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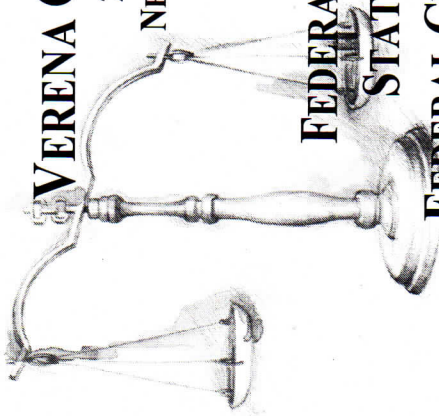
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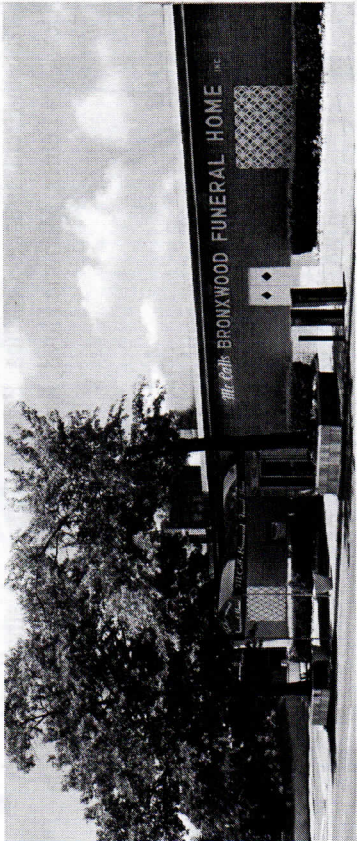
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Program

THE BRONX CONCERT SINGERS

Robert René Galván, conductor

George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)

Concerto Grosso in G major Opus 3 No. 3 (HWV 314)

Jacob Slattery, oboe; Brian Ford, violin

Selections from Messiah

Sinfony [Overture]

Orchestra

Comfort YeIsaiah xl, 1-3

Ev'ry ValleyIsaiah xl, 4

Anthony Cinelli, tenor

And the Glory of the LordIsaiah xl, 5

Chorus

Thus saith the LordHaggai ii, 6-7; Malachi iii, 1

But who may abideMalachi iii, 2

Dalton Taylor, bass

And he shall purifyMalachi iii, 3

Chorus

Behold, a Virgin shall conceiveIsaiah vii, 14; Matthew i, 23

O Thou that tellestIsaiah xl, 9, ix, 1

Alexandra Fetner, mezzo-soprano; and Chorus reprise

For behold darkness shall cover the earthIsaiah xl, 2-3

The people that walked in darknessIsaiah ix, 2

Dalton Taylor, bass

For unto us a child is bornIsaiah ix, 6

Chorus

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Note: This program is performed without intermission.

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Program, cont'd

Pifa [Pastoral Symphony]

Orchestra

There were shepherds abiding in the field.....Luke ii, 8
And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them Luke ii, 9
And the angel said unto them.....Luke ii, 10-11
And suddenly there was with the angelLuke ii, 13
Malaika Alvaro, *soprano*
Glory to God.....Luke ii, 14

Chorus

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion.....Zechariah ix, 9-10

Malaika Alvaro, *soprano*

Then shall the eyes of the blindIsaiah xxxv, 5-6
He shall feed his flock.....Isaiah xl, 11

Alexandra Fetner, *mezzo-soprano*

Come unto HimMatthew xi, 28-29

Malaika Alvaro, *soprano*

His yoke is easyMatthew xi, 30

Chorus

Behold I tell you a mystery (Part III).....I Cor. xv, 51-52

The Trumpet shall sound (Part III).....I Cor. xv, 52-54

Dalton Taylor, *bass*

Worthy is the Lamb that was slain (Part III).....Rev. v, 12-13

Hallelujah (Part II)Rev. xix, 6; xi, 15; xix, 16

Chorus

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