

BENNINGTON COLLEGE

presents

A FACULTY CONCERT

Wednesday September 10, 8 P.M.

1958

Carriage Barn

Three Sacred Concerts

Heinrich Schutz

For voice and continuo

Vom Namen Jesu

Was hast du Verwirket

O du allerbarmherzigster Jesu

Frank Baker and Paul Boepple

Imaginary Ballet

Henry Brant

1. Mental marionettes
2. That tango
3. Ten years later

Henry Brant, George Finckel, Gunnar Schonbeck

Four Songs

Louis Calabro

Late October - Sara Teasdale  
Autumn Dusk - Sara Teasdale  
Song Without Words  
On a Poem by Howard Nemerov

Leontina Calabro, Louis Calabro

Trio for clarinet, violin and 'cello

Lionel Nowak

Very slowly  
Moderately fast  
Rather fast

INTERMISSION

Variations on a theme of Paganini

Brahms

Julian DeGray

"VOM NAMEN JESU" (of Jesus Name)

What can one sing that is more entrancing,  
What can one hear that is more invigorating  
What melody is sweeter than Jesus' name?

"WAL HAST DU VERMIRKET" ( what hast thou done?)

What hast thou done, sweet child of Jesus  
to deserve such torture, pain and death?  
Is it not I who caused thy trial?  
How great is thy humbleness!

O DU ALLERBARMHERZIGSTER JESU" (O merciful Jesus)

O Merciful Jesus - - Save me, have pity on  
me, hear me and look graciously upon me  
when I call thy name!

"LATE OCTOBER"

Listen the damp leaves on the walks are blowing  
with a ghost of sound  
Is it a fog or is it a rain  
dripping from the low trees to the ground  
If I had gone before I could have remembered  
Lilacs and green afternoons of May  
I chose to wait, I chose to hear from Autumn  
whatever she has to say

"AUTUMN DUSK"

I saw above a sea of hills  
A solitary planet shine  
And there was no one near  
To keep the world from being mine

From the last dream of a dying woman  
aged eighty (of Ella Freeman Sharpe,  
Dream Analysis)

I did not want to suffer again  
Or ever feel pain,  
Last night I dreamed that I could see  
My sicknesses in me  
Gathering together, each a rose  
And I saw that all those  
Roses were planted and grew again  
Out of my pain