UNLV CHORAL ENSEMBLES
David B. Weiller, Jocelyn K. Jensen, conductors
Amy Homer-Smith, pianist

PROGRAM

_African-American Celebration_

arr. Hall Johnson
(1888–1970)
Amanda Mura, soprano
Ride On, King Jesus

arr. Jay Althouse
(b. 1951)
Alexus C. Horn, mezzo-soprano
Poor Wayfarin’ Stranger

_CHAMBER CHORALE_

arr. Moses Hogan
(1957–2003)
Miguel Alasco, Carolina Gamazo, Nathan Van Arsdale, soloists
Down by the Riverside

arr. Craig Hella Johnson
Elizabeth Hughes, soprano
Motherless Child

arr. Harry T. Burleigh
(1866–1949)
Jonathan Jefferson, tenor
Were You There?

arr. James Miller
Isabella Ivy, soprano
I Wanna Be Ready

_WOMEN’S CHORUS_

arr. Clark-Jensen
Rosephanye Powell
(b. 1962)
Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child

arr. Hall Johnson
Richelle Janushan, soprano
Still I Rise

Give Me Jesus
VARSITY MEN'S GLEE CLUB

arr. William Dawson (1899–1900)
Miguel Alasco, tenor
Swing Low, Sweet Chariot

arr. Bruce Trinkley (b. 1945)
Cody Stover, baritone
Do, Lord, Remember Me

Pier Lamia Porter, soprano
Ride Up in the Chariot

WOMEN'S ENSEMBLE

Susan Borwick (b. 1945)
Text by Sojourner Truth (1797–1883)
Cheyna Alexander, Je Voi Blount, Carolina Gamazo,
Carla G. Lopez, Taylor E. McCadney, Nicole Thomas

And Ain’t I a Woman!

arr. Moses Hogan
Nathan Van Arsdale, bass
Deep River

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arr. Stacey V. Gibbs (b. 1962)
Xavier Brown, baritone
Lord, If I Got My Ticket

J. Rosamond Johnson (1873–1954)
arr. Roland M. Carter (b. 1942)
Lift Every Voice and Sing

Wednesday, February 22, 2012 7:30 p.m. Dr. Arturo Rando-Grillot Recital Hall
Lee and Thomas Beam Music Center
University of Nevada, Las Vegas

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1. Concert Singers  
2. Chamber Chorale  
3. Varsity Men's Glee Club  
4. Women's Chorus  
5. Lamprophony

**UNLV CHORAL ENSEMBLES**

**UPCOMING PERFORMANCES**

**Thursday, March 8:** UNLV Varsity Men's Glee Club in a special concert with The Virginia Glee Club (University of Virginia). 7:30 p.m., Green Valley Presbyterian Church, Henderson.

**Friday, March 9:** UNLV Chamber Chorale performs at California State University, Long Beach invitational festival.

**Friday-Sunday, March 16-18:** UNLV Opera Theatre & UNLV Symphony present *Carmen* by Georges Bizet. Friday and Saturday at 7:30 p.m., Sunday at 3:00 p.m., UNLV Artemus W. Ham Concert Hall.

**Saturday, March 24:** Las Vegas Philharmonic presents Gustav Mahler *Symphony #2* in collaboration with the Las Vegas Master Singers, UNLV Concert Singers & Chamber Chorale, and Southern Nevada Musical Arts Society. 8:00 p.m. at the Smith Center for the Performing Arts.

**Friday-Wednesday, March 30-April 4:** UNLV Chamber Chorale Spring Tour (southern California).

**Sunday, April 22:** UNLV Chamber Chorale “Home Concert” featuring the Chorale's complete tour repertoire. 7:30 p.m., UNLV Beam Music Center.

**Friday, April 27:** “Grand Finale” with the Concert Singers; celebrating the respective 20th and 25th anniversaries of the Women's Chorus and Varsity Men's Glee Club. Featuring compositions by Grammy Award winning composer Eric Whitacre (UNLV Class of 1995). 7:30 p.m., UNLV Beam Music Center.
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Concert Singers, Chamber Chorale,
Varsity Men, Women’s Chorus
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“The UNLV Singers delivered a near perfect concert of sacred and secular music...The singers, conductor, accompanist and audience members all but danced in the pews.” (Concert Singers on tour in Colorado)

“...joyous singing, remarkable delicacy and poise, impressive performance, expressive fervor...” (festival adjudication by Martin Berenthal, Los Angeles Times)

“The entire performance was glorious, yet disciplined. The orchestra, soloists and choruses performed with unaffected charisma.” (Las Vegas Review-Journal - Brahms Requiem with Las Vegas Master Singers, UNLV Choirs and Las Vegas Philharmonic conducted by David Weiller)

CONCERT SEASON 2011-2012

Wednesday, October 19, 7:30 p.m.
“The Splendid, Silent Sun”

Monday, November 14, 4:00 & 7:00 p.m.
23rd Annual Madrigal & Chamber Choir Festival

Friday, December 2, 7:30 p.m.
Bach Christmas Oratorio, Part I
with UNLV Chamber Orchestra

Wednesday, February 22, 7:30 p.m.
African-American Music Celebration

Saturday, March 24, 8:00 p.m.
Mahler Symphony #2
Las Vegas Philharmonic concert series with Las Vegas Master Singers & Musical Arts Society Chorus

Friday, March 30 - Wednesday, April 4
Chamber Chorale Spring Tour
Itinerary to be announced

Sunday, April 22, 7:30 p.m.
Chamber Chorale Home Concert

Friday, April 27, 7:30 p.m.
“Grand Finale” Spring Concert

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