

# Music of Dorothy Rudd Moore

Saturday, February 11, 2012  
Winifred Smith Hall – 2:00pm

## *Sonnets on Love, Rosebuds and Death*

Introduction  
I had no thoughts of violets of late (Alice Dunbar Nelson)  
Joy (Clarissa Scott Delaney)  
Some things are very dear to me (Gwendolyn B. Bennett)  
He came in silvern armour (Bennett)  
Song for a Dark Girl (Langston Hughes)  
Idolatry (Arna Bontemps)  
Youth Sings a Song of Rosebuds (Countee Cullen)  
Invocation (Helene Johnson)

Cordelia Anderson, soprano  
Haroutune Bedelian, violin  
Lorna Griffitt, piano

On Wings of Song  
If music be the food of love  
Charity (Emily Dickinson)

arr. Dorothy Rudd Moore/Mendelssohn  
arr. Moore/Purcell  
arr. Moore/Hageman

Valerie V. Gay, soprano  
Marlaina Owens, soprano  
Stephen Tucker, piano

“Lullaby” from *Frederick Douglass*

Lisa Edwards-Burrs, soprano  
Pheaross Graham, piano

*The Weary Blues* (Langston Hughes)

Timothy Jones, baritone  
Gordon Grubbs, cello  
Andre Myers, piano

“July Fourth Speech” from *Frederick Douglass*

Gerald Blanchard, baritone  
Pheaross Graham, piano

## *From the Dark Tower*

O black and unknown bards (J.W. Johnson)  
Southern Mansions (Arna Bontemps)  
No Images (Waring Cuney)  
Dream Variation (Hughes)  
For a Poet (Cullen)  
From the Dark Tower (Cullen)

Gwendolyn Brown, contralto  
Gordon Grubbs, cello  
Richard Thompson, piano