

2013-14 CONCERT SEASON

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Founding Artistic Directors:
Laura Ward, Randi Marrazzo, Suzanne DuPlantis

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Lyric Fest enters its second decade with an eclectic
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— FOR A SATISFYING AND DELIGHTFULLY
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- David Patrick Sterns, *The Philadelphia Inquirer*

Designed for the aficionado and novice alike, Lyric Fest is a unique musical offering in the city of Philadelphia. Equally noted for scholarship and entertainment, Lyric Fest presents artists of national and international stature, heard here in the intimate setting of song. Experience what critics have called "An irresistible mix of high art and humane feeling...as entertaining as a well managed party."

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Sunday, October 27, 2013, 3pm
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A costumed cast of characters present a magical program of Cowboys, Fairies, Elves and Valkyries and more. A hilarious (and educational) program lovingly created for families to enjoy together. Featuring "Character" pieces from Carmen to the Valkyries, Don Quixote to Don Juan, Dorothy to the Grinch; Classical songs, Arias from Opera, Broadway Musicals and Film Classics. Q&A time for the audience to connect with the performers. Lyric Fest; committed to sharing great music with kids! With guest artists: Rebecca Carr, Jeffrey Halili, Jessica Lennick, Chadwick Somers, Jason Switzer and Chrystal Williams with Laura Ward at the piano.



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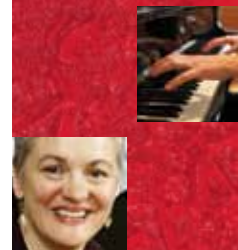
Misfortunes in love do indeed make for great songs and great opera, so just in time for Valentine's Day, Lyric Fest offers a program featuring the daydreams, denials and disasters of love — in song. With artists: Barbara Shirvis, Stephen Powell and Richard Troxell, Suzanne DuPlantis and Randi Marrazzo with Harold Evans at the piano. Make Lyric Fest a part of your Valentine's Day celebration!

DEAR MARCH—COME IN— AMERICAN WOMEN POETS IN SONG

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Celebrating both Women's History Month and Poetry Month, Lyric Fest presents a fantastically varied program of American women poets in song. Both well loved and little known settings are included, as well as Lyric Fest's latest commission project: song premieres by composers Abbie Betinis, Benjamin Boyle, Douglas Cuomo, Michael Djupstrom, Daron Hagen, James Primosch and Maurice Wright. The concert will also feature the winning song of Lyric Fest's Young Song Composers Competition, inaugurated in this season. With guest artists: Kiera Duffy, Joseph Gaines, Randall Scarlata and Elizabeth Shammash with Laura Ward at the piano.



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The Academy of Vocal Arts, The Helen Corning Warden Theater
1920 Spruce Street, near Rittenhouse Square, Philadelphia, PA 19103

Main Line Reform Temple
410 Montgomery Ave. Wynnewood, PA 19096

Lenape Valley Church (Bucks County)
321 W. Butler Ave (Route 202 & Ute Road) New Britain, PA 18901

Bryn Mawr College, Goodhart Hall, The Music Room
101 North Merion Ave, Bryn Mawr, PA 19010

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Subscribe for our Early Bird special by October 15, 2013 and join us for all four concerts for a subscription rate of \$70. Subscription after October 15 is \$85.

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