

Bennington College Music Division

Presents

A Senior Concert

by

Sharon Kanach

Wednesday  
June 7, 1978

8:15 p.m.  
Carriage Barn

Melisma  
for cello and piano

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Kirsten Vogelsang, cello  
Sharon Kanach, piano

Spontaneous Dialogue  
for two pianists, two pianos  
(Dedicated to Vivian Fine)

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Geneviève Beaudet  
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Trio

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Sue Kahn, flute  
Maurice Pachman, bassoon  
Jacob Glick, viola  
Sharon Kanach, conductor

The Voice of the Ancient Bard

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Laughing Song

(text by William Blake)  
(dedicated to Nicolas David Sayre and written for the faculty)

Sue Kahn, flute, piccolo  
Gunnar Schonbeck, B<sup>b</sup> clarinet  
Henry Brant, piano, harpsichord  
Rick Sacks, percussion  
Jim Pugliese, percussion  
David Starobin, guitar  
Jacob Glick, viola  
Jared Shapiro, cello  
Marianne Finckel, double bass

Richard Frisch, baritone soloist  
Sharon Kanach, conductor

(This concert is being presented in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the Bachelor of Arts Degree.)



## TEXTS

### The Voice of the Ancient Bard.

Youth of delight come hither.  
And see the opening morn,  
Image of truth new-born.  
Doubt is fled and clouds of reason,  
Dark disputes and artful teasing,  
Folly is an endless maze.  
Tangled roots perplex her ways,  
How many have fallen there!  
They stumble all night over bones of the dead:  
And they feel they know not what but care:  
And wish to lead others when they should be led.

### Laughing Song,

When the green woods laugh with the voice of joy  
And the dimpling stream runs laughing by,  
When the air does laugh with our merry wit,  
And the green hill laughs with the noise of it.

When the meadows laugh with lively green  
And the grasshopper laughs in the merry scene,  
When Mary and Susan and Emily,  
With their sweet round mouths sing Ha, Ha, He.

When the painted birds laugh in the shade  
Where our table with cherries and nuts is spread  
Come live and be merry and join with me,  
To sing the sweet chorus of Ha, Ha, He.