

RiverBells

SACRAMENTO

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a community handbell ensemble

Paul W. Allen, Music Director

Presents

“Bells Swing”

Friday, April 4, 2014

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

1701 “L” Street, Sacramento, CA

7:00pm

NOW THE GREEN BLADE RISETH

(Sing We Now of Christmas)

French carol

arr. Kevin McChesney (1997)

LORD OF THE DANCE

Shaker tune: *Simple Gifts*, Elder Joseph Brackett, Jr. (1848)

adapt. Sydney Carter (1967)

arr. Kevin McChesney (2000)

BLUES IN THE NIGHT (My Mama Done Tol' Me)

Harold Arlen (1941)

arr. Paul W. Allen (2013)

AVE MARIA

Franz Schubert (1825)

arr. William H. Griffin (1989)

JennyMay Moore, *Soprano*

THE KING OF GLORY

Israeli folk melody, *The Hora*

arr. Jeffrey Honoré (1995)

Becky Buckingham, *Tambourine* Angie Barbosa, *Triangle*

MOONLIGHT SERENADE

music, Glenn Miller (1939)

arr. Paul W. Allen (2007)

Sandi Walker-Tansley, *Flute*

DON'T GET AROUND MUCH ANYMORE

music, Duke Ellington (1942)

arr. Paul W. Allen (2008)

HIT THE ROAD TO DREAMLAND

from the Paramount Picture, *Star Spangled Rhythm*

music, Harold Arlen (1942)

arr. Paul W. Allen (2013)

•INTERMISSION•

(10 minutes)

NOW ALL THE VAULT OF HEAVEN RESOUNDS

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

(All Creatures of Our God and King)

Geistliche Kirchengesäng, Cologne (1623)

arr. Cathy Moglebust (2013)

BY THE LAKESIDE

Michael Helman (1997)

IT'S ONLY A PAPER MOON	<i>music</i> , Harold Arlen (1933) arr. Paul W. Allen (2003)
THAT OLD BLACK MAGIC	from the Paramount Picture, <i>Star Spangled Rhythm music</i> , Harold Arlen (1942) arr. Paul W. Allen (2003)
SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY	Bud Green, Les Brown, and Ben Homer (1944) arr. Paul W. Allen (2011)
I'VE GOT A GAL IN KALAMAZOO	<i>music</i> , Harry Warren (1942) arr. Paul W. Allen (2004)
GRAZIOSO	Arnold B. Sherman (2000)
MISSISSIPPI MUD	James Cavanaugh and Harry Barris (1927) arr. Valerie Stephenson (1998)
LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH	Sy Miller and Jill Jackson (1955) arr. Cynthia Dobrinski (1983)

The Ringers

Angie Barbosa Becky Buckingham Sue Clement
 Susan Coddington-Allen Cheryl Crane Stephanie Gibbs
 John Harrison September Hope JennyMay Moore LuAnn Radford
 Mercedes Riggelman Crystal Skinner Sandi Walker-Tansley Sharon Wonder
 With *B.J. Cassaveh*

- RiverBells SACRAMENTO Ensemble coordinated by September Hope•
- Rehearsal and storage provided by James Rutter Middle School, Sacramento•
- RiverBells SACRAMENTO cargo trailer donated by Daniel and Mercedes Riggelman•
- Table covers and RiverBells SACRAMENTO logo stitched by Elisabeth Walkin•

We are very grateful for your attention during tonight's performance. This is our *first* visit here, and we hope to return. We thank Steve Johnson, Patricia Miguel, the administration, membership and friends of St. John's Lutheran Church for making us feel welcomed. This is a free concert. However your donation tonight will benefit the *St. John's Shelter for Women and Children*. A contribution of \$5 per person would be considered appropriate.

RiverBells SACRAMENTO is an independent adult consort of handbell experiences and experiments (a CA non-profit and tax-exempt corporation). We are an open choir. If you ring and would like to apply for membership, call (916) 397-2923 or (916) 397-8727 or e-mail us at musicallen@comcast.net and we will set up an audition for you. If you *don't* ring but would like to learn, we will be glad to commence a beginner's class. Please visit our Hospitality Table at the rear of the hall; you'll find a brochure to take with you, an opportunity to join our mailing list, and our two CDs on sale -- \$15 each or two for \$25.

Our mission – to perform original music composed idiomatically for the English handbell choir, *and* to feature swing (Big Band) sounds on this unique percussion instrument – we hope lifts up, thrills, and challenges ringers and audiences. Fill out the tri-folded, color brochure if you'd like to be on our mailing list; take the stub as a record of your visit with us. If you want to initiate a contract for a performance at nearly any location, contact our concert liaison **September Hope** at (916) 968-5451 or sassyember@gmail.com or through the RiverBells SACRAMENTO website. We perform **Wednesday, April 30** at JB's Lounge in the Clarion Inn at 7:00pm, as well as **Wednesday, May 21** in the Multi-Purpose Room at James Rutter Middle School, Sacramento, at 7:00pm. All of these are free concerts.