

Universal Harpsongs

Heart-opening concert series, Sep-Nov 2019 in
Alkmaar, Amsterdam, Arnhem, Den Haag, Deventer,
Eindhoven, Hengelo, Katwijk, Utrecht, Zwolle.

words on **Light, Love, Harmony, Beauty, nature, and music**;
music is **light, warm and appealing, in several styles.**

01 Praise be to Thee	10 More fragrant than flowers	19 Feeling Thine Arms around me
02 Invocation	11 A beautiful garden	20 Paradise
03 My songs have wings	12 Language of roses	21 Bless me, inspire me
04 Kind health descends	13 Your being shows me how	22 Who
05 Born	14 For the beauty of the earth	23 Before you judge
06 Delight us	15 Thy Music	24 Prayer for the dead
07 Prayer for healing	16 Prayer for Bliss & Protection	25 Oriental song
08 Ten Thoughts	17 Prayer for Peace	26 Colourful Concert: 15 songs
09 May your heart be filled	18 Love, Lover, Beloved	27 Blessing CD: 78 mins, 27 songs

words (partly) Hazrat Inayat-khan: 1,2,7,8,9,10,15-21,17,23,24,27; Marja de Jong: 3,5,6,8,10,11,14,17,22,26; Ambrose Philips: 4; Mirabai: 12,13; Pierpoint: 14; PoM Hidayat Inayat-khan: 25. * = **arrangement** Marja de Jong.
music (except tune) Hazrat Inayat-khan: 1*; Mirabai: 2*,12*,13*,19; Marja de Jong: 3,4,5,6,7,8,10,11,14,17,22,24,26,27; Mda Ratan Witteveen: 9*,18*,21*, MP Maheboob-khan: 15*,16*,20*,23*; PoM Hidayat Inayat-khan: 25*; **tune** G Caccini: 3; GF Händel: 4; Irish: 6,11; MP Maheboob-khan: 8; Sh Yakzan Valdez 27.

01 Praise be to Thee, and to Thy Kingdom.

words: traditional+**HIK**, translation: MdJ

Praise be to the Master, and to Thy Glory, and to Thy Goodness, and to Thy Ability, and to Thy Magnificence, oh God, and to Thy Dignity ♂, and to Thy Beauty ♀, and to Thy Perfection ⚙, and to Thy Power.

Praise be to the Highest, the Purpose for all; praise be to the Highest, the most Worshipped of all; praise be to the Highest, the Omnipresent; praise be to the Highest, the Etnal One...

Thou art free from birth, and from death, and from all limitations, for ever and ever; Thou art the most Praised One, the most Holy One, oh Lord, and Thou art the Ruler over the angels and souls.

02 Toward the One, the Perfection of Love, Harmony and Beauty, the Only Being, united with all the illuminated souls, who form the embodiment of the Master, the Spirit of Guidance. words: HIK

03 My songs have wings of Light, and they know a way to find you. words: MdJ



My songs are sweet, invite you to free the Sound inside you.

Rush now my song, unfold to the hearts that long to hold you. 2x

Go now, I'm sure you'll find as before the hearts that seek you.

Bright shining eyes, you'll speak to some more with humble kindness.

Go beyond time and measures where Love and Light are treasures. 2x

06 Let's walk some more, just take my hand. Enjoy the view of sea and land. words: MdJ

Please, come along, my dearest friend. Delight us with your company.

Chorus: **Walk with the strong and weak. Be with the stubborn and the meek.**

Come, walk along the creek with inner peace and harmony.

All drops of water, shy and bold, swim to the sea as long foretold.

The sea is like a heart of gold where drops become water suddenly. *Chorus*

08 01 Let us be still & let God, who is All that is, from beginning to end, the Eternal Bliss.

02 There is but one Holy Spirit, constantly guiding all our souls toward the Light.

03 Oh divine Nature, with awe we salute Thy perfect Cycle of seeds and fruit. words: HIK/MdJ

04 There is but one Religion, that helps us to strive for fulfillment of our soul's purpose of life.

09 The essence of wisdom, without and within, shows the Only Truth that has always been.

10 The 'Way of the Heart' is the only way to eternal life, the perfect state.

10 How do we share the most precious perfume? It does not come from a bottle at all. words: MdJ

How do we share the most precious perfume? It comes from a peaceful, peaceful soul...

Chorus: **More fragrant than flowers are the words of praise.** ~ Hazrat Inayat-khan

Wonderful present for every soul: it's for free, cannot break and does not expire.

Wonderful present for every soul: it comes from a grateful, grateful heart. *Chorus*

When ever we give, when ever we get, it's a constantly flowing abundant force.

When ever we give, when ever we get, it comes from the One and Only Source. *Chorus*

sing
along

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THE **MAGIC**
OF **MUSIC**

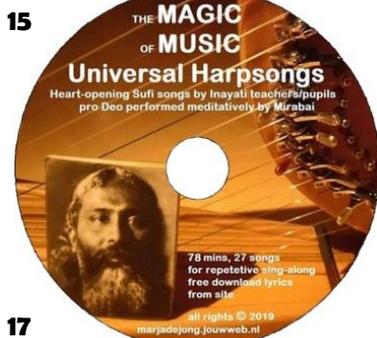
12 If thou inhaledst the perfume of roses, thy heart will be opened by a hidden truth;
A hidden truth which no longer reposes, exhaling the music awakened in thee.

words: Mirabai

Chorus: **Roses scenting, softly whisp'ring; secrets go from heart to heart.
A song resounds, for thou art listening to the echo in thy heart.**

sing
along

Be this the secret of life, o dear roses, and be this the secret of love and of truth,
Telling its tale, telling its tale by the sense of our noses and singing its song,
Singing its song (singing its song), singing along (singing along) with the echo in thee. Chorus



15

Thy music causeth my soul to dance. 2x

In the murmur of the wind, I hear Thy flute. 2x

Thy music causeth my soul to dance. 2x

The waves of the sea keep the rhythm of Thy dancing steps. 2x

Through the whole of nature I hear Thy music played 2x, my Beloved.

My soul, while dancing, speaketh of the joy in song.

Thy music causeth my soul to dance. 2x

Kalyān, words: HIK

sing
along

17

01 God we pray, send us Thy Peace: let our souls radiate peace, everlasting peace.

02 **God we pray, send us Thy Peace:** let us think, act and speak harmoniously.

03 **God we pray, send us Thy Peace:** let us be contented and thankful for Thy bountiful gifts.

04 **God we pray, send us Thy Peace:** let us enjoy Thy Bliss during our journey on earth.

07 **God we pray, send us Thy Peace:** all life & care is coming from Thee, now let us live as 1 Family.

words: HIK/MdJ

sing
along

18

Mirabai 1 tone & community 1 tone: 7x **You are Love, Lover, Beloved.**

Mirabai melody & community 1 tone: 7x **You are Love, Lover, Beloved.**

21

Mirabai: 1x Bless me, inspire me, and fortify me, oh Lord, with Thy Power and Thy Wisdom.

2x **Bless me, inspire me, and fortify me, oh Lord, with Thy Power and Thy Wisdom.**

words: HIK

sing
along

22

Smiling hearts meet and greet, everywhere, eternally.

In robes of love and harmony our radiant souls share beauty freely.

Known and unknown, seen and unseen, all are one beyond our dream.

Being hu-man, here to see there is only us & we. 2x Hu, hu.

Hu ~ Who = the divine Sound

~ God is all that is,

e.g. **human** (person of God)

and **humus** (earth of God).

words: MdJ

sing
along

24 O Thou, the Cause and Effect of the whole Universe,

The Source from whence we have come and the Goal toward which all are bound,

Receive this soul who is coming to Thee into Thy parental arms, **Thy parental arms.**

words: HIK

sing
along

May Thy forgiving Glance heal his¹ heart. Lift him¹ from the denseness of the earth.

Surround him¹ with the Light of Thine own Spirit, **Thine own Spirit.**

Raise him up to Heaven, which is his¹ true dwelling place, (*we pray Thee,*)

Grant him¹ the blessing of Thy most exalted Presence.

May his¹ life upon the earth become as a dream to this waking soul,

(¹ or her)

And let his¹ thirsting eyes behold the glorious vision of Thy Sunshine, **Vision of Thy Sunshine.** Amen.

25

words: POM, free translation: MdJ

Oh my ego, please, let go of me. Go away and let me be free!

Many times I worked so hard to get rid of you, but without result.

As long as I do not get free from you, I will not be able to show my true face.

You will understand, this is a pleasure for no one. So, go away and let me be free!

With humility I sit down on the dusty soil, and quietly lower my head and eyelids.

My thoughts are peaceful. In this silence you dissolve and I am finally free.



27

LYRICS: words: HIK, choreo: Yakzan Valdez **DANCE:** in a circle, hearts toward center, blessing the world* (*MdJ)

01 **May the Blessing of God rest upon you,**

01 striking the aura (hands: from above, circle out)

02 **May His Peace abide with you,**

02 healing hands (L: up receptive, R: down radiating)

03 **May His Presence illuminate your heart,**

03 Light => heart (L: up receptive, R: down radiating)

04 **Now and forever more.**

04 greet: bow with praying hands before your heart

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