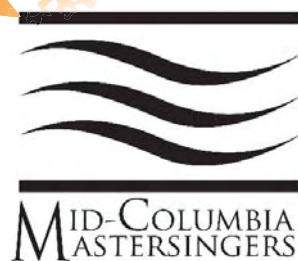


**MID-COLUMBIA MASTERSINGERS
PRESENT**

A BIG BAND CHRISTMAS



JUSTIN RAFFA, ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

**FEATURING
THE COLUMBIA BASIN JAZZ ORCHESTRA
AND DIRECTOR RANDY HUBBS**

2010-2011 SEASON

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**FRIDAY DECEMBER 17, 7:00 PM
HANFORD HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, RICHLAND**

**SATURDAY DECEMBER 18, 7:00 PM
CHIAWANA HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, PASCO**

PROGRAM

Betelehemu (Nigerian Christmas Song)

Via Olatunji and Wendell Whalum
Arr. Barrington Brooks

We are glad that we have a Father to trust. Where was Jesus born?
Bethlehem, the city of wonder. Thanks and praise be to Him!

Mid-Columbia Mastersingers
Christopher Cree, Ryan Hubbs, Carri Rose - percussionists

In The Mood

Joe Garland, arr. Jeff Tyzik

Film Noir Part 1

Chris Walden

Shiny Stockings

Frank Foster

Try Harder

Chris Walden

A Time For Love

Johnny Mandel & P. F. Weber, arr. Hank Levy

Mack The Knife

Kurt Weill, arr. Sammy Nestico

Winter Games

Chris Walden

Columbia Basin Jazz Orchestra

INTERMISSION

A Christmas Cantata (2002)

Nils Lindberg

Part 1 - Introduction

Part 2 - *The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light*

Part 3 - *Now the birth of Jesus Christ was on this wise*

Part 4 - *Ding dong! Merrily on high*

Part 5 - *And it came to pass in those days*

Part 6 - *Sussex Carol*

Part 7 - *And there were in that same country shepherds*

Part 8 - *Sing, O sing*

Part 9 - *Mary's thoughts*

Part 10 - *God rest you merry, gentlemen*

Part 11 - *Now when Jesus was born, behold, there came wise men from the east*

Part 12 - *Deck the hall*

Part 13 - *In the beginning was the Word*

Part 14 - *Finale: A merry Christmas*

Carisa Simpson, soprano
Jeremy Irland, baritone
Mid-Columbia Mastersingers
Columbia Basin Jazz Orchestra

Please silence cell phones and hold applause until all movements of a work have concluded.
Today's performance is being recorded. We appreciate your consideration!

PERFORMERS

DIRECTOR

Randy Hubbs

SOPRANO

Nitza Brooks
Mary Dann
Julie Heegel
Molly Holleran*
Mitzi Lundberg
Jeanette Mendell
Rebekah Norman
Roni Rumsey
Maxine Townson
Ashley Walters

SOPRANO SOLOIST

Carisa Simpson

BARITONE SOLOIST

Jeremy Irland,

FLUTE

Lorene Freidig

FRENCH HORN

Sean Brown

ALTO

Nancy Barr*
Dana Dupont
Lisa Hill
Chrissy Maldonado
Kathy Payne
Kim Robison
Elizabeth Roddy
Tara Swanson
Kristin Swisher
Laurie Trescott

SAXOPHONE

Ben Knox - Alto
Andy Evens - Alto
Greg Miner- Tenor
Keith Russell - Tenor
Lori Lydeen - Baritone

TRUMPET

John Ladines
Troy Lydeen
John Nelson
Brett Steinert

TENOR

Paul Dann
David Haglin
Gary Jewell
Ron Johnson
Jairo Maldonado
Ted Miller
Matthew Monroe*
Sam Purvine

TROMBONE

Rich Carterby
Chet Dennis
Phillip Simpson
Bob Swoboda

RHYTHM SECTION

Bill McKay - Piano
Juan Hernandez - Bass
Scott Merrin - Bass
Doug Rice - Guitar
Derek Munson - Drums
Ryan Hubbs - Percussion

BASS

Mark Barton
Dick Gordon
Joseph Haws
Robbie Heegel
Joe Lloyd
Greg Rose
William Talbot
Reginald Unterseher*
Bob Watrous

SOUND

Dave Cazier

LIGHTS

Ronn Campbell

**section leaders*

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

Justin Raffa

REHEARSAL ACCOMPANIST

Sheila Gephart

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