

A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

Over the past 10 years, the name Hospice at Home has become synonymous with a caring and professional service which has been greatly appreciated both by terminally ill patients and by those caring for them.

This charity performance of Haydn's "Creation" offers a unique opportunity to join with people around the United Kingdom in celebrating the Hospice movement and making donations towards its support.

On behalf of the Council of The Care Foundation the charity which runs Hospice at Home - I would
like to thank the three choirs, the soloists, orchestra,
conductor, and participants, who have made themselves available for this occasion, also the Companies and local businesses whose generous sponsorship has covered the costs of this event.

Please consider your own response by completing the form at the back of this programme. In this way you will be enabling Hospice at Home to alleviate pain and improve the quality of life for its patients and their families.

Dr. Ted McGuire

A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

Most of us are lucky enough to have both Health and Happiness but particularly through cancer

few of us can have escaped the trauma which those who are dying and their loved ones suffer. It is because of these experiences that I have chosen Hospice at Home as one of my two charities for the Mayoral Year. The aim is to have money in order to bring some support and happiness to those who are suffering and those who care for them.

I am asking for your help in the form of donations, time, sponsoring events, participating or selling tickets. A number of events such as Team Assault course (27th October), Medieval Banquet (16th November), Grand Raffle (by 17th January), Masked Ball (18th April) and Car Boot Fair (26th April) have been arranged.

Hospice at Home a Tunbridge Wells Health Authority Area Charity needs your help and I hope that you will all give generously.

James E. Scholes MAYOR



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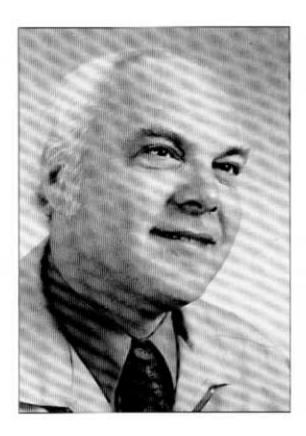
and finally to the Chairman and National Executive Committee, Advisory Panel and Council of VOICES FOR HOSPICES and to all those, too many to mention, who have supported the project with great enthusiasm and much hard work.

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DEREK WATMOUGH is the newly appointed Musical Director of the Mid Sussex Sinfonia, and has been conducting the Orchestra since October 1990.

Derek Watmough is at present Head of Music at the Beacon Community College, Crowborough, and is very well known as a talented musician in the East Sussex and Kent areas. Born in Yorkshire, he was a violinist with the National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain and then went on to read classical languages and later music at the University of Durham. He is an excellent pianist and plays regularly with several chamber ensembles.

Derek has been Musical Director of Tunbridge Wells Choral Society since 1973 and is Vice Chairman and occasional conductor of the Tunbridge Wells Symphony Orchestra.



ALISON PEARCE is one of the United Kingdom's most distinguished and sought-after soprano soloists in oratorio, opera and recital work. She sings with many choral societies and music clubs across the United Kingdom, and also enjoys a highly successful international career.

She appears frequently with Britain's leading orchestras, as well as being heard regularly in oratorio and lieder recital on BBC Radio 3.

In addition, she has been soloist in the world premieres of works by such notable contemporary composers as Alun Hoddinott and Domonic Muldowney, and in John McCabe's "Music's Empire", which was first performed by the Halle Orchestra and televised by Granada.

Alison has also starred in many of the major operatic prima donna roles including those in "La Traviata", "I Lombardi", "Nabucco", "L'Elisir d'Amore", "Lucia di Lammermoor" and "Les Pecheurs de Perles".

This year her engagements include the title role in Puccini's "Manon Lescaut" in Dublin, R. Strauss "Four Last Songs" in London, Mozart "Requiern" in the Netherlands and Bach "Christmas Oratorio" in Spain.

NEIL MACKENZIE was born in Glasgow and won a choral scholarship to Clare College, Cambridge, where he studied music. While still an undergraduate, he performed Britten's songcycle "Winter Words" in the Purcell Room, subsequently broadcasting the canticle "Journey of the Magi" by the same composer for Radio 3 from the Queen Elizabeth Hall.

After a time as a lay clerk under Simon Preston in the choir of Christ Church, Oxford, where he also held the post of Director of Music of the Cathedral School, he moved to London, where he now successfully combines his work with the BBC Singers with freelance career in concerts, recitals and oratorios. His wide-ranging repertoirs and fine musicianship lead to engagements throughout the UK, including the Proms, Aldeburgh and the Almeida Festival, and internationally to festivals in Toronto, Aix-en-Provence, Cork and Granada.



Neil MacKenzie's discography includes solos in a recent recording for Hyperion of Monteverdi's Vespers of 1610, for which he received significant critical acclaim in both the British and French press.



ANTHONY MICHAELS-MOORE

studied at Newcastle University and at the Royal Scottish Academy of Drama with Eduardo Asquenz and Neilson Taylor. He was the first British winner of the Luciano Pavarotti/Philadelphia Opera Competition in 1988.

After his debut with the Royal Opera in 1987, he became a member of the Company, since when he has sung numerous major roles in "Jenufa", "Un Ballo in Maschera", "Boris Godounov", "Turandot", "Madame Butterfly", "Rigoletto", "I Pagliacci", "Peter Grimes", "Der Freishütz", "Arabella", and "La Bohème". He has also appeared with English National Opera; as Figaro in "Il Barbieri di Siviglia" with Opera North; Figaro in "Il Barbieri di Siviglia" with the Welsh National Opera and in "Cosi Fan Tutte" with the Philadelphia Opera.

Future engagements at Covent Garden include performances in "Die Fledermaus", Die Zauberflöte" and "La Bohème"; Guglielmo in "Cosi Fan Tutti" and the Don in "Don Giovanni" for Canadian Opera; Figaro in Barcelona; the Count in

ENO's new production of "The Marriage of Figaro" and as Germont in "La Traviata" for Opera North.

Recent concert engagements have included performances in "Carmina Burana" at the Royal Festival Hall and Mahler's 8th Symphony televised on Channel 4. Anthony broadcasts frequently on BBC's "Friday Night is Music Night". In October he makes his USA concert debut in Beethoven's "Missa Solemnis" in Los Angeles.



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HOW IT ALL BEGAN

Early in 1989, in a small office in a hospice in Surrey, the idea of 'Voices for Hospices' was born after a local first and very successful 'Come and Sing'. Local singers had immediately encouraged us to arrange another 'Come and Sing' and, knowing of the many thousands who singleach week in choirs and choral societies throughout the UK, we though, they might enjoy a similar opportunity to sing for their local hospice. And how wonderful it would be if we could all singleat the same time! This would hopefully draw attention to the very carring work of hospice units and to their need for funds.

Six or seven large cathedrals - a manageable number - were envisaged as performance venues, but before proceeding any further we needed to know how other hospices felt about this idea. Without their support the project wouldn't work! We need not have worried. A leaflet outlining the project sent out in May 1989 via Help the Hospices brought immediate replies and within six weeks we had positive replies from around 40 hospices. Looking at pms stuck in a map as the replies continued to come in clearly showed that six or seven venues were not going to be enough for geographic and economic reasons. And enthusiastic replies still kept coming. By the beginning of August 1989, the need to form a National Executive Committee to co-ordinate and guide the project became apparent and the NEC was formed, having its first - and very exciting impeting in September 1989.

Meanwhile the replies still kept coming - and the administrative work involved in dealing with them grew and grew - so the appointment of a part-lime National Co-ordinator was urgent. As we had no sponsorship at this stage a loan was taken, as an act of faith, and the NEC appointed Mrs Alexandra White who joined the Voices for Hospices team on 1st November 1989 - and she continues to be our only salarted employee . We were delighted to welcome the Earl of Harewood as President of Voices for Hospices 1991 and also formed an Advisory Panel whose members were generously offering us specialist advice in those fields in which we knew we would be involved.

At this point yet another generous offer was extended, this time by Napp Laboratories who offered to sponsor concerts in participating hospices by musicians from the Council For Music In Hospitals in the weeks around 5th October 1991. Now the patients would be able to join in the project with their own live music.

The work to be sung on 5th October 1991 - Haydn's Creation - was the unanimous choice at the January 1990 NEC meeting. But the shadow of lack of sponsorship hung over us and threatened to affect the national identity of the project. However just before Easter 1990 we hear, the wonderful news that Scottish Muhal Assurance had offered sponsorship to cover venue hire, national organisational costs, publicity, programme covers and the co-ordinator's salary. The support in so many ways and the sympathy with the project which SMA has since shown has been so reassuring - how fortunate we have been to have such a sponsor.

A further development in the autumn of 1990 was the offer from Richard Stilgne to scrite a short work for young people to sing in their own fund raising events to support their local hospices. Thereby Calling Young Voices For Hospices was born. To end a most exciting year Voices For Hospices became a private charitable company on 15th November 1990 with Michael Blackburn, Chairman of the Board of Touche Ross, as the Chairman of the Council.

March was a time of increasing activity nationwide with organisers approaching choirs and preparing to make the most of the big day. In early March the BBC Radio 2 enthusiastically offered help with the project, including broadcasting a countdown to 7.30pm on 5th October for the simultaneous baton drop. This was the beginning of growing media interest, so essential for maximum success.

We know that the support and kindness which have sustained us since the earliest days will carry us through to 5th October when we will all share in a unique musical experience to benefit hospics care units everywhere.

Wishing you all much happiness and success on 5th October!

Sheila Hurton Chairman, National Executive Committee July 1st 1991

THE CREATION by Joseph Haydn

When Joseph Haydn arrived at Dover on January 1st 1791 at the invitation of the impresario J. P. Salomon II was to begin one of the most successful partnerships in musical history. Today, two hundred years after we celebrate a friendship that produced the 12 London symphonies and this great oratorio.

Like Mozart's Requiem, written that same year, an air of mystery surrounds The Creation. When Haydn was leaving England at the end of his second visit. Salomon gave him a handwritten librette with this title. The text was originally intended for Handel, and it is helieved to have been written by Sheridan's father-in law. Thomas Linley, It is based mainly on Genesis and on Milton's Paradise Lost. Handel considered his command of English inadequate for such a project and Haydn seems to have had the same reservations since, on his return to Vienna, he approached an aristocratic colleague. Baron van Swieten for help. As well as being Prefect of the Imperial Library, van Swieten was also an amateur composer who had recently formed an oratorio society. The Baron duly translated and edited the text and his original manuscript shows that he was not afraid to make suggestions concerning the setting of particular passages. At the words 'And there was light', he indicated that the phrase should be sung only once and this is one of a number of instances where Haydn seems to have followed his advice.

In the orchestral introduction Representation of Chaos', Haydn matches the Enlightenment's view of the beginning of the world with a stunning use of deceptive cadences and faultering harmony. Thereafter the first two parts of the work describe the six days of Creation. Each day has a similar pattern: biblical narrative a central section of description or lyrical comment, and a hymn of proise. As in Handel's protorios, the thorus are important characters in the drama and depict angels glorifying their Maker. The narrative and descriptive passages are given to three so pists who represent the archangels Gabriel (soprano), Uriel (tenor) and Raphael (bass).

Haydri returned to Vienna inspired by the English choral tradition. He worked for nearly 18 months to produce a score that he hoped would stand comparison with the finest of Handel's oratorios. If was never so devout as during that time when I was working on *The Creation* he once said. The result must have exceeded his most cherished hopes. From its premiere right up to the present day, performers and listeners have responded warmly to the life-affirming spirit that pervades this magnificent score. Tonight's performances will be no exception.

Denis McCaldin- Haydn Society of Great Britain

The Haydn Society of Great Britain exists to promote a wider knowledge and understanding of the music of Joseph Haydn and his circle Details of membership (£4 p . τ .) from the Secretary.

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THE CRY

Part the First

Introductions.

REPRESENTATION OF CHAOS. RECITATIVE

Baphael

In the beginning God treated the heaven and the earth; and the earth was without form, and void, and darkness was upon the face of the deep

CHORUS.

And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. And God said, Let there be light; and there was light

RECITATIVE.

Urtel.

And God saw the light, that it was good ; and God divided the light from the darkness.

New vanish before the holy beams. The gloomy shades of motion night. The first of days appears. Now chaos ends, and coder from pravails. Affrighted fly hell's spirits black in throngs: Down they sink in the deep abyes To endess night.

CHORUS.

Despairing cursing rage asterois their rapid fall. A new created world springs up at God's command.

RECITATIVE.

Raphael.

And God made the firmament, and divided the waters which were under the firmament from the wants which were above the firmament; and it เขสร รด.

Nuc haicus storus tempestious rage, Like chaff, by the winds appelled are the clouds. By sudden tile the sky is inflamed. And awful thunders are rolling on high

Now from the floods in steam ascend reviving showers of rain.

The dready westeful half, the light and followings.

AJR - Gabriel

The mary liqus work behold amazid The glorious hierarchy of heaven: And rotini ethereal values resound The praise of God, and of the second day,

CHORUS.

And to thi ethereal values resound The praise of God, and of the second day

RECITATIVE.

Raphael.

And Got said, Let the waters under the heavens be gathered together to one place, and let the day land appear; and it was so. And God called the disland earth, aixlittle gathering of waters called he seas, and God saw that it was good.

Rolling in foaming billows, Unlifted, years the bolsterous sea. Mountains and rocks flow energe. Their tops among the clouds accord. Through thi open plains, cuistretching wide. In serpent amor rivers Low. Softly nurling, glides or Through eilent value the literard brook

RECITATIVE

Gabriel.

And God said. Fer the earth bring forth grass. the berb yielding seed, and the fruit-tree yielding inuit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth and it was so.

Deltglitful to the rawish'd sense: By flowers sweet and gay Enhanced is die charming sight. Here fregram herbs their odcurs shed: Here shoots the healing plant. With copious fruit the expanded boughs

With verdure clad the fields appear,

are himo: In leafy arches twine the shacy groves: O'm lofty hills majestic forests wave

RECITATIVE. Uriel.

And the neavenly host proclaimed the third day. praising God, and saying

CHORUS.

Awake the harp, the lyre awake, And let your myful soing researed. Rejoice in the Lord, the mighty God: For he both Leaven and earth Has clothed in stately dress.

RECITATIVE.

Uriel

And God said. Let there be lights in the firmamenn of heaven, to divide the day from the night. and to give the light upon the earth; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and for years. He made the stars also:

RECITATIVE

In splendour bright is rising now the sun. And dails his rays: a joyful happy spouse. A giant moud and glad To run lis measuril course. With softer beams, and milder light, Steps on the silver moon through mentaight.

The space immense of thi azure sky A countiess host of radiant orbs adorns. And the sons of God announced the fourth

In song divine, proclaiming thus his power.

CHORUS

The heavens are telling the giord of God. The wonder of his work displays the firmament

TRIO.

To day that is coming speaks it the day. The night that is gone to following hight-

The heavens are telling the giors of God. The wonder of his work displays the firmament.

In all the lands resounds the word, Never impercoived, ever understood,

The heavens are telling the gior, of God. The worlder of his work displays the limitation!

Part the Second.

RECOATIVE.

Gabriel.

And God said. Let use waters using forth abundanily the moving creature that hath life, and fowlthat may flyabove the earth in the open firmament. of heaven

AIR

On mighty pensiciplifted scars The eagle aloft, and cleaves the air. in swiftest flight, to the blazing sun. His welcome hids to more the more; lack, And cooling calls the tender dove his mate. From eating bright and space resound. The nightingale is delightful notes: No griet aflected yet her breast Nor to a mountful tale were tunid Her soft enchanging lays

RECTATIVE. Rephael.

And God created great whales, and every living greature that moveth and Got blessed them. saving. Be limitlefull, and multiply. Ye wriged tribes, be multiplied.

And sing on every tree; multiply, Ye finny tribes, and fill each Wat'ry deep Be fruitful, grow and multiply And in your God and Lord rejoice

And the angels struck their immortal harps, and the wonders of the fifth day sung

TRIO Gabrie...

Most beautiful appear, with verdire young adomid.

The gently sloping hills, their narrow shunus veins

Distill in organil drops the fourtain fresh and bright

Uriel.

In loft; circles play, and haver in the air. he cheerful host of birds; and as they bying

beinglittering thomes are dyld as raidbows. họ tha a n

Rephael.

See flashing through the deep in thronging

he fish a shousand ways around. Upheaved from the deep, thi on news: Leviathan sports on the loaming wave.

Gabriel, Urtel, and Raphae'. How many are thy works, O God! Who may their number tel?

TRIO AND CHORUS.

The Lord is great, and great his might. His glore lasts for ever and for everthore

RECTATIVE.

Rophael.

And God said, Let the earth oring forth the lying presture after his kind, calife and creeping thing, and beast of the earth, after his sand. Straight opening tier fertile womb. The earth obey'd the wold.

EATION

And teem'd creatures numberless, In perfect forms, and fully grown Cheerful rosing, stands the fawny lion. With sudden leap

With station reap.

The flexible tiger appears. The numble stag Bazrs up his branching head. With figing mane. And from look, impetient neighs the noble speed. The catria, in herds, already seek their food. On fields and meadows green. And offer the ground, as plants, are spread. The fleety, meak, and bleating flocks. Uncomber'd as the sends, in examps arose. The hosts of insects. In long dimension. Greeps, with ancous trace, the worm.

AIR.

Now beaven in Italiest glord shone: Earth and dishall sich artise. The coom of air widt by allouds of tish, By heavy beasts the ground is mod: But of the work was not complete. There wanted you that woncrous being. That, grateful should God's power accurace. With light and voice his goodness praise.

RECITATIVE. Urial.

And God created Man is his own snage, in the misse of God created he him. Male and female created he than

the prepried into his mostrils the broath of life, and Mar, persists a living soul.

AIF

In native worth and honour clad.
With beauty courage, strength, adorn to Elect, with from screne, he stands. A man, the ordered and sing of nature also like large and arched brow sublims. Of wisdom deep declares the seaf.
And in his election brighness shiftes. The soci, the breath and image of his God. With fondhoss learn auton his breast. The partner for him form d. A woman, fair and graceful spouse. Her soilly smiting tright books.
Of floodry swring the interior.
Besteak time love, and joy, and bits.

RECITATIVE Raphael.

And God haw everything that he had made, and behold. If was cary good. And the beavenly choir, an song distant these sleets the sixth day.

CHORUS.

Achieved is the giorists work. The Lord beholds in and is pleas di Infolly strains let us raining. Our song is: be the proise of God

TRIO.

Gabriel and Oriel
On they each living soul awais:
From then, O Lord, all seek their lood:
Thou coetiest thy hand,
And blest all with good.

- Eaphost.

But when they face, O Lord is his With sufficen terror they are strucks Thou tak'st metribreath away, They vanish into dust.

Gobriel, Cirlel, and Bophael. Thou sendest forth thy breath again. And the with vigour fresh returns: Revived earth untolds new strongth And new deligies.

CHORUS.

Adhieved is the glorious work: Our song let be the praise of God Glory to his Name for ever. He sole on high exalted reigns. Hallehrigh!

INTERVAL of 20 minutes

Part the Third.

Introduces.
MORNING RECITATIVE.

Urie..

In rosy mantle appears, by music sweet awak'd. The morning, young and lair. From heaven's angetic choir. Pure harmony descends on ravish diearth. Behold the blissful pair.
Where hand in hand they go: their glowing looks Express the chanks that swed their grateful hearts. A louder praise of God rheir lips. Shall after soon; then let our voices ring. United with their song.

DUET.

Adom and Ere
By thee with plies O bounreaps Lord.
Both heaven and earth are stor d.
This world so great, so wonderful.
Thy trighty hand has frain d.

CHORUS.

For ever blessed he his power. His Name be ever magnified.

Adam.

Of stars the fairest, pledge of day. That crown ist the sticking morn: And thou, bright sun, that cheer'st the world, Thou eye and soul of all;

CHORUS.

Proclaim in your extended course. Thi autighty power and praise of God.

Eve.

And that that rulist the silent night And all ye starry hosts. Evirgwhere spread wide his prose In thoral songs about.

Adam

Ye dogliby elements, by his power Your ceaseless changes make; Ye dosky musis, and devoy streams, That rise and fall thro. In lain:

CHORUS

Resource the praise of God our Lord. Great his name, and great his raight.

$Ev\omega$.

Ye purking fourtains, time his preise. And make your tops, we pines. Ye plants, exhale, we flowers, breathe To birn your balony scent.

Adam.

Ye that on mountains stately tread. And ye mat lowly creep. Ye birds that sing at heaven's gate, And ye that swim the stream:

Eve and Adam.

Ye creatures all, extol the Lord-

CHORUS.

Ye creatures all, extol the Lord: Him celebrate, furningsprity.

Hoe and Adam.

Ye valleds, hills, and shads woods. Made vocal by our song. From morn till eve you shall repeat Our grateful hypots of praise.

CHORUS

Hail! bounteous Lord! Almighty, hail! The word called forth this recordings frame. The heavens and earth thy power adore: We proise they now and even more

RECITATIVE.

Unet

O happy pairl and happy still might be if not misled by take congoit Ye strive at more than granted is: And more desire to know, than knowlye should.

CHORUS.

Sing the Lend, ye voices all.

Magnify his name third all creation.
Celebrate his power and glory.

Let his came resound on high
Proise the Lord. Utter thinks.
Jehorahi's praise for ever shall endure. Amen

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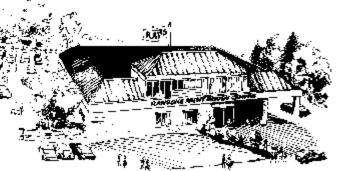
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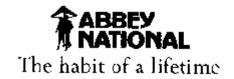
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The Choral Society's accompanist is John Wardle, Assistant Director of Music at Beacon Community College, Crowborough, and Organist and Chormaster of All Saints' Church, Crowborough.

Colin Moore is Director of the County Music Groups for the East Sussex Education Authority, and is a member of the senior staff at the County Music School, Lewes.

In 1992 the Society celebrates its Silver Jubilee with a concert in the Assembly Hall. Tunbridge Wells with performances of the Requiem and Violin Concerto by Brahms.

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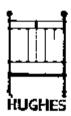
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Vernon Handley succeeded as conductor in 1958 and started the Orchestral Section as part of the Society, what was then one of very few combined choral and orchestral societies in Britain. He handed over to Dr. Bela de Csillery, the County Music Advisor, in 1961. Anthony Gould, who was on the music staff of Tonbridge School followed in 1964. The Society's Silver Jubilee Concert took place on May 22, 1971 when Verdi's Requiem was performed. In 1972 John Cullen, who had been Director of Music at Tonbridge School succeeded Tony Gould as conductor.

Over the past 45 years the Society has performed most of the major choral and orchestral works in the repertoire. In 1988 the Society lost its 'home' when Tonbridge School Chapel was severly damaged by fire, since then its concerts have been in various local venues.

MEMBERS PARTICIPATING IN THIS PERFORMANCE

| Sopranos | Altos | Basses |
|---|---|---------------------|
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| Marie Beli | Jennifer Trew | John Smallman Smith |
| Christine Roche | Teresa Murphy | John Sanders |
| Sarah Omellas | Ann Gorvett | Howard Evans |
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The Society aims to perform all the major choral works, presenting them at the Assembly Hall with an orchestra. Professional soloists are engaged in an endeavour to maintain as nigh a standard as possible.

Sometimes the Choir is involved in concerts at other venues. Two notable ones were Bach's St. Matthew Passion at Gyndebourne in 1949, [50] and [51] where one of the soloists was Kathleen Ferrier, and a Robert Myer Concert at the Royal Festival Hall. There have been two visits to Wiesbaden, the lifst in 1985 and the second in August this year. The Lutherkirke Bach Chorr from Wiesbaden came to sing with the Society here in 1987 and again in May, 1991. The exchange visits this year have resulted in the production of a compact disc.

Average membership is 120 and singers come from all directions to Monday night rehearsals.

MEMBERS PARTICIPATING IN THIS PERFORMANCE

| Sopranos | Altos | Tenors |
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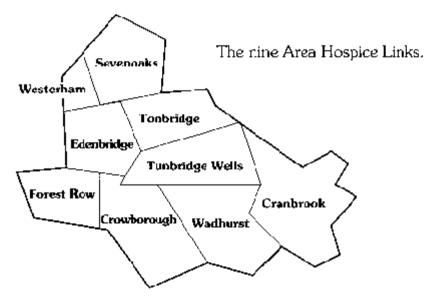




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