

Helena Symphony

ALLAN R. SCOTT | MUSIC DIRECTOR

SYMPHONY KIDS



Saturday, 10 April 2021

10:00 a.m.

St. Paul's United Methodist Church

Helena Symphony Chorale

Featuring music by Ticheli, Thompson, and Kennedy & Barlow

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Oh, the Roads we Travel



Voices in a choir can be high or low:

The highest voices are called **SOPRANOS**.

Second highest voices are called **ALTOS**.

Third highest voices are called **TENORS**.

The lowest voices are called **BASSES**.

Singers can sing alone...

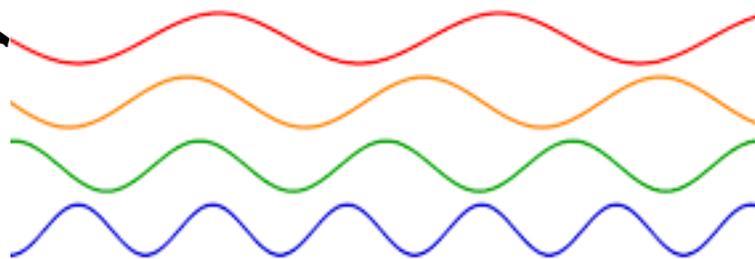
so there is one line of sound...like this....



One line of sound is called a **MELODY**.

Singers can sing together.

so there are many lines of sound..like this....



More than one line of sound sung together is called **HARMONY**.

Story of Today's Composers:

Kennedy & Barlow *Finding Neverland*



Eliot Kennedy

Gary Barlow

Gary Barlow was born in 1971. He is a popular songwriter, record producer, actor, and singer from the United Kingdom. **Eliot Kennedy** was born in 1969. He is an English songwriter and record producer. Kennedy and Barlow cowrote the music and lyrics for *Finding Neverland*, a Broadway show about Peter Pan.

Randall Thompson *Frostiana: The Road Not Taken*



Randall Thompson (1899 - 1984) was an American composer particularly noted for his choral works. He was the son of an English teacher; he had a long career as an educator. Although his writing for voice spanned his entire life, Thompson also produced three symphonies, two string quartets, and other instrumental pieces. Today's show features *The Road Not Taken*, from *Frostiana*, which Thompson wrote in 1959 on the texts of poet, Robert Frost.

Frank Ticheli *Earth Song*

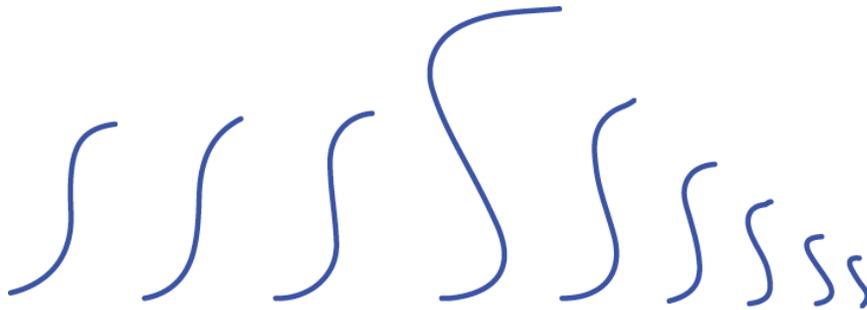


Frank Ticheli was born in 1958. He is an American composer of orchestral, choral, chamber, and concert band works. He lives in Los Angeles, CA, where he is a Professor of Composition at the University of Southern California. Today's show features his choral composition, *Earth Song*. If you'd like to hear *Earth Song* performed virtually by 167 singers from around the world, go to this link: <https://music.usc.edu/choirs-from-around-the-world-perform-frank-tichelis-earth-song-in-global-project/>

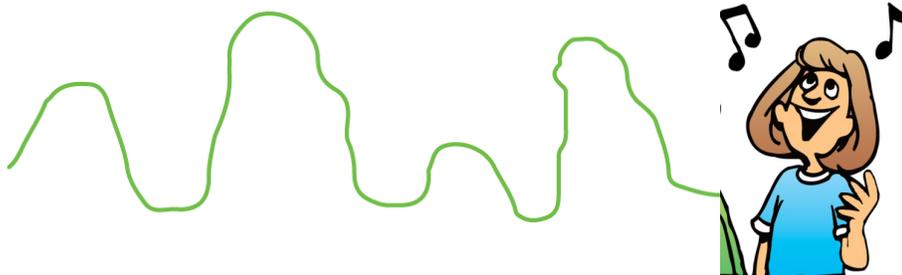
Now let's experiment with **YOUR** voice!



What will this blue squiggly line **sound** like? As you follow each blue line from the bottom to the top with your finger, use your easy, light voice to make your voice **climb higher**, just like the line looks.



Now try making your voice sound like these green **bumps**.



Now, make our voice sound like these red, jagged **mountains**.



Maybe one day **YOU** could be a singer in the Helena Symphony Choral.
Keep practicing!!

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