

New York – 15 Years On

Following our amazing trip to New York in September 2011, when over 400 members of The Really Big Chorus performed *The Armed Man* in the prestigious Lincoln Center on the 10th anniversary of 9/11, we have been invited back to mark the 15th anniversary on 11 September 2016. The Freedom Tower now soars into the Manhattan skyline where the twin towers once stood, and the dignified and deeply moving 9/11 Memorial serves as a fitting testament to those who lost their lives.

We will sing Fauré's sublime Requiem in the magnificent setting of St Bart's Episcopal Church, as part of their 9/11 remembrance day events.

TIMETABLE OF EVENTS

(The schedule is provisional and subject to change.)

Friday 9 September Fly to New York and transfer to hotels.

Saturday 10 September Morning and afternoon piano rehearsals.

Sunday 11 September Afternoon: Rehearsal with orchestra and soloists.

5.00 pm: Concert in St Bart's (Park Avenue/51st Street), followed by a lavish post-concert reception with open bar and as-much-as-you-can-eat buffet!

Monday 12 September Fly home, or extend your stay.

VOCAL SCORES

Singers must bring their own vocal scores. Fauré's Requiem is widely available, and all editions of the choral score are compatible as far as we know.

Blackwell's Music Shop can supply vocal scores (01865 333582; email printed.music@blackwell.co.uk) and rehearsal material is available from ChoraLine (email music@choraline.com).

FULL UK TRAVEL AND HOTEL PACKAGES

Tour operated by Specialised Travel Ltd, 12–15 Hanger Green, London W5 3EL
Event organised by Scratch Concerts Ltd, PO Box 4211, BATH, BA1 0HJ, England

Costs have been kept to a minimum but the logistics of this event are expensive. The current full-package estimate is £1,695 per person, including flights, accommodation and participation.

In addition to the full package outlined above a '**music only**' package is offered. Singers £510 each (event participation and post-concert reception, but no flights or accommodation); accompanying non-singers £80 each (concert ticket and post-concert reception).

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For more information and booking details return this form to
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