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LUCIA BRADFORD & EDWIN COTTON

WITH JAMES DAVIS, JR., PIANO

Recorded live at 5th House, Williamsburg, New York

Program

1. O, de Angels Done Bowed Down - arr. by Lena McLin
2. Here's One - arr. by William Grant Still
3. There's a Man Going Roun' Taking Names - traditional spiritual
4. I'm Troubled in Mind - arr. by J. Rosamond Johnson
5. Go Down Moses - arr. by H.T. Burleigh
6. Wade in the Water - arr. by H.T. Burleigh
7. Lord, I'll Go - arr. by Jacqueline Hairston
8. God is a God - arr. by Wendell P. Whalum
9. I Got to Lie Down - arr. by Hall Johnson
10. Soon- ah Will Be Done - traditional spiritual
11. Steal Away - traditional spiritual
12. Ride the Chariot - arr. by Betty Jackson King
13. I Don't Feel Noways Tired - arr. by Jacqueline Hairston
14. The Battle of Jericho - arr. by Margaret Bonds

About this event

Feel the Spirit is a series dedicated to the study, preservation, and performance of the Negro Spiritual.

The second concert of this two-part concert series features mezzo-soprano Lucia Bradford and tenor Edwin Cotton. Lucia Bradford, who has been praised by 'Opera News' for her "rich, burnished tone and fearsome low notes," will sing traditional spiritual arrangements by Lena McLin and J. Rosamond Johnson, as well as an original setting entitled 'Lord, I'll Go', by Jacqueline Hairston. Bradford will share the evening with tenor Edwin Cotton who rounds out the program with arrangements by the "father of the Concert Spiritual" H.T. Burleigh, as well as spirituals by William Grant Still and Wendell Whalum.

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