

5-23-50



University of Washington

concerts

I N T E R M I S S I O N

DOWN IN THE VALLEY*

A Folk Opera

Libretto, Arnold Sundgaard

Music, Kurt Weill

CHARACTERS

Brack Weaver Wilbur Elliott
Jennie Parsons Margery Helwig
Thomas Bouche Balfour Hill
The Leader
The Preacher John Crosby
Jennie's Father Bert Davidson
Dancers

Mary Tautfest, School of Drama, Coach

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The Leader and Chorus depict the last hours of Brack Weaver, condemned to die for the murder of Thomas Bouche. Events leading up to the tragedy, reenacted by the cast, occupy the thoughts of the condemned man as he awaits his doom.

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COMING COMPLIMENTARY EVENTS (8:30 p.m.)

*Mon., May 29: THE UNIVERSITY MEN'S GLEE CLUB. Meany Hall

*Wed., May 31: THE UNIVERSITY CONCERT BAND. Meany Hall.

*Thurs., June 1: THE UNIVERSITY SINGERS. Meany Hall.

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PERSONNEL

Sopranos

Patricia Hunt*
Margery Helwig
Rae Canaday
Sally Cooper
Alice Watson
Geraldine Dixon
Alyce Hauser
Billie Justice*
Clara Olson*
Karolyn Woodward**
Caralyn Cook
Patricia Hall
Lorraine Payette

Altos

Eileen Flower
Nancy Bender
Barbara Ellsworth
Roselyn Smutz*
Dianne Ringman
Barbara Top
Lois Rundell
Olive Scholl
Jean Gunderson*
Marlyn West
Lois Robblee**
Virginia Gill**

Tenors

William Carson*
Walter Madden
David Eddy
Wilbur Elliott
Carl Niwa
Stanley Krebs**
Willard Norman
Bruce Browning
Kenneth Sparrow*

Basses

Helmer Paulson
Don Kusler
Balfour Hill*
Bert Davidson*
Gus Miller
Robert Rank
Donald Hedges
William Holscher**
Donald Smith
William Samuelson**
Ross Gibson
Harry Fitch

* In Second Choir

** Dancers in "Down in the Valley"