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# ARTS FEST

## HAPPINESS IS...

FEATURING THE TREBLE CHORUS, DR. KOURTNEY AUSTIN, CONDUCTOR

THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 7:30 P.M.

ANNETT RECITAL HALL, LOWE CENTER FOR THE ARTS

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## Treble Chorus

Dr. Kourtney R. Austin, Conductor

Andrew McDonald, pianist

with Special Guests from Musical Theatre & Opera Scenes

### *Happiness Is...*

#### **... Singing!**

Cantate Domino

Hans Leo Hassler (1564-1612)

#### **... Family**

Women on the Plains

arr. Alice Parker (1925-2023)

1. Old Grandma

#### **... Inner Strength**

Warrior

Kim Baryluk (b. 1959)

Woman Am I

arr. Joan Szymko (b. 1957)

#### **... Catching Fireflies**

Hotaru Koi

arr. Rō Ogura (1990-1990)

#### **... The Awe of Nature**

Northern Lights

Ola Gjeilo (b. 1978)

Avery Black, soprano soloist

#### **... A Good Night's Sleep**

Sandman's Aria and Evening Prayer  
from *Hänsel and Gretel*

Engelbert Humperdinck (1854-1921)

The Sleep Fairy, Melia Fretwell

Hänsel, Sammy Thompson

Gretel, Liv Sharfenberger

#### **... Being Independent**

Mama, I'm a Big Girl Now  
from *Hairspray*

Marc Shaiman (b. 1959)

Penny, Annalyse Armijo; Amber, Ada Marcin; Tracy, Morgan Kjellberg

Prudy, Megan Deml; Velma, Anna Stoll; Edna, McKayla Fogerty

#### **... Spreading Light and Love**

Yo Soy Luz

Carlos Cordero (b. 1992)

... **Having Hope**

Where the Light Begins

Susan LaBarr (b. 1981)

... **Coffee**

Java Jive

Ben Oakland (1907-1979)

Arr. Ed Lojeski (d. 2020)

... **Did We Mention Singing?**

My Favorite Things

Richard Rodgers (1902-1979)

Arr. Mitos Andaya and George Maurer

... **Taking the Leap**

Look! Be: leap;

Libby Larsen (b. 1950)

## UWL Treble Chorus Personnel

### Soprano

Kyla Birschbach

Avery Black

Gracelyn Breitenstein #

Nora Erickson #

Lily Estermann

Amanda Keil

Jacqlyn Mathern

Lily Sanderson

Olivia Scharfenberger

### Alto

August Bernstein

Amanda Fontaine

Lily Hernandez

Morgan Kjellberg \*#

Olivia Mueller

Ashley Rechtzigel \*#

\* denotes chorus leadership

# denotes section leader

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# KHROMORPHIA

*DR. MARTIN I. GAINES, CONDUCTOR*

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