POETS AND PATRIOTISM: THE 200TH BIRTHDAY OF THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER

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Program

INTRODUCTION | Thomas Hampson & Mark Clague

SETTING THE STAGE

FRANCIS HOPKINSON (1737-1791)
LYRICS BY THOMAS PARNELL (1679-1718)
"My Days Have Been So Wondrous Free"

FRANCIS HOPKINSON (1737-1791)
"O'er the Hills Far Away"
"My Generous Heart Disdains"

FRANZ JOSEPH HAYDN (1732-1809)
LYRICS BY ANNE HUNTER (1742-1821)
"The Sailor's Song"

THE ANTHEM

JOHN STAFFORD SMITH (1750-1836) LYRICS BY RALPH TOMLINSON (1744-1778) "The Anacreontic Song" (1775-1776)*

TRADITIONAL

"Yankee Doodle" (ca. 1750s)

JOHN STAFFORD SMITH (1750-1836) LYRICS BY ROBERT TREAT PAINE, JR. (1773-1811) "Adams and Liberty" (1798)*

JOHN STAFFORD SMITH (1750-1836) LYRICS BY FRANCIS SCOTT KEY (1779-1843) "When the Warrior Returns" (1805)*

JOHN STAFFORD SMITH (1750-1836) LYRICS BY FRANCIS SCOTT KEY (1779-1843) "The Star-Spangled Banner" Original Version (1814)*



LIFE & POLITICS

AUSTIN PHILLIPS (19TH CENTURY, DATES UNKNOWN)
LYRICS BY REV. J. REYNELL WREFORD (1800-1881)
"Oh! Who Has Not Seen The Young Rose Fade Away" (1843)

E. A. ATLEE (19TH CENTURY, DATES UNKNOWN)
"Oh Say, Do You Hear?" (1844)

STEPHEN FOSTER (1826-1864)
"Comrades, Fill No Glass For Me" (1855)



A NATION DIVIDED

STEPHEN FOSTER (1826-1864)

"Hard Times" (1854)*

"That's What's the Matter" (1862)*

MICHAEL DAUGHERTY (B. 1954)
TEXT BY ABRAHAM LINCOLN (1809-1865)
"Letter to Mrs. Bixby" (2009)

HARRY T. BURLEIGH (1866-1949)
TEXT BY WALT WHITMAN (1819-1892)
"Ethiopia Saluting the Colors" (1915)



THE ANTHEM UNITED

TRADITIONAL GERMAN
"Das Star-Spangled Banner" (ca. 1861-1865)

TRADITIONAL SPANISH
"La bandera de las estrellas" (1918)

CHARLES IVES (1874-1954)
TEXT BY JOHN MCCRAE (1872-1918)
"In Flanders Fields" for voice and piano, S. 277 (1919)



PATRIOTIC PARTICIPATION

SAMUEL A. WARD (1847-1903)
LYRICS BY KATHARINE LEE BATES (1859-1929)
"America the Beautiful" (1895)*

JOHN ROSAMOND JOHNSON (1873-1954) LYRICS BY JAMES WELDON JOHNSON (1871-1938) "Lift Every Voice and Sing" (1900)*