



Evening Concert Series

Helen M. Hosmer Hall

2012-2013 Season

Wednesday, November 7, 7:30 PM

**Crane Symphonic Band
Brian K. Doyle, Conductor
David Pittman-Jennings, Bass**

Serenade for Wind Band No. 11, Op. 85 (1960)

Vincent Persichetti
(1915-1987)

Pastoral

Humoreske

Nocturne

Intermezzo

Capriccio

Kellojen legenda (1997/2012)

Jukka Pekka Lehto
(b. 1958)

David Pittman-Jennings, Bass

Symphonic Dance No. 3 “Fiesta” (1964/67)

Clifton Williams
(1923-1976)

Brief Intermission

The Invincible Eagle (1901)

John Philip Sousa
(1854-1932)

October (2000)

Eric Whitacre
(b. 1970)

Suite Française (1944)

Darius Milhaud
(1892-1974)

Normandie

Bretagne

Ile de France

Alsace-Lorraine

Provence

KELLOJEN LEGENDA

Uuno Kailas (1901-1933)

-- Voi kelloja noita, voi!
On niin kuin malmi eläis
ja ihmiskunna heläis!
Näin lausui teini, joka olutta joi.

Ja krouvari virkka ties:
-- Niiss' onkin lihaa ja verta.
Eräs hullu ne valoi kerta,
yli vuorten saapunut, synkkä mies,

joka silkkaa vettä joi,
joka kuivaa leipää järsi.
Kai katui syntejä, kärsi.
'Omatunto', hän lausui, 'minut toi;

tulin kelloja valaamaan;
valuseppää kuulutti raati.'
Työn sai. Pajan, muotit laati.
Yömyöhään uurasti pajassaan.

Ja kelloja valoi mies.
Hän valoi kelloa monta --
mut huonoa, soimatonta.
Mitä mahtoi puuttua, taivas ties.

Ne kellot sulatti hän, --
taas mykkiä kelloja valoi.
Syvä tuska silmissä paloi.
Suun kuultiin outoja höpisevän:

'Isän luokse taivaisiin
ei kellojen ääni kannaa,
jos et raskainta uhria anna;
niin lausui Mestari yöllä, niin.'

Mies sulatti malmiaan;
pajan edessä kultahapsi
tytär leikki, ihana lapsi,
isän ainoa aarre päällä maan.

Ja kun armas nauru soi,
mies vavahti sieluun saakka,
jota halpasi synnin taakka;
hän tuskassa huus: 'En voi! En voi!'

THE LEGEND OF THE BELLS

Uuno Kailas (1901-1933)

--Alas, those bells! Alas!
It is as if the ore was alive
sounding like a human cry!
Said a young man, drinking his beer.

And the innkeeper knew this:
--They are indeed of flesh and blood.
A mad man cast them once,
a melancholy man from across the mountains,

who would not drink but pure water,
who nibbled only dry bread.
Maybe he repented his sins, in pain.
'Conscience,' said he, "brought me here."

"I came to cast bells;
the council announced a smith was needed."
He got the work, made the molds,
working hard 'til late at night.

And the man cast bells.
He cast many a bell --
but all in vain; they would not ring,
lacking heaven knows what.

Those bells he smelted --
and again cast mute bells,
deep pain in his eyes burning like hell,
his mouth mumbled odd things:

"Our Father in Heaven
cannot hear the sounds of bells
if you do not offer the greatest sacrifice;
so said the Master at night."

The man smelted the ore;
outside the forge his daughter played
the lovely golden haired child
his only treasure on eather.

And when the dear laughter was heard,
it shook him to his very soul
blackened by the burden of his sin;
he cried in pain: "I cannot! I cannot!"

Hän sulattimeensa vei
mykät kelloet, uusia valoi.
Tuli mieletön silmissä paloi.
Ei heränyt vasken ääni, ei.

Oli edessä Neitsyen
mies, rukoillen palavasti,
yön virunut, aamuun asti.
Oli lähtenyt ääneen houraillen:

'Oi äiti, kun kello soi,
en vaivu helvetin vaivaan,
vaan soida kuorissa taivaan
minun sieluni, synnistä pesty, voi!'

Mies sulatti malmiaan;
pajan ovella kultahapsi
tytär istui, ihana lapsi,
isän ainoa aarre päällä maan.

Tulikääärmeinä hehkui lies.
Isä silmänsä lapseen käänsi,
kipu, rakkaus mieltä näänsi.
Kuin unessa kulkki se onneton mies.

Veti syliinsä tyttären
ja suuteli, silmät peitti
ja -- sulavaan vaskeen heitti.
Se armaan ahmaisi sähisten.

Miten alkoi, taivas ties,
sinä päivänä malmi elää.
Te kuulette, kuinka se helää.
Se mies oli ehtoolla hullu mies.

He took the mute bells to the smelter
and cast new ones.
A mad fire burned in his eyes.
But the bells remained silent.

He lay in front of Our Lady
fervently praying,
in anguish, 'till the morning.
He left, raving:

"Oh Mother, when a bell sounds,
I will not fall in the deepest hell,
but in the heavenly choir
my soul, washed from sin, will sing!"

The man smelted the ore;
outside the forge his daughter played
the lovely golden haired child
his only treasure on earth.

The furnace glowed red hot,
the father turned his eyes on the child,
pain, love heavy on his mind
Like in a dream walked the unhappy man.

He took the daughter in his arms
and with kisses covered her eyes
and – threw her into the red hot furnace
which devoured the beloved.

How was it, only heaven knows,
that the bells started to live that day.
You can hear how they sound.
The man was raving mad by night.

Crane Symphonic Band Personnel

Piccolo

Frances Flancbaum

Flute

Alana DeStefano
Roslyn Brandes
Bridgette Funaro
Rebekah Geiselman
Frances Flancbaum
Nicole Mihalek
Natalie Gaynor
Jackie Saunier
Allesandro Kuszek
Corinne Bouchard

Oboe

Samantha Fay
Samantha Stein
Kristen Skovan

English Horn

Kristen Skovan

Bassoon

William Halpern
Hannah Roberts

E-flat Clarinet

Lindsay Burress

B-flat Clarinet

Katie Raftery
Jenelle Yeoman
Josh Franz
Rebecca Scholldorf
Lauren Carlisle
Kayla Fraser
Brandon Burgess
Kyle Chamberlin
Nick Leonard
Lauren Falkl
Diane Cotrone
Ashley Lovejoy

Bass Clarinet

Sean Spacher

Alto Saxophone

Madeline Morizio *

Andrew Lammlly
Christopher Nappo
Kristina Martorano

Tenor Saxophone

Annie Dreher

Baritone Saxophone

Kevan Spencer

Trumpet

Raymond Maguire
Michael Palczewski
John LaCombe
Kristina Packer
Cody Chamberlin
Sam Pollenz
Michelle Neu
Brandon Manning
Martin Lindblad
Benjamin Elmore
Javier Carrazana-Paz

Horn

Josh Blumberg
Jennifer Maucher
Ken Schweizer
Derek Sager

Trombone

Dan Liddle
Katie Skopkowski
Mitchell Vanier
Kyle McConnell
Robert Wagner

Bass Trombone

Tricia Jackson
Alex Huedpohl

Euphonium

Thomas Green
Christopher Hotaling
Emma Hibit

Tuba

Joshua Sevigny
David Mercedes
Travis Brinkley
Brent Nichols

Double Bass

Jack Marshall

Percussion

Elise Gage
Mike Gentile
Sarah Hill
Molly Jones
Jeremy Price
Alec Sisco
John Snell

Harp

Katherine Federiconi

Ensemble Librarian

Rebekah Geiselman

Head Librarian

Brendan Meier