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The only Pedal Harpsichord in the Western Hemisphere

Several first performances are included: Samuel Barber's *Reincarnations*, a modern extension of Renaissance polyphony, makes a significant musical point, heard side by side with the traditional madrigals. The series of English, French and Italian works all from the 16th century also is a revealing contrast.

Pedal Harpsichord

Vivaldi-Bach: Concerto No. 2 in A minor

Allegro—Adagio (senza pedale)—Allegro

Mozart:

Sonata in C Major (K 545) Allegro—Andante—Rondo

Bach:

Great Prelude in G Major Bouree II (English Suite II, A minor)

Specifications:

Bottom manual (I) 16' (with lute attachment)† 8' 4'

Top manual (II) Two 8' (one with lute attachment) 4'**

Pedal

16' 8' 4'

> *Bruce Prince-Joseph organ performances on Baroque Records **The 4' on both manuals offers unusual flexibility. †The Bach Bouree is played on the two lute attachments.

Laboratories

101 SECOND STREET STAMFORD, CONNECTICUT

The Hufstader Singers

JANEQUIN (b. circa 1500) Ce Mois de Mai "In this month of May I will put on my green mantle . ."
LASSUS (1532-1594) Soyons Joyeux "Let us be gay on the greensward in this beautiful Month of May, so gentle, so fresh, so gay . ."
PILKINGTON (c. 1562-1638) Rest Sweet Nymphs
MORLEY (1558-1603) April Is In My Mistress' Face
PALESTRINA (1526-1594) Sicut Cervus "Like as the heart desireth the water brook, so longeth my soul after Thee, Oh, Lord . .."
DOWLAND (1562-1626)

Weep You No More Sad Fountains

BARBER (1910-) Three Reincarnations (pub. 1942) Poems by James Stevens (after the Irish of Raftery—blind poet and ballad singer) 1. Mary Hynes—2. Anthony O'Daly 3. The Coolin
RAVEL (1875-1937) Trois Beaux Oiseaux Du Paradis (Birds of Paradise) "The first was bluer than the sky, The second was whiter than fallen snow The third was rapt in a bright red glow—" Chant: "My beloved is away at the wars..."

Chant: "My beloved is away at the wars..." (free translation) Soprano Solo—Martha Flowers

Robert Hufstader, Director

Juilliard: Director Department of Choral Music Director of Summer Sessions; Founder, Bach Circle; Conductor, Winter Park Bach Festival

Soprano Sarah Fleming Martha Flowers Bonnie Parcell *Tenor* James Beach Russell Oberlin Benjamin Wilkes Alto Loretta Bohn Claire Holmes Violet Serwin Bass Rich. Chapline Peter Flanders Chris. O'Malley