

The MET Singers

Singing In the City

Mini Master Class Workshop

for Grades 9-12 Choir Students
Music Educators/Choral Directors
Music Education Majors
and MET Singers Choral Retreat

Observe ∞ Participate ∞ Perform

The Princely Players Guest Artists

Saturday, November 14, 2009

9 am to 4 pm

On Historic Fisk University Campus
Park Johnson Hall

1000 17th Avenue N.
Nashville, TN 2008

MET Singers

A youth development/performing arts program
of Choral Arts Link, Inc.

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Singing In The City 2009-2010

This season, Singing in the City workshops/retreats hold a new aspect by inviting local artists to provide mini-master classes that showcase their artistic talents and skills, offering participants opportunities to learn from and participate in their creative expression.

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SESSION DESCRIPTION

Session I 9 am to 12 pm

- Formal *Choral* Rehearsal Regimen
- Distinctive Repertoire

Session II 1 pm to 4 pm

- Inspiration Point: Guest Artist Performance
- Score Study SATB Sectionals, with Princely Players & MET Artistic Associates
- Perform & Be Critiqued by Princely Players

Singer/ Collegiate Options:

- Ralph Vaughn Williams' Da Pacem Domine, movement VI and Roland Carter's classic arrangement of Lift Every Voice and Sing [Session I]
- Work with professionals immersed in choral performance for over 30 yrs.
- Performance pointers from singers experienced in traditional, historical forms of choral music in multiple genres.

The Princely Players



November 14, 2009 Guest Artists

The Princely Players deliver performances with superb voices and exceptional stage presence. They have collaborated with Ladysmith Black Mambazo, the Nashville Symphony, the Nashville Chamber Orchestra and the Nashville Ballet. Members of the ensemble have recorded with Nashville musicians Martina McBride, Jorma Kaukonen, Shooter Jennings, Mindy Smith, Randy Travis, Danny O'Keefe and Kathy Mattea (to name a few). This ensemble has performed their unique program of spirituals, work songs, hymns, and songs of freedom at the Tennessee Performing Arts Center, Yale University, Ryman Auditorium, Little Rock's Festival of Religious Arts, and the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, DC- among many others.

Music Educator Options:

- Rehearsal techniques [Session I]
- Performance Decorum by professionals immersed in authentic historical presentation of Negro Spirituals
- Gather vocal/performance techniques for authenticity; bring literature to life.

MET Singers Distinction

Perform Commissioned Choral Works
2001, 2002, 2003, 2004

Singing In The City

Workshop Participant Fees	½ Day	Full Day
	9am-12 Session I	1pm-4 Session II
Teacher/Choir Director	\$ 10	\$ 20
Choir Student (grades 9-12)	\$ 5	\$ 5
College/University	\$ 7	\$ 10

Special Teacher Package Offer

One (1) choir director & four (4) choir students.

½ Day pkg. fee, \$25, total for 5
Full Day pkg. fee, \$35, total for 5

The 5 **must** meet description as stated above.

Teacher In-service certificate provided at conclusion for number of hours attended. (3 or 6 possible hours)

Teacher Package Offer

Package = One (1) choir director & four (4) choir students.

½ Day pkg. fee, \$25
Full Day pkg. fee, \$35

COMPLETE separate forms for each student. On Teacher's Form write names.

MET Singers Distinction
Performances with a Nationally Recognized Symphony Orchestra Since 1998

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FAX OR EMAIL COMPLETED FORM TO PRE-REGISTER

MET Singers

Artistic Associates

Karen Mueller	Nita Smith
Ronda Armstrong	Debra Tillery
Angela Roberts	Chad Witemeyer
Margaret Campbelle- Holman	Brandon Boyd TSU Service Learning Student Director

Artistic Staff

Stephanie Blocker, Vocal Coach
Alicia Ingram TSU Service Learning Intern

MET Singers Distinction
Unique Collaborative Teaching Environment
360 Degree Mentoring Process Since 1997

Singing In The City

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