

BENNINGTON COLLEGE MUSIC DIVISION

Presents

A SENIOR CONCERT

By

LISE KREPS

Flute - Recorder - Composition

Wednesday
May 16, 1984

8:15 p.m.
Greenwall Music Workshop

Five Elizabethan Dances

Un-named Composers

1. James His Galliard
2. My Robbin
3. Strawberry Leaves
4. Daphne
5. Tickle My Toe

International Early Music and Furniture Moving Society, North Bennington Branch:

Lise Kreps, soprano recorder
Maxine Neuman, soprano and alto recorders
Alfred Eberle, alto and tenor recorders
John Hendrick, tenor recorder
Beth Donaldson, cello

Dreams' Journeys: six songs

Music by Lise Kreps

- I. The Journey Out
 1. At Night
 2. A Corpus Christi Carol
 3. Ah! Sunflower
- II. The Journey In
 4. It dropped so Low
 5. Haiku
 6. Dreams

Texts by:
Lise Kreps
Anonymous (15th century)
William Blake

Emily Dickinson
Matsuo Bashō (1694)
Langston Hughes

Susannah Waters, soprano
Lise Kreps, flute, tenor recorder, and alto flute
Alfred Eberle, bass recorder
Wendy Greenwald, piano

Trio in G major, Opus 119 B

Friedrich Kuhlau

Allegro Moderato
Adagio Patetico
Rondo Allegro

Lise Kreps, flute
Maxine Neuman, cello
Peter Calabro, piano

INTERMISSION

Piece pour flute seule

Jacques Ibert

Lise Kreps, flute

Aqua Cœlis (The Water of Heaven)

Lise Kreps

Maxine Neuman, cello
Jody Strasberg, percussion

Tape Sounds: Water, insects, birds, wind, and Arctic ice; from the International Sound Effects Library, and recorded at Queen Elizabeth Park, Vancouver, Canada on August 8, 1983; filtered through a Moog synthesizer. Special thanks to Richard Strader and Hildegard Westerkamp.

Eons Ago Blue

Robert Dorough (1962)

Ye Furniture Movers, Again:

Lise Kreps, alto recorder
Maxine Neuman, tenor recorder
John Hendrick, tenor recorder
Alfred Eberle, bass recorder
Susan Alancraig, cello
Sherman Foote, percussion

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This concert is being presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree.

DREAMS' JOURNEYS

1. At Night

Lise Kreps

We open the sky at night,
to send our thoughts far
into outer space,
and listen for the stars' voices in reply...

In the morning,
we wrap around us a blanket of cloud
and keep our thoughts to ourselves...

2. A Corpus Christi Carol

Anonymous (15th century)

Lully, lullay, lully lullay,
The falcon hath borne my make away.

He bore him up, he bore him down,
He bore him into an orchard brown,

And in that orchard there was a hall,
It was hanged with purple and pall,

And in that hall there was a bed,
It was hanged with gold so red.

And in that bed, there lieth a knight,
His woundes bleeding, day and night,

And by that bedside kneeleth a may,
She weepeth, night and day.

And by that bedside, there standeth a stone,
Corpus Christi written thereon.

3. Ah! Sunflower

William Blake

Ah, Sunflower! Weary of time,
Who countest the steps of the Sun,
Seeking after that sweet golden clime
Where the traveller's journey is done:

Where the Youth pined away with desire,
And the pale Virgin shrouded in snow,
Arise from their graves, and aspire
Where my Sunflower wishes to go.

4. It dropped so Low

Emily Dickinson

It dropped so low -- in my Regard --
I heard it hit the Ground --
And go to pieces on the Stones
At bottom of my Mind --

Yet blamed the Fate that flung it --
Than I denounced Myself,
For entertaining Plated Wares
Upon my Silver Shelf --

5. Haiku

Matsuo Bashō (1694)

On a journey, ill,
And over fields all withered,
Dreams go wandering still...

6. Dreams

Langston Hughes

Hold fast to dreams,
For if dreams go
Life is a barren field
Frozen with snow

Hold fast to dreams,
For if dreams die
Life is a broken -- winged bird
That cannot fly.