



Rutland Choral Society

Registered Charity Number 500672

Summer Medley



Caroline Trutz *conductor*
Keith Hannis *accompanist*
Donna Bateman *soprano*
David Graham *saxophone*

Friday 8 July 7:30pm
All Saints' Church Oakham

*** PROGRAMME ***

- The King and I** Words: Oscar Hammerstein II (1895-1960)
(A Choral Selection) Music: Richard Rodgers (1902-1979)
- Quando m'en vo** from *La Boheme* Giacomo Puccini (1858-1924)
Donna Bateman (soprano)
- He's got the Whle World in His Hands**
Spiritual, arr Margaret Bonds (1913-1972)
Donna Bateman (soprano)
- What a Wonderful World** from *Good Morning Vietnam*
George David Weiss (1921-2010) & Bob Thiele (1922-1996), arr Mark A Brymer
- The Blue Bird** (Op 119 No 3) Words: Mary E Coleridge (1861-1907)
Music: Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)
with Caroline Trutz (soprano) Kevin Slingsby (conductor)
- The Long Day Closes** Words: Henry F Chorley (1808-1872)
Chamber Choir Music: Arthur Sullivan (1842-1900)
- She Moved Through the Fair** (Our Wedding Day) trad Irish
Chamber Choir
- And So It Goes** Billy Joel (b 1949), arr Bob Chilcott (b 1955)
Chamber Choir
- La Vergine degli angeli** Giuseppe Verdi (1813-1901)
from La Forza del Destino
with Donna Bateman (sopranos)
- Down in the River to Pray** trad American
with Sarah Pointon & Susannah Johnston (sopranos)
- Aria** Eugène Buzza (1905-1991)
David Graham (saxophone)

Let the River Run

Carly Simon (b 1945), arr Wendy Sergeant

Do You Hear The People Sing *from Les Miserables*

Words: Herbert Kretzmer (b 1925), from original text by Alain Boubil (b 1941)
& Jean-Marc Natel (b 1942)

Music: Claude-Michel Schönberg (b 1944), arr Ed Lojeski

Nella Fantasia (In My Fantasy)
with David Graham (saxophone)

Words: Chiara Ferrau
Music: Ennio Morricone (b 1928)

Please join us after the concert for a glass of Pimms and refreshments

I see trees of green, red roses too,
I see them bloom for me and you,
and I think to myself, what a wonderful world.

I see skies of blue and clouds of white,
the bright blessed day, the dark sacred night,
and I think to myself what a wonderful world.

The colors of the rainbow, so pretty in the sky,
are also on the faces of people going by,
I see friends shaking hands, saying "How do you do!"
They're really saying "I love you."

I hear babies cry, I watch them grow,
they'll learn much more than I'll ever know,
and I think to myself what a wonderful world.
Yes, I think to myself what a wonderful world.

Derbyshire, Leicestershire & Rutland Air Ambulance

Rutland Choral Society has adopted the Derbyshire, Leicestershire & Rutland Air Ambulance as its charity this year, and invites you to support them this evening.

Locally, the service flies two regional air ambulances, across the counties of Warwickshire, Northamptonshire, Derbyshire, Leicestershire & Rutland. These two helicopters provide a rapid response to trauma and medical emergencies, often meaning the difference between life and death, over an area of 3850 square miles covering many of the UK's major road networks including the M1, M6, M69 and M42. With an average response of just 13 minutes, between them they attend on average 6 missions a day.

You may well have seen them in the skies above you. They have saved thousands of lives in our community, and need our help to save thousands more. Their lifesaving missions are funded by donations – they do not receive any government funding.

You are invited to make a donation to the Air Ambulance this evening, and we hope that you will feel able to give generously using the collecting buckets as you leave.

The **Rutland Choral Society** rehearses on Monday evenings (7:30-9:00pm) in the Hall at the Methodist Church in Northgate, Oakham. New members are always welcome - please speak to a member of the choir, or contact Sheila Kitcheman on 01572 720331, or just come along on a Monday night. The autumn term starts next Monday, 5 September.

Our concert next term is on **Saturday 10 December** at **All Saints Oakham**.

With grateful thanks to the All Saints Concert Society for their help in promoting tonight's concert, and to the Vicar and Churchwardens of All Saints' Church for their welcome and use of the church.

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