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Duluth-- UMD's Concert Choir and University Chorale will give a joint concert at 8:15 p.m. Thursday (May 2) in the Education 90 auditorium.

Choir conductor will be Allen Downs and Chorale conductor will be Willard Oplinger. Both are assistant professors of music.

The first segment of the Choir's program includes "Cantate Domino" by George, "Crown of Grace" by Brahms and "Song of David" by Guttman.

Three students will conduct the choir in the second part of the program. The numbers are "Now is the Month of Maying" conducted by Susan Gundersen, Duluth; "Sweet Day" conducted by Eileen Thomsen and "For All the Saints" conducted by Judy Curtis.

The Choir also will sing "Songs of Innocence" based on poems by William Blake with music composed by Earl George.

Folk songs will conclude the Choir's program. Included will be "Rise Up, Oh Flame," a sixteenth century round by Praetorius; "Turtle Dove", an English song arranged by Vaughn Williams with a solo by Tim Anderson, Baudette; "Catarate," a Brazilian dance by Mignone, "Every Night When the Sun Goes In," an Appalachian song arranged by Shaw and "Aina That Good News," a spiritual arranged by William Dawson.

The Chorale will sing four numbers. They are "How Lovely is Thy Dwelling Place" by Brahms, "Go Not Far From Me, Oh God" by Zingarelli, "Let Us Now Praise Famous Men," by Williams and "Cantique de Jean Racine" by Faure.