

# 1963 Spring Music Concert – Sequoia Jr. High

*Spring Concert* 

PRESENTED BY THE  
**SEQUOIA JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL**  
*Music Department*



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 1963  
AND  
THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1963  
7:30 P. M.



IN THE AUDITORIUM  
18605 ERWIN STREET  
RESEDA



One of the fondest memories of our youth was the music program at Sequoia Jr High. Led by Albert Mayes and Concietta Orth, both the Boys and the Girls Glee Clubs won many competitions against other schools around the Los Angeles area (see next page.) In 1963, Mayes formed the first mixed choir of boys and girls and they also went on to win several awards. During the holiday season we traditionally got on the back of a flatbed truck and were driven around shopping centers to sing carols. After graduation, the much of group stayed together during the summer of 63 to form a traveling madrigal choir.

Many members of this group went on to be the lead singers and student government leaders at Reseda High. Bryan Rich, Mike Keith, and Bruce Vidal later formed a band, *Sassy Class*, which played in Las Vegas for many years. A real special memory.

THURSDAY NIGHT – JUNE 6 – 7:30

SARABANDE AND BOURREE ..... Handel-Osterling  
PANIS ANGELICUS ..... Franck-Erickson  
SLAVONIC DANCES ..... Dvorak-Johnson  
**Senior Band**

JESU, JOY OF MAN'S DESIRING ..... Johann Sebastian Bach  
SOME DAY MY PRINCE WILL COME ..... Morey-Churchill  
THE LORD'S PRAYER ..... Albert Hay Malotte  
**Junior Girls' Glee Club**

MIO BABBINO CARO from opera, "Gianni Schicchi" ..... G. Puccini  
Deborah Shulman, Soprano Soloist  
A MELODIC CARAVAN ..... Arr. Harry Wilson  
**Girls' Ensemble**

AGNUS DEI ..... Georges Bizet  
I GAVE MY LOVE A PRETTY LITTLE RING ..... Arr. K. K. Davis  
THE ENCHANTED HOUR ..... Reynaldo Hahn  
MAY DAY CAROL ..... English Folk Song  
Arr. Deems Taylor  
I FEEL PRETTY – "Westside Story" ..... Leonard Bernstein  
**Senior Girls' Glee Club**

NOCTURNE ..... Bartok-Gardner  
RUSSIAN SAILOR'S DANCE ..... Gliere-Isaac  
**Senior Band**

ON TRAILS OF THOUGHT ..... T. A. Dodson  
I EVER CHANGING ..... Pat Wholey (Poem)  
II DAISIES ..... Linda Iverson (Poem)  
III LIGHT ..... Steve Holland (Poem)  
**Senior Girls' Glee Club and Senior Band**

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**ADMINISTRATION**

Principal MISS EILEEN WOODBURN  
Girls' Vice Principal MRS. CONCETTINA ORTH  
Boys' Vice Principal MR. VICTOR GLENN

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THOU KNOWEST, LORD, THE SECRETS OF OUR HEARTS ..... Purcell  
NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD ..... Cruger-Mueller  
MY HEART WITH LOVE IS SPRINGING ..... Hassler  
SWISS SKIING SONG ..... Arr. Krone  
THE HAPPY WANDERER ..... Moller-Ades  
**Boy's Glee Club**

ADAGIO AND ALLEGRO ..... Corelli-Muller  
LARGO FROM "XERXES" ..... Handel-Boss  
WHEN JOHNNY COMES MARCHING HOME ..... Matesky  
**Orchestra**

LET THY HOLY PRESENCE ..... Tschesnokoff-Ehret  
CHERUBIM SONG NO. 7 ..... Bartniansky-Tchaikovsky  
THE LONESOME VALLEY ..... Arr. Lee Kjelson  
THE WILLOW SONG ..... Vaughan Williams  
HOLIDAY SONG ..... W. Schuman  
**Mixed Choir**

SONG OF PEACE ..... Ingalls  
PARK AVENUE HOE DOWN ..... Sienniki  
WEST SIDE STORY – Selections ..... Bernstein-Mason  
**Orchestra**

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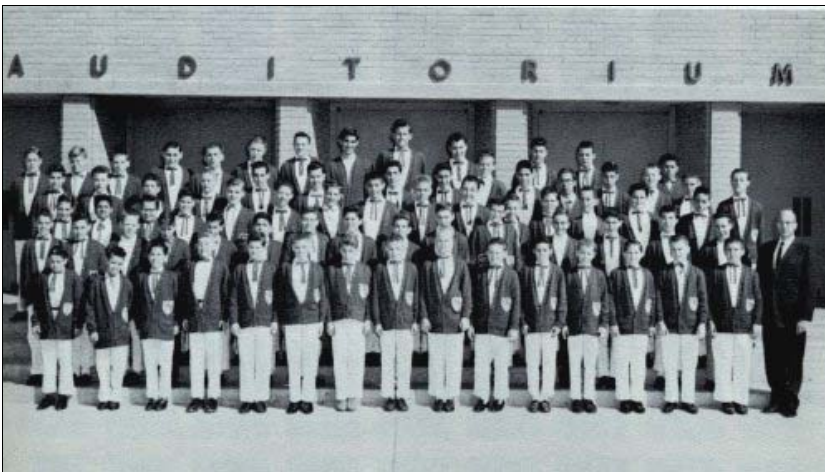
**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

MR. THOMAS DODSON Director of Band and Senior Orchestra  
MRS. RACHEL FREED Director of Girls' Glee Clubs  
SHARON GALLACHER Accompanist Girls' Glee Clubs  
MR. ALBERT E. MAYES Director of Boys' Glee Club and Choir  
BONNIE FRERIKS Accompanist Boys' Glee Club and Choir  
MR. W. GIBBS Stage Crew



Mr Delwarte (left) and the Sequoia Senior Orchestra

Mr Delwarte (who later went on to lead the Cal State Northridge Orchestra and Marching Band) was replaced by Mr. Dodson for our senior year. The Sequoia orchestra was considered above average for the age of its members. Many of its lead performers also were the stars at Reseda High, including Pam McBride and Claudia Jesse (violin), John Abernathy, Maddy and Tony DiMaggio, Ken Delbo, and Howard Perlman.



Mr. Mayes and the Boys Glee Club, featuring Mike Keith, Brian Rich, Bruce Vidal, Gary Mussell, Brent Kailey, Jerry Wolfe, and Steve Wells.



Recording jacket cover from the Spring 1963 Concert.



Mrs. Orth and the Girl's Glee Club, featuring Shari King, Paris Styles, Barbara Dymond, Sue Willburg, the Pixley twins, Rosalie Rosenblot, Jennie Busch, Karen Neighbors, Linda Rech, and Linda Little.