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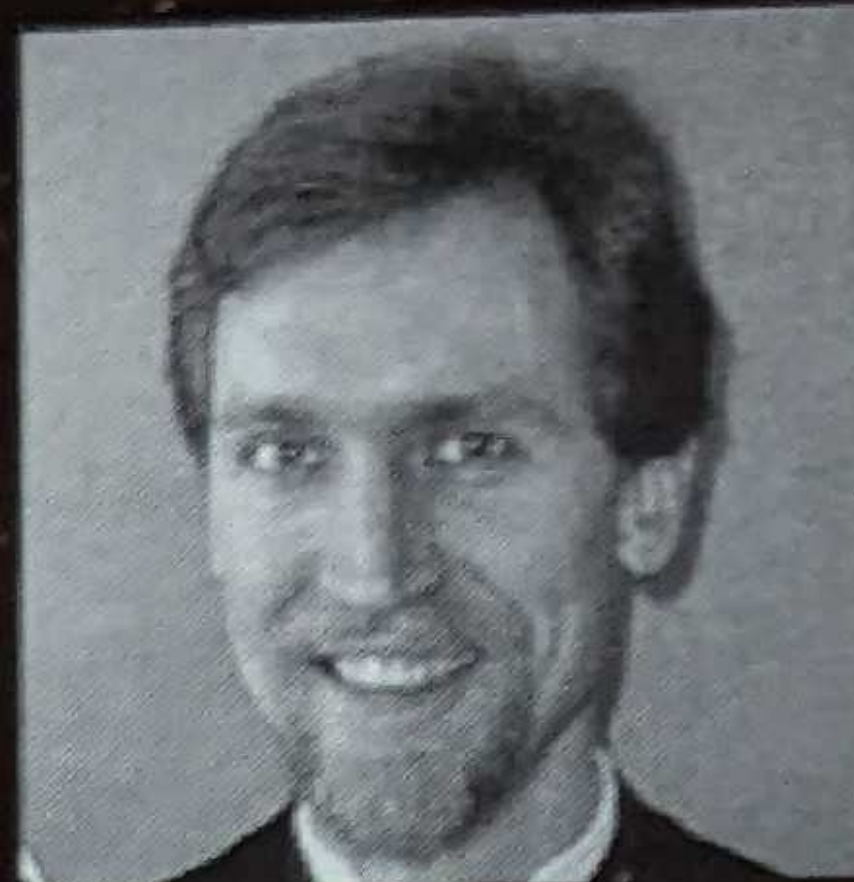
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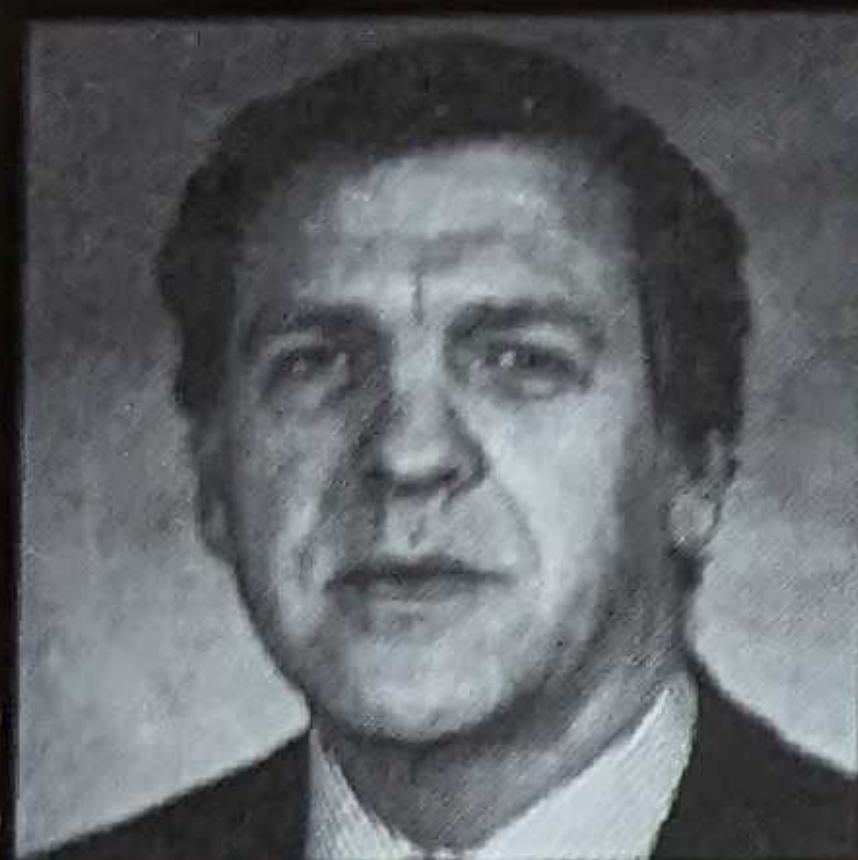
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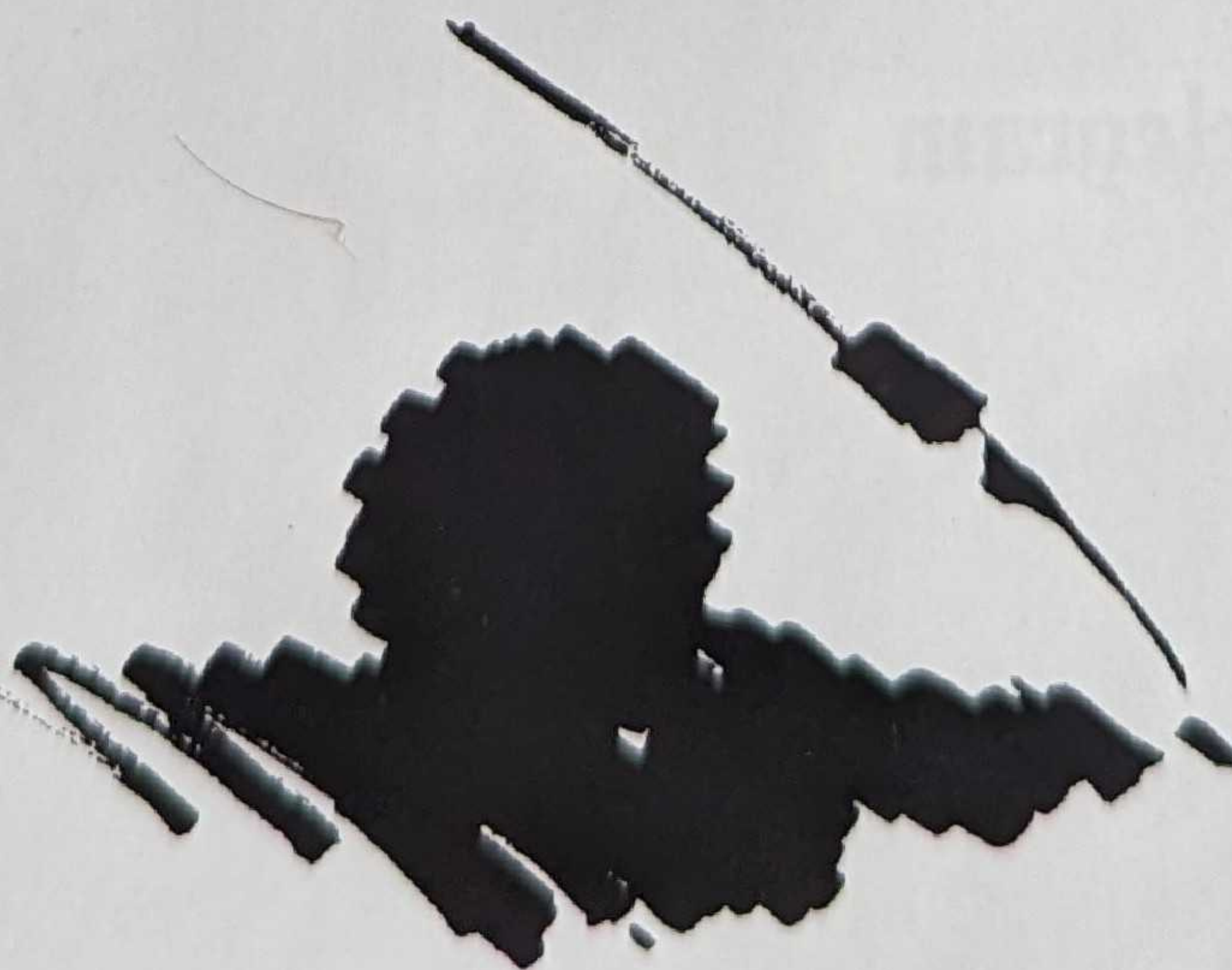
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MASTERWORKS SERIES

Marc David *Conductor*

BACK WITH BRAHMS

FRIDAY OCTOBER 15, 1999 Arts & Culture Centre ~ 8:30pm

Jon Kimura Parker *Piano*

Remarkably versatile pianist, Jon Kimura Parker has performed from Carnegie Hall to war-torn Sarajevo, for over 1000 Inuit school children with the music of Alanis Morissette and has jammed with Doc Severinson and the Tonight Show Orchestra... and now he's back with Brahms.

Overture: Marriage of Figaro	Mozart
Landscapes (Premiere Performance)	Stewart Grant
Piano Concerto No.1, op. 15, d minor	Brahms

7:45pm Prelude Concert: **Frank Fusari** *Double Bass*

a **Seagram** Symphonia program

THE GREAT SYMPHONY

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 19, 1999 Arts & Culture Centre ~ 8:30pm

Mark Fewer *Violin*

Gary Kulesha *Composer in Residence*

Newfoundland's own Mark Fewer plays one of the romantic favourites for the violin. Mark is well known across Canada as a soloist, chamber musician, teacher and concertmaster (Vancouver, Kitchener - Waterloo, Royal Winnipeg Ballet). You'll hear one of the GREAT Romantic Symphonies and music by one of the most sought after Canadian composers.

Dreams	Gary Kulesha
Violin Concerto e minor	Mendelssohn
Symphony No.9, D.944 C Major (The Great)	Schubert

7:45pm Prelude Concert: **Gary Kulesha** *Composer*


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20TH CENTURY SERENADE

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 18, 2000 Arts and Culture Centre ~ 8:30pm



Duo Concertante ~ Nancy Dahn Violin, Timothy Steeves Piano

A sampler of the best of the varied styles of the 20th century - from jazz to film - from dance to symphony. Plus a new work for Duo Concertante. Formed in 1996, Memorial Music Professors Nancy Dahn and Timothy Steeves have quickly established a reputation for performances marked with brilliance, nuance, passion and insight. Rave reviews have followed from New York, Halifax and St. John's. Their debut recording entitled *A Deux* was released in 1998.

West Side Story Suite
Adagietto from Symphony No.5
Three Nocturnes

Bernstein
Mahler
Debussy

Concerto for Violin & Piano (World Première)
Firebird Suite

Andrew P. McDonald
Stravinsky

7:45pm Prelude Concert: **The Scruncheons Percussion Ensemble**



HIBERNIA GALA

FRIDAY OCTOBER 29, 1999 Arts & Culture Centre ~ 8:00pm

The NSO's annual fundraising gala
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BEETHOVEN MARATHON WITH PIANIST ANTON KUERTI

Marc David *Conductor*

All 5 piano Concertos plus the Choral Fantasy performed by Anton Kuerti
- one of the world's celebrated interpreters of the music of Beethoven.

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FRIDAY MARCH 31, 2000

Arts & Culture Centre ~ 8:30pm

Piano Concerto No.2 Op. 19, B-flat Major
Piano Concerto No.3 Op. 37, c minor
Piano Concerto No.4 Op. 58, G Major

SATURDAY APRIL 1, 2000

Arts & Culture Centre ~ 8:30pm

Piano Concerto No.1 Op. 15, C Major
Choral Fantasy Op. 80
Piano Concerto No.5 Op.73, E-flat Major "Emperor"
NSO Philharmonic Choir

7:45pm Prelude Concerts: Atlantic String Quartet ~ Beethoven

Single tickets: (per concert) \$32.00/\$27.00,
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SINFONIA SERIES

PETRO-CANADA Peter Gardner *Conductor*

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FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 1999 Arts & Culture Centre ~ 8:00pm

Celebrating the 50th anniversary Newfoundland's confederation with Canada with Newfoundland music from 1820-1942 reconstructed by Dr. Paul Woodford. You'll hear the six versions of the "Ode" which vied for official recognition and much more.

Paul Woodford *Guide*

Elizabeth Planje *Soprano*

Douglas Dunsmore *Baritone*

NSO Philharmonic Choir

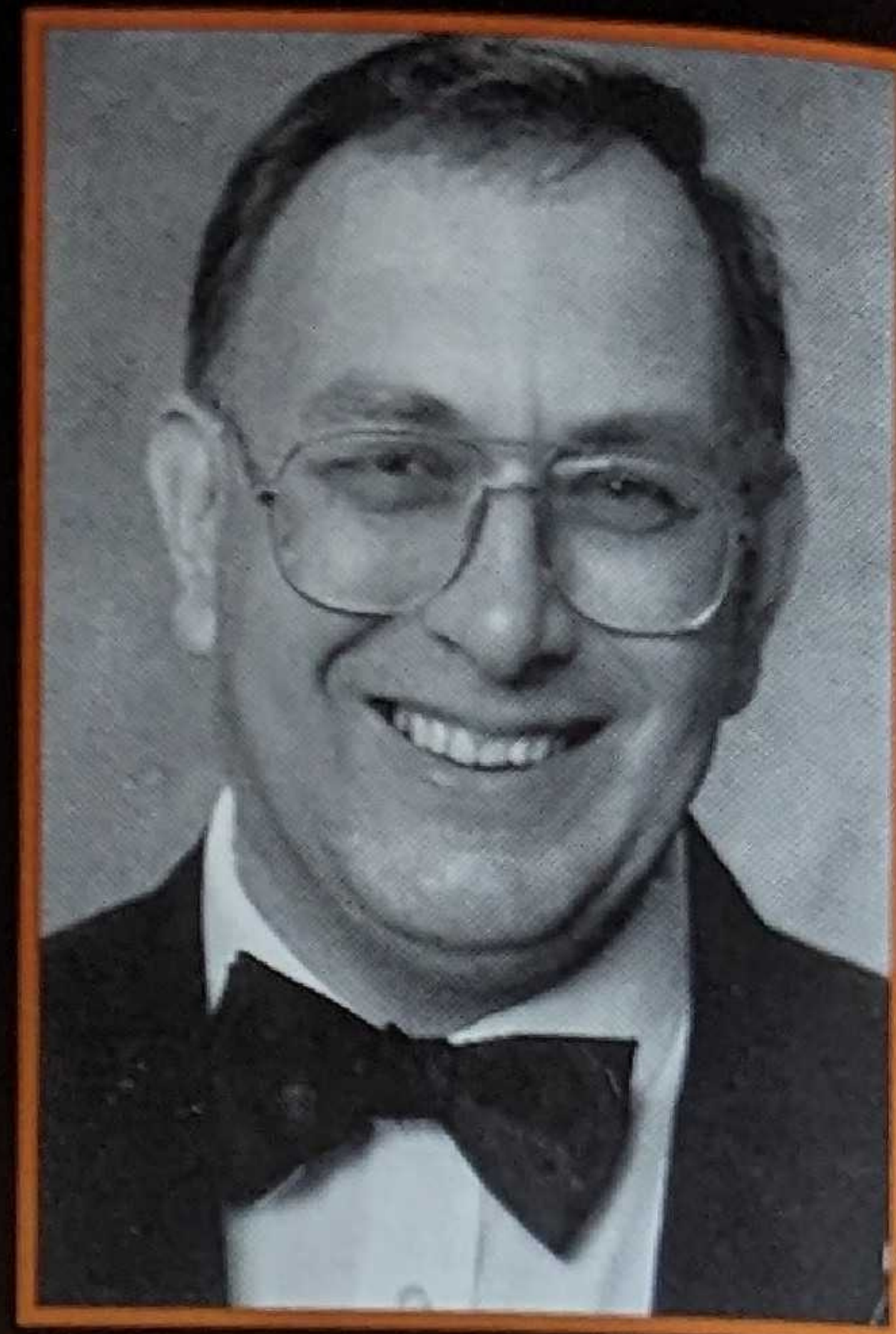


Photo: St. John's Choral & Orchestral Society, Methodist Hall, 1910

Sinfonia ~ single tickets: \$17.50/\$14.50 No. 1 and 3 Call 729-3900 ~ No. 2 and 4 Call 753-6492



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PETRO-CANADA YOUNG SINGERS COMPETITION

SATURDAY JANUARY 8, 2000 Cook Recital Hall ~ 8:00pm

The finals of this new competition specifically developed to celebrate the year 2000 and to support young singers with special connections to Newfoundland and Labrador.

GREAT ORATORIO CHORUSES

SATURDAY MARCH 11, 2000 Arts & Culture Centre ~ 8:00pm

The NSO Philharmonic Choir, Memorial University's Festival Choir and the winners of the Petro-Canada Young Singers competition take centre stage for selections from the rich choral repertoire. Including Bach's *Christmas Oratorio* and *Sheep May Safely Graze*, Handel's *Messiah* and *Zadok the Priest*, Vivaldi's *Gloria*, Mozart's *Requiem*, Mendelssohn's *Elijah* and Haydn's *Creation* plus Handel's *The Arrival of The Queen of Sheba* and *Water Music*.

Douglas Dunsmore Conductor
NSO Philharmonic Choir
Memorial University Festival Choir

GREAT MUSIC FOR WINDS & STRINGS

SATURDAY APRIL 15, 2000 Cook Recital Hall ~ 8:00pm

Join Sinfonia for this rare opportunity to hear two masterpieces of the chamber ensemble repertoire. Mozart thought his *Serenade in B-flat "Gran Partita"* for 13 winds was one of his best compositions. It was featured in the movie *Amadeus*. Bach's *The Musical Offering* for strings will be introduced by violinist Tom Rolston, one of the directors of the Banff School.

Musical Offering for Strings Bach
Gran Partita for Winds Mozart

Special Guest: **Tom Rolston** Violin



NEWFOUNDLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA & THE ED GOFF BIG BAND "JAZZ AND SWING"

FRIDAY & SATURDAY JANUARY 21 & 22, 2000

Arts & Culture Centre ~ 8:00pm

Big Band numbers by Glen Miller, Duke Ellington & Benny Goodman plus *Rhapsody in Blue* and *I've Got Rhythm Variations* by Gershwin.

Peter Gardner and Jim Duff Conductors
Timothy Steeves Piano



Big Band ~ single tickets: \$29.50/\$25.50,
\$25.50/\$21.00, \$18.00/\$14.50 Call 729-3900

HANDEL'S MESSIAH

Marc David *Conductor*

FRIDAY & SATURDAY DECEMBER 10 & 11, 1999 Basilica of St. John the Baptist ~ 8:00pm

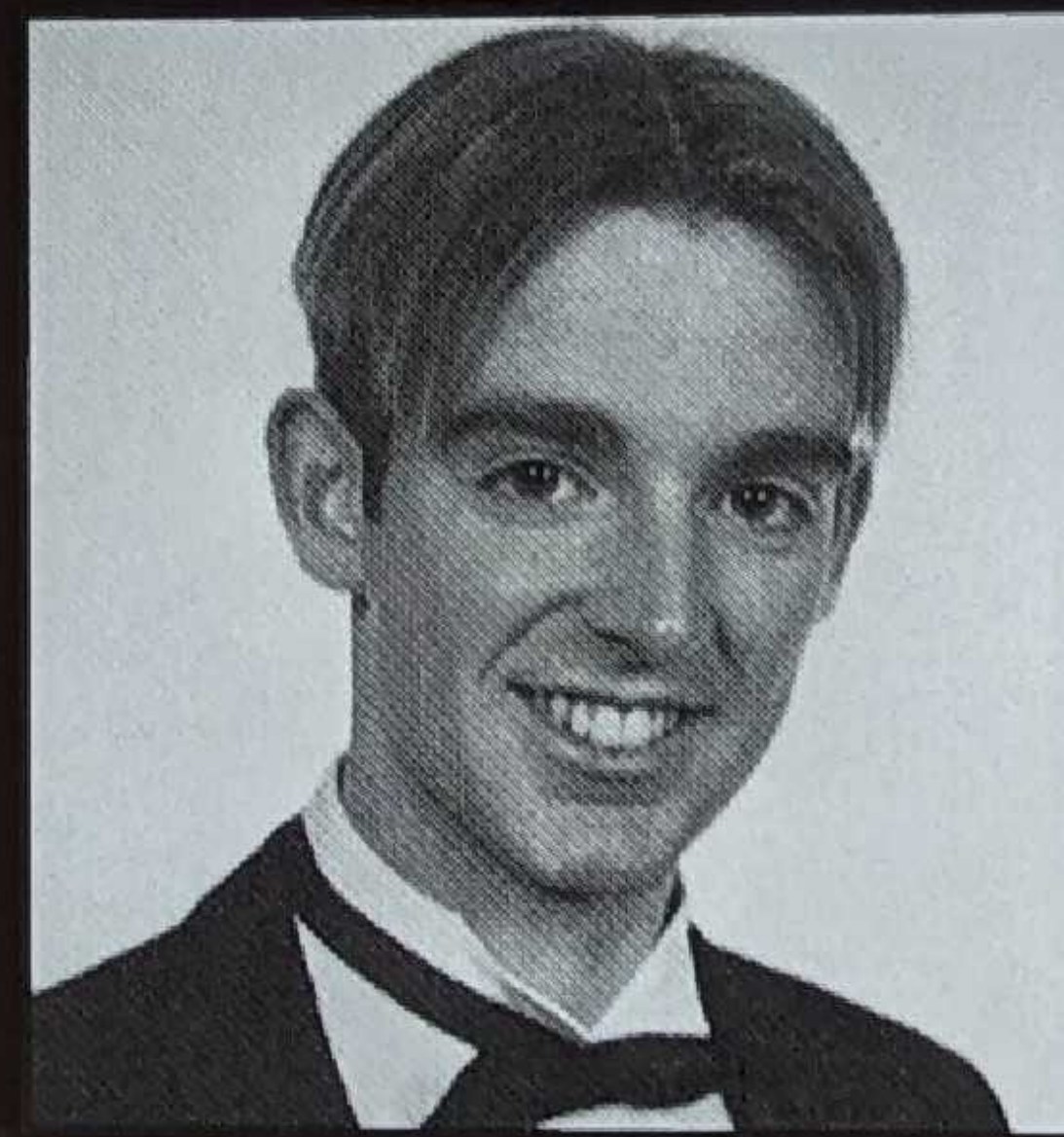
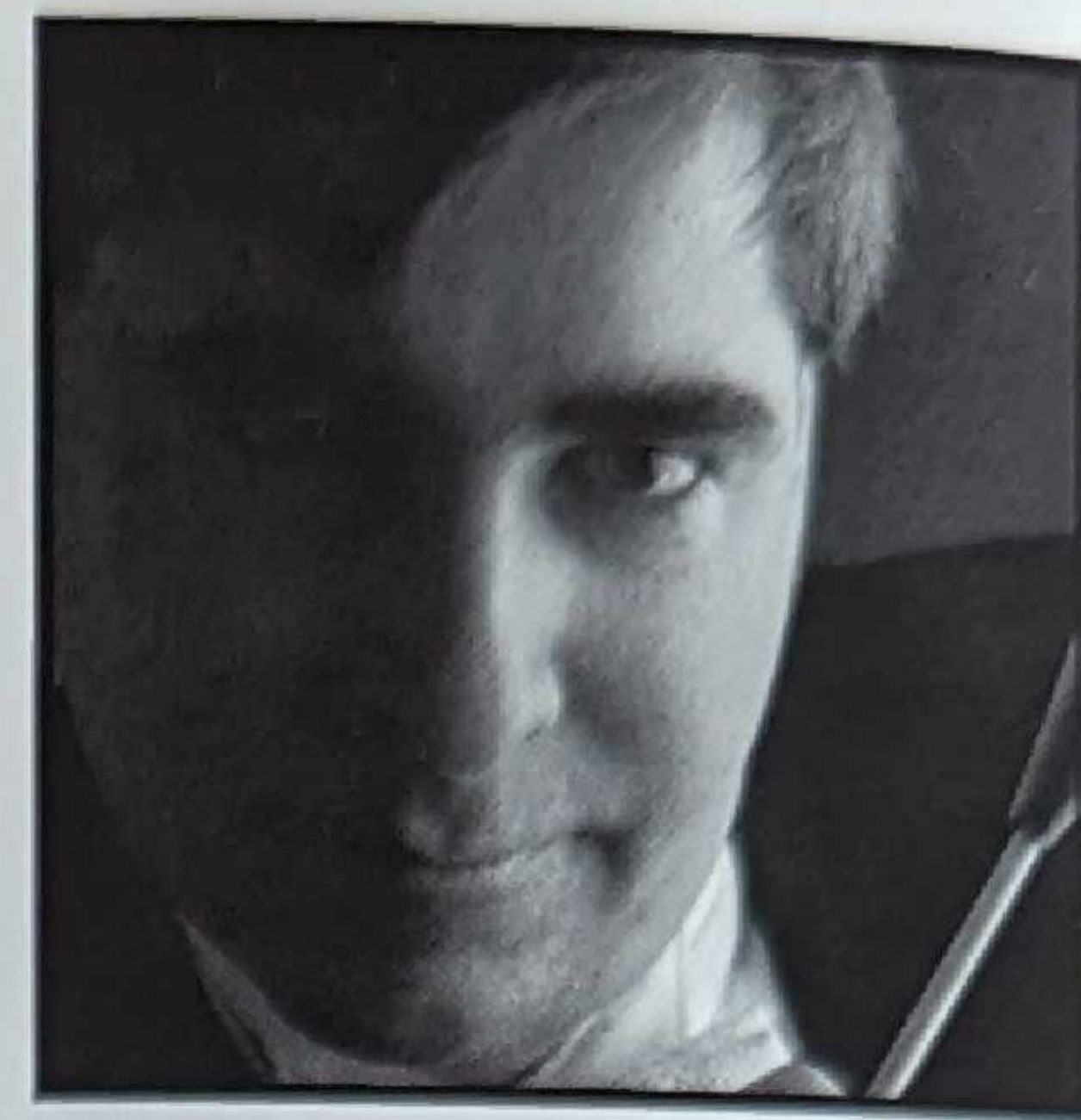
Mary Bella *Soprano*

Catherine Fitch *Mezzo-Soprano*

E. Mark Murphy *Tenor*

Neil Edwards *Baritone*

NSO Philharmonic Choir



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RECITAL SERIES

Atlantic String Quartet

THE CLASSICAL QUARTET

FRIDAY OCTOBER 1, 1999 Cook Recital Hall ~ 8:00pm

String Quartet C Major, K465	<i>Dissonance</i>	Mozart
String Quartet D Major, Op. 64 No.5		Haydn
Quintet for Clarinet and String Quartet		Mozart

Guest Artist: **Lorne Buick** Clarinet

CANADIAN MUSIC CELEBRATION

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 12, 1999 Cook Recital Hall ~ 8:00pm

String Quartet	Gary Kulesha
Lament In The Trampled Garden	Marjan Mozetich
Quartet No. 3	Chan Ka Nin

BRAHMS AND SCHUMANN

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 11, 2000 Cook Recital Hall ~ 8:00pm

String Quartet, c minor, Op. 51 No.1	Brahms
Quintet for Piano and Strings	Robert Schumann

Guest Artist: **Kristina Szutor** Piano

THE HARMONIC LINE

FRIDAY APRIL 28, 2000 Cook Recital Hall ~ 8:00pm

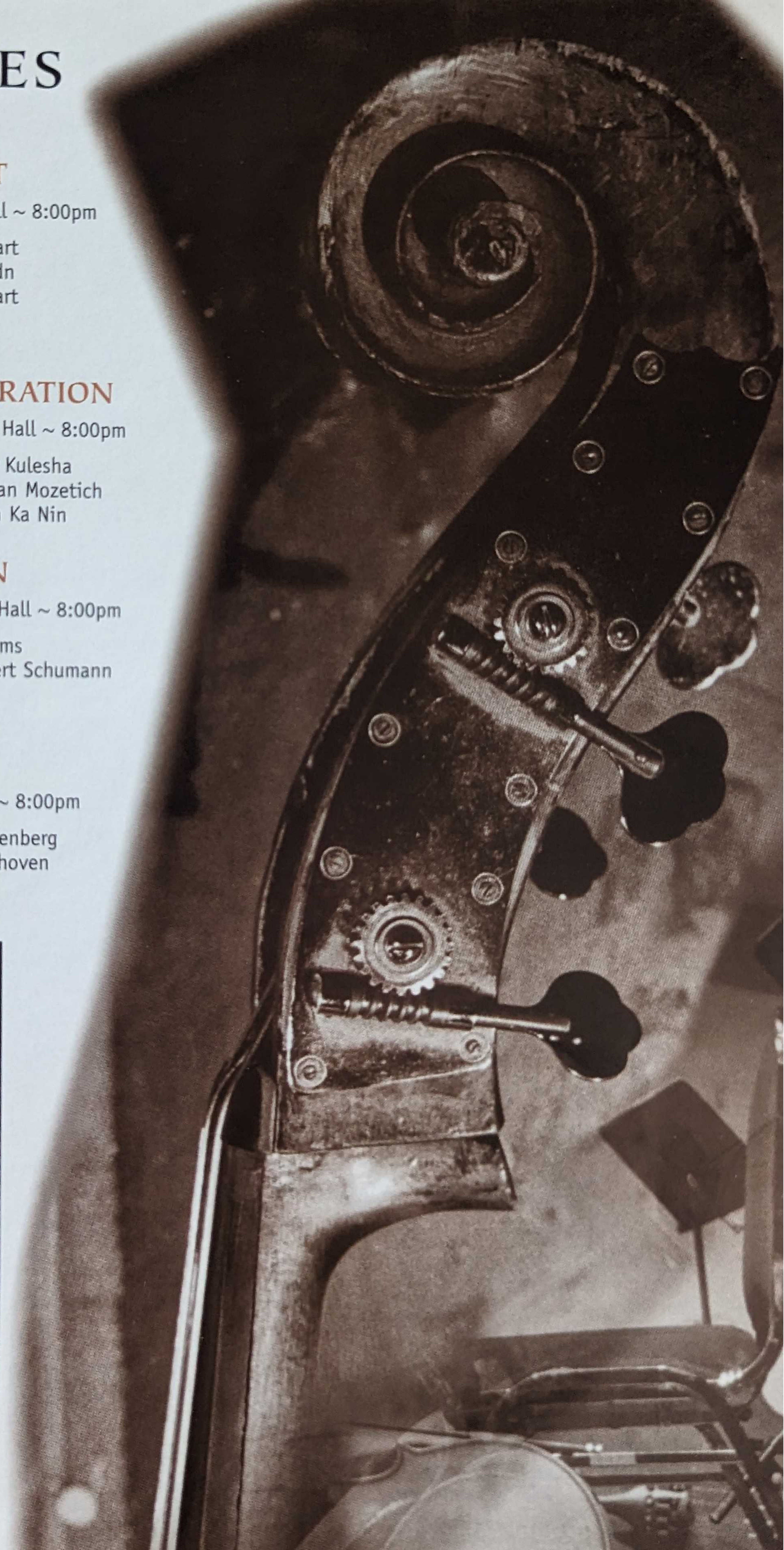
String Quartet No.2	Schoenberg
String Quartet, a minor, Op. 132	Beethoven

Guest Artist: **Carolyn Hart** Soprano



(clockwise from top) **Alison McLellan** Violin
Alexandra Bates Viola,
Jennifer Johnson Violin, **Theo Weber** Cello
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