

CANBY HIGH SCHOOL WINTER CHORAL CONCERT, Dec. 18, 2024

BELLA VOCE

Siyahamba – song from South Africa

Siyahamba, ekukanyen' kwenkos',(x4)
Siyahamba, siyahamba, oh,
Siyahamba ekukanyen' kwenkos'. (x2)
*(Pronounced: Si ya ham ba ku kan yen
kwen kos)*

We are marching in the light of God.(x4)
We are marching, we are marching, ooh,
We are marching in the light of God. (x2)

O Come Emanuel – medieval chant

1. O come, O come, Emmanuel,
And ransom captive Israel,
That mourns in lonely exile here
Until the Son of God appear.

[Refrain] Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
shall come to thee, O Israel.

2. O come, Thou Rod of Jesse, free
Thine own from Satan's tyranny;
From depths of hell Thy people save,
And give them victory over the grave.

[Refrain]

3. O come, Thou Wisdom from on high
And order all things, far and nigh
To us the path of knowledge show
And cause us in her ways to go.

[Refrain]

4. O come, Desire of nations, bind
In one the hearts of all mankind;
Bid all our sad divisions cease,
And be Thyself our King of Peace.

[Refrain]

Tatkovina – Macedonian folksong

Mi podari proletta sonce . . .

Translation:

The spring gave me the sun.
A gentle smile is what I gave in return,
And now in this heart of mine
Gentle love is glowing.
O, Fatherland . . .you are my love.

Carol of the Bells – Ukrainian carol

Hark! How the bells, sweet silver bells
All seem to say, "Throw cares away"
Christmas is here, bringing good cheer
To young and old, meek and the bold
Ding, dong, ding, dong, that is their song
With joyful ring, all caroling
One seems to hear, words of good cheer
From everywhere, filling the air
Oh, how they pound, raising the sound
O'er hill and dale, telling their tale
Gaily they ring, while people sing
Songs of good cheer, Christmas is here
Merry, merry, merry, merry Christmas
Merry, merry, merry, merry Christmas
On-on they send, on without end
Their joyful tone to every home. . .

Homeward Bound

In the quiet misty morning
When the moon has gone to bed,
When the sparrows stop their singing
And the sky is clear and red,
 When the summer's ceased its gleaming
When the corn is past its prime,
When adventure's lost its meaning -
I'll be homeward bound in time
 Bind me not to the pasture
Chain me not to the plow
Set me free to find my calling
And I'll return to you somehow
 If you find it's me you're missing
If you're hoping I'll return,
To your thoughts I'll soon be listening,
And in the road I'll stop and turn
 Then the wind will set me racing
As my journey nears its end
And the path I'll be retracing
When I'm homeward bound again
 Bind me not to the pasture
Chain me not to the plow
Set me free to find my calling
And I'll return to you somehow
 In the quiet misty morning
When the moon has gone to bed,
When the sparrows stop their singing
I'll be homeward bound again.

CONTRA VOCE

Sailor Ain't a Sailor – Shanty

1. My father often told me
when I was just a lad
A sailor's life was very hard,
the food was always bad
But now I've joined the navy
aboard a man-o-war
And now I find a sailor ain't a
sailor any more

{Chorus}

Don't haul on the ropes,
don't climb up the mast
If you see a sailing ship it
might be your last
Get your civvies ready for
another round ashore
A sailor ain't a sailor, ain't a
sailor any more.

2. The killick of our mess
he says we've got it soft
It wasn't like this in his day
when he was up aloft
We like our bunks and sleeping bags,
but what's a hammock for?
Swinging from the deckhead,
or lying on the floor?

{Chorus}

3. They gave us an engine
that first went up and down
With some new technology
the engine went around
We're good with steam and diesel,
but what's a mainyard for?
A stoker ain't a stoker
with a shovel anymore

{Chorus}

4. They gave us an Aldiss lamp
so we could do it right
They gave us a radio to signal
day and night
We know our codes and ciphers,
but what's a semaphore?
A bunting-tosser doesn't toss

the bunting anymore.

{Chorus}

5. Well, two pints of ale a day
and that's your bleeding lot
They gave us another one
because we swabbed the top
So get on your civvy clothes,
we'll find a pub ashore
A sailor's still a sailor
just like he was before.

{Chorus 2x}

Steal Away

Chorus: Steal away, steal away,
Steal away to Jesus!
Steal away, steal away home,
I ain't got long to stay here.

1. My Lord, He calls me,
He calls me by the thunder;
The trumpet sounds within my soul,
I ain't got long to stay here.

Chorus:

2. My Lord, He calls me,
He calls me by the lightning;
The trumpet sounds within my soul,
I ain't got long to stay here.

Chorus:

3. Green trees are bending;
poor sinners stand a trembling.
The trumpet sounds within my soul;
I ain't got long to stay here.

Chorus: (x2)

Loch Lomond – Scottish song

[Verse 1] By yon bonnie banks and by
yon bonnie braes
Where the sun shines bright on Loch
Lomond
Where we two have passed so many
blithesome days
On the bonnie, bonnie banks of Loch
Lomond

[Chorus]

O you'll take the high road and
I'll take the low road

And I'll be in Scotland afore ye
But me and my true love
will never meet again
On the bonnie, bonnie banks
of Loch Lomond
[Verse 2] I mind where we parted
on yon shady glen
On the steep, steep side o' Ben Lomond
Where in purple hue,
the Heiland hills we view
And the moon shinin' out from the
gloamin'

[Chorus]

[Verse 3] The wee bird may sing and the
wild flowers spring
And in sunshine the waters are sleeping:
The broken heart will ken nae second
spring again
And the world does not know how we're
grievin'.

Until I die, die, die (x10) . . .

Riu Riu Chiu – medieval Spanish carol

Chorus: Riu, riu, chiu

la guarda ribera / River bank protected
Dios guardó el lobo / God has kept wolf
de nuestra cordera / from the lamb
Dios guardó el lobo / God has kept wolf
de nuestra cordera. / from the lamb

1. El lobo rabioso / The rabid wolf
la quiso morder / wanted to bite her
Mas Dios Poderoso / but Almighty God
la supo defender / knew how to defend
Quizo la hacer que / willed to make her
no pudiese pecar / unable to sin
Ni aun original / even original sin
esta virgen no tuviera./ this virgin no have

Chorus: Riu, riu, chiu...

2. Este que es nascido/One who's born
es El Gran Monarca / is Great Monarch
Cristo Patriarca / Christ the Patriarch
de carne vestido / clothed in flesh
Ha nos redimido / he redeemed us
con se hacer chiquito / making self small
Aunque era infinito /infinite became finite
finito se hiciera. **Chorus:** Riu, riu, chiu ...

CANTALINAS

Mary did you Know - Pentatonix

1. Mary did you know that your baby boy
would one day walk on water?

*Mary did you know that your baby boy
would save our sons and daughters?*

Did you know that your baby boy
has come to make you new?

*This child that you delivered,
will soon deliver you.*

2. Mary did you know that your baby boy
would give sight to a blind man?

*Mary did you know that your baby boy
would calm the storm with his hand?*

Did you know that your baby boy
has walked where angels trod?

*When you kiss your little baby,
you kiss the face of God.*

[Interlude]

Mary, did you know (Mary, did you know)

Mary, did you know (Did you know) (x3)

[Bridge:] The blind will see,
the deaf will hear, the dead will live again
The lame will leap, the dumb will speak,
the praises of the lamb.

3. Mary did you know that your baby boy
is Lord of all creation?

Mary did you know that your baby boy
would one day rule the nations?

*Did you know that your baby boy is
heaven's perfect Lamb?*

That sleeping child you're holding
is the great I am.

A CHRISTMAS CAROL, Charles Ives

Little star of Bethlehem!

Do we see Thee now?

Do we see Thee shining

O'er the tall trees?

Little Child of Bethlehem!

Do we hear thee in our hearts?

Hear the Angels singing:

Peace on earth, good will to men!

Noel!

O'er the cradle of a King,

Hear the Angels sing:

In Excelsis Gloria, Gloria!
From his Father's home on high,
Lo! for us He came to die;
Hear the Angels sing:
Venite adoremus Dominum.

God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen

Chorus: God rest you merry, gentlemen

Let nothing you dismay
Remember, Christ, our Saviour
Was born on Christmas day
To save us all from Satan's power
When we were gone astray
O tidings of comfort and joy,
Comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy

[Verse 1] In Bethlehem, in Israel

This blessed Babe was born
And laid within a manger
Upon this blessed morn
The which His Mother Mary
Did nothing take in scorn
O tidings of comfort and joy
Comfort and joy
O tidings of comfort and joy

Chorus:

Ave Maria – Franz Biebl

*Angelus Domini nuntiavit Mariae/
The angel of God visited Maria
et concepit de Spiritu sancto./
and she conceived of the Holy Spirit.*

Refrain: *Ave Maria, / Hail Mary,
gratia plena, / full of grace,
Dominus tecum./ the Lord is with thee.
Benedicta tu in mulieribus./*

Blessed art thou among women,
*et benedictus fructus ventris tui, Iesus./
blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.*

Maria dixit: *Ecce ancilla Domini.*

Maria said: See the servant of the Lord.
*Fiat mihi secundum verbum tuum /
May it happen according to your word.*

*Et Verbum caro factum est /
And the Word became flesh
et habitavit in nobis./ and lived among us.*

www.avemariasongs.org/aves/B/Biebl.htm

Oh, Jerusalem in the Morning - Jennings

Mother Mary, what is the matter?
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning (x2)
Father Joseph, what is the matter?
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning (x2)
Baby born today
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
There's a baby born today
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
Born in a stable
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
A stall was his cradle
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
Wrapped in his swaddling clothes
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
Laying him in a manger
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
Born in Bethlehem
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
Jerusalem, Jerusalem
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
Baby born today
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning
Baby born today
Oh, Jerusalem in the morning . . .

CONCERT CHOIR

Here we come a-carolling,

Among the leaves so green,
Here we come a-wand'ring,
So fair to be seen.
Love and joy come to you,
And to you glad Christmas too,
And God bless you and send you,
A Happy New Year,
And God send you a Happy New Year.
We are not daily beggars,
That beg from door to door,
But we are neighbors' children,
Whom you have seen before.
Love and joy come to you,
And to you glad Christmas too,
And God bless you and send you,

A Happy New Year,
And God send you a Happy New Year.
God bless the master of this house,
Likewise the mistress too,
And all the little children,
That round the table go.
Love and joy come to you,
And to you glad Christmas too,
And God bless you and send you,
A Happy New Year,
And God send you a Happy New Year.

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Spiritual: Lord how excellent is thy Name

I will sing praises unto the Father for
He's worthy to be praised, (x2)
Lord how excellent is thy Name in all the
earth.

I will sing praises unto the Father for
He's worthy to be praised, (x2)
Lord how excellent is thy Name in all the
earth.

And every thing that hath breath Praise
the Lord;
O, Lord how excellent is thy Name in all
the earth.
How excellent is thy Holy Name.

I will sing praises unto the Father for
He's worthy to be praised, (x2)
Lord how excellent is thy Name in all the
earth.

I will sing praises unto the Father for
He's worthy to be praised, (x2)
Lord how excellent is thy Name in all the
earth.

And every thing that hath breath Praise
the Lord;
O, Lord how excellent is thy Name in all
the earth.
How excellent is thy Holy Name.

O, Lord how excellent is thy Name in all
the earth. (x7)

How excellent is thy Holy Name.

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1. **Concerto No.3 - Andante (I Hope in Mercy)** - Artem Vedel (Psalm 13:5-6)

"I hope in Mercy . . .and I sing the Name of the Most High."

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O Magnum Mysterium ("O Great Mystery") - Morten Lauridsen

(Gregorian chant)

*O magnum mysterium,
et admirabile sacramentum,
ut animalia viderent Dominum natum,
iacentem in praesepe!*

*Beata Virgo, cujus viscera
meruerunt portare*

Dominum Iesum Christum.

Alleluia!

O great mystery,
and wonderful sacrament, that animals
should see the newborn Lord,
lying in a manger!

Blessed is the virgin whose womb
was worthy to bear
the Lord, Jesus Christ.

Alleluia!

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Way Over in Beulah Land,

We gonna have a good, good time

Way ovuh in Beulah lan'

OH, when we get way ovuh in Beulah
land

YES, way ovuy in Beulah land

We gonna have a good, good time

Way ovuh in Beulah lan'

OH, when we get way ovuh in Beulah
land

YES, way ovuh in Beulah land . . .

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Deep River | Traditional Spiritual

Deep river, my home is over Jordan,

Deep river, Lord, I want to cross over into

campground.
Oh, don't you want to go to that gospel
feast,
That promised land where all is peace?
Oh don't you want to go to that promised
land,
That land where all is peace?
Deep river, my home is over Jordan,
Deep river, Lord, I want to cross over into
campground.

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HALLELUYAH CHORUS

Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
For the Lord God omnipotent reigneth.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! (x4)
For the Lord God omnipotent reigneth.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! (x7)
The kingdom of this world is become
the kingdom of our Lord, and of His
Christ,
and of His Christ;
And He shall reign for ever and ever,
King of kings, and Lord of lords.
King of kings, and Lord of lords.
King of kings, and Lord of lords,
and Lord of lords,
and He shall reign,
and He shall reign for ever and ever,
for ever and ever,
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
And He shall reign for ever and ever, for
ever and ever.
King of kings! and Lord of lords!
King of kings! and Lord of lords!
And He shall reign for ever and ever,
King of kings! and Lord of lords!
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah!