unified in their commitment to the traditions of monastic life the best in fanfare and solo brass works, presenting distinctive programs from classics of the Venetian School to contemporary works, from elegant jazz and patriotic favorites to holiday fare, as well as serving liturgical worship. Gabriel V collaborates frequently with Gloriae Dei Cantores, and has toured 23 countries in the U.K., Europe, and Russia, and by invitation performed works by Gabrieli for the 900th anniversary celebration of Saint Mark's Basilica in Venice, Italy. In the U.S. they have performed in 49 cities from New York to San Francisco, and they hold an annual concert series in the Church of the Transfiguration.

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DISCOGRAPHY

God's Trombones

CD and booklet with
program notes and texts

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God's Trombones



"This recording is an excellent addition to the storehouse of musical Americana." —CHORAL JOURNAL

"This is an important work which deserves to be heard, known, and widely appreciated."

—JOURNAL OF THE ASSOCIATION OF ANGLICAN MUSICIANS

"Gloriae Dei Cantores...show their incredible versatility."

—CROSS ACCENT

"Texts...powerful and the musical accompaniments... heartfelt and often moving."—THE CHORAL REVIEW

"The choir are exemplary throughout..."

—MUSICWEB-INTERNATIONAL

This recording captures the poetry of James Weldon Johnson in a vigorous and moving musical setting by American composer and singer, Gordon Myers (1919-2006). One of the missions of Gloriæ Dei Cantores is to preserve in recordings worthy American sacred music that would otherwise be neglected. This splendid oratorio certainly fits that category and has been performed by large choral groups for more than fifty years. James Weldon Johnson wanted to portray the "old-time preacher" from the early 19th century that was rapidly disappearing by the 1920's. When Myers composed the work, he said he wanted to blend the best elements of a church choir, folksongs and Afro-American spirituals. The result is a work full of energy, warmth, good fun and a dose of Americana. Gloriæ Dei Cantores is proud to re-release this recording, originally from 1995, as part of their effort towards the preservation of American sacred music.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Gregorian Requiem

CD and booklet with
program notes, texts
and translations

Total Time: 77:49:00

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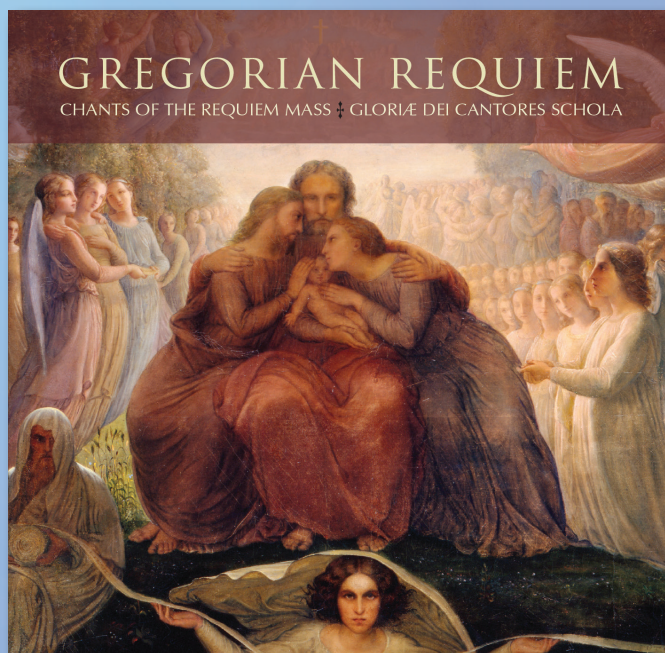
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Gregorian Requiem



"...Audiophiles will want this album for its nearly perfect sound...An album of Gregorian chant for those who want to experience authentic medieval worship or a deeply spiritual musical experience. Gregorian requiem is an excellent recording in its own rite and a must for classical music fans."

—CHRISTIAN RETAILING

The Requiem Mass is one of the most frequently performed Masses of the Medieval period. It is this mass that forms the centerpiece of Gloriæ Dei Cantores Schola's acclaimed recording *Gregorian Requiem*. Not only are two traditional masses included, but there are antiphons for the vigil prior to the funeral, antiphons changed in the church beforehand, as well as chants sung as the casket leaves the church. Included also is the sequence *Dies irae, dies illa*, best known for its inclusion in more modern Requiems such as those by Mozart, Verdi, and Durufle. Thus, this recording presents a medieval funeral mass, as it would have been chanted in the fourteenth century.

"The male and female voices weave strong, silken ribbons of ethereal sound... This recording is a fine choice for anyone who wants to hear chant at its most fluid."

—HARMONIA EARLY MUSIC NEWSLETTER

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He Has Heard My Voice: Psalms of Faithfulness and Hope

Anglican Psalmody Series

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations,
and devotions on the psalms

Total Time: 74:36:00

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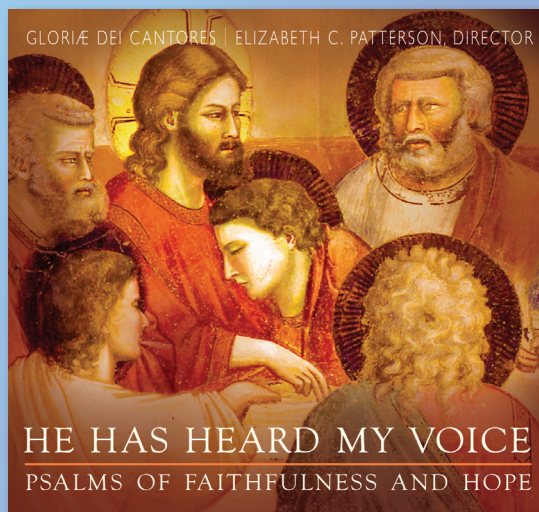
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He Has Heard My Voice: Psalms of Faithfulness and Hope Anglican Psalmody Series



*“Deep love and understanding of the
words is obvious in their singing. It is
prayerful, poetic and joyful.”*

—THE LIVING CHURCH

Gloriæ Dei Cantores releases the long-awaited second volume of its Anglican Psalmody series. Chanted antiphonally, and sung in a spirit of worship and prayer, the nineteen psalms selected for *He Has Heard My Voice* reflect the faithfulness of God in response to the Psalmist's pleas. They include Psalm 23 *The Lord is my shepherd*, Psalm 121 *I lift up mine eyes unto the hills*, Psalm 46 *God is our refuge and strength*, Psalm 63 *O God, thou art my God; early will I seek thee*, and many other familiar words of comfort in the Coverdale translation, illuminated by the voices of Gloriæ Dei Cantores and the Skinner organ of the Church of the Transfiguration. The program notes include devotional materials on each psalm, making this recording a valuable tool for private devotion. Listeners will be transported by the meditative and transparent beauty of these Psalms of David.

*“...wonderful resources for personal reflection and
congregational renewal.”*

—FORWARD IN CHRIST

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DISCOGRAPHY

Herbert Howells

SACD and full color booklet
with program notes,
texts and translations

Total Time: 68:18:00

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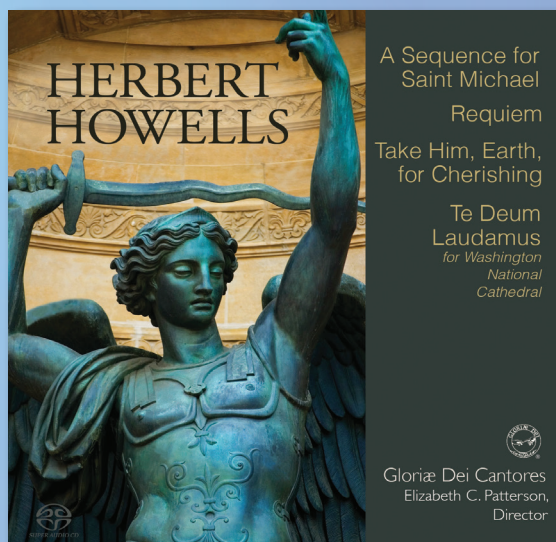
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Herbert Howells



“They produce a big, thrilling sound that sweeps the listener up in an exhilarating cascade of vocal glory.”

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

In the vast choral repertoire of the twentieth century, the music of Herbert Howells stands apart: unmatched in its complexion of color and expressivity, and unfailing in its ability to move hearts. Gloriæ Dei Cantores pays tribute to Howells' gift of music to the church and the world, with this collection of choral works beloved on both sides of the Atlantic. This recording was made with generous support from the Herbert Howells Trust. www.howellstrust.org.uk

“While the Gloriæ Dei Cantores' recording is far superior in terms of sound and depth, they also bring an unencumbered and tradition-free approach to the music giving it more passion than is often heard.”

—AUDIOPHILE AUDITION

“Howells often conceived his works with the acoustical properties and character of specific buildings in mind...the organ consists of pipework from 12 instruments by EM Skinner and is entirely appropriate to accompany the works of Howells.”

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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DISCOGRAPHY

**His Love Endures
Forever:
Psalms of Thankfulness
and Praise**

Anglican Psalmody Series

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations and
devotions on the psalms

Total Time: 62:54:00

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**His Love Endures Forever:
Psalms of Thankfulness and Praise**
Anglican Psalmody Series



*“Being centered in the Psalter, they are
very useful in private worship...wonderful
resources for personal reflection and
congregational renewal.”*

—FORWARD IN CHRIST

Gloriæ Dei Cantores presents the third volume of its Anglican Psalmody series, *His Love Endures Forever: Psalms of Thankfulness and Praise*. This collection contains twenty-one of the most beautiful psalm tunes and the most uplifting texts in the series. From Psalm 8, *O Lord, our Governor, how excellent is Thy Name in all the world*, to the final verse of Psalm 150, *Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord*, these psalms express the utmost of praise and thanksgiving to God in every circumstance, and from every corner of creation.

His Love Endures Forever: Psalms of Thankfulness and Praise is Gloriæ Dei Cantores final CD in the Anglican Psalmody collection. The choir inherited its edition of Psalmody from Dr. George Guest of Cambridge, England, and has sung the Psalms in worship for more than twenty years. Choral directors, singers, and all who enjoy sacred choral music will value these joyful and enriching psalms of praise, sung by one of America's top choirs.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Joy and Gladness

CD and booklet with program notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 72:39:00

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Joy and Gladness



"This CD does just what the title says—it makes you joyful. This morning, this CD completely lifted my spirits. Each piece is uplifting and can lift you right out of the stress of your day!"

—AN AMAZON REVIEWER

Gloriæ Dei Cantores presents *Joy and Gladness*, a collection of favorite anthems of celebration. From the blissful *Jubilate Deo* of Palestrina to the glorious *Alleluia* of Welsh composer William Mathias, this CD gives a complete panorama of praising God through the gift of music. Through all of nearly two dozen selections, sung either a capella, with organ, or with instruments, *Joy and Gladness* is a beautiful compilation of choral works on the theme of joy.

GLORIÆ DEI CANTORES (Singers to the Glory of God), holds a passionate dedication to illuminate truth and beauty through choral artistry, celebrating a rich tradition of sacred choral music from Gregorian chant through the twenty-first century. Currently under the direction of Richard K. Pugsley, Gloriæ Dei Cantores has received critical acclaim for its artistic elegance, performance authenticity, and compelling spirituality. Sharing its vision of inspiration and hope, the choir has toured extensively, touching the hearts of audiences in twenty-four countries in Europe, Asia, and N. America. Its discography of over fifty recordings is distributed internationally through Paraclete Recordings, a division of Paraclete Press, Inc., and NAXOS, Inc. The choir makes its home in Orleans, MA. www.gdcchoir.org

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DISCOGRAPHY

Kaleidoscope: America's Faith in Song

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 57:20:00

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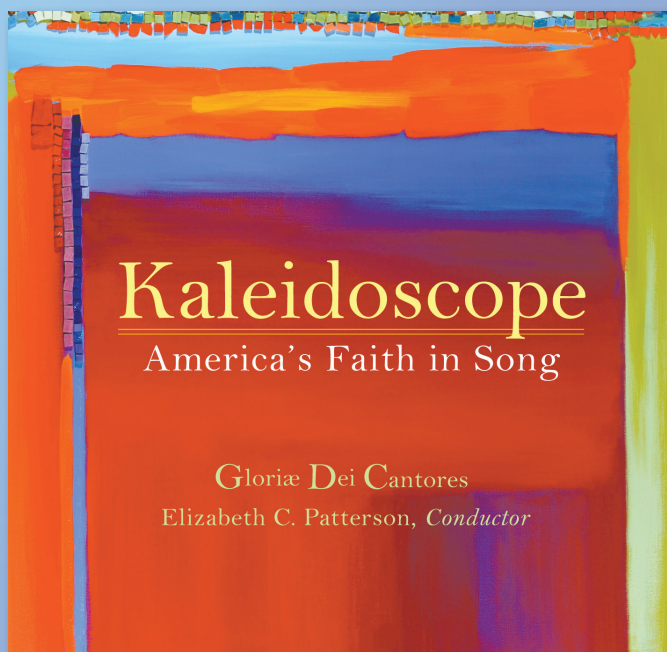
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Kaleidoscope: America's Faith in Song



"For many listeners, this will be like a visit to an old, familiar place of spiritual nurturing... There's a nice 'feel' to this disc, a sensibility that conveys the intended spiritual qualities embodied in most of the musical works, and as such, it's a success."

—CLASSICS TODAY

Celebrate the sacred sounds of America with *Kaleidoscope*. This is the music that has lofted through church rafters across the United States since its founding, and continues to bring comfort and strength to its faithful people today. Features a new arrangement of *Amazing Grace*; classics by some of America's great composers such as Aaron Copland, Virgil Thomson, Leo Sowerby and Paul Manz; and beloved hymns from Appalachia and the South, arranged by Alice Parker and others.

"If you think you've been overdosed on Amazing Grace, you need to re-open the subject until you've heard the enchanting new choir-and-solo strings arrangement that opens this program."

—FANFARE

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DISCOGRAPHY

Keeping Christmas: Beloved Carols and the Christmas Story

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 69:54:00

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Keeping Christmas: Beloved Carols and the Christmas Story



*“Exquisite, sensitive, highly articulate, complete...
what can I say more?...presentation of the
Christmas Story.”*

—AN AMAZON REVIEWER

Each year at Christmas, Gloriæ Dei Cantores celebrates the “dawn of redeeming grace” with a traditional candlelit Service of Readings and Carols, retelling the stories of Christ’s birth that stir us with memories and hopes for peace and love. Just for a time as you listen to these carols and stories, let your heart fill with gratitude for our many blessings, and with goodwill toward others. Gloriæ Dei Cantores offers this recording with a prayer that the joy of the season brings you renewed hope and a fresh sense of wonder!

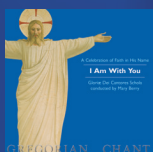
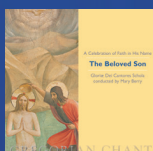
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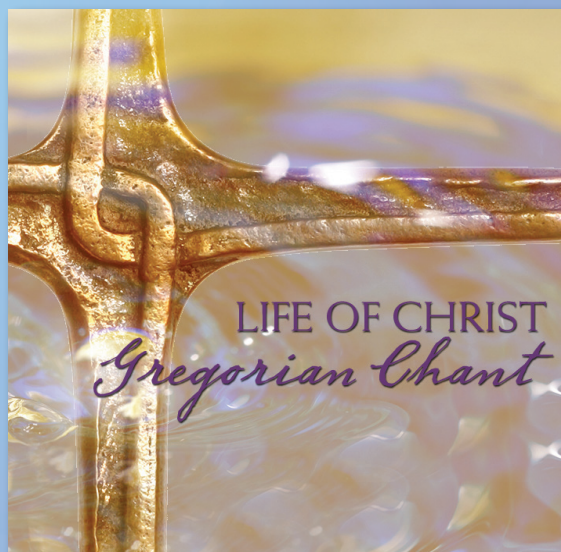
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The Human Spirit Emboldened for ChangeThe Life of Christ in Gregorian Chant
From Gloriae Dei Cantores Schola

“Dr. Mary Berry is one of the leading Gregorian scholars, and all the singing is excellent, in perfect style...elegant and sincere...”

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

Follow the life of Christ: from the Great O Antiphon “O Emmanuel” heralding His birth, to the triumphant chants proclaiming his glorious Resurrection.

The Coming of Christ is the first of a series of three CDs using the exquisite music of Gregorian chant to describe and illuminate the life of Christ. Well-known pieces alternate with numerous antiphons to bring us closer to the time of Christ’s birth and early childhood. The prophetic announcements, the longing and anticipation of Christ’s birth as well as the joy of the angels’ message are all vividly portrayed in the chant.

The Beloved Son, the second recording in the series, celebrates the public life and ministry of Christ. Christ’s Passion, the ultimate sacrifice, is the subject of *I Am With You*, the third disc, which includes the chanted passion narrative according to the Gospel of John, featuring three cantors who assume the characters in the story of the passion.

This stirring music evokes the passion, mystery, and beauty of the life of Christ. Sung by the Gloriae Dei Cantores Schola and conducted by Dr. Mary Berry, CBE, these renowned experts bring a wealth of experience to the interpretation of the chant.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Make His Praise
GloriousAmerican Psalmody Series
Volume I

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with program notes,
texts, and translations

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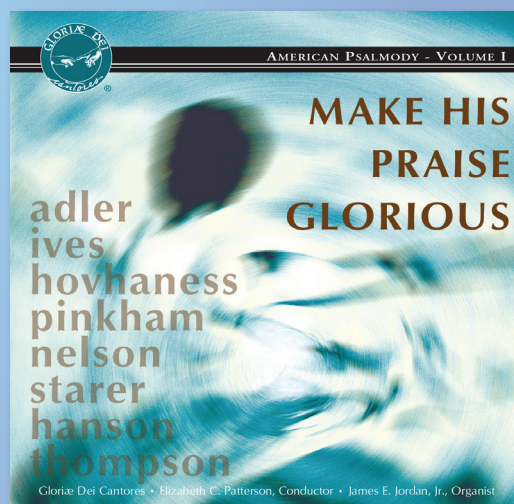
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Make His Praise Glorious
American Psalmody Series, Vol. I

"Psalm 90 in its setting by Charles Ives is its greatest setting ever. In this gorgeously-sung version...let the music get to you: it is perfectly suited to the words...not much in music is this beautiful."

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

This collection of twentieth-century American psalm settings features many recorded premieres, including works by Hovhaness, Nelson, Adler, and Hanson. Other composers included are Ives, Starer, Thompson, and Pinkham.

"The music on this album is as wide a variety of settings of the Psalms by 20th century American composers as one could ask for, covering a variety of liturgical points of view. This remarkable work is full of many Ives compositional touchstones...the work is fresh and accessible, and, like the very best of Ives, very moving...the shining star of this album...Gloriae Dei Cantores do a splendid job with this difficult work, and this performance easily suffices as the best example of an Ives psalm...better yet, other albums by Gloriae Dei Cantores have additional Ives psalms on them."

—BOB ZEIDLER, NEW YORK TIMES CLASSICAL
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DISCOGRAPHY

Mandorla:

Choral Masterworks of
Frank Martin, Edvard
Grieg, Howard Hanson

SACD with full color booklet
with program notes,
texts and translations

Total Time: 65:35:00

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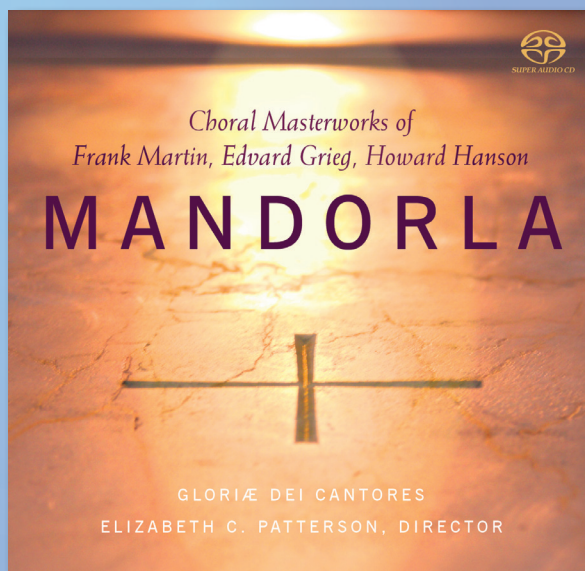
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Mandorla: Choral Masterworks of Frank Martin, Edvard Grieg, Howard Hanson



“...a complete winner.”

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

Evoking the transparency and tension of that “thin place” where heaven and earth meet, *Mandorla* features three 20th century masterpieces: the majestic *Mass for Double Choir* by Frank Martin, the heartfelt, folksong-inspired *Fire Salmer* by Edvard Grieg, and the stunning *Cherubic Hymn* by Howard Hanson. Alex Ross, the music critic and writer, said Martin was “one of the great religious composers of the last two hundred years, with Messiaen his only contemporary rival.” Martin withheld his *Mass for Double Choir*, written in 1922, for forty years, on the grounds that it was unworthy of the Lord. But in the past few decades, his *Mass* has gone around the world, entrancing audiences with the majesty of its language. This a capella *Mass* is a luminous work of intensely personal expression.

For most music-lovers, just hearing the name of Edvard Grieg conjures up phrases from his splendid *Piano Concerto*, inspired by the folksongs of his native Scandinavia. In this same vein, Grieg composed the beautiful *Fire Salmer* (Four Psalms) in the year before his death. As *Audiophile Audition* wrote, “The Hanson, *Cherubic Hymn*...is most affecting...great sound, performances, music, colorful and informative notes...Why wait?”

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DISCOGRAPHY

Masters of the Renaissance

CD and full color booklet with program notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 79:32:00

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Retail price: \$16.99

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Masters of the Renaissance



"This disc will greatly enlarge most collections of Renaissance motets with rare pieces of outstanding worth, sung with skill and devotion."

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

This release from Gloriæ Dei Cantores features sacred music from one of the most inspired periods in the arts: the Renaissance. Each of the European schools of composition (Italian, Flemish, German, Spanish, and English) is represented by a total of twenty composers, offering a fascinating cross-section of styles and influences. Great masters such as Lassus, Byrd, and Victoria are featured, as well as lesser-known composers such as Hassler, de Wert, and Nanino. The central work of this recording is the *Missa super Bella Amfitrit' altera* by Lassus, generally considered one of his finest works. Other selections include Anerio's tender and stirring *Requiem aeternum* and William Byrd's *Terra Tremuit*, which has been described as "one of the most dramatic texts in the whole of music."

"...truly golden sound and beautifully nuanced singing from her hard-working musicians. Sacred illumination is their mission, and they achieve it with spiritual sincerity and power. Recorded sound is especially ravishing."

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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DISCOGRAPHY

Mendelssohn & Brahms: Sacred Motets

CD and booklet of program notes, texts, and translations

Total Time: 75:45:00

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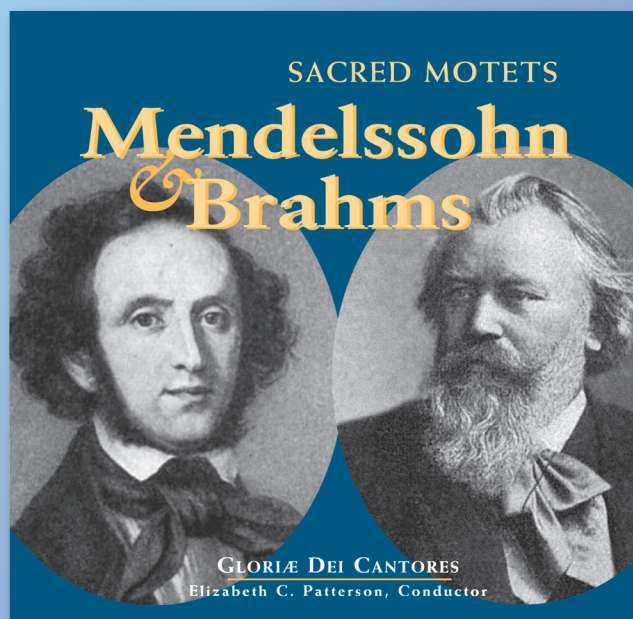
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Mendelssohn & Brahms: Sacred Motets



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—THE AMERICAN ORGANIST

Two of the great composers of the Romantic era, Mendelssohn and Brahms, brought their great melodic gifts and deeply felt expression to the motet form. The clarity and meaning of the sacred texts was of primary importance to both composers, and their study of Palestrina and Bach strongly influenced the style of these superb works. This recording features the rarely performed motet *Aus tiefer Noth* by Mendelssohn, and three Brahms motets written as chamber music for voices, yet rich and varied in expression.

“Gloriae Dei Cantores...sings with excellent intonation, particularly in Brahms’ chromatic passages. Their rich legato style, combined with fine choral blend and ensemble, is very appealing for music of this period....This is a very fine work, a tribute to American choral singing.”

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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DISCOGRAPHY

Mozart: Rare Choral Works

Double CD and booklet
of program notes, texts,
and translations

Total Time:
59:08:00
71:01:00

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Mozart: Rare Choral Works



"This version fills a significant need."

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

This recording was created to mark the major musical anniversary of the 250th birthday of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. The world has enjoyed the genius of Mozart through his symphonies, operas, chamber and piano music. In addition, his *Requiem*, left incomplete at his death, remains one of the most beloved of sacred choral works. Gloriae Dei Cantores presents a rare look at a side of Mozart that is not so well known: his contribution to music for the Church. Included in this recording are two rarely heard major works of great beauty and invention: *Dauid Penitente* K. 469 and the *Litaniae de venerabili altaris Sacramento* K. 243.

"I have...been an ardent fan of the work of the Gloriae Dei Cantores, and I have followed with avidity their superb work through the years. The Gloriae Dei Cantores have now reached yet another pinnacle, just when I was certain they had reached the highest peaks. The Mozart recording lit superb in every way: ensemble, authenticity of style, conviction of interpretation, sheer beauty of sound, and, above all, the spiritual glory of Mozart flawlessly expressed for us all to hear."

—GERRE HANCOCK

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DISCOGRAPHY

Olivier Messiaen: The Mystical Colors of Christ

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 68:27:00

UPC: 709887004421

USA & Canada: CD44

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Retail price: \$18.99

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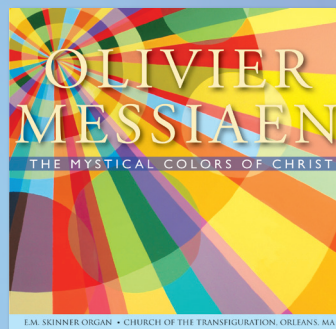
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Olivier Messiaen: The Mystical Colors of Christ



"The 11 selections range from almost inaudible high-pitched musical sounds to thundering climaxes...this immense Skinner pipe organ...11 divisions and 12, 000 pipes...perfect for communicating the amazingly varied tonal colors Messiaen calls for in his works."

—AUDIOPHILE AUDITION

Explore the musical sound-world of French composer Olivier Messiaen in this collection of his organ works based on events from the life of Christ. The program booklet includes beautiful original artwork created especially for the recording, and insightful notes on the featured works. Recorded by the organists of Gloriae Dei Artes Foundation, on the E.M. Skinner organ of the Church of the Transfiguration.

"At approximately 100 ranks, it has a wonderful clarity and color, and the performers do it ample justice. A 22-page accompanying booklet gives much information. All three performers are up to the formidable task of recreating Messiaen's music very much, one feels as he envisioned it. Recorded for the one hundredth anniversary of Messiaen's birth, this CD is a fitting tribute."

—THE DIAPASON

"The sound quality is amazing and the compositions so wonderfully inspired."

—THE NEW LITURGICAL MOVEMENT

Dr. David Chalmers, Dr. James Jordan, Jr., and Dr. SharonRose Pfeiffer, all of whom earned their doctorates in organ study from Eastman School of Music, are Artists-in-Residence for Arts Empowering Life Foundation. They present a year-round series of concerts on the landmark E.M. Skinner organ at The Church of the Transfiguration in Orleans, MA. Having performed extensively nationally and internationally in solo performance and accompaniment, each hold a prominent place in the world of American organists.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 74:27:00

UPC: 709887010620

USA & Canada: G106

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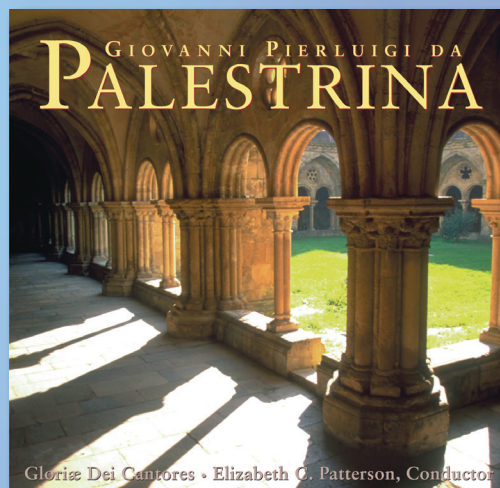
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Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina



*"Magnificent, essential release... If we have ever
had a finer Palestrina recording available,
I've not heard it."*

—IN TUNE MAGAZINE

Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina, hailed through the centuries as "prince and father of music," wrote music of unsurpassed grace and beauty. Issued at the 400th anniversary of the master's death, this album contains the only existing recording of his *Missa Descendit Angelus Domini* and the *Missa Beatae Mariae Virginis II*, and six other motets. Over 15,000 copies have been sold.

*"...this group deserves all the praise it gets for its recordings and
international concert tours. It's a remarkable achievement.
Recommended."*

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

*"...the richness and sonority is almost hypnotically beautiful.
Palestrina was, after all, one of the great composers of music for
grouped human voices, and there is no reason why we should not
enjoy such luscious, expansive (yet stylistically sensitive) realizations
of his music. Good notes; full texts and English translations. Alike to
the Palestrina collector or the lover of wonderful choral sound,
this release is warmly recommended."*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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DISCOGRAPHY

Paths of Grace

CD with booklet of program notes, texts, translations

Total Time: 71:18:00

UPC: 709887011627

USA & Canada: G116

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Paths of Grace



“Buy it to calm your spirit when you’re stuck in traffic...the music here is meditative, timeless.”

—DALLAS MORNING NEWS

Seventeen of Gloriæ Dei Cantores’ finest recordings make their way onto *Paths of Grace*, the final companion volume to earlier anthologies *Eternal Light* and *Joy and Gladness*. The recording features works of Palestrina, Tchaikovsky, Brahms, Mathias, and many others. The pieces capture a reflective, peaceful spirit with music of graceful melody and flow. Gloriæ Dei Cantores’ expert renditions of these pieces have had critics reaching for superlatives for nearly two decades now. Their absorption of each composer’s style produces interpretations of richness and depth. Experience the special sound of Gloriæ Dei Cantores through this wonderful spectrum of choral music.

“Restful, largely homophonic works...the serene homophony of Victoria, the lush Romantic harmonies of Rheinberger, and the piquant chromaticism of Brahms and Mathias are all rendered with equal and equally commendable aplomb. . . . I can report that my “listening experience” could hardly have been more pleasurable, and one that I look forward to repeating. Warmly recommended.”

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

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DISCOGRAPHY

Peace Be With You: Johann Sebastian Bach

Double CD and booklet with
fine art, program notes,
texts and translations

Total time:

75:17:00

56:02:00

UPC: 709887002823

USA & Canada: CD28

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Retail price: \$29.99

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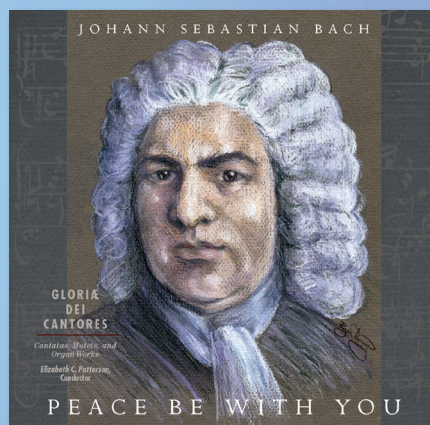
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Peace Be With You: Johann Sebastian Bach



*"...vocal quality bringing a fresh approach
to Bach...above all there is an obvious joy in
their singing that rings considerable pleasure...
perfectly captures the exultation in every note."*

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

Gloriæ Dei Cantores released this double CD set of sacred choral cantatas, motets, and works for organ in honor of the 250th anniversary of the death of J.S. Bach. These compositions provide a window into Bach the young musician, and to Bach the aging master. Featured works include the well-known cantata *Gottes Zeit ist die Allerbeste Zeit* (God's time is best) and the bass solo cantata, *Der Friede Sei Mit Dir* (Peace Be with You). Like the choral works, the organ works featured on this recording exemplify Bach's entire creative outpouring.

*"The standard of both playing and choral singing on this double
album is mostly creditable... confidently assured."*

—MUSIC WEB INTERNATIONAL

*"Overall, this collection is exceptional. The eclectic array of
compositions will please any listener, especially one who fancies
the diversity of the composer. Organ works, cantata with chorus
and instruments, and unaccompanied motets, all performed with
excitement and vigor, make for two hours of musical entertainment."*

—CHORAL JOURNAL

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DISCOGRAPHY

A Prophecy of Peace: The Choral Music of Samuel Adler

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 62:48:00

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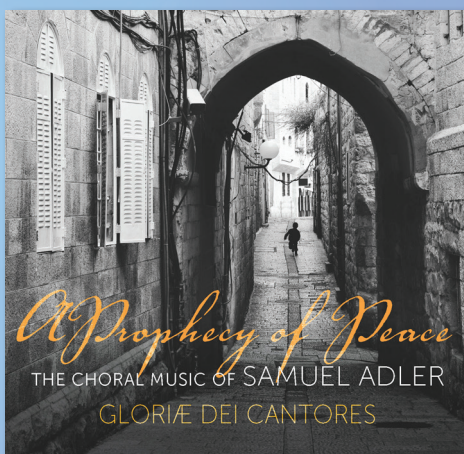
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A Prophecy of Peace: The Choral Music of Samuel Adler



***“If you don’t know either Adler’s music
or this choir, just GET it.”***

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

This NEW edition of *A Prophecy of Peace: The Choral Music of Samuel Adler* celebrates the 90th birthday year of this award-winning American composer with a recording that spans more than thirty-five years of his works. Adler’s fresh and imaginative harmonic and melodic language brings a heightened awareness of the texts of these works as well as giving the listener a personal expression that is unique to each work. Highlights include the first recording of Adler’s *Transfiguration Mass* for choir, organ and brass as well as his *Verses from Isaiah* for choir, organ, brass, and handbells.

“Here is a glowing and long-overdue tribute to the sacred choral music of contemporary American composer Samuel Adler, beautifully sung by perhaps America’s finest non-professional chamber choir. . . Performances are impeccable and deeply moving. This group delivers gorgeous, balanced sound and has completely mastered any technical skill you can name. Their ensemble and dynamic subtlety are second to none, including professional choirs. But the best thing about their singing is a kind of utterly rapt, evangelistic spiritual intensity that you simply can’t imagine until you’ve experienced it for yourself.”

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

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Psalms to Live By

Over three hours of music

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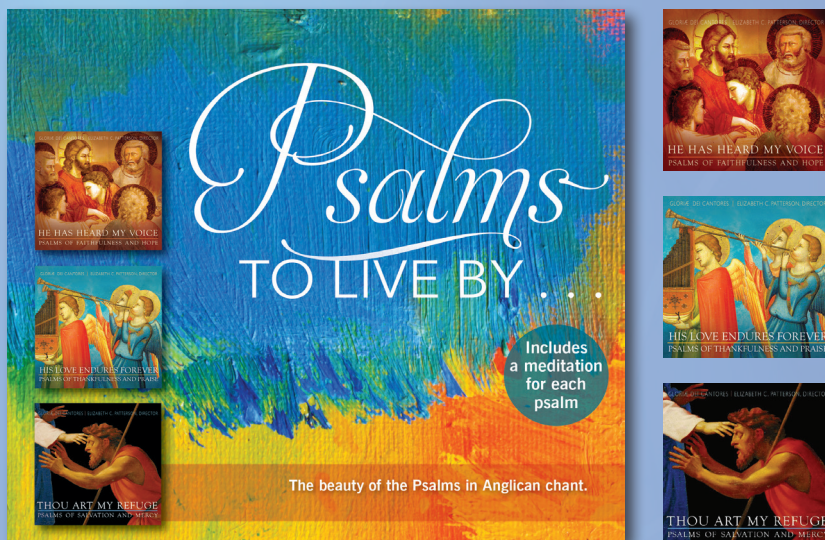
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Psalms to Live By



“The essence of Anglican chant sound and style...we experience something of the uniquely expressive power inherent in this manner of psalm-singing.”

—CLASSICS TODAY

One of the most eloquent forms of sacred music is Anglican Psalmody which came into its own in the nineteenth century. Since then, it has become one of the most beloved sources of meditation in English parish churches and cathedrals as well as here in America. Gloriæ Dei Cantores has re-released a three CD set of a selection of psalms that range in emotion from personal sorrow to grateful elation. These are performed in the superb acoustic of Gloriæ Dei Cantores' home, the Church of the Transfiguration in Orleans, MA.

In their early years, Gloriæ Dei Cantores trained under Dr. George Guest, for many years the music director of the choir of St. John's College, Cambridge, England. As a gift to the choir, Dr. Guest gave a copy of his own psalter, with his own interpretations and this forms the basis of these CDs. Also heard is the EM Skinner organ of the church, with its multifaceted and poetic colors beautifully supporting the chant. This set is a marvelous opportunity for prayer and meditation. Along with the sound of the psalms, there are written meditations which guide the listener through the many emotions of the psalms.

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50 pages of program
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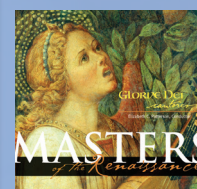
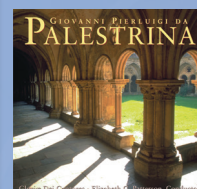
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Music of the Renaissance



"Imagine you are in one of the oldest and most beautiful cathedrals in Italy. Close your eyes and hear a Palestrina mass being sung . . . balanced, serene, clear, and excellent sound reproduction."

—CHORAL JOURNAL

"A generous survey of luscious Renaissance choral music . . . sacred illumination is their mission, and they achieve it with spiritual sincerity and power."

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

This Renaissance Collection features sacred music from one of the most inspired periods in the arts. Each of the European schools of composition (Italian, Flemish, German, Spanish, and English) is represented by a total of twenty composers, offering a fascinating cross-section of styles and influences. Great masters including Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina, hailed through the centuries as "prince and father of music," wrote music of unsurpassed grace and beauty. Included in this collection are Lassus, Byrd, and Victoria, as well as lesser-known composers such as Hassler, de Wert, Nanino, and many others. Featured in this set is the only existing recording of Palestrina's *Missa Descendit Angelus Domini* and the *Missa Beatae Mariae Virginis II*, also included is the *Missa super Bella Amfitrit' altera* by Lassus, generally considered one of his finest works.

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**Josef Gabriel
Rheinberger:
Motets, Masses
and Hymns**

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

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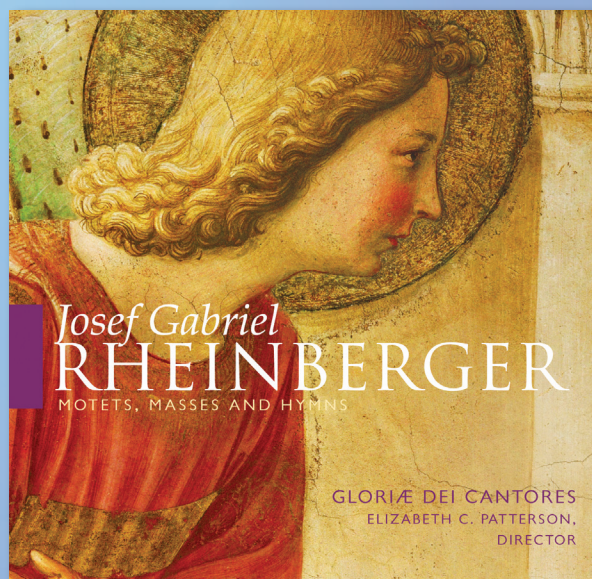
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**Josef Gabriel Rheinberger:
Motets, Masses and Hymns**



*"If you're a choral music fan...you owe it to
yourself to find this now."*

—CLASSICS TODAY

*"This is an illuminating and revelatory disc which reflects
great credit on this forty-strong choir."*

—MUSIC WEB INTERNATIONAL

*"The repertoire, most of which isn't available elsewhere...
is certainly worthy of repeated listening...profound and
irresistible beautiful statements."*

—CLASSICS TODAY

Josef Gabriel Rheinberger is one of nineteenth-century Germany's most gifted teachers and composers. Rheinberger wrote works reminiscent of those of Brahms and Schumann, and yet their attractive lyricism is unique. This tribute to the works of Rheinberger includes his eight-part a cappella *Mass in E-flat Major*, *Mass in F for Male Choir*, and *Mass in G Minor for Female Choir*, as well as three of his motets.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Edmund Rubbra: the Sacred Muse

CD and booklet with
program notes, texts
and translations

Total Time: 58:28:00

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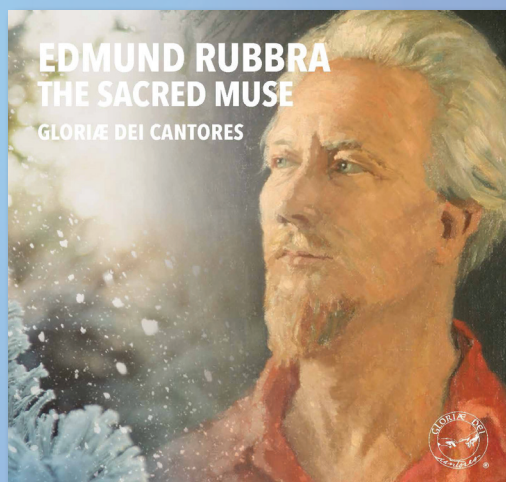
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Edmund Rubbra: the Sacred Muse



“The most comprehensive survey of Rubbra’s sacred music yet available on CD, compellingly and imaginatively performed. A ‘must have’ for all devotees of this fascinating composer.”

—JOHN RUTTER, COMPOSER, FOUNDER AND
CONDUCTOR OF THE CAMBRIDGE SINGERS

Edmund Rubbra (1901-1986) has become recognized as one of the leading British symphonic composers of the second half of the 20th century. In this recording, Gloriæ Dei Cantores brings the choral works of Edmund Rubbra to life. *Tenebræ*, Op. 72 consists of nine motet settings of the Gregorian Chant responsories for Maundy Thursday. Rubbra’s expressive and powerful style conveys the depth of these texts that re-tell the passion of Christ. Also recorded are: *Missa in Honorem Sancti Dominici*, which is generally considered his choral masterpiece; *Salutation, Magnificat* and *Nunc Dimittis* Op. 65; and *Festival Gloria* Op. 94, which completes this landmark recording.

“The superior performance of the Rubbra choral works by the Gloriæ Dei Cantores choir on this recording is a direct result of the meticulous attention given to two key elements inherent in choral music: intonation and textual clarity. And in every piece the expressive details, so carefully indicated by the composer, are sensitively and wonderfully realized.”

—MUSIC OF EDMUND RUBBRA

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DISCOGRAPHY

Sacred Songs of France Volume I: 1198-1609

CD and full color booklet with
fine art, program notes, texts
and translations

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Sacred Songs of France Volume I: 1198-1609



*“Truly golden sound and beautifully
nuanced singing.”*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

*“As an overview of French Renaissance vocal music, this program
is assembled well and beautifully sung. This disc offers a good many
unusual selections representing the period.”*

—FANFARE MAGAZINE

This French choral pilgrimage takes listeners from the earliest days of organum in the Middle Ages, through to the delights of seventeenth century polyphony. Sample the musical genius and spiritual art of celebrated composers such as Josquin des Prez, and their lesser known compatriots, like Dulot, Goudimel, and Mouton. Scholars will appreciate this disc for the generous survey it provides; choral fans will love the grace, beauty, and clarity of this early music.

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DISCOGRAPHY

Sacred Songs
of Russia

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 70:55:00

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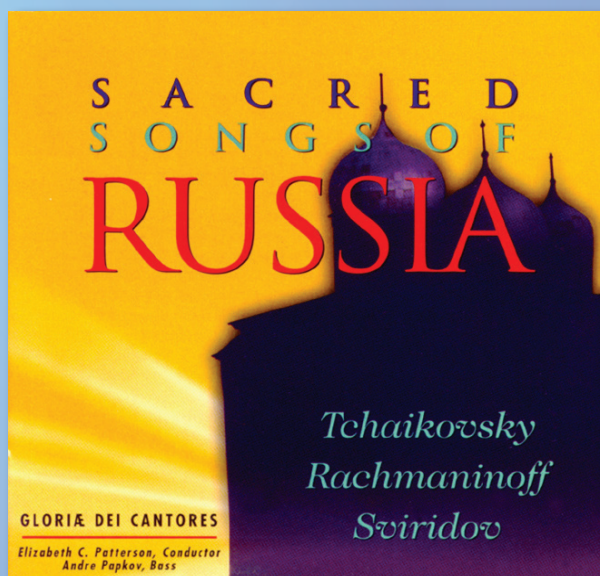
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Sacred Songs of Russia



*“This is the best – the best – compilation of
standard Russian sacred choral music that
I have ever heard.”*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

Sacred Songs of Russia portrays the musical legacy of the Russian people, which comes as a response to the depth of their faith. Among the noteworthy works on this recording, which contains previously released material, are two stirring works by Rachmaninoff including *Bogoroditse Devo* (Rejoice, O Virgin) from his *All Night Vigil*, *Opus 37*, and *V molitvah* (The Mother of God, ever-vigilant in prayer). Perhaps most significant are the *Three Choruses* of Georgy Sviridov (1915-1998), composed during a time when sacred music was still actively suppressed by the Soviet regime. The three works by Peter Tchaikovsky, *Milost' mira* (A Mercy of Peace), *Angel Vopiyashe* (The Angel cried), and *Hymn in Honor of SS. Cyril and Methodius*, are also strong statements of the Russian faith and expression through music.

Gloriae Dei Cantores first toured Russia (then part of the U.S.S.R.) in the spring of 1990, to re-introduce Russian sacred choral music to their concert halls for the first time since the Russian Revolution of 1917, and participated in several liturgies of the Russian Orthodox Church. At the request of Metropolitan Alexy of Leningrad, now Patriarch of Moscow and all Russia, Gloriae Dei Cantores toured Russia a total of three times, returning in 1992 and 1998 to sing in Moscow, St. Petersburg, and throughout the Golden Ring. Gloriae Dei Cantores were also among the first Western artistic groups to tour Siberia.

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The Season's Sacred Mystery

Sing Noel with
Gloriae Dei Cantores
Total Time: 70:21

The Chants of Christmas
Total Time: 72:03

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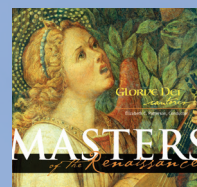
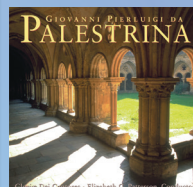
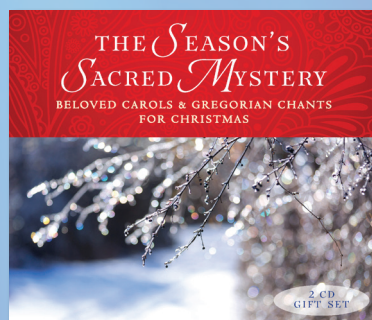
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The Season's Sacred Mystery



*"Allow this CD to transport you right past the malls
and into the season's sacred mystery."*

—THE DALLAS MORNING NEWS (THE CHANTS OF CHRISTMAS)

This Christmas, give and receive the gift of music and be lifted out of the ordinary stresses of life to contemplate the timeless and unchanging love of God and the mystery of the Christmas Story.

"In The Chants of Christmas, the ancient Gregorian 'melodies' deliver a mystical aura that envelops the listener, and the mesmerizing impact is equally effective during the holiday season and throughout the year...the product provides a magic carpet ride of relaxation, yet stimulation. For me, this music provides the ideal backdrop for contemplation on a cold December night... downright divine!"

—CHRISTMASREVIEWS.COM (THE CHANTS OF CHRISTMAS)

Sing Noel with Gloriae Dei Cantores is a Christmas treat from beginning to end. The recording opens with Sing Noel – a colorful set of carols moving seamlessly from one to another. From Caroling, Caroling to My Dancing Day and The Holly and the Ivy – this recording brings you a traditional Christmas experience that will brighten your Christmas cheer and warm your heart.

"I adore well-executed choral music for the holidays, and Gloriae Dei Cantores certainly fills the bill. Sing Noel is an outstanding...moving release of intensely lovely seasonal music."

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Leo Sowerby: American Master of Sacred Song

CD and booklet with program
notes and texts

2.5 hours of music

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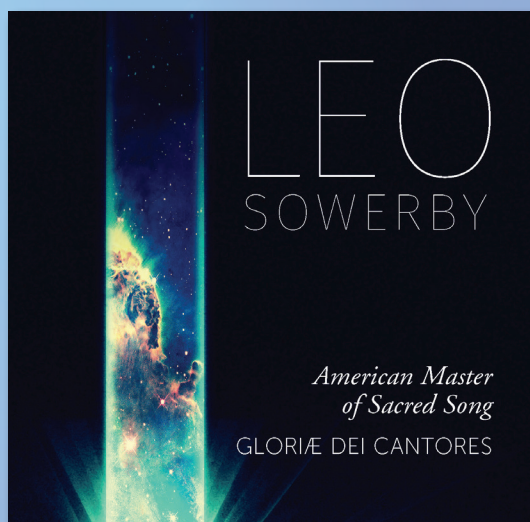
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“Rich, blended sound with impeccable diction. This is exactly the right sound for the wide range of emotions in these anthems...Magnificent choral singing.”

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

“Shows off the wonderful subtle changes of color”

—CROSS ACCENT

This NEW Edition is released in this 50th year since Leo Sowerby's passing on July 9, 1968. *Leo Sowerby: American Master of Sacred Song* celebrates “the Dean of American Church Music” and his contributions to the choral and organ repertory. Gloriæ Dei Cantores has selected ten anthems to represent Sowerby as an inspired composer for worship as well as several sacred vocal solos and four of his finest works for organ. The CD set is crowned with a rare performance of Sowerby's *Festival Musick* for brass and organ. Sowerby's rich harmonies and exciting vocal writing capture the listener in such texts as *Great is the Lord*, *O God, the Protector of All*, *Come, Holy Ghost* and *Turn Thou to Thy God*. His organ music shows a rare ear for color and texture and his style, attractive and accessible, is timeless. As with many of Gloriæ Dei Cantores' recordings, this one contains much music not available elsewhere.

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DISCOGRAPHY

The Lord Is My Shepherd
American Psalmody Series, Vol. III

CD and booklet with program notes, texts and translations

Total Time: 65:55:00

UPC: 709887003028

USA & Canada: CD30

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Retail price: \$16.99

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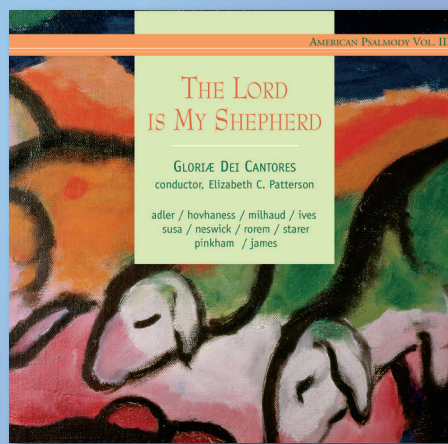
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The Lord Is My Shepherd
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"The choir has a full, vibrant sound and sings with great fervor...Ned Rorem's Two Psalms and a Proverb is absolutely gorgeous...Bruce Neswick's stirring anthem I Will Set His Dominion in the Sea is also first-rate."

—GRAMOPHONE

The Lord Is My Shepherd is the third volume in the American Psalmody series, a distinguished series devoted to musical interpretations of the psalms by American composers. Of a previous recording in this series, Fanfare Magazine raved, "This interesting collection of sacred music, American style, can hardly miss: God Himself seems to have placed His seal of approval on it."

"Their singing is startlingly superb. They achieve amazing rhythmic and tonal precision as well as wonderfully warm, yet clear sonorities. Their finest qualities, however, are interpretive ones. They consistently deliver levels of emotional intensity and aching spirituality that few of even the best big-name professional groups can match. How Patterson draws such rapt, trance-like music from her choir is something only her singers could possibly understand... The program is a mix of a cappella pieces and others with spare instrumental accompaniment... This is some of the finest, most inspiring American choral singing you will hear this year."

—GRAMOPHONE

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DISCOGRAPHY

**Thou Art My Refuge:
Psalms of Salvation
and Mercy**

Anglican Psalmody Series

CD and booklet with program
notes, texts and translations
and devotions on the psalms

Total Time: 72:03:00

UPC: 709887003820

USA & Canada: CD38

Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$16.99

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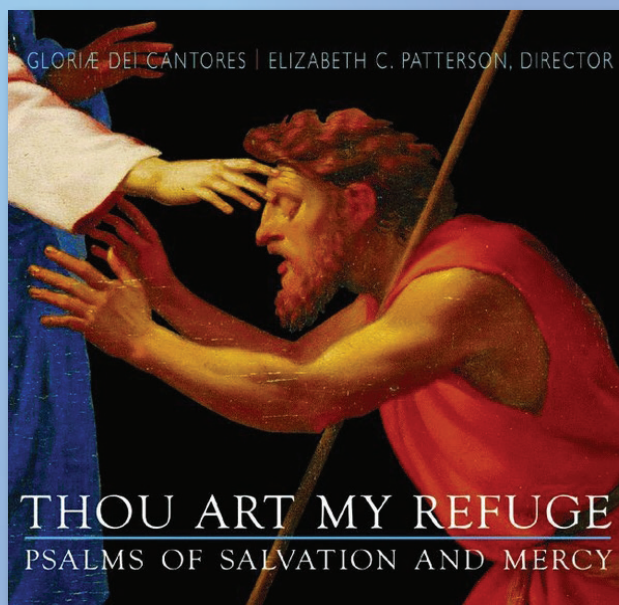
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**Thou Art My Refuge:
Psalms of Salvation and Mercy
Anglican Psalmody Series**



*“...the essence of Anglican chant sound
and style...we experience something of
the uniquely expressive power inherent in
this manner of psalm-singing.”*

—CLASSICS TODAY

The Psalms have been used for private and public worship for thousands of years. While they have been interpreted in numerous ways, they have been a source of hope and comfort for many. Gloriae Dei Cantores presents the first of a three-volume series of the *Psalms of David*. Gloriae Dei Cantores provides a wealth of experience in the communication of the rich texts of these psalms, having chanted the psalms for nearly three decades in worship services. Perfect for contemplative listening at any place or time, *Thou Art My Refuge* will be welcomed by all who love the Psalms for their beautiful poetry and spiritual depth.

“...especially helpful for private prayer and meditation.”

—ASSOCIATION OF ANGLICAN MUSICIANS

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DISCOGRAPHY

**Unto Ages of Ages:
Sacred Choral
Music of Sviridov,
Rachmaninoff,
and Tchaikovsky**

SACD and full color booklet
with program notes, texts
and translations

Total Time: 56:07:00

UPC: 709887004728
USA & Canada: CD47
Naxos Global Logistics:
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Retail price: \$18.99

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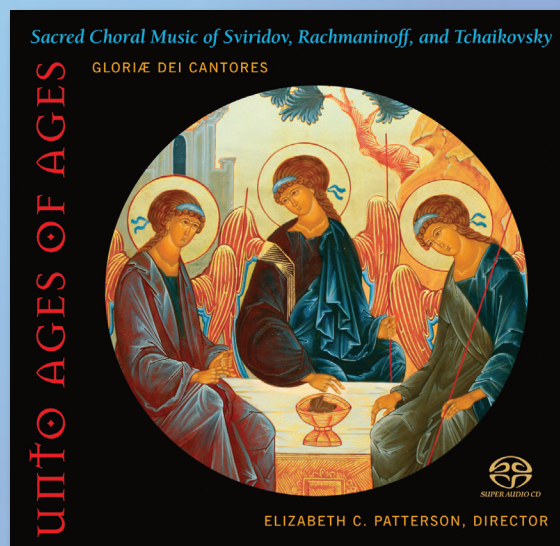
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*“Lovely recorded sound...an irresistible
release. If you love Russian sacred
music, just GET it.”*

—AMERICAN RECORD GUIDE

This is Gloriæ Dei Cantores' first recording in Super Audio CD featuring the North American recorded premiere of Georgy Sviridov's *Ineffable Mystery*, a gorgeous sacred choral suite. In his memory, the choir sang this set of pieces in Moscow and the Golden Ring on their third tour of Russia in 1998. Georgy Sviridov, who was one of Shostakovich's favorite students, wrote the music for Moscow's leading television news program and became one of the leading composers during the Soviet regime. His vocal music has been championed by Dmitri Hvorostovsky, the great Russian baritone. Gloriæ Dei Cantores, having already recorded "the best anthology of Russian music" (*American Record Guide for Sacred Songs of Russia*), now adds this rich collection of Russian sacred music to their discography. Also included are excerpts from the Tchaikovsky's *Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom* and the Rachmaninoff *All-Night Vigil*.

*“In the superb hands and voices of Gloriæ Dei Cantores,
Hovhaness clearly aligns himself with a higher authority.”*

—GRAMOPHONE