

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Presents in Senior Recital

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Mezzo-Soprano

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Piano

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HIGH FOUNDATION RECITAL HALL

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Program

Ridente la calma
Un moto di gioia (Le Nozze di Figaro)
Voi che sapete (Le Nozze di Figaro)
Das Veilchen
Warum willst du and're fragen?
Liebst du um Schönheit
How Could I Ever Know? (The Secret Garden)Lucy Simon and Marsha Norman (1940-2022/b. 1947) Josiah Provan
Intermission
Kind of Woman (<i>Pippin</i>)Stephen Schwartz
(b. 1948)
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Translations

Ridente la calma

May a happy calm arise in my soul And may neither a bit of anger nor fear survive in it.

In the meantime you are coming, my beloved, to grasp Those sweet chains that make my heart so grateful.

Un moto di gioia

An emotion of joy I feel in my heart That says happiness is coming In spite of my fears. Let us hope that the worry Will end in contentment. Fate and love are Not always tyrants. From weeping, from pain One cannot always live. Sometimes then is born A good thing out of sorrow. And when one believes The danger is greatest, One sees shining A greater calm.

Voi che sapete

You know what love is, Women, see whether it's in my heart. What I am experiencing I will tell you,

It is new to me and I do not understand it.

I have a feeling full of desire, That now, is both pleasure and suffering.

At first frost, then I feel the soul burning,

And in a moment I'm freezing again.

Seek a blessing outside myself, I do not know how to hold it, I do not know what it is.

I sigh and moan without meaning to,

Throb and tremble without knowing,
I find no peace both night or day,
But even still, I like to languish.
You know what love is,
Women, see whether it's in my heart.

Das Veilchen

A violet in the meadow stood, Stooped in itself and unknown. It was a dear and sweet violet.

Then came a young shepherdess With light steps and a cheerful sense.

Therefore, across the meadow sang. Ah! Thinks the violet, were I only

The most beautiful flower in nature. Ah, only for a little time.

Until that lovely one picks me And presses me flat to her breast, For just a quarter hour long!

Ah! But alas! The maiden came And no heed to the violet paid, Crushed the poor little violet.

It sank and died but was happy still: And though I die, I shall have died Through her and at her feet yet. The poor violet! It was a dear, sweet violet!

Warum willst du and're fragen?

Why ask of others,
Who are not faithful to you?
Only believe what these two eyes
Here tell you!
Do not believe what others says;
Do not believe strange fancies;
Nor should you interpret my deeds,
But instead look at these eyes!
Are my lips silent to your questions
Or do they testify against me?
Whatever my lips might say;
Look at my eyes; I love you!

Liebst du um Schönheit

If you love for beauty,
O love not me!
Love the sun,
She has golden hair!
If you love for youth,
O love not me!
Love the spring
Who is young each year!
If you love for riches,
O love me not!

Love the mermaid Who has many shining pearls! If you love for love, Oh yes, love me! Love me always; I shall love you forever!