Old American Songs

Reed Collegium Musicum, Chorus, & Orchestra

Sunday 2 December 2012, 7:30 p.m. Kaul Auditorium

Sweet Morning from The Original Sacred Harp

Melancholy Day

verses 1 & 2 Original Sacred Harp verse 3 arr. Virgil Thomson (1896-1989)

Green Fields

verses 1 & 2 verses 3 & 4

Original Sacred Harp arr. Thomson

Two Chanties arr. Conrad Susa (b. 1935)

Shenandoah Blood Red Roses

The Birds' Courting Song arr. Roy Harris (1898-1979)

Work Song arr. Harris

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arr. Aaron Copland (1900-1990)

First Set:

- 1. The Boatmen's Dance (Minstrel Song) solo: Shawn Geller
- 2. The Dodger (Campaign Song)
- 3. Long Time Ago (Ballad)
- 4. Simple Gifts (Shaker Song)
- 5. I Bought Me a Cat (Children's Song)

Second Set:

- 1. The Little Horses (Lullaby)
- 2. Zion's Walls (Revivalist Song)
- 3. The Golden Willow Tree

(Anglo-American Ballad)

- 4. At the River (Hymn Tune)
- 5. Ching-a-ring Chaw (Minstrel Song)

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