

MEDFORD: April 20, 2018 · 7:30pm
MEDFORD: April 21, 2018 · 7:30pm
GRANTS PASS: April 22, 2018 · 3:00pm

Note: There will be no Ashland performance of this program.



Ethan
Gans-Morse,
composer

Ethan GANS-MORSE: How Can You Own The Sky?
A Symphonic Poem Honoring Native Wisdom
WORLD PREMIERE

Commissioned by The Rogue Valley Symphony

Featuring original poetry by Tiziana DellaRovere read by Brent Florendo

BEETHOVEN: Symphony No. 9
Melinda Whittington, soprano
Rebecca Ringle, mezzo-soprano
Brian Thorsett, tenor
Norman Garrett, baritone
Southern Oregon Repertory Singers & Rogue Valley Chorale

Praise for Gans-Morse's opera *The Canticle of the Black Madonna*:
"...generous, carefully crafted and supremely compassionate."
The Oregonian



Melinda Whittington



Rebecca Ringle



Brian Thorsett



Norman Garrett

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