

**Classical Music
And the
African-American
Musician**



**August 29
thru
September 5**

Sponsored by the:

**Eastman School of Music
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GATEWAYS 1999

Schedule of Events:

August 29: Orchestra concert at the Eastman Theatre at 5 p.m. featuring Beethoven's Ninth Symphony. Artists perform in 30 churches throughout the community.

Monday thru Friday: August 30 - September 3: The Joplin hour 12 noon, Eastman School of Music, Main Hall (*honoring the 100th anniversary of the publishing of the Maple leaf Rag*).

August 30: An evening with William Warfield at 7 p.m. in Eastman School of Music, Room 120.

August 31: Piano legacy concert, 6:30 p.m. performed by distinguished African American pianists at Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church (Call 234-5406 for additional information.)

September 1: Two Brandenburg concerti performed at 7 p.m. in Kilbourn Hall, followed by tea. Chamber music concert at 9 p.m.

September 2: Two Brandenburg concerti performed at 7 p.m. in Kilbourn Hall, followed by tea. Chamber music concert at 9 p.m.

September 3: Two Brandenburg concerti performed at 7 p.m. in Kilbourn Hall, followed by tea. Chamber music concert at 9 p.m.

**Monday through Friday, August 30 -
September 3: after lunch
chamber music at 2 p.m. in the
Eastman School's-Ciminelli Lounge.**

Gateways Music Festival African-American Composers

T. J. Anderson
Michel Abels
Leslie Adams
Noel DaCosta
William P. Dawson
Nathaniel Dett
Duke Ellington
Adolphus Hailstork
Hall Johnson
Scott Joplin
Ulysses Kay
Anthony Kelly
Tania Leon
Coleridge Taylor Perkinson
Florence Price
Alvin Singleton
William Grant Still
Samuel Coleridge Taylor
George Walker
Delores White
Michael Williams

**Everyone Is Invited
Families Are Welcome
All Festival Events Are Free!**

*Seating for all events will be on a
first come, first served basis.*

***For up-to-date information
about Gateways concerts,
24 hours a day, call: 234-5406***

Participatin

Sanford Allen	New York, NY
Jerome Ashby	Hillsdale, NJ
Patricia Atkins	Detroit, MI
Beverly Baker	Virginia Beach, VA
Renee Baker	Chicago, ILL
Carlos Baptiste	New York, NY
Jeffrey Boga	Atlanta, GA
Brandon Brown	Jacksonville, NC
David Burnett	New York, NY
Michael Cameron	Los Angeles, CA
Earl Carlyss	Baltimore, MD
Ronald Crutcher	Austin, TX
Wilfred Delphin	Carbondale, ILL
Michael Duckworth	New York, NY
Roy Eaton	New York, NY
Mellasenah Edwards	Baltimore, MD
Kenneth Edwards	New York, NY
Marcus Eley	Studio City, CA
James Ferraiuolo	New York, NY
Richard Fields	Cincinnati, OH
Buckner Gamby	Petersburg, VA
Nicholas Goluses	Rochester, NY
Arnold Greenwich	New York, NY
Mel Greenwich	New York, NY
Kelly Hall	New York, NY
Marianne Henry	Los Angeles, CA
Yvonne Hicks	New York, NY
Gail Hightower	Brooklyn, NY
Ashley Horne	New Jersey
Amadi Hummings	Norfolk, VA
Raymond Jackson	Baltimore, MD
Joyce Johnson	Atlanta, GA
Caroline Jones	Greensboro, NC
Harold Jones	New York, NY
Rachel Jordan	New Orleans, LA
Michael Jorgensen	Cincinnati, OH
Kenneth Law	Spartanburg, SC
Diedre Lawrence	Los Angeles, CA
Nicholas Lewis	Richmond, VA
Brandon Liburd	Norfolk, Va
Kyle Lombard	New Haven, CT

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Prudence McDaniel	Columbus, OH
Anthony McGill	Chicago, ILL
Demarre McGill	Chicago, ILL
James McKay	St. Louis, MO
David Miller	New York, NY
Wilson Moorman	Brooklyn, NY
Michael Morgan	Oakland, CA
Tai Murray	Bloomington, IN
Madeline Neely	Rochester, NY
Eliesha Nelson	Cleveland, OH
Oscar Petty	Montclair, NJ
Vannia Phillips	Chicago, Ill
Jacqueline Pickett	Atlanta, GA
Ann Hobson Pilot	Boston, MA
Awadagin Pratt	Albuquerque, NM
Camille Prescott	Durham, NC
Derek Reeves	Detroit, MI
Sandra Rivers	Cincinnati, OH
Kay George Roberts	Arlington, MA
Richard Robinson	Detroit, MI
Booker T. Roe	Philadelphia, PA
Anne Schein	Baltimore, MD
Marshall Sealy	New Jersey
Leroy Sellers	Charlotte, NY
Kevin Sharpe	Jacksonville, FL
George Shirley	Annapbor, MI
Mary Winston Smith	Little Rock, AK
Loy Stuart	Baltimore, MD
Troy Stuart	Baltimore, MD
George Taylor	Rochester, NY
Ken Thompkins	Detroit, MI
Ruppert Thompson	Baltimore, MD
Chelsea Tipton	Cincinnati, OH
Tichina Vaughn	Stoltgart Germany
Rev. Charles Walker	Philadelphia, PA
Karen Walwyn	Columbia, VA
William Warfield	Rochester, NY
Sean Watkins	Winston Salem, NC
Robert Watt	Los Angeles, CA
Tahira Whittington	New York, NY
John Williams	Winston Salem, NC

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The Project

An Eight-Day Classical Music Festival featuring African-American musicians from throughout the United States in solo recitals, chamber music concerts, an orchestra concert, and lecture demonstrations.

The Mission

To increase the visibility and viability of African-American classical musicians and to heighten public awareness of their classical music contributions.

To establish role models for young musicians of all ethnic origins and specifically to encourage young African-Americans to study and seek careers in the field of classical music.

To provide an opportunity for African-American musicians from across the country to meet, exchange ideas, and revitalize their musical energy.

Armenta Adams Hummings
Artistic Director

Sunday, August 29

9:30 a.m.

Lutheran Church of the Reformation, 111 N. Chestnut St.

Gateways Youth Orchestra will perform a selection of sacred works

5:00 p.m.

Eastman Theatre, 60 Gibbs St.

Gateways Music Festival Orchestra - concert

Program

"The Breaks"

Anthony Kelly, resident composer of the Richmond Symphony

K George Roberts, conductor

Beethoven, *Symphony No. 9*

Gateways Chorus & Orchestra

Michael Morgan, conductor

Soloists:

Mary Winston-Smith, soprano

Tichina Vaughn, mezzo soprano

George Shirley, tenor

John Williams, baritone

Monday, August 30

Noon

Eastman School Main Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

The Joplin Hour

Pianist Roy Eaton plays Joplin rags and works by composers who utilized his style.

2:00 p.m.

Eastman School of Music Ciminelli Lounge, 100 Gibbs St.

Chamber Music after lunch

William P. Dawson, *Sonata for violin and piano*

Dr. David Yarbrough, violin

Dr. Raymond Jackson, piano

ColeridgeTaylor-Perkinson, *Deep River (traditional spiritual arrangement)*

Harold Jones, flute soloist

ColeridgeTaylor-Perkinson, *work for unaccompanied violin*

Blue/s Forms (1979)

George Walker, *sonata for viola and piano*

George Taylor, viola

Robert Smith, piano

7:00 p.m.

Eastman Theatre, 60 Gibbs St.

An Evening with William Warfield

His life story, spirituals, German lieder, vocal coaching, and conversation with the audience.

Tuesday, August 31

Noon

Eastman School Main Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

The Joplin Hour

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2:00 p.m.

Eastman School of Music Ciminelli Lounge, 100 Gibbs St.

Chamber Music after lunch

Duke Ellington, works arranged for solo bassoon and strings
Heaven from sacred concert #2, arranged by Michael Massey
Praise God from sacred concert #2, arranged by Frank Owens
Come Sunday from sacred concert #1, arranged by Melba Liston
David Dance from sacred concert #1, arranged by Frank Owens
Gail Hightower, bassoon
GMF, string ensemble
Thomas Warfield, dancer

WA Mozart, *Quintet K581*

Terrance Patterson, clarinet Mellasenah Edwards, violin
Ashley Horne, violin Beverly Baker, viola
Tahira Whittington, cello

Michael Haydn, *Quartet in C*

Carlos Baptiste, violin Mel Greenwich, cello
James Ferraiuolo, English horn Greg Marker, double bass

6:30 p.m.

Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church, 250 Bronson Ave.
(between Genesee St. and Jefferson Ave. 328-4660)

Piano Legacy Concert

African American pianists who have made history:

Dr. Raymond Jackson (Hall Johnson/Chopin)
Althea Waites (Scriabin)
Kevin Sharpe (Gershwin)
Dr. Karen Walwyn (Delores White, Coleridge Taylor-Perkinson)
Buckner Gamby (Schuber)
Roy Eaton (Hailstork Chopin)
Rev. Charles Walker (Bach)
Richard Fields (Liszt, Bach-Silot, Leslie Adams)
Frances Walker (Rachmaninoff)
Awadagin Pratt (selection TBA)

Wednesday, September 1

Noon

Eastman School Main Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

The Joplin Hour

Pianist Roy Eaton plays Joplin rags and works by composers who utilized his style.

2:00 p.m.

Eastman School of Music Ciminelli Lounge, 100 Gibbs St.

Brass Ensembles

Marshall Sealy, French horn	Jerome Ashby, French horn (NY Philharmonic)
Linda Blacken, French horn	Antonio Dangerfield, trumpet
Alvin Parris, trombone	Leonard Foy, trumpet
Gordon Marr, trombone	Nabate Isles, trumpet
William Watson Jr., trombone	James Jenkins, tuba

7:00 p.m.

Kilbourn Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

Bach, *Brandenburg Concerto No. 1*

Rachel Jordan, violin	Marshall Sealy, French horn
Jeffrey Boga, violin	Linda Blacken, French horn
Mellaseh Morris, violin	James Ferraiuolo, oboe
Kenneth Law, cello	Arnold Greenwich, oboe
Gail Hightower, bassoon	Oscar Petty, oboe
Richard Robinson, bass	Wilfred Delphin, harpischord

Bach, *Brandenburg Concerto No. 2*

Antonio Dangerfield, trumpet	Brandon Brown, violin
Demarre McGill, flute	Mellaseh Edwards, violin
Oscar Petty, oboe	Kyle Lombard, violin
Wilfred Delphin, harpischord	Gregory Maker, bass
Mel Greenwich, cello	

9:00 p.m.

Kilbourn Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

Vivaldi, *Concerto for Four Violins in B minor*

Rachel Jordan, violin I	Tai Murray, violin III
Awadagin Pratt, violin II	Kyle Lombard, violin IV

William Grant Still, *Ennanga*

Diedre Lawrence, violin	Ann Hobson Pilot, harp
Marianne Henry, violin	Prentice Pilot, bass
Marisa McCleod, violin	Michael Cameron, cello

Saint Saens, *Fantasy for Harp and Strings*

Ann Hobson Pilot, harp (Boston Symphony)
Booker T. Roe, violin (Philadelphia Orchestra)
William Watson, piano

Participating Artists

Sanford Allen	New York, NY	Prudence McDaniel	Columbus, OH
Jerome Ashby	Hillsdale, NY	Anthony McGill	Chicago, IL
Patricia Atkins	Detroit, MI	Demarre McGill	Chicago, IL
Beverly Baker	Virginia Beach, VA	James McKay	St. Louis, MO
Renee Baker	Chicago, IL	Phillip McKinney	Newark, NJ
Carlos Baptiste	New York, NY	David Miller	New York, NY
Thurman Barker	Jeffersonville, NY	Wilson Moorman	Brooklyn, NY
Jeffrey Boga	Atlanta, GA	Michael Morgan	Oakland, CA
Rodena Branch	Huntsville, AL	Taj Murray	Bloomington, IN
Brandon Brown	Jacksonville, NC	Henri Muhamad	Buffalo, NY
David Burnett	New York, NY	Madeline Neely	Rochester, NY
Michael Cameron	Los Angeles, CA	Eliesha Nelson	Cleveland, OH
Earl Carlyss	Baltimore, MD	Wendi Nunally	Virginia Beach, VA
Bryan Carrot	St. Albans, NY	Terrance Patterson	Jacksonville, FL
Ronald Crutcher	Austin, TX	Oscar Petty	Montclair, NJ
Wilfred Delphin	Carbondale, IL	Vannia Phillips	Chicago, IL
Michael Duckworth	New York, NY	Jacqueline Pickett	Atlanta, GA
Roy Eaton	New York, NY	Ann Hobson Pilot	Boston, MA
Mellaseh Edwards	Baltimore, MD	Awadagin Pratt	Albuquerque, NM
Kenneth Edwards	New York, NY	Camille Prescott	Durham, NC
Latrinia Elliott	Portsmouth, VA	Derek Reeves	Detroit, MI
Marcus Eley	Studio City, CA	Tariah Reynolds	Milwaukee, WI
James Ferraiuolo	New York, NY	Kay George Roberts	Arlington, MA
Richard Fields	Cincinnati, OH	Richard Robinson	Detroit, MI
Yvonne Garner	New York, NY	Booker T. Roe	Philadelphia, PA
Nicholas Goluses	Rochester, NY	Anne Schein	Baltimore, MD
Arnold Greenwich	New York, NY	Marshall Sealy	New Jersey
Mel Greenwich	New York, NY	Leroy Sellers	Charlotte, NY
Roland Guererro	Elmhurst, NY	Kevin Sharpe	Jacksonville, FL
Kelly Hall	New York, NY	George Shirley	Anarbor, MI
Marianne Henry	Los Angeles, CA	Mary Wynston-Smith	Little Rock, AR
Yvonne Hicks	New York, NY	Tyshawn Sorey	Newark, NJ
Gail Hightower	Brooklyn, NY	Loy Stuart	Baltimore, MD
Ashely Horne	New Jersey	Troy Stuart	Baltimore, MD
Amadi Hummings	Norfolk, VA	George Taylor	Rochester, NY
Raymond Jackson	Baltimore, MD	Ken Thompkins	Detroit, MI
James Jenkins	Jacksonville, FL	Ruppert Thompson	Baltimore, MD
Caroline Jones	Greensboro, NC	Chelsea Tipton	Cincinnati, OH
Harold Jones	New York, NY	Tichina Vaughn	Stoltzger Germany
Rachel Jordan	New Orleans, LA	Rev. Charles Walker	Philadelphia, PA
Michael Jorgensen	Cincinnati, OH	Karen Walwyn	Columbia, VA
Kenneth Law	Spartanburg, SC	William Warfield	Rochester, NY
Diedre Lawrence	Los Angeles, CA	Terryle Watson	Rochester, NY
Nicholas Lewis	Richmond, VA	William Watson	Rochester, NY
Brandon Liburd	Norfolk, VA	Robert Watt	Los Angeles, CA
Kyle Lombard	New Haven, CT	Tahira Whittington	New York, NY
Gregory Maker	Brooklyn, NY	John Williams	Winston Salem, NC
William May	Newark, NJ	David Yarbrough	Baltimore, MD
Marissa McCleod	Los Angeles, CA	Owen Young	Boston, MA

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Thursday, September 2

Noon

Eastman School Main Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

The Joplin Hour

Pianist Roy Easton plays Joplin rags and works by composers who utilized his style.

7:00 p.m.

Kilbourn Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

Bach, Brandenburg Concerto No. 3

Kenneth Edwards, viola	Ashley Horne, violin
Rene Baker, viola	Kyle Lombard, violin
Madeline Neely, viola	Marisa McLeod, violin
Tahira Whittington, cello	Prudence McDaniel, cello
Kenneth Law, cello	

Bach, Brandenburg Concerto No. 4

Demarre McGill, flute	Madeline Neely, viola
Patricia Atkinson, flute	Prudence McDaniel, cello
Ron Carter, violin	Richard Robinson, bass
Marisa McLeod, violin	Wilfred Delphin, harpsichord
Leroy Sellers, violin	

9:00 p.m.

Kilbourn Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

Ulysess Kay, Sonata for Viola and Piano (1939)

George Taylor, viola
David Liptak, piano

Aaron Copland, Sonata for Violin and Piano (1944)

Earl Carlyss, violin (former Julliard Quartet)
Anne Schein, piano

Manuel de Falla, Suite for guitar and viola

George Taylor, viola
Nicholas Goluses, guitar

Friday, September 3

Noon

Eastman School Main Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

The Joplin Hour

Pianist Roy Eaton plays Joplin rags and works by composers who utilized his style.

2:00 p.m.

Eastman School of Music Ciminelli Lounge, 100 Gibbs St.

Chamber Music after lunch

Jam Session

7:00 p.m.

Kilbourn Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

Bach, *Brandenburg Concerto No. 5*

Bernard Phillips, flute

Tahira Whittington, cello

Kelly Hall, violin

Richard Robinson, bass

Wilfred Delphin, harpischord

Bach, *Brandenburg Concerto No. 6*

Amadi Hummings, viola

Michael Cameron, cello

Diedre Lawrence, viola

Greg Maker, bass

Troy Stuart, cello

Wilfred Delphin, harpischord

Kenneth Law, cello

9:00 p.m.

Kilbourn Hall, 26 Gibbs St.

Evening Chamber Music Concert

Hindemith, *Sonate fur Bratsche allein (1937)*

Amadi Hummings, viola

Kodaly, *Duo for Violin and Cello, op. 7*

Kelly Hall, violin

Troy Stuart, cello

Bach, *Suite No. 6 for solo cello*

Ruppert Thompson, cello

Ysaye Ballade, *Sonate No. 3 for solo violin*

Derek Reeves, violin

George Walker, *Lyric for Strings*

Kelly Hall, violin

Derek Reeves, violin

Amadi Hummings, viola

Rupert Thompson, cello

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and his mother

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