EARTH SONGS

The Consort of Melbourne

Thursday 17 August 2017 6pm, Salon

PRESENTED BY
Melbourne Recital Centre &
The Consort of Melbourne

ARTISTS
The Consort of Melbourne

Soprano
Katherine Norman
Kristy Biber

Alto
Miranda Gronow
Hannah Pietsch

Tenor
Dan Walker
Christopher Roache

Bass
Lucien Fischer
Steven Hodgson (director)

PROGRAM

TRADITIONAL arr. Gustav Holst (1874 - 1934)
Six Choral Folk Songs Op.36B
II There was a tree

MAX REGER (1873 - 1916)
8 Geistliche Gesänge, Op.138
IV *Unser lieben Frauen Traum*

MAURICE RAVEL (1875 - 1937)
Trois chansons
I Nicolette. *Allegro moderato*
III Ronde. *Allegro*

DAN WALKER
Elegy written in a country churchyard

WILLIAM BYRD (c. 1539 - 1623)
Terra tremuit

PHILIPPE DE MONTE (1521 - 1603)
Domini est terra

STEPHEN LEEK (b. 1959)
Red Earth

CIPRIANO DE RORE (c. 1515 - 1565)
Hor che l'aria e la terra

VELJO TORMIS (1930 - 2017)
Kord me tuleme tagasi

ILDEBRANDO PIZZETTI (1880 - 1968)
Il giardino di Afrodite

GUSTAV HOLST
I sowed the seeds of love

IVAN MOODY (b. 1964)
Canticum canticorum

ABOUT THE ARTISTS

The Consort of Melbourne is a vocal ensemble that champions both historic and contemporary chamber vocal repertoire comprising a core membership of eight of Melbourne's finest chamber singers under the direction of artistic director Steven Hodgson. Performing a capella with one singer per part, The Consort of Melbourne brings 1000 years of repertoire to life with an intimacy and verve that leaves audiences spellbound. Their programs include celebrated masterpieces heard alongside rarely-heard musical gems, exploring the full expressive potential of human voices combined.

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