

Pittsburg State University

Pittsburg, Kansas

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

"TO THE TEACHER, WITH LOVE"

(a Tribute)

Conceived and Directed by Eva Jessye

Assisted by
Gene DeGruson

With Faculty

Carolann Martin, Gary Corcoran, Russell L. Jones,
Burton Parker, Richard Cook, Charles H. Cagle

GENE VOLLEN, CHAIRMAN MUSIC DEPARTMENT

GUEST ARTISTS:

Mary Offenbacker
Jerry Connor

Tuesday, July 17, 1979
McCray Auditorium
7:00 p.m.

PROGRAMME

GENE DEGRUSON, MASTER OF CEREMONIES

PIANISTS

DAVID EMERSON, CAROLANN MARTIN, CAROLYN COOK

EVA JESSYE

GREETINGS ----- Gene DeGruson

THANK GOD FOR A GARDEN ----- Del Reigo
Janis DeChicchio

GET A GLORY ----- Braley
Gene DeGruson and Chorus

YOU'LL NEVER WALK ALONE ----- Rogers
Carol Cook

EXHORTATION (A Sermon) ----- Will Marion Cook
Robert D. Smith

SHAKE HANDS (LIFE CAN BE KIND) ----- arr. Jessye
Ruby Stewart, Delma Smith

SING A NEW SONG ----- arr. Jessye-Corcoran
Rick Knight, Chorus, Band

BAND PERSONNEL

DON MILLER, Flute

MARK WARREN, Horn

CHERYL FREEMAN, Clarinet

BRUCE DUNFEE, Trombone

GERRY COOK, Trumpet

JIM HARRIS, Tuba

GARY CORCORAN, Trumpet, Director

DIVERTISSEMENT

GENE DEGRUSON ----- MEL BOWIE
The Greater Task....The Perfect Teacher....What's Wrong
Passing the Buck

NIGHTMARE IN NUMBERS

Scott Kane ----- Frank Creitz

PART TWO

SONG WITHOUT WORDS ----- Mendelssohn

Russell L. Jones, Bassoon

DUET FROM ~~"THE KINGFISHERS"~~ "THE PEARL FISHERS" ----- Bizet

David Rampy, Tenor
Burton Parker, Baritone

DANNY BOY ----- Weatherby

Judy Cope, Soprano
Carolann Martin, Cello

I HEAR YOU CALLING ME ----- Charles Marshall

William Vance, Tenor

WHEN AN OLD SCHOOL BOY MEETS AN OLD SCHOOL GIRL ----- Lamb-Helf

Carolyn Cook, Soprano

AMERICAN SCENE

OL'MAN RIVER ("Showboat") ----- Kern

Robert D. Smith, Baritone

BILL ("Showboat") ----- Kern

Mary Offenbacher, Soprano
Jerry Connor, Piano

SUMMERTIME ("Porgy & Bess") ----- Gershwin

Dixie Isaacson, Soprano (Accordion)

FROM THE CANEBRAKE ----- Gardner-Jessye

David Emerson, Violin
Eunice Creitz, Cello
Linda Beckman, Ruby Stewart, Carol Cook, and Janis
DeChicchio, Vocalists

LORD, I CAN'T TURN BACK ----- R. Williams

Ruby Stewart and Chorus

BLUES IN THE NIGHT ----- Mercer-Arlen

Richard Cook, Trumpet

AMERICA FOR ME ----- Charles H. Cagle
THIS LAND IS YOUR LAND ----- Guthrie
Guitarists: Lemuel Shepard, Herbert McKenzie

CHORUS...BAND...ENTIRE COMPANY
AUDIENCE

Miss Offenbacker appeared courtesy of Joplin Music Company.

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