



Toronto children's chorus  
*Zie diea Pokar, Artista Eborica*

# True Colours: LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE!

GEORGE WESTON RECITAL HALL  
SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2024 | 3:00 PM



# Concert Program

## WELCOME MESSAGE & LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Charlotte Burrage, Executive Director | Naomi Angelo, Coro chorister

### CHAMBER CHOIR

Velkomne med aera<sup>T</sup>

Geirr Tveitt, arr. Linn Andrea  
Fuglseth

Isla Shapiro, soloist

Salve Regina<sup>T</sup>

Jude B. Roldan

Zimfira Poloz, conductor | Dakota Scott-Digout, collaborative pianist

### SPIRITO

Butterflies

Lillian Smith

Eletelephony

Udo Kasemets\*

Meredith Wanstall, conductor | Nicholas Wanstall, collaborative pianist

## A MESSAGE FROM LILY CHENG

Toronto City Councillor, Ward 18 Willowdale

### SPIRITO, PASIO, & KINDERNOTES

Horses

Clifford Crawley\*

Judith Bean, conductor | Gergely Szokolay, collaborative pianist

### PASIO

Wind on the Hill

Victoria Ebel-Sabo

Annie Yan, flute

The Tiger

Peter Jenkyns

Judith Bean, conductor | Gergely Szokolay, collaborative pianist

### ANIMA

L'été (Through the Eyes of Children)<sup>T</sup>

Ruth Watson Henderson\*

Kokoleoko

Liberian folk song, arr.

George L.O. Strid

Nila Rajagopal, conductor | Nicholas Wanstall, collaborative pianist

### ANIMA & CORO

Donkey Riding

Canadian folk song,

arr. Tom Bell\*

Nila Rajagopal, conductor | Nicholas Wanstall, collaborative pianist

### CORO

Shining Moon (Ngam Sun Duan)

Thai folk song,

arr. Audrey Snyder

Blue Skies

Irving Berlin, arr. Roger  
Emerson

Zimfira Poloz, conductor | Sheldon Rose, collaborative pianist

CORO, CANTARE, & CHOREALIS

Elefantea Nun Da<sup>†</sup>

Alberto Grau

Kelsey Taylor, conductor | Terri Wu, collaborative pianist

CANTARE & CHOREALIS

Fly!

Tracy Wong\*

It Don't Mean a Thing

Duke Ellington, arr. Mac Huff

(If It Ain't Got That Swing)

Kelsey Taylor, conductor | Terri Wu, collaborative pianist

INTERMISSION - 20 MINUTES

CHAMBER

Elements

Katerina Gimon\*

1. Earth

Zoë Earle & Liepa Spakauskas, soloists

2. Air

3. Fire

Wie Will Ich Mich Freuen<sup>†</sup> (Cantata No. 146)

Johann Sebastian Bach

Ta Na Solbici<sup>†</sup>

Samo Vovk

Zimfira Poloz, conductor | Dakota Scott-Digout, collaborative pianist

CHAMBER & CHOREALIS

True Colors

Tom Kelly & Billy Steinberg,  
arr. Sheldon Rose\*

Lauren Lee, soloist

Michael Denomme, conductor | Dakota Scott-Digout, collaborative pianist

MAIN CHOIR (CHAMBER, CANTARE, & CHOREALIS)

Nigra Sum<sup>†</sup>

Pablo Casals

Zimfira Poloz, conductor | Dakota Scott-Digout, collaborative pianist

ALL CHOIRS

Song for Canada

Paul Halley\*

Zimfira Poloz, conductor | Dakota Scott-Digout, collaborative pianist

<sup>†</sup> Translation/Note Provided

\* Canadian Composer