## The Bennington College Music Division Prevents:

## A SENIOR CONCERT BY JOHN HENDRICK

Wednesday May 21, 1986 8:15 p.m.
Greenwall Music Workshop

THE LEAVES BE GREEN

WILLIAM BYRD

John Hendrick, Alfred Eberle, Lise Kreps, Maxine Neuman, Andrea Kane: recorders

AN CAOINEADH (THE KEEN)

TRADITIONAL

(set by John Hendrick)

Andrea Kane, Erin Durrett, John Hendrick: voices

GAVOTTE AVEC 6 DOUBLES

J.P. RAMEAU

John Hendrick: piano

CELLO QUARTET

JOHN HENDRICK

1. Fuque

2. Allegro Barbaro

Maxine Neuman, Michael Severens, Tom Calabro, Max Weiss: celli

\*\*\* INTERMISSION \*\*\*

PRELUDE (from "Pour Le Piano")

CLAUDE DEBUSSY

John Hendrick: piano

13 WAYS OF ERADICATING BLACKBIRDS

words: MARK DeFOE

music: JOHN HENDRICK

Jeanne Kompare: flute
Claudia Friedlander: clarinet
Andrea Kane: piano, snare drum
Aris Economides: bass
Holland Mills: narrator
John Hendrick: conductor, bass drum

SONATINA

DULCIE HOLLAND

John Hendrick, Maxine Neuman: recorders
Marianne Finckel: piano

TWO DANCES

JOHN HENDRICK

1. Waltz

2. Tambourin

Marianne Finckel, Allen Shawn: pianos

Special thanks to Lou, Maxine, Jeff, Willie, Andrea, my parents, and Wallace Stevens.

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

## 13 WAYS OF ERADICATING BLACKBIRDS

I Reason with them. Speak softly. Hide your stick.

Buy them off. Six ton of feed corn, old wheat and rusty sorghum ought to turn the trick.

TTT

Drop brochures of Capistrano, complete with winter rates. Tell them they are swallows.

IV Frighten their children with authentic stuffed owls.

V
Stand in a field and threaten. Stop, bellow like nincompoop. Point and shout, Pow! Pow!

VI Declare a park. Hire them to pick up trash. When they call in sick, relocate the park.

VII

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Dye yourself black. Whirl about wildly, thrash, flap, chirp, and tweet like a demented lark.

Set out tanks of discount peanut butter. Verily, it gloms to the roof of their beaks.

Take a million hostages. Then mutter about one death a day. Ignore their shrieks.

X
Convert the Super Dome to micro-wave.
Tell them it's a pie. The dumb butts can't count.

XI
Build a monstrous runway near their roost. Pave it with bird brains. Black feather the airport.

XII
Give them to Three. To ten. To a Thousand.
O.K. Call the Marines. Show the bastards.

Napalm their asses! Flame throw em! Douse em in lead! Waste em! Hose them with the last word in death. Laser them and defoliate.
Blast and butt stroke. Gouge, rack off their dark wings. Pop out those beady inscrutable eyes.
Pound them to soup. Win! Win! Die! Die! Die!