

Graduate Recital

Vocal Performance/Pedagogy

Bethany Swalberg-Soprano

Violin/Viola
(Music Education)

Recital Hall | Saturday, April 20, 2024 | 5 p.m.

Program

Foreign Language and Sacred Set

O Mio Babbino Caro (*Italian*) Puccini
Aria from the opera "Gianni Schicchi"

Deh Vieni, Non Tardar (*Italian*) W.A. Mozart
Aria from the opera "The Marriage of Figaro"

Estrellita (*Spanish*) Manuel M. Ponce

Le Colibri (*French*) Ernest Chausson

Die Forelle (*German*) Franz Schubert

How Firm a Foundation Robert Keen/ J. Ellis
(arr. by Murray Bowen)

More Holiness Give Me Phillip Paul Bliss
(arr. by Ronald Staheli)

Libiamo Ne' Lieti Calici (*Italian*) Giuseppe Verdi
Vocal Duet from the opera "La Traviata" featuring Nathan Northrup, tenor (DMA Student)

Intermission

See you in 10 minutes 😊

String Set

Be Thou My Vision—Violin

Traditional Irish Melody
(arr. Stephen Nelson)

Vocal/Violin Duet, featuring Amy Jo Halliday, soprano (DMA student)

The Swan—Viola

Camille Saint-Saëns

Musical Theater Set

On My Own

Schoenberg

From “Les Misérables”

I Won’t Mind

Kessler/Blumenkrantz

I Could Have Danced All Night

Marni Nixon

From “My Fair Lady”

Somebody Somewhere

Frank Loesser

From “The Most Happy Fella”

The Girl in 14G

Scanlan/Tesori

Show Off

Lambert/Morrison

From “The Drowsy Chaperone”

Vanilla Ice Cream

Jerry Bock

From “She Loves Me”

Closing number

Final Number with Bethany and her past teachers at ASU:

Con Te Partiro (Italian) Time to Say Goodbye

Sartori/Quarantotto

Vocal Duet with Carlos Felicianos, tenor and String Trio: Violin—Bella Ward, Viola—Evelyn Swalberg, Cello—Gina Choe

Voice Teacher 2023-2024: Dr. Stephanie Weiss *Not performing in this number

Voice Teacher 2022-2023: Carlos Felicianos, tenor (DMA Vocal Performance)

Cello Teacher 2022: Gina Choe (DMA Cello Performance)

Violin Teacher 2024: Bella Ward (M.M. Violin Performance and Pedagogy)

Viola Teacher 2023: Professor Nancy Buck—she was unavailable, so Bethany asked her daughter, Evelyn Swalberg, to play.

Bethany is incredibly grateful for these world-class teachers/mentors who have changed her life for the better.