

VENTURACOLLEGE
DEPARTMENT OF PERFORMING ARTS

THE DAWN
OF A NEW
WORLD

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 7:30

VENTURA COLLEGE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
& VENTURA COLLEGE CHAMBER ORCHESTRA
ASHLEY WALTERS, DIRECTOR

BORODIN: String Sextet in d minor
HAYDN: Quartet in B-flat Major, Op. 76 No. 4, "Sunrise"
DVOŘÁK: Symphony No. 9 in E minor, "From the New World"

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CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

Streichsextett (1860).....Alexander Borodin
I. Allegro (1833-1887)
II. Andante

String Quartet in B-flat, Op. 76, No. 4 (1797)..... Franz Joseph Haydn
"Sunrise" (1732-1809)
I. Allegro con spirito

Short Intermission

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Symphony No. 9 in E minor, Op. 95 (1893).....Antonin Dvořák
"From the New World" (1841-1904)
I. Adagio - Allegro molto
II. Largo
III. Molto vivace
IV. Allegro con fuoco

SPECIAL THANKS: Jennifer Kalfsbeek-Goetz, Bernard Gibson, Brent Wilson, Noelle Neal, Simanu Fa'asua, Jamie Birkett, Robert Lawson, Brian Hotchkin, Jeanne Tanner, Janeene Nagaoka, Lisa Smith, Susan Royer, David Howarth, Jake Phillips, Benjamin Johnson & Tyson Sauthoff

CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

FLUTE

Melissa Flores

VIOLIN I

Jack Warwar

VIOLIN II

Julissa Bozman*
Brianna Rendon

VIOLA

Diane Gilbert*
Natalie Lefevre
Joseph Parcher

CELLO

Alanm Magana
Gonzalez
Ashley Walters*

BASSOON

Nicholas Akdag*

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SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

VIOLIN I

Julissa Bozman*
Concertmaster
Nicole Bush^o
Tracy Clark
Kathleen Roos
Jack Warwar

VIOLIN II

Irene Kim^
Annette Halpern
Anne Kosinski
John Lyons
Brianna Rendon
Besnik Yzeiri^o

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Melissa Flores^
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Dori Riggs
Morgan Swaidan

OBOE/ENGLISH HORN

Christopher Santizo^

CLARINET

Jose Hernandez^
Matt Yamada^o

BASSOON

Nicholas Akdag*

TRUMPET

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Michael Andrews
Emilio Shuman

HORN

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TUBA

Mason Moy^o

PERCUSSION

Alexander Lewis
Matthew Haramia

CONDUCTOR

Ashley Walters*

^ Principal

* Faculty

^o Guest

PROGRAM NOTES: Welcome! After several semesters of online and outdoor Symphony rehearsals and concerts we are excited to welcome you back to our beautiful hall. To celebrate this season we play music that celebrates new beginnings and fresh starts. The Chamber Orchestra will perform Haydn's beloved "Sunrise" quartet, which marries singing solo melodies that rise and rise with bright and charming fast passages. The group will also perform Borodin's string sextet, of which only two movements have survived. Then, the Ventura College Symphony Orchestra will present Dvořák's Ninth Symphony, "From the New World." The Bohemian composer wrote this popular work in 1893 while living in New York City.



Tonight's performance of the second movement is dedicated to honoring the memory of **Jorgia Borodofsky (1942-2022)**. Jorgia was a mother of four, grandmother of twelve, LaMaze childbirth educator, a dear friend to many, a dispenser of knowledge, useful information, and wisdom, a supporter of the downtrodden, an advocate for social justice, and a freedom rider in her youth. She was also the sister of our own violinist, Annette Halpern. Jorgia's favorite composer was Dvořák and she particularly loved the ninth symphony. ~ Ashley Walters

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- November 6: VC Chamber Music, "Let Beauty Awake"
- November 7: Laurel Project/Dal Segno Vocal Ensemble
- Nov. 30-Dec. 3: VC Theatre, "Lighting the Way"
- December 3: VC Jazz Band
- December 9: VC Chorus & Singers, "I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings"
- December 10: VC Orchestras (Brahms, Márquez, Lawson)
- December 11: VC Chamber Music

