MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS
PORTLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
TOSHIYUKI SHIMADA, MUSIC DIRECTOR AND CONDUCTOR
DECEMBER 9-11, 15-18, 1988
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MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS

A program of holiday music will be performed on the Kotzschmar Memorial Organ an hour before each concert.

**December 9, 10, 16, 17**  
**EARL MILLER**

**December 11, 15, 18**  
**ELIZABETH SOLLENBERGER**

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INTERMISSION
ANDERSON  A Christmas Festival
Joy to the World; Deck the Halls; God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen;
Good King Wenceslas; Hark, the Herald Angels Sing; Silent Night;
Jingle Bells; O Come, All Ye Faithful

Arr. BRAZ  Christmas Medley
I'll Be Home For Christmas; The Christmas Song; Winter
Wonderland; Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas

K.K. PREECE

TCHAIKOVSKY  Waltz of the Flowers, from “Nutcracker Suite”

TRADITIONAL  The Twelve Days of Christmas
Arr. Wilcocks/Rutter  MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS CHORUS

ANDERSON  Sleigh Ride

BERLIN/BENNETT  White Christmas
K.K. Preece

TALBOT/PERKINS  For Us a Child is Born, from “The Lamb of God”

MAGIC OF CHRISTMAS CHORUS

TRADITIONAL  Christmas Carol Sing-Along
(Words begin on page 26)
Joy to the World; Deck the Halls; It Came Upon a Midnight Clear;
Silent Night; O Come, All Ye Faithful; We Wish You a Merry
Christmas

Staging and Lighting
Gary Massey   Michael Schiff-Verre

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The “Magic of Christmas” concert will be broadcast at the following times:
Friday, December 23 at 8:00 p.m. on WMEA-FM (90.1)
Friday, December 23 at 8:00 p.m. on WPKM-FM (106.3)

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PORTLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
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First Violins
Sandra Kott
  Concertmaster
Richard Vanstone
Susan Shipley
Suzanne Gilman
Caroline Strumphler
Joanne Schnell
Amy Kimball
Laura Caballero
Susan Holcomb
Debra Fong
Evelyn Englund
Karine Swanquist
Annette Genovesi
Rebecca Garland

Violas
Laurie Kennedy
  Principal
Mark Smith
Jean Alvard
Ann Stepp
Pamela Spencer
Meg Gillette
Sally Busch
Betsy Miller
Donna Jerome

Violoncellos
James Kennedy
  Principal
Richard Noyes
William Rounds
Deborah Rolfe
Barbara Paschke
David Paschke
Joel Wolfe
George Hughes

Bass Clarinet
John Korajczyk

Bassoons
Elizabeth MacDonald
  Principal
Ardith Freeman

French Horns
John Boden
  Principal
Nina Allen
Katherine Heide
Llewellyn Humphreys

Trumpets
John Schnell
  Principal
Betty Barber
David Bamente
Mark Fenderson

Trombones
Nicholas Orovich
  Principal
Don Davis
Mark Manduca

Tuba
Don Rankin

Tympani
Reginald Bonnin

Percussion
Nancy Smith
  Principal
Jeff Fischer
Richard Flanagan

Harp
Jara Goodrich

Keyboard
Martin Perry

Emeritus
Katherine Graffam
  Violoncello
Clinton Graffam
  Oboe
Earle Dolphin
  Librarian

Librarians
Gloria Bonnin
Reginald Bonnin

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Joanne Schnell
John Schnell

Stage Manager
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The Boy Singers of Maine, which is in its tenth season, provides training in the European boychoir tradition for boys ages 8-14 and performs some 25 concerts each year. The choir has performed at the White House, Gov. McKernan's inauguration and the New England Bach Festival, and will sing with the PSO in March. For membership information call Mr. Cetto at 883-3059.

Edward Cetto, in his third year as director of the ensemble, is chancel choir director at the First Congregational Church in South Portland and teaches in the Biddeford schools. He is former music education director at New England Kurn Hattin Homes and children's choirs' director at Brattleboro Music Center. He graduated from Hartt School of Music.

The Boy Singers of Maine

Edward Cetto

Sopranos
Seamus Griesbach
David Hadley
Timothy Hadley*
James Kittredge
Raymond Lessard
Zachariah Mims
Jeffrey Prager

Mezzos
Jeremy Boulier
Joseph Edmondson
Michael Hickey
Roby Peabody*
Alexander Ruthenburg
Aaron Spiller

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Section Leaders*
Choir Leader**

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The Magic of Christmas Chorus is a group of singers who assemble each November for a brief month of rehearsals to prepare for the important role that the group plays in each Christmas concert. A diverse group of teachers, executives, homemakers, professionals, retirees, students and office workers, the singers devote many hours of rehearsal and performance time to help insure the success of the PSO's concerts.

The Portland Community Chorus, the core group of the Christmas chorus, was formed in 1978, and has grown from eight to 85 members who enjoy singing all kinds of choral music. Other performances with the PSO have included Verdi's "Requiem" and "A Cole Porter Celebration." It has also sung Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise" Symphony, Gounod's "Saint Cecilia Mass," Faure's "Requiem," and Bach's "Magnificat" with the Community Orchestra of the Portland Symphony. The Portland Community Chorus also provides a variety of presentations through its outreach programs in Greater Portland.

Daniel Junken, who was named director of the Portland Community Chorus last fall, is organizer and director of music at Woodfords Congregational Church in Portland. He graduated from Indiana University's School of Music. He has served at churches and synagogues in Indianapolis, Bloomington, Pittsburgh and Long Island and given many solo recitals. A vocal coach and pianist in lieder and chamber music recitals, Mr. Junken has conducted numerous choral and orchestral concerts. He was artistic director of Timepeace, a multi-media and award-winning performing ensemble in Pennsylvania.

**SOPRANOS**
Martha Allen  
Heidi Anderson  
Sr. Mary Janice Bartolo  
Charlotte Bickford  
Denise Brown  
Elizabeth Buxton  
Mary Calandro  
Pat Caron  
Doris V. Chapman  
Robin Cline  
Kris Conley  
Marie L. Crockett  
Allison Cummings  
Mia Dodge  
Louise Downs  
Ruth Doyle  
Beth Eastman  
Carol A. Faunce  
Catherine Faunce  
Althea Foss  
Paulette Grondin-Cardillo  
Margaret Hadley  
Gail Hamilton  
Marguerie Harmois  
Anne L. Harriman  
Beverly Hastings  
Carolyn Haynes  
Althea L. Irish  
Phyllis Kilofoil  
Patricia Kingsbury  
Joan Koski  
Susan Martin  
Judith McKinney  
Nancy McKinney  
Diane Miley  
Pearl Mitchell  
Susan Murphy  
Terri Nadeau  
Barbara C. Nannery  
Cheryl Nolan  
Amy O'Connell  
Barbara Mae O'Leary  
Jennifer Parks  
Carrrie Rhenlander  
Tracy Richards  
Maryellen Rollins  
Cathy Schroeder  
Sue Sharaf  
Margery Shuster  
Jaqueline Skvorak  
Claire Smith  
Beverley Ann Swenson  
Andrea Taylor  
Mary S. Thomas  
Sr. Kathleen Thomson  
Janice Tisdale  
Lois Tourniau  
Linda May Vaslet  
Jennifer Vernick  
Vicki West  
Dorothy Wilson

**ALTOS**
Ruth Abbiati  
Linda Adams  
Ellen F. Coppola  
Nancy H. Crosby  
Carolyn Davidson  
Ann Demetriou  
Donna Demuth  
Jean Dolloff  
Bernice Douglas  
Leslie Eastman  
Joan Fickett  
Susan Fitzgerald  
Jane Gerns  
Margaret Gildden  
Susan Goodrich  
Phyllis Greene  
Gladys Hager  
Linda Hallock  
Melissa Hamer  
Susan Heaney  
Judy Horn  
Lee Ann Hutchinson  
Rebecca Hynd  
Joanne Jensen  
Susan Kern  
Bette Lee  
Juliana L'Heureux  
Lucille Leighton  
Pamela Levere  
Ann Lucas  
Alma Willis Megginson  
Mary Miller  
Brenda Morneau  
Lorraine Piouffe  
Sylvia Primrose  
Donna Ryan  
Mary Ellen Schaper  
Anne-Mayre Schroeder  
Marcelle B. Smiley  
Cobie Smith  
Helen Smith  
Poria Smith  
Cindy Stewart  
Ruth Fairbanks Stewart  
Susannah M. Swihart  
Heidi Vigue  
Elaine Waugh  
Teresa Williams  
Jean Willis  
Deborah Wroth  
Katherine Wroth

**TENORS**
Rachael Brown  
Clint Dickinson  
Sam Greene  
John Hadley  
Myron Hager  
Paul A. Horn  
Ervin P. Kimball  
Benjamin Kreiton  
Carol Lohman  
Peter Morgan  
Brian S. Morrison  
Glenn Mosley  
Troy Murray  
Jeffrey Phillips  
Philip Rhinelander  
Michael Richards  
David Stiles

**BASSES**
Charles Barr  
Lewis H. Beckford  
William Bickford  
Nathan Brackett  
Eugene Brandon  
Dean Bridges  
Thomas Churchill  
Joseph Cook  
Blake Ellis  
Martin Grant  
Peter Johnson  
William D. Jones  
Larry Kellett  
Thomas R. Kelly  
Geoffrey Lucas  
John C. McVey  
Marion Packard  
Arthur Perrin  
Richard Reed  
Stewart Shuster  
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