

# The Classic City Band

Christmas Concert 2011

Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 4 p.m.

The State Botanical Gardens of Georgia

A Christmas Festival	Leroy Anderson (1908-1975)
Farandole from <i>L'Arlésienne Suite No. 2</i>	Georges Bizet (1838-1875) <i>arr. Brewer</i>
Suite from <i>The Nutcracker, Op. 71a</i> Miniature Overture March Arabian Dance* Dance of the Reed Pipes Russian Dance (Trepak)	Pyotr Tchaikovsky (1840-1893) <i>arr. Curnow</i>
March of the Toys from <i>Babes in Toyland</i>	Victor Herbert (1859-1924) <i>arr. Clarke</i>
In The Bleak Midwinter	Gustav Holst (1874-1934) <i>arr. Smith</i>
Troika from <i>Lieutenant Kijé</i>	Sergei Prokofiev (1891-1953) <i>arr. Lavender</i>
O Magnum Mysterium	Morten Lauridsen (b.1943) <i>arr. Reynolds</i>
A Christmas Sing Along	Traditional <i>arr. Brewer</i>

\* *Featuring veil dancers from Mwanabahari: Mahsati and Mwani*

The Classic City Band would like to thank the Botanical Gardens

for the generous use of their facility.

## A Christmas Sing Along - lyrics

Joy to the world! The Lord is come;  
let Earth receive her King!  
Let every heart prepare Him room,  
and heaven and nature sing,  
and heaven and nature sing  
and heaven and nature sing!

The first Noel, the Angel did say,  
was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;  
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep,  
on a cold winter's night that was so deep:  
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel,  
Born is the King of Israel.

O little town of Bethlehem,  
how still we see thee lie!  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep  
the silent stars go by;  
yet in thy dark streets shineth the everlasting Light;  
the hopes and fears of all the years  
are met in thee tonight.

Deck the halls with boughs of holly, Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la.  
'Tis the season to be jolly, Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la.  
Don we now our gay apparel, Fa-la-la, la-la-la, la-la-la.  
Troll the ancient Yuletide carol, Fa-la-la-la-la, la-la-la-la!

Silent night, Holy night!  
All is calm, all is bright.  
Round yon Virgin Mother and Child.  
Holy Infant so tender and mild,  
sleep in heavenly peace,  
sleep in heavenly peace.

Hark! The herald angels sing,  
"Glory to the new-born King!  
Peace on Earth, and mercy mild,  
God and sinners reconciled."  
Joy-full, all ye nations rise,  
join the triumph of the skies;  
with th'angelic hosts proclaim,  
"Christ is born in Bethlehem."  
Hark! The herald angels sing,  
"Glory to the new-born King!"

O come, all ye faithful,  
joyful and triumphant,  
O come ye, o come ye to Bethlehem.  
Come and behold Him,  
born the King of angels!  
O come let us adore Him  
O come let us adore Him  
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord!

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