

University of Texas at El Paso

From the Selected Works of Dominic Dousa

December 8, 2007

"Czech Christmas Medley" for children's choir and string orchestra (Las Vegas, NV / 2 performances)

Dominic Dousa, *University of Texas at El Paso*

NEVADA
CHAMBER
SYMPHONY



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Conductor, Music Director

Rodolfo Fernandez

Jennifer Eriksson, *Concertmaster*

Erik McCalister

Ingrid Kovacs

Lisa Ratigan

VIOLAS

Mary Trimble, *Principal*

Mark Kovacs

FLUTE

Andre Long

HORN

Douglas Beasley

VIOLINS

CELLOS

Barbara Gurley, *Principal*

Dr. Barry Barkan

OBOE

Marty Radunz

TRUMPET

Rocky Lombardo

PERCUSSION

Clyde Duell

Kavork Mikaelian

Garth Mc Bride

Gerald Reid

Lee Schreiber

BASS

William Bailey

CLARINET

Jenny Wright-Tolen

TROMBONE

Walter Boenig

Today, with great pleasure, we present the Honor Choir and Dance Ensemble of Ronzone Elementary School as guest artists.

John Scheuer, *Choir Director*

Linda Hunt, *Accompanist* Kim Raham, *Choreographer*

RONZONE HONOR CHOIR



A GIFT OF MUSIC - It is a great honor to premiere the *Czech Christmas Medley*, a gift to the orchestra and choir from composer Dominic Dousa. Dr. Dousa, a native of Rochester, Minnesota, teaches at the University of Texas at El Paso Department of Music. In 2005 he was appointed Composer-in-Residence for the El Paso Symphony Youth Orchestras. His compositions have been presented at both national and international festivals and recitals. Two of his song cycles may be heard on the recently released CD *With a Song in My Heart* by Blue Griffin Recording.



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Ronzone Dance Team Members

2007-2008

Martha Alcantar
Ana Robeldo
Cynthia Lopez
Lashae Warren
Daniel Grantham
Nancy Portillo
Jennifer Santiago
Jocelyne Giron
Gloria Toledo
Alondra Romano
Jeneva Lindsey
Merin Alias
Eduardo Samano
Lisvet Avila
Shannon Williams
Alboly Romano
Gabriella Munillo
Briana Priuz
Aimee Ramirez
Deisi Avila
Angel Montes
Brayan Muro
Jordyn Trobiam
Crysta Kostiv
Lolys Ramirez
Anahi Santoyo

Honors Choir Members

Lina Abose	Emily Lopez	Isabel Cuevas
Andrew Adasczik	Aimee Ramirez	Daniel Grantham
Luis Castaneda-Ortiz	Kevin Rueda	Elias Martin
Danny Castillo	Jaime Robledo	Eduardo Samano
Alex DeLaRosa	Chandler DeLeon	Jose Simon
Tyquan Blackwell	Ki'ya Rodgers	Leah Broadway
Hector Hernandez	Dahhawn Soberanis	Kevin Guzman-Acaraz
Veneshia Humphrey	Jordyn Trobiano	Claudia Nuci
Cynthia Larios	Clarisa Bravo	Marcela Pena
Karen Reyes	Carlos Osorio	Jennifer Pelcastre-Martinez
Brayan Muro	Tamika King	Tomas Garcia-Rafael
Berenice Alfaro-Estrada	Ramon Perez-Meza	Megan Davis
Bryan Arias	Itzel Lizjuan	Dulce Avendad
Jose Esparza	Nicholas Acevedo	Maurice Bennett
Adriana Gutierrez	Jorge Alejo	Emmanuel Agustin
Andres Gutierrez	David Chavez	Jessica Simon-Quiterio
Susan Holmstrom	Marina Cornejo	Shyanne Purdy
Fernando Orozco	Jose Encizo	Anahi Santoyo
Gustavo Ortega	Gabriella Murillo	Lizeth Saldana-Valle
Heather Pelley	Kevin Patridge	Jareth Medina
Miriam Manzo	Gloria Toledo	Luis Garcia
Ana Robledo	Daniel Walters	Crystal Rodriguez
Yazmin Serrano-Sanchez	Shannon Williams	Jarlyn Olvera
Eduardo Castaneda Ortiz	Robin Ayers	Anna Nevels
Isabel DeLaRosa	Suriel Cruz	Gregorio Becerra
Desiree Fuentes	Jocelyne Giron	Ronald Carillo
April Harmon	Catalina Trevino	
Brenda Hernandez	Isabel Archuleta	
Jure Klancnik	Feneshia Humphrey	
LaShae Warren	Rique Jones	
Christian DeLaRosa	Crysta Kostiv	
Jesus Ferreyra	Leslee Kimbell	
Jasmine Justo	Jessica Bravo	
Cesar Manrique	Holly Solhite	
Elijah Morton	Victor Vargas	
Kaitlyn Roney Shows	Adrian Lee-Criss	
Miguel Beltran	Stephanye Castro	
Tiare Trent	Andrea Alvarez	
Ahmari Love-Ramsey	Arely Gonzales	
Estepan Fuentes	Olympius McDaniels	
Alexandra Moyer	Trey Ridout	
Ruth Alfaro	Lanisha Walker	
Salvador Chavez	Jennifer Acevedo	

"Home for the Holidays"

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Thank You!

PROGRAM

Messiah, overture
Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer - Have Yourself a Merry
Little Christmas - It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year
Here Comes Santa Claus - The Christmas Song

Ronzone Elementary School Honor Choir
Hanukkah, O' Hanukkah
Czech Christmas Medley
Silver Bells

INTERMISSION

Jingle Bells Forever, overture
Winter Wonderland - Frosty the Snowman - I'll be Home for Christmas
Sleigh Ride - Let it Snow - Skater's Waltz

Ronzone Elementary School Honor Choir
Holly Jolly Christmas
Feliz Navidad

Introducing the Ronzone Elementary School Dance Ensemble

FINALE SING-A-LONG
O' Little Town of Bethlehem - Silent Night

*Signed by Marissa McCoy
Student Friend of the Orchestra*

Hat's Off! to the members of the Ronzone Elementary School Honor Choir & Dance Ensemble, and to the School Administrators, faculty, staff and parents, for their contributions to today's performance.

Happy Holidays!