Charity Concert

In aid of the Kaoma Orphanage, Zambía

Haydn's Nelson Mass and other works

The Helix Ensemble Chorale d'Anniversaire

Our Lady of Lourdes RC Church Mickleover, Derby

Saturday 19 June 2010 3.30pm

Programme

SOUND THE TRUMPET

Purcell

Choral arrangement

MIDSUMMER

Richard Roddis

text from the prose of Edward Thomas

A cappella

Midsummer was composed especially for this event, and this performance is a

World Première.

NELSON MASS

Haydn

Kyrie Eleison

Gloria in Excelsis Deo

Qui Tollis Peccata Mundi

Quoniam Tu Sollus Sanctus

Credo

Et Incarnatus Est

Et Resurrexit

Sanctus

Benedictus

Agnus Dei

SORTIE IN Eb

L. J. A. Lefebure-Wely

Organ Tom Corfield

Chorale d'Anniversaire

Soloists: Gillian von Fragstein (Soprano)

Rosalind Williams (Contralto)

Kevin Steele (Tenor)

Jeremy Leaman (Bass)

Members of The Helix Ensemble

Musical Director Richard Roddis

Organ Tom Corfield

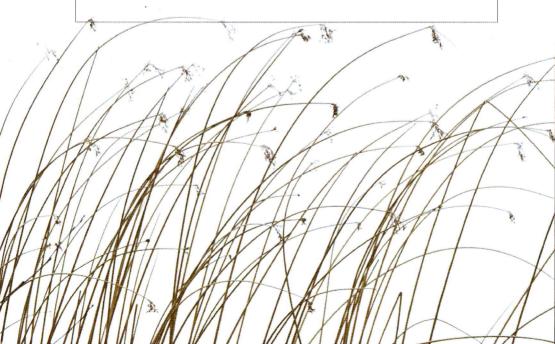
Midsummer

The gold lilies have unclosed on Haweswater, and the wind does not raise the green discs of leaf: the sedge-warblers chatter and sing all day on the sedges above the silver shallows. It is midsummer.

Day after day the wind blows from the south, yet no rain falls. Thunder skirts us, an impotent barbaric decoration, a lion that roars like a dove in the gossamer haze veiling Helvellyn northwards.

Nothing invades this charmed fortress between sea and mountains. A magic circle protects it. It seems to be midsummer itself, an island in the midst of summer, close to the shore of spring, out of sight of autumn.

Edward Thomas





"I would like a word of dedication to those women among my friends and family who didn't make it to their 50th birthday, (or only just):

Frances Clutterbuck
(my Mother)
Julie Rawcliffe
(my God-mother and a
close familty friend)
Claire Blackwell
Judith Connolly
Jo Dignon
Helen Knowles
Christine Palermo
Bridget Willsdon
and many more."
Gillian von Fragstein

Chorale d'Anniversaire

Sopranos

Gillian von Fragstein Jane Kern Clare Devine Abi Whitehall Sarah Russell Marian Goodall Carol Mitchell Fran Leyshon

Contraltos

Rosalind Williams
Sally Need
Jenny Jones
Helen Jones
Shirley Foster
Gillian Frankland
Nell Webb
Jo Pellereau
Linda Webster
Rosemary Corfield

Tenori

Kelvin Steele John Whiteman Rob Saunders Andrew Beaumont Chris Goodall Dana de Waal

Bassi

Jeremy Leaman Julian Kern Ben Pellereau Len Johnson Paul Whitehall Gareth Williams Richard Knowles Anthony Butler Jezz Fleet

The Helix Ensemble

Violin

Alison Axton Sarah Cresswell Karen Eveson George Fletcher Pete Johnston Kathy Lucas

Viola

Elspeth Brien George Sutcliff

Cello

Pete Brien Imogen Rex

Rass

Naomi Turner

Trumpet

Matthew Heywood
Catherine Johnston

Timpani

Jonathan Storey