

TCU  
SCHOOL OF MUSIC  
Texas Christian University

Presents

# **Mid-Winter Choral Concert**

Featuring

**TCU Cantiamo**

&

**TCU University Singers**

Dr. Sheri Neill, Conductor  
Sarah Allen, Assistant Conductor (Cantiamo)  
Dr. Christopher Aspaas, Guest Conductor  
Junyoung Hwang, Collaborative Pianist  
Mei Li, Collaborative Pianist

Saturday, March 6, 2021  
7:00 PM  
Recordings  
Robert Carr Chapel  
Ed Landreth Auditorium

# Program

## *TCU Cantiamo*

*How Can I Keep From Singing*.....Arranged by Robert Hugh  
Faith Adams, Solo  
Alysa Lewis & Courtney Parnitke  
Duet

*Lux Aeterna*.....Z. Randall Stroope  
Sarah Allen, Conductor

*Mouth Music* (Celtic Folk music tradition) .....Delores Keane/John Faulkner.  
Junyoung Hwang, Hand Drum

## *TCU University Singers*

*Music of Living*.....Dan Forrest  
Dr. Christopher Aspaas, Guest Conductor

*My Spirit is Uncaged*.....Paul Rardin  
Bel Canto Chamber Choir

*My Spirit Sang All Day*.....Gerald Finzi  
Hermoso Canto Chamber Choir

*Muie Rendera* (Brazil).....C. A. Pinto Fonseca  
Hermoso Canto Chamber Choir

*Lua, Lua, Lua* (Brazil).....Esther Scliar  
Bel Canto Chamber Choir

## *TCU University Singers*

*Dubula* (Traditional Xhoshan Folk Song).....Arranged by Stephen Hatfield  
Andy Stellar, Djembe  
Dr. Christopher Aspaas, Guest Conductor

## ***TCU Cantiamo***

Faith Adams  
Sarah Allen  
Catherine Anderson  
Jasmine Anderson  
Madeline Blair  
Alicia Cruz  
Jackie Cuesta

Naomi Henn  
Rose Hoang  
Sarah Jennings  
Klark Johnson  
Natasha Kataw  
Briana Kuhn  
Alyssa Lewis  
Tyler Morris

Lotta Mushkatblat  
Courtney Parnitke  
Gabriella Perkins  
Madelyn Peterson  
Johanna Quigley  
Ariel Wallace  
Carolyn Watkins

## ***TCU University Singers***

Catherine Anderson  
Amber Bowen  
Landon Bradley  
Jordan Brinkschroeder  
\*\*Rachel Brookover  
\*\*Jacob Brown  
Kayden Burns  
\*\*Sarah Clark  
Isaak Crum  
Alicia Cruz  
Javen Delance  
Victor Doan  
\*Kalina Fajardo  
Olivia Garza  
Nathan Gepanaga  
Madilynn Gomez

\*\*Josh Hauptert  
Rachel Heiser  
Klark Johnson  
Jackson Keece  
Alyssa Lewis  
Peyton Macha  
Isaak McGuire  
Alan Montes  
Anna Morgan  
Nam Nguyen  
Tristan Olvedo  
\*\*Sydney Palomo  
Courtney Parnitke  
Amanda Peterson

\*\*Emily Platon  
David Preston  
\*\*Rachel Rowe  
Ryan Sawicki  
\*\*Abbey Sensenich  
Tristen Smith  
\*\*Andy Stellar  
Sam Taylor  
Raul Valencia  
Wesley Vaughn  
Carmen Vermillion  
Patrick Vu  
Andrew Walters  
\*\*Maggie Williams  
\*\*Sarah Zimmerman

\*\*COA (Choral Organization Administration) Class – This junior vocal music education class is extraordinary and worked on sectionals, warm-ups and concert coordination. A heartfelt thank you to each of them!

## **Program Notes and Translation**

### ***Lux Aeterna***

Lux aeterna luceat eis, Domine, cum sanctis tuis in aeternum, quia pius es.

Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine; et lux perpetua luceat eis

May everlasting light shine upon them O Lord, with Thy saints in eternity, for Thou are merciful. Grant them eternal rest, O Lord, and may everlasting light shine upon them.

### ***Muie Rendera***

Olê, muié rendêra,  
Olê, muié rendêra,  
Tu me ensina a faze rendá  
Que eu te Ensino a namorá.  
Virgulino é Lampeão.  
É Lampa, é Lampa, é Lampa,  
É Lampeão.  
O seu nome é Virgulino,  
O apelido é Lampeão.

Hey, lacemaker woman,  
hey, lacemaker woman,  
if you teach me how to weave,  
I'll teach you how to court.  
Virgulino is Lampeão.  
He is Lampa, Lampa, Lampa,  
He is Lampeão.  
His name is Virgulino,  
His nickname is Lampeão.

### ***Lua, Lua, Lua***

Lua, lua, lua  
Lua de janeiro  
Botão de laranjal,  
Flor de limoeiro.  
Lua, lua, vaquinha de prata.  
Lua, lua, lua,  
brilhando lá no céu,  
brincando co'as estrelas  
andando ao léu.

Moon, moon, moon  
moon of January,  
orange-blossom,  
Flower of the lemon tree.  
Moon, moon, little silver cow.  
Moon, moon, moon,  
shining in the sky,  
playing with the stars,  
Walking aimlessly.

### ***Dubula***

Shoot the bear.

## **University Singers**

This ensemble was divided into two chamber choirs – Hermoso Canto and Bel Canto (translated means – beautiful singing in Spanish and Italian).

Each choir sing songs of the human spirit and folk songs from Brazil.

The combined songs – *Music of Living* and *Dubula* were guest conducted by Dr. Christopher Aspaas, TCU Director of Choral Activities.

*Music of Living* refers to the Creator of life, music, and dance and how we strive to know how to sing and dance to His music.

*Dubula* literally means shoot the bear. There are several ideas about this song. Critics of the song indicate that it celebrates violence against the white South Africans, however persons who support the song have said it is a liberation song that speaks to an important part of South Africa's history. "The cowards are scared and mother leave me be – shoot the bear."

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**Cantiamo and University Singers** for their continued dedication to choral artistry!