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*Ouachita Baptist University*

*School of Music*

presents

*Karen Owens, Mezzo-soprano*

*Jenny Evans, piano*

and

*Donna McCoy, Piano*

in

*Senior Recital*

January 27, 1981

7:00 p.m.

Mabee Fine Arts Center Recital Hall

# Program

## I

La vezzosa pastorella

Domenico Brunì

Return, O God of Hosts  
from Samson

G. F. Handel  
(1685-1759)

Miss Owens

## II

Prelude and Fugue in C major  
(WTC II, No. 1)

J. S. Bach  
(1685-1750)

Sonata in D major, Opus 28  
Allegro

Ludwig van Beethoven  
(1770-1827)

Miss McCoy

## III

L'abbesse

Frédéric D'erlanger  
(1868-1943)

Mein Mädèl hat einen Rosenmund

Johannes Brahms  
(1833-1897)

Voce di donna  
from La Gioconda

Amilcare Ponchielli  
(1834-1886)

Miss Owens

IV

Four Preludes, Opus 5  
Semplice  
Vivo e leggiere  
Moderato quasi andante  
Allegro molto

Dmitri Kabalevsky  
b. 1904

Valse Oubliée  
No. 1 Allegro

Franz Liszt  
(1811-1886)

Miss McCoy

V

In the Yellow Dusk

Edward Horsman

Three Songs  
No. 1 The moonlit tree

Benjamin Lees  
b. 1924

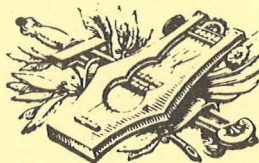
Miss Owens

VI

Concerto in A minor, Op. 16  
Allegro moderato

Edvard Grieg  
(1843-1907)

Miss McCoy



A simple gift is all I have to bring to Him, to sing to Him my love song; To share as best I can about His blessings every day, and how He hears me when I pray, and never turns away; To use the very voice He gave to praise Him thankfully; To put in words the way I feel and what He means to me:

When it's spring in my heart, my Lord's the season, and love's the easiest part; He's the reason. Whenever the sounds that often surround me fall like sadness on my ears, I close my eyes til I hear His music.

His music is the truest love song ever sung, it's for everyone - all children old and young. And if I reach a hundred I know there will be no other melody that's like the one He sings to me.

For if I am the day, my Lord's the sunrise. And there's no cloud in the way; He's the strong yet gentle wind. And I'm glad that He has given me much more than wealth or fame, for He's called me by His name, and that's why I proclaim the message of His grace through His music.

His music...

Miss Owens and Miss McCoy present this recital in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Music in Education. Miss Owens is a student of Mrs. Frances Scott. Miss McCoy is a student of Miss Virginia Queen.

There will be a reception following the recital in the gallery.

## Ushers

Denise Duren

Lisa McCoy