Christmas Concert



Guisborough Choral Society
With

Guisborough Salvation Army Citadel Band

Guisborough Methodist Church

<u>Saturday December 8th • 7.30pm</u>

Conductor Rebecca Johnson • Bandmaster David White

Accompanist Helen Kirk

Registered Charity 508845

Part One

Citadel Band	To Celebrate His Birth	0. Ritman
<u>Audience</u>	In The Bleak Mid-Winter	G. Holst
GCS Choir	The Infant King Sans Day Carol	D. Willcocks J. Rutter
Reading	Nancy & Terry Webb	
Citadel Band	Joy to the World The Everlasting Light	M. Cordner M. Cordner
GCS Choir	Shepherds Farewell Silent Night/Night of Silence	H. Berlioz
Reading	Nancy & Terry Webb	
Citadel Band	O Rock, All Ye Faithful	W. Gordon
Audience	O Little Town of Bethlehem	V. Williams
GCS Choir	Coventry Carol v2 The Snow	M. Shaw E. Elgar
<u>Audience</u>	<u>First Nowell</u>	D. Willcocks

Interval

Refreshments are provided by the Guisborough Bridge Association to raise funds for its excellent community work. Pease be generous.



Part Two

GCS Choir Ring Christmas Bells M. Leontovich

O Holy Night A. Adam/K.Norbury

<u>Audience</u> <u>Once in Royal David's City</u> Gauntlett/Mann

Citadel Band Chiming Bells R. Philips

Reading Nancy & Terry Webb

GCS Choir Taladh Chriosta (Christ's Lullaby) B. Parry

Mary's Boy Child J. Hairston

<u>Audience</u> <u>Away in a Manger</u> Kirkpatrick/Willcocks

Citadel Band The Manger Scene L. Condon

Reading Nancy & Terry Webb

GCS Choir Baby Its Cold Outside F. Loesser

Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas Martin/Blane/L'Estrange

<u>Audience</u> <u>Good King Wenceslas</u> R.Jacques

Citadel Band Rudolph the Red-nosed Reindeer M. Cordner

Audience Hark the Herald Angels Sing Mendelssohn/
Willcocks

We Wish You a Merry Christmas A. Warrell



Guisborough Citadel Band

For 138 years the Band has continuously served the Corps, our community and beyond through its ministry. A quote from the Corps Centenary Brochure of 1980: The Salvation Army Band "exists to proclaim the Army's message; salvation from sin through Jesus Christ; and to accomplish the Army's purpose: the salvation of souls." This continues to be the creed of the current Guisborough Citadel Band. We are grateful to have Bandmaster David White and the Citadel Band musicians with us tonight.

With Thanks to Our Patrons and Donors

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Would You Like to Sing?

The choir warmly welcomes new singers and invites you to our regular rehearsals on Wednesdays at 7:30 pm in Sunnyfield House, Westgate, Guisborough. Info: guisboroughchoralsociety.org.uk, facebook.com/guischoir, Twitter #guisboroughchoralsociety or phone/text the Publicity Officer at 07463 089288.

Next Concert

You'll be delighted! *Twenty First Century Composers*, at St Paulinas Church, Guisborough on Sunday 7th April, 2019 at 3 pm. Look out for details in the press and on the GCS website, Facebook and Twitter.

Registered Charity 508845 Programme: R. de Ford