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THE COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

presents

The Illinois State University

Symphony Orchestra

Robert Oppelt, Conductor

4 th annual

Student Concerto

Program

Soloists:

Gerry Romack, Violin Christine Reichert, Viola Jeanne Balmes, Soprano Sheri Holliday, Soprano

Sunday, May 9, 1971

Capen Auditorium

4 o'clock

NOTES

The soloists who appear on the annual concerto program have been chosen through competitive audition before a faculty jury. These four student winners represent a level of performance which shows strong promise of professional competence in their chosen areas.

Gerry Romack is a sophomore applied music major from Decatur, Illinois. In the summer of 1967 he attended the International String Congress at the University of Southern California; made European Tour with the School Orchestra of America, and is a member of the ISU Symphony Orchestra and the Bloomington-Normal Symphony.

Christine Reichert is a sophomore applied music major from Wheaton, Illinois. She was a member of the Illinois All-State Orchestra and is a member of the Bloomington-Normal Symphony, the ISU Symphony, and the Honors Chamber Orchestra.

Jeanne Balmes is a Senior music education major from northern Chicago. She sang the roll of Ciesca in **Gianni Schicchi**, for the summer opera theatre.

Sheri Holliday is a junior music major from Albany, Georgia. She has been a member of the Treble Choir and University Choir. She sang in the production of **Sister Angelico**. She did summer study in Nice, France in the summer of 1970.

PROGRAM

Concerto in E minor, Op. 64 Allegro Molto Appassionato Gerry Romack, Violin Felix Mendelssohn

"The Tree on the Mountains", from the opera Susanna

Carlisle Floyd

"Glitter and Be Gay", from Candide Jeanne Balmes, Soprano Leonard Bernstein

Suite Hebraique Rhapsody Christine Reichert, Viola **Ernest Bloch**

"Non so Piu cosa son", from the opera Marriage of Figaro
Sheri Holliday, Soprano

W. A. Mozart

In exchange for the countess's hair ribbon Cherubino has snatched out of Suzanna's hands, he sings a love song he has written for all the beautiful women in the world.

"Lia's Aria", from **L'Enfant Prodigue**

Claude Debussy

Sheri Holliday, Soprano

The mother, Lia, sings beseechingly for the return of her prodical son Azael. She reminisces on the pleasant times of the past and laments having to spend her last years waiting in loneliness.

INTERMISSION

Concerto Grosso No. 1 (1962)

Ernest Bloch

for String Orchestra with Piano Obbligato

Prelude

Pastorale and Rustic Dances

Dirge

Fugue

Harold Gray, Piano

ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY SYMPHONY

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