

# VOCES 8



**NORTH AMERICAN TOUR**  
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“The singing of  
VOCES8 is  
impeccable...  
They bring a new  
dimension to the  
word ‘ensemble.’”  
*GRAMOPHONE*

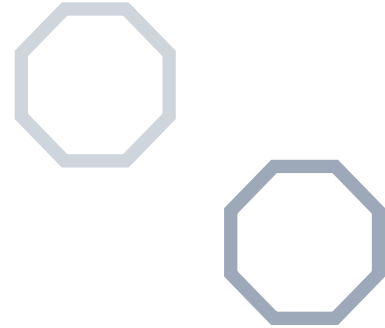
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The British choral tradition has produced many celebrated composers such as Byrd, Elgar and Britten. Singers throughout the centuries have been inspired by this rich heritage – VOCES8 is no exception. With programs that draw upon music from across the ages, VOCES8 explores its roots by championing pillars of British song.

The ensemble demonstrates the sheer beauty of voices in harmony through a vast range of repertoire from churches, courts and concert halls, alongside folk, jazz and pop arrangements. The result is a rare mix of the ethereal and angelic, paired with pure toe-tapping fun. This season, the group also welcomes Jonathan Dove as Composer-in-Residence and is pleased to share his choral work with the world.

“A perfect blend of calm contentment and soaring spirit.”  
*THE INDEPENDENT*

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## SAMPLE WORKS

### LUX AETERNA (Sacred choral music)

**EDWARD ELGAR** [Lux Aeterna](#)

**MONTEVERDI** [Adoramus Te, Christe](#)

**CHARLES V. STANFORD** [Beati Quorum Via](#)  
[JONATHAN DOVE](#) [Into Thy Hands](#)

**MENDELSSOHN** [Denn er hat seinen Engeln](#)

**RACHMANINOV** [Bogoroditse Devo](#)

*Available with optional candlelight procession*

### UNDERNEATH THE STARS

(Mixed repertoire)

Repertoire from LUX AETERNA plus a mix of contemporary selections:

**KATE RUSBY** [Underneath the stars](#)

**BEN FOLDS** [The Luckiest](#)

**MANNING SHERWIN** [A Nightingale Sang in Berkeley Square](#)

**CARROLL COATES** [London by Night](#)

**ROBERT PEARSALL** [Lay a Garland](#)

### CHORAL DANCES (Mixed repertoire)

**BRITTEN** [Choral Dances from Gloriana](#)

[Madrigals from The Triumphs of Oriana](#)

**CHARLES V. STANFORD** [Beati Quorum Via](#)

**WILLIAM BYRD** [Laudibus in Sanctus](#)

**PABLO RUIZ** [Sway](#)

**VAN MORRISON** [Moondance](#)

**IRVING BERLIN** [Cheek to Cheek](#)

All programs subject to change.