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OUACHITA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY  
School of Music

PERFORMING ARTS CLASS

Friday, November 12, 1982, 11:00 A.M.  
Mabee Fine Arts Center Recital Hall

"Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee" Eric Thiman

Steve Moore, Tenor Principal, Freshman  
Janada Barnett, piano

Ma Mère l'Oye Maurice Ravel

- I. Pavane de la Belle au bois dormant
- II. Petit Poucet
- III. Laidéronette, Impératrice des Pagodes
- IV. Les entretiens de la Belle et de la Bête
- V. Le Jardin Féerique

Jonathan Besançon, Piano Principal, Junior

"Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee" Eric Thiman

Steven Cooper, Baritone Principal, Junior  
Ruth Williams, piano

## Program Notes

### Ma Mère l'Oye (Mother Goose)

- I. Pavane de la Belle au bois dormant  
(Pavane of the Sleeping Beauty)

- II. Petit Poucet (Tom Thumb)

*He believed that he could easily find his path by means of the bread crumbs which he had scattered wherever he passed; but he was very surprised when he could not find a single crumb; the birds had come and eaten everything up.*  
(Charles Perrault)

- III. Laidéronette, Impératrice des Pagodes  
(Laideronette, Empress of the Pagodas)

*She undressed and got into her bath. Immediately the Pagodas and Pagodins began to sing and play on their instruments. Some had theorbos made of walnut shells; others had viols made of the shell of an almond, for of course it was necessary to fit the instruments to their size.*

(Mme. d'Aulnoy; Serpentin Vert)

- IV. Les entretiens de la Belle et de la Bête  
(The conversations between the Beauty and the Beast)

*"When I think of how good-hearted you are, you do not seem to me so ugly."*

*"Yes, I have indeed a kind heart, but I am a monster."*

*"There are many men more monstrous than you."*

*"If I had wit, I would invent a fine compliment to thank you, but I am only a beast".....*

*"Beauty, will you be my wife?"*

*"No, Beast!"*

*"I die content since I have the pleasure of seeing you again."*

*"No my dear Beast, you shall not die; you shall live to be my husband."*

*The Beast had disappeared, and she saw at her feet only a prince more beautiful than Love, who thanked her for breaking his enchantment.*

(Mme. Leprince de Beaumont)

- V. Le Jardin Féérique (The Fairy Garden)