

VOX CHAMBER CHOIR WITH
THE CAPE TOWN PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

FRANCO PRINSLOO'S NEW CHRISTMAS ORATORIO

LIG VAN WAARHEID



Groote Kerk, Cape Town

November 26, 2022 20:00



**CAPE TOWN
PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA**

Franco Prinsloo

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- IA. PROLOOG U, HEER VIR ONS GEBORE
- IB. PROLOOG VOORSPELLING VAN DIE MESSIASRYK
- II. RESITATIEF EN IN DIE SESDE MAAND
- III. KORAAL OP GABRIËLS WOORD
- IV. RESITATIEF WEES GEGROET BEGENADIGDE!
- V. KORAAL GELUK OP AARD!
- VI. RESITATIEF "HOE KAN DIT WEES"
- VII. RESITATIEF "DIE HEILIGE GEES SAL OOR JOU SPOEL"
- VIII. KORAAL EN GEMEENTESANG LAAT ONS NOG EENS DIE LIED HERHAAL
- IX. ARIA DIE LOFSANG VAN MARIA
- X. RESITATIEF HIER IS U DIENSMAGD HERE
- XI. KANON NET SOOS 'N SELDSAAM SKONE BLOM
- XII. RESITATIEF EN IN DAARDIE DAE HET DAAR 'N BEVEL UITGEGAAN
- XIII. KORAAL HEIL ONS! DAAR IS 'N KIND GEBORE
- XIV. RESITATIEF EN TERWYL HULLE DAAR WAS IS DIE DAE VERVUL
- XV. DUET EN KORAAL EK HOOR 'N KINDJIE WENEND
- XVI. RESITATIEF EN DAAR WAS HERDERS IN DIESELFDE LANDSTREEK
- XVII. RESITATIEF MOENIE VREES NIE
- XVIII. KORAAL WEES BLY! WEES BLY!
- XIX. RESITATIEF LAAT ONS DAN NA BETHLEHEM GAAN
- XX. KORAAL KOM LAAT ONS SAAM 'N LOFLIED SING
- XXI. FINALE U IS ONS LIG!

To follow the libretto, please visit www.voxchamberchoir.com

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Franco Prinsloo

(b. 1987)

Franco Prinsloo is an award-winning composer and conductor from South Africa. He creates in a diverse variety of contemporary classical styles with a specific focus on choral music, vocal music, and music for theatre.

In 2021 he received a Fellowship in Music Composition from the London College of Music. Prinsloo established and conducts the semi-professional Vox Chamber Choir in 2017. The multi-award winning choir has performed in notable venues around the world and premiered Prinsloo's new mass, *Missa Brevis "San Marco"*, in the Basilica San Marco in Venice, Italy.

Prinsloo is an active composer in the contemporary music scene in South Africa. He has also been commissioned by prominent international choirs including: The King's Singers, Kammerchor | Vocalisti, the Akustika Chamber Singers, the University of Stellenbosch Choir, the University of Pretoria Camarata, and the acclaimed overtone singer Anna-Maria Hefele, among others.

His original compositions are frequently prescribed for the National ATKV Applause Choir competition. A selection of his music



is published internationally by publishers Helbling Verlag, Austria as well as publications at Beckenhorst Press in the USA.

Prinsloo composed a contemporary choral musical: *Naledi - An African Journey* which had its debut in February 2016 in France and South Africa. The work has been staged on many occasions in South Africa and abroad with notable performances by the South African Youth Choir at the Artscape Theatre in Cape Town and a performance and album recording by the Vox Chamber Choir in 2019.

He has worked as arranger and conductor on several international album productions including composer Ihab Darwish's new work, *Hekayat: Symphonic Tales*. Albums of his original soundtracks for Television and Film are widely published and includes: *Nérens*, *Noord- Kaap*, *The Day We Didn't Meet*, *Wonderlus*, *Meisies wat fluit* and many more.

THE ORCHESTRA

PRINCIPAL Guest Conductor

Bernhard Gueller

RESIDENT Conductor

Brandon Phillips
Supported by RMB
Starlight Classics

Guest Concertmasters

Farida Bacharova
Suzanne Martens

Concertmaster

Philip Martens

CPO musicians in the performance tonight, in alphabetical order

First Violins

Tessa Campbell
Petrus de Beer
Emina Lukin *
Simiso Radebe
Nadine Thompson ^
Maretha Uys #

Violin 2

Mirosława Domagala
Samantha Durrant *
Tomasz Kita #
Matthew Stead

Viola

Rory Africa ^
Jeanette Claassen ^
Petrus Coetzee *
Jana Smit

Cello

Matthias Ender
Rosamund Ender
Peter Martens *
Edward McLean #

Double Bass

Zanelle Britz
Donat Pellei #

Bassoon

Arno Steyn

Trumpet

Pierre Schuster #
Dave Thompson *

Timpani

Stephan Galvin

Percussion

Erin Solomons ^
Olivia Stanton ^
Dylan Tabisher ^
Eugene Trofimczyk *

Organ

Richard Haigh ^

Celeste

Jannie le Roux ^

Orchestra Stage Manager

Derrick Wildeman

Orchestral Attendants

Ashwin Abrahams ^
Marvin Michaels ^
Duren Wildeman
Craig Wildeman
(and driver)

* Principal

** Associate Principal

Sub Principal

+ Guest Principal

^ Ad hoc

• On leave

This list of players was correct at the time of going to press.

THE VOX CHAMBER CHOIR

SOLOISTS

Maria

Marilize Hattingh
(Soprano)

Die Engel Gabriël

Chris Vale (Baritone)

Josef

Wouter van Wyk
Jnr (Baritone)

A full analysis and programme notes of Lig van Waarheid is available on the website

www.voxchamberchoir.com.

Soprano

Hanni Beyers
Marilize Hattingh
Lize Redelinghuis
Anne-Mart Viljoen
Elmirie Claassen
Marli Prinsloo

Alto

Marelize Horne
Liesemarie de Wet
Engela Labuschagne
Anja Pollard
Steffie Le Roux
Riette Schönfeldt
Hilde Burger
René Pretorius
Trudie Kritzinger
Leaine Lindeque

Tenor

Hercules Von Molendorff
Chris Mostert
Tiaan Ras
Paul Claasen
Chris Vale
John Robbertse

Bass

Marinus Claasen
Stefan Venter
Andries Brümmer
Wouter van Wyk (Jnr.)
Marius Hammond