

In celebration of Queen Victoria's 80th birthday in 1899, thirteen of the leading composers and poets of the day collaborated on a collection of partsongs to rival their Elizabethan model, *The Triumphs of Oriana*. Published in a limited edition of only 100 copies, this superb sequence, studded with musical gems, provides a fascinating snapshot of the British musical renaissance on the eve of the twentieth century – and testimony to the exuberance and generosity of spirit typical of the Victorian era.

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CHORAL SONGS in Honour of Queen Victoria

1 A. M. GOODHART	Lady on the silver throne (Gosse)	4:31
2 ARTHUR SOMERVELL	With still increasing blessings (Marquis of Lorne)	2:23
3 C. H. LLOYD	A thousand years, by sea and land (Newbolt)	5:01
4 EDWARD ELGAR	To her beneath whose stedfast star (Myers)	5:16
5 C. V. STANFORD	Out in the windy West (Benson)	5:06
6 FREDERICK BRIDGE	For all the wonder of thy regal day (Earl of Crewe)	2:58
7 JOHN STAINER	Flora's Queen (Stainer)	5:34
8 CHARLES WOOD	A Century's Penultimate (James)	5:03
9 A. C. MACKENZIE	With wisdom, goodness, grace (Austin)	3:42
10 HUBERT PARRY	Who can dwell with greatness! (Dobson)	3:05
11 H. WALFORD DAVIES	Hark! the world is full of thy praise (Bridges)	4:44
12 GEORGE MARTIN	The seaboards are her mantle's hem (Davidson)	3:35
13 WALTER PARRATT	The Triumph of Victoria (Warren)	2:20

Spiritus Chamber Choir
Aidan Oliver, director

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