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Under the Direction of Richard Bales

1306th CONCERT-APRIL 15-WEST GARDEN COURT

DAVID RUBINSTEIN, Pianist

AARON (1900 -	COPLAI	ND	Piano	Variations	(1930)
LUCAS (1931 -	MASON)			rama in A	
		(First	Performar	nce)	

INTERMISSION

CHARLES IVESSonata No. 1 (1902 - 10) (1874 - 1954)

Adagio con moto - Allegro risoluto Allegro moderato, "In the Inn": Allegro Largo - Allegro - Largo Presto Andante maestoso

1307th CONCERT-APRIL 22-WEST GARDEN COURT

THE ALARD QUARTET

Joanne Zagst, First Violin

Donald Hopkins, Second Violin

Raymond Page, Viola

Leonard Feldman, Cello

Assisted by SMITH TOULSON, Clarinetist

CHARLES M. LOEFFLER Music for Four Stringed
(1861 - 1935) Instruments (1923)

Poco Adagio
Easter Sunday
Moderato

MEL POWELL Filigree Setting for String Quartet
(1923 -) (1960)

QUINCY PORTER Quintet for Clarinet and Strings
(1897 - 1966) (1929)

INTERMISSION

VINCENT PERSICHETTI......String Quartet No. 4 "Parable X" (1915 -) (1972)

Composed for The Alard Quartet

Lento Allegro Sostenuto Vivo Tranquillo

(First Washington Performance)

1308th CONCERT-APRIL 29-WEST GARDEN COURT

ALAN MANDEL, Pianist

BENJAMIN CARR
Spirito - Marseilles March - Ca Ira - Rose Tree - Oh dear what can the matter be? - The Irish washer woman - La Carmagnole - President's March - Yankee Doodle.
(First Washington Performance)
BENJAMIN LEESOdyssey (1970) (1924 -)
RICHARD BALES To Elmira With Love (1972) (1915 -)
ELMIRA BIER Row Polka Sarabande Toccata - Wor REIB ARIMLE
LOUIS M. GOTTSCHALK Souvenir de Puerto Rico (1857) (1829-69) The Last Hope (1854) The Maiden's Blush (1859?)

INTERMISSION

L'Union (1862)

The Alcotts
Thoreau (ADAH MOSELLO, Assisting Flutist)

1309th CONCERT-MAY 6-EAST GARDEN COURT

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY MEN'S CHORUS

PAUL HUME, Conductor

Fred Scott, Pianist

Assisted by

MICHAEL HUME, Tenor
PETER HUME, Guitarist

ROSS LEE FINNE	7Pilgrim Psalms (1945)
(1906 -)	From the Ainsworth Psalm Book
(published in Amsterdam 1612

Psalm XXIV: Lift up, ye gates, your heads (First Washington Performance)

Psalm CXXXVII: Jehovah's song how sing we shal?

THE TENOR SECTION

(First Washington Performance)

Psalm V: And all that hope in Thee for stay

KENT KENNAN(1913 -)	The Unknown Warrior Speaks (1944) Composed for the First American Musi- Festival at the National Gallery
JOSEPH CLOKEY(1890 - 1961)	Two Kings (1949) Text from a 16th Century Christ Church Manuscript
RANDALL THOMPSON(1899 -)	The Pasture (1959) Composed for the Townspeople of Amherst, Massachusetts, on the town' 200th Anniversary

ROBERT EVETTThe	Exile	e (1	973)	
(1922 -) Comp	posed us for	for	the	Georgetown	Men's

Soloists: MICHAEL AND PETER HUME
(First Performance)

INTERMISSION

CHARLES IVES Let There Be Light (1901) (1874 - 1954) Serenity (c. 1901)
In the first of these songs, the same notes are sung twice, the second time their values being half those heard the first time around. The familiar text of the second song comes from Whittier's long poem, "The Brewing of Soma."
JOHN LA MONTAINE
PAUL HUMEThe Good Samaritan (1971) (1915 -) Composed for the Georgetown Men
Three Favorite Hymns:
Anon I Shall Not Be Moved
BLISSLet The Lower Lights Be Burning

ARR, ALICE PARKERShall We Gather At The River?

Soloist: Peter Hume

1310th CONCERT-MAY 13-EAST GARDEN COURT

WILLIAM SKIDMORE, Cellist

Assisted by

DOROTHY SKIDMORE, Flutist EVELYN GARVEY, Pianist JAMES WEAVER, Harpsichordist

JAN BACHPartita for Flute, Harpsichord (1937 -)and Cello (1959)

> Capriccio Intermezzo Primo Aria Da Capo Intermezzo Secondo Giga

> > (First Washington Performance)

BURRILL PHILLIPSSonata for Cello and Piano (1948) (1907 -)

> Allegro Adagio

Finale: Allegro assai e vigorosamente

INTERMISSION

GREGORY KOSTECK Eclogue for Cello and Piano (1971) (1937 -)

(First Performance)

NED ROREMTrio for Flute, Cello and Piano (1923 -)(1960)

Largo misterioso - Allegro

Largo Andante Allegro molto

1311th CONCERT-MAY 20-EAST GARDEN COURT

MADISON MADRIGAL SINGERS

Robert Shafer, Director

RICHARD BALESGod's Presence, An Anthem for the 200th Anniversary of Christ Church, (1915 -)Alexandria, Virginia (1972) (First Washington Performance) FREDERICK WECKFour Choruses for Unaccompanied Voices on Texts by e. e. cummings (1939 -)(1973)Composed for this Concert "the purple finch who are you, little i never could anyone (First Performance) ROBERT PARRISWalking Around, A setting of the poem by Pablo Neruda translated (1924 -)by Robert Parris (1973) Composed for this Concert WILLIAM WRIGHT, Clarinetist HELMUT BRAUNLICH, Violinist EVELYN GARVEY, Pianist DAVED SMITH AND ALBERT MERZ, Percussionists (First Performance)

INTERMISSION

ROBERT EVETT
CHARLES IVES

1312th CONCERT-MAY 27-EAST GARDEN COURT

NATIONAL GALLERY ORCHESTRA

Richard Bales, Conductor

Men and Mountains (1936)

CARL BUCCLES

(1876 - 1971)	J (1995)
,	: A Rhapsodic Proclamation
Lila	_
Mar	ching Mountains
	(First Washington Performance)
DAVID DIAMOI (1915 -)	NDThe World of Paul Klee (1957)
Fran	ne
The	Dance of the Grieving Child
Fran	ne
The	Black Prince
Fran	ne
Past	orale
Fran	ne
The	Twittering Machine
	(First Washington Performance)
ALAN HOVHAN (1911 -)	TESSOde to the Temple of Sound, Opus 216 (1966)
	(First Washington Performance)

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NATIONAL GALLERY ORCHESTRA Richard Bales, Conductor

Violins: Bass Clarinet: Mark Ellsworth Herman Olefsky Nancy Ellsworth Bassoons: Dino Cortese Donald Charnock **Judith Parkinson** Richard Seidler Isadore Glazer Patricia Cochran Contra-Bassoon: Benjamin Ritter Cynthia Marlowe Ralph Burge Eugene Drever Horns: Maurice Myers Orrin Olson Elliot Siegel Samuel Ramsay Iane Flowers George Randall Albert Pargament Olivia Marcellus Lawrence Wallace Ronald Friedman Violas: Carolyn Tate Leon Feldman Trumpets: Donna Feldman Chester Petranek Richard Smith Grace Powell Morton Gutoff Edward Cooper Cellos: Tack Johnson Robert Newkirk Trombones: Benjamin Levenson Edward Kiehl Iean Robbins Donald King Helen Coffman David Summers Basses: Tuba: Joseph Willens John Ricketts Warren Brown Flutes: Timpani: William Montgomery Douglas Iones William Fuhrman Percussion: Priscilla Fritter Ronald Barnett Oboes: Albert Merz Gene Montooth Tommy Wardlow Michelle Foley **James Stutsman** English Horn: Harps: Jeanne Chalifoux John Marvin

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