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## Classical Spring

Talented young singers perform works of the masters

Meyerson Symphony Center  
7:30 p.m., Sunday, April 26, 2009

March 30, 2009 (Dallas, Texas) — The great classical composers earn their reputations anew with each generation. This spring, young singers from the Children's and Youth Choruses of Greater Dallas bring their fresh artistry to timeless works by composers such as Bach, Brahms, Schubert, Tchaikovsky, and Schumann. Their concert *Classical Spring* will be at 7:30 p.m., Sunday, April 26, at the Meyerson Symphony Center in downtown Dallas. Tickets range from \$8 to \$35; call 1-800-838-3006 or visit <http://www.thechildrenschorus.org/tickets> to order.

The Children's Chorus of Greater Dallas, which includes five choirs for singers from 4<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades, is a remarkable group of young musicians. They have been honored with invitations to perform at such famous venues as Carnegie Hall and the Vatican, with the Dallas Symphony and the Dallas Opera, and for the prestigious National Convention of the American Choral Directors Association.

### **CHILDREN'S CHORUS OF GREATER DALLAS**

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**“Classical Spring”  
Sunday, April 29, 2009**

7:30 pm

Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Center  
2301 Flora Street, Dallas

Tickets from \$8 to \$35

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**About the Children’s Chorus of Greater Dallas (CCGD):** This chorus was founded in 1996 to give Dallas-area children the experience of musical artistry and excellence, in a group that reflects the diversity of the Metroplex. The chorus includes singers in the fourth through twelfth grades. Qualifications are a good voice, a good sense of pitch, and a commitment to regular attendance at rehearsals and performances. Auditions are held in April. The five choruses — Prelude, Apprentice, Concert II, Concert I, and the Youth Chorus — rehearse on Monday evenings in downtown Dallas. The Children’s Chorus of Greater Dallas performs extensively in the Dallas area. Its choruses have been guest performers with the Dallas Opera, the Dallas Symphony Orchestra, the Dallas Bach Society, Orpheus Chamber Singers, the Mesquite Civic Chorus, and Voices of Change. They have also been featured performers at festivals in the U.S. and Canada, including a 2005 performance at Carnegie Hall, New York City, and a 2006 performance in the Vatican.

**About Artistic Director Cynthia Nott:** Ms. Nott has been the Artistic Director of this organization since its inception. Under her leadership, the choruses have grown from 70 singers to more than 350, earned the respect of the Dallas music community, and amazed audiences with their artistic excellence. Before joining CCGD, Ms. Nott directed middle-school choruses for 23 years. She is a well-known clinician and consultant throughout North Texas, appearing as a guest conductor for many All Region, All State, and district honor choirs. Ms. Nott is a member of the American Choral Directors Association and the Texas Music Educators Association. She earned a Master of Music in Choral Conducting from Southern Methodist University and a Bachelor of Music Education from Florida State University.

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*Above: CCGD Concert I in performance at the Meyerson Symphony Center.*

*Right: A Youth Chorus singer from CCGD focuses on her director.*



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