



MESSIAH

Fall Concert

Nov. 18, 2012

By George Frideric Handel

1. Sinfony (Overture)
2. Comfort ye my people (tenor)
3. Ev'ry valley shall be exalted (tenor)
4. And the glory of the Lord (**chorus**)
5. Thus saith the Lord of hosts (bass)
- 6a. But who may abide the day of His coming (bass)
7. And he shall purify the sons of Levi (**chorus**)
8. Behold, a virgin shall conceive (alto)
9. O thou that tellest good tidings to Zion (alto and **chorus**)
12. For unto us a child is born (**chorus**)
13. Pifa ("pastoral symphony")
- 14a. There were shepherds abiding in the fields (soprano)
- 14b. And lo, the angel of the Lord (soprano)
15. And the angel said unto them (soprano)
16. And suddenly there was with the angel (soprano)
17. Glory to God in the highest (**chorus**)
18. Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion (soprano)
21. His yoke is easy (**chorus**)

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24. Surely he hath borne our griefs and carried our sorrows (**chorus**)
25. And with his stripes we are healed (**chorus**)
26. All we, like sheep, have gone astray (**chorus**)
27. All they that see him laugh him to scorn (tenor)
28. He trusted in God that he would deliver him (**chorus**)
29. Thy rebuke hath broken his heart (tenor)
30. Behold and see if there be any sorrow (tenor)
31. He was cut off out of the land of the living (soprano)
32. But thou didst not leave his soul in hell (soprano)
33. Lift up your heads, O ye gates (**chorus**)
38. How beautiful are the feet (soprano)
39. Their sound is gone out (**chorus**)
40. Why do the nations so furiously rage together (bass)
41. Let us break their bonds asunder (**chorus**)
42. He that dwelleth in heaven (tenor)
43. Thou shalt break them with a rod of iron (tenor)
44. Hallelujah, for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth (**chorus**)