

I'm delighted that several members of my extended musical family are able to share in the festivities as the VSO celebrates its 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary. It is going to be an extraordinary year!

Barring another power outage, our October Masterworks audience will hear — and see — Soovin Kim perform Sibelius' Violin Concerto. Anthony Princiotti has chosen a marvelous program for December, and in January, my dear friend André Watts makes his Vermont debut with Beethoven's Emperor Concerto. Sarah Hicks, who was such a delight last season, returns in March to guest conduct again. We close the series with Robert De Cormier and a special commemorative presentation of Verdi's Requiem.

I hope you can join our VSO family for all of these concerts! I guarantee your life will be enriched.



*Jaime Laredo*

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The five-concert Saturday Masterworks series takes place at the Flynn Center in Burlington. All concerts begin at 8:00 PM and are preceded at 7:00 PM by **Musically Speaking**, a free, lively and interactive discussion.

### Saturday, October 24

**DAVID LUDWIG** *Radiance*  
**SIBELIUS** *Violin Concerto*  
**SCHUMANN** *Symphony No. 3, "Rhenish"*

Jaime Laredo, conductor;  
Nancy Dimock, oboe; Soovin Kim, violin

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### Saturday, December 5

**RESPIGHI** *Trittico Botticelliano*  
**BRAHMS** *Symphony No. 3*  
**TCHAIKOVSKY** *Symphony No. 2, "Little Russian"*

Anthony Princiotti, conductor

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### Saturday, January 30

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EVENT

**MENDELSSOHN** *The Hebrides (Fingal's Cave)*  
**DAVID LUDWIG** *Chamber Symphony No. 1,*  
*"The Book of Hours" (World Premiere)*  
**BEETHOVEN** *Piano Concerto No. 5, "Emperor"*

Jaime Laredo, conductor; André Watts, piano

This concert will be followed  
by "My Dessert with André"  
in the Amy Tarrant Gallery. Reservations are  
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Composer

**COURTYARD**  
Warren

This program will also be performed  
Friday, January 29, at 7:30 PM at the  
Bellows Falls Opera House, Bellows  
Falls, and Sunday, January 31, at 4:00  
PM at the Paramount Theatre, Rutland.

### Saturday, March 20

**MOZART** *Abduction from the Seraglio Overture*  
**RICHARD DANIELPOUR** *A Child's Reliquary*  
**DE FALLA** *Suite No. 1 from the Three Cornered Hat*  
**DELIUS** *On Hearing the First Cuckoo in Spring*  
**COPLAND** *Suite from Appalachian Spring*

Sarah Hicks, conductor; Jaime Laredo, violin; Sharon Robinson, cello

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Sharon Robinson



Sarah Hicks

This program will also be performed Sunday, March 21,  
at 4:00 PM at the Paramount Theatre, Rutland.

### Saturday, May 1

**75th**  
PREMIUM  
EVENT

**VERDI** *Requiem*  
Robert De Cormier, conductor; Indra Thomas, soprano; Judith Engel, alto;  
Steven Tharp, tenor; Kevin Deas, bass; VSO Chorus



Indra Thomas



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