Additional Opportunities

Dear Choral Friends

It is with great pleasure that the Burford Singers invite you to buy tickets for their winter concert.

Our November concert, conducted by Music Director Will Dawes, offers two seldom-performed treasures. The Saint Saens *Messa de Requiem* is a sensitive, imaginative and unfathomably neglected Requiem Mass, which marks the death in 1878 of a great personal friend of the composer. The rich orchestration, including harps and organ, creates moments of great lyricism. Our four exciting young soloists Phoebe Curcher, Laura Toomey, Andrew Woodmass-Calvert and Sam Weakley are joined by our regular orchestra, The Cotswold Chamber Orchestra.

***Company of Heaven* is an exhilarating celebration in spoken words and music of angels, before creation, in scripture, and in "common life" and at our death. We are delighted that actor Richard Goulding (on stage and TV screen as Prince Harry in *King Charles III*, and the TV sitcom *The Windsors*) will be our narrator. Unmistakeably Benjamin Britten's work, the piece offers moments of great celebration and of quiet beauty created by the orchestra, soprano and tenor soloists and narrator.**

Tickets available from burfordsingers.org.uk/buytickets (small booking fee). Reserved seating £29, £23, £17; unreserved seating £15, £12.

Unreserved seats (only) can be purchased from The Madhatter Bookshop, Burford.

We very much look forward to seeing you in our audience.

If you would like me to share details of your next concert with our singers, I'd be happy to reciprocate.

Regards,

Jane Read