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“Honoring My Sister’s Beauty”

Ashland Concert Celebrates Diverse Musical Traditions through the Theme of Sisterhood

Ashland, Oregon—On Sunday, May 7 at 3pm at the SOU Music Recital Hall, Ashland-based nonprofit Anima Mundi Productions will present an unforgettable concert called *Honoring My Sister’s Beauty*, celebrating European and African American musical traditions through the lens of sisterhood.

The unique program of professional musicians from LA and Seattle combines art songs with blues and spirituals alongside original poetry and beautiful visuals to explore women’s struggles for greater equality and racial reconciliation.



Rogue Valley poet and co-Artistic Director Tiziana DellaRovere, who contributed two poems to the program, says “this concert sparks a conversation through poetry and music intended to repair the sorrow, injustice, and separation that began centuries ago.”

The performers are LA Opera singers Lindsay Abdou and Brooke Lohman, Seattle/Tacoma-based pianist Joseph Williams, and the violinist, poet, and educator Dr. Lesa Terry.

The eclectic musical program includes works by Hildegard von Bingen, Giovanni Pergolesi, and Carlisle Floyd alongside blues, spirituals, and African American women composers Florence Price, Margaret Bonds, and Dorothy R. Moore. It also features a newly commissioned world premiere by Anima Mundi Productions’ resident artists, Tiziana DellaRovere and Ethan Gans-Morse.

TICKETS: www.HumanityTickets.com

(541) 833-3066 | tickets@animamundiproductions.com

Reduced price at the door for students under 25, SOU Faculty/Staff, and Oregon Trail cardholders. Please arrive 30 minutes early to purchase discounted tickets.

NOTE: This concert also features a “watch from home” video. See website for details.

HONORING MY SISTER'S BEAUTY:

A Musical and Poetic Conversation Between Diverse Traditions

DATE: Sunday, May 7, 2023 @ 3:00pm

VENUE: SOU Music Recital Hall, 450 S Mountain Ave, Ashland, OR 97520

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The mission of Anima Mundi Productions is to create, present, and produce new musical works that harness the power of the arts to stir the soul, foster community, and address urgent social and environmental problems.

The mission of our **Heart of Humanity Concert Series** is to bring world-class musicians to Oregon to give voice to marginalized people with compassion and depth, turning the concert hall into a space for renewed hope, communal healing, and mutual understanding.