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**The Passion
According
to St. John**

Presented by Rogue Valley Chorale

March 1 • 8 p.m. March 2 • 3 p.m. **SOLD OUT**

This great dramatic work by J.S. Bach is seldom heard outside of large metropolitan areas or at festivals, and indeed this is the first performance of this kind in the Rogue Valley. The Lenten drama that tells of the betrayal and crucifixion of Christ requires an excellent choir, outstanding soloists, and a fine chamber orchestra. Theater patrons will hear soloists from New York, Seattle, San Francisco and Portland. Leading members of the Rogue Valley Symphony will complete the orchestra.

The Chorale is celebrating its twenty-fourth year of performing for Rogue Valley audiences. Lynn Sjolund, founding director, will conduct the concerts. Large audiences are expected for this special opening event.