CAPETOWN CAROLS AT Kinstenbosch



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Message from Rotary



Dear Friends

A sincere thank you to all those people and organisations that have made Cape Town Carols at Kirstenbosch possible, especially the management and staff of the beautiful Kirstenbosch National Botanical Garden and the City of Cape Town. We would also like to express our appreciation to the members of the Cape Town Concert Brass, augmented with a strong choir of male and female voices and talented soloists. Special thanks to you the public and patrons for your role in making the carols event so enjoyable and memorable. To our proud sponsor Pick n Pay and radio partners, Radio Tygerberg 104FM and Fine Music Radio, we are sincerely appreciative of your valued support in enabling the Rotary Club of Kirstenbosch to once again host a quality event to raise funds for the benefit of those less fortunate than ourselves in the communities around Cape Town. Thank You.

Yours in Rotary, THE PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS The Rotary Club of Kirstenbosch

*PLEASE NOTE: Due to circumstances beyond our control, we are unable to distribute the usual glowsticks this year. You may turn your smartphone into a digital glowstick by switching on your torch app.

Message from the sponsor Pickn Pay

This festive season, we're reminded that the most magical moments come from the smallest acts of kindness. Whether it's sharing a warm meal, a heartfelt gift, or simply a smile, it's the little things we do that mean the most to those we love.

At Pick n Pay, we're proud to be part of your moments of magic. From thoughtful gifting to special treats, we're here to help make this Christmas a celebration of giving and connection.

Thank you for allowing us to be part of your story this year. We wish you and your loved ones a joyful and magical Christmas and a New Year filled with cherished memories.

Tessa Chamberlain

Message from Radio Tygerberg 104FM



It's that time of the year again! The Cape Town Carols at Kirstenbosch is a family tradition that kicks off the holiday season on the right note in the most beautiful setting in the world... Kirstenbosch National Botanical Garden.

Once again it is an honour to be a radio partner, for this well-loved event.

Thanks to the Rotary Club of Kirstenbosch for this wonderful opportunity and partnership. We appreciate the amazing work you are doing in the community. Also a big word of thanks to the proud sponsor Pick n Pay.

On behalf of all at Radio Tygerberg104FM, may you have a Christ-centred festive season and enjoy the special times with your loved ones.

Geseënde Kersfees!

Rikus van Rooy Station Manager

Message from Fine Music Radio

FINE MUSIC

Fine Music Radio is Africa's only classical music and jazz FM radio station.

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Fine Music Radio - Calm in Chaos

Horo Somer Kersfees

Welkom o stille nag van vrede, onder die suiderkruis, wyl stemme uit die ou verlede oor sterrehemel ruis

Kerfees kom, Kersfees kom gee aan God die eer. Skenk ons 'n helder Somerkersfees in hierdie land, o Heer.

Hoor jy hoe sag die klokke beier In eeue-oue taal. Kyk, selfs die nagtelike swye vertel die ou verhaal.

Kerfees kom, Kersfees kom gee aan God die eer. Skenk ons 'n helder Somerkersfees in hierdie land, o Heer.

Voel jy ook nou sy warm liefde As ons die dag gedenk, Toe Hy sy Seun aan ons gegee het -Ons grootste kersgeskenk.

Christus kom, Christus kom gee aan God die eer. Skenk ons 'n helder Somerkersfees in hierdie land, o Heer.

Kom buig daar in aanbidding

(Come let us adore Him)

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Unto Us A Child Is Born

Unto us a Child is born Christians, hear the story In this world our flesh is worn By Christ, the Lord of glory By Christ, the Lord of glory

In a manger He is laid Where the cows are sleeping Angels recognize their Lord And o'er Him watch are keeping And o'er Him watch are keeping

Jesus, born of Virgin Maid In Thy visitation Show Thy mercy, Lord, on us And grant us Thy salvation And grant us Thy salvation

Alpha and Omega, Thine Be this day our chorus King of kings, and Lord of lords Now let Thy grace be o'er us Now let Thy grace be o'er us

O Come All Ye Faithful

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem Come and behold him Born the King of Angels O come, let us adore Him (3×) Christ the Lord



God of God, light of light Lo, he abhors not the Virgin's womb Very God, begotten, not created O come, let us adore Him (3×) Christ the Lord

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation Sing, all ye citizens of Heaven above Glory to God, glory in the highest O come, let us adore Him (3×) Christ the Lord

Kom, lofsing die Here, loof hom, al wat lewe Wees vrolik, besing nou Sy majesteit In U, getroue, bly ons ook behoue Ons prys U in aanbidding (3x), Gesalfde en Heer



Once in royal David's city Stood a lowly cattle shed Where a mother laid her baby In a manger for His bed Mary was that mother mild Jesus Christ her little child

He came down to earth from heaven Who is God and Lord of all And His shelter was a stable And His cradle was a stall With the poor and mean and lowly Lived on earth our Saviour holy

And through all His wondrous childhood He would honour and obey Love and watch the lowly maiden In whose gentle arms He lay Christian children all must be Mild, obedient, good as He

And our eyes at last shall see Him Through His own redeeming love For that child so dear and gentle Is our Lord in heaven above And He leads His children on To the place where He is gone

Not in that poor lowly stable With the oxen standing by We shall see Him, but in heaven Set at God's right hand on high Where like stars His children crowned All in white shall be around

GABRIEL - SOLO O LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

O little town of Bethlehem How still we see thee lie Above thy deep and dreamless sleep The silent stars go by Yet in thy dark streets shineth The everlasting Light The hopes and fears of all the years Are met in thee tonight

For Christ is born of Mary And gathered all above While mortals sleep, the angels keep Their watch of wondering love O morning stars together Proclaim the holy birth And praises sing to God the King And Peace to men on earth How silently, how silently The wondrous gift is given So God imparts to human hearts The blessings of His heaven No ear may hear His coming But in this world of sin Where meek souls will receive him still The dear Christ enters in

O holy Child of Bethlehem Descend to us, we pray Cast out our sin and enter in Be born in us today We hear the Christmas angels The great glad tidings tell O come to us, abide with us Our Lord Emmanuel

JOSEPH - SOLO MARY'S BOY CHILD

Long time ago in Bethlehem, so the Holy Bible say Mary's Boy Child, Jesus Christ, was born on Christmas Day

Hark! Now hear the angels sing A king was born today And man will live for evermore Because of Christmas Day

While shepherds watched their flocks by night they saw a bright new shining star And heard a choir from heaven sing the music came from afar

Hark! Now hear the angels sing A king was born today And man will live for evermore Because of Christmas Day Now Joseph and his wife Mary came to Bethlehem that night They found no place to lay the Child not a single room was in sight

Hark! Now hear the angels sing A king was born today And man will live for evermore Because of Christmas Day

By and by they found a little nook in a stable all forlorn And in a manger cold and dark Mary's little Boy was born

Trumpets sound and angels sing, Listen to what they say! That man will live forevermore Because of Christmas Day!

MARY - SOLO - **AWAY IN A MANGER**

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed The little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay

The cattle are lowing, the Baby awakes But little Lord Jesus, no crying he makes I love thee, Lord Jesus! Look down from the sky And stay by my side until morning is nigh

Be near me, Lord Jesus; I ask thee to stay

Close by me forever, and love me I pray

Bless all the dear children in thy tender care

And fit us to Heaven to live with thee there

Al was ek nie daar nie, ek weet dit is so

Die herders en wyses het dit eerste geglo

En deur al die jare, bou Jesus Sy kerk Die Gees en die Woord kom, geloof in ons wek

TRIO - SOLOISTS O HOLY NIGHT



WE THREE KINGS

We three kings of orient are, bearing gifts we traverse afar Field and fountain, Moor and mountain, following yonder star

O star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright Westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light

Born a King on Bethlehem's plain, gold I bring to crown Him again King for ever, ceasing never, over us all to reign

O star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright Westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light

Frankincense to offer have I, Incense owns a Deity nigh

Prayer and praising, voices raising, worshiping God on high

O star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright Westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light

Myrrh is mine, It's bitter perfume, breathes a life of gathering gloom Sorrowing, sighing, bleeding, dying, sealed in the stone cold tomb

O star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright Westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light

Glorious now behold Him arise, King and God and Sacrifice Alleluia, Alleluia, sounds through the earth and skies

O star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright Westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light

HARK THE HERALD ANGELS SING

Hark! The herald angels sing, Glory to the newborn King Peace on earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled Joyful, all ye nations rise, join the triumph of the skies With the angelic host proclaim: Christ is born in Bethlehem Hark! The herald angels sing, Glory to the newborn King Christ by highest Heaven adored, Christ the everlasting Lord Late in time behold Him come, offspring of a Virgin's womb Veiled in flesh the Godhead see, hail the incarnate Deity Pleased as man with man to dwell, Jesus, our Emmanuel Hark! The herald angels sing, Glory to the newborn King

Hail the Heaven-born Prince of Peace! Hail the Son of Righteousness Light and life to all He brings, risen with healing in His wings Mild He lays His glory by, born that man no more may die Born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them second birth Hark! The herald angels sing, Glory to the newborn King

• JOY TO THE WORLD

Joy to the world! The Lord is come Let earth receive her King Let every heart prepare him room And heaven and nature sing And heaven and nature sing And heaven, and heaven, and nature sing

Joy to the world! The Saviour reigns Let men their songs employ While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains Repeat the sounding joy Repeat the sounding joy Repeat, repeat the sounding joy

He rules the world with truth and grace

And makes the nations prove The glories of His righteousness And wonders of His love And wonders of His love And wonders, wonders, of His love

BENEDICTION AND BLESSING

Silent night, holy night All is calm, all is bright Round yon Virgin, Mother and Child Holy infant so tender and mild Sleep in heavenly peace Sleep in heavenly peace

Silent night, holy night Shepherds quake at the sight Glories stream from heaven afar Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia Christ the Saviour is born Christ the Saviour is born

Silent night, holy night Son of God, love's pure light Radiance beams from Thy holy face With the dawn of redeeming grace Jesus Lord, at Thy birth Jesus Lord, at Thy birth



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Below are the charities and organisations who are benefit directly from funds raised at Carols at Kirstenbosch.

YOUTH PROJECTS

Table Mountain Hiking Challenge Educational Hiking Programs throughout the Year

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The Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideals of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, **to encourage and foster the following:**

FIRST:The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.SECOND:High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the
worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's
occupation as an opportunity to serve society.THIRD:The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal,
business, and community life.FOURTH:The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace
through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united
in the ideal of service.

The Rotary Motto 🔚 "Service Above Self"

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Wishing you & yours a blessed Festive Season from all of us at



May this Christmas be cheerful and bright, filled with joy and peace.





