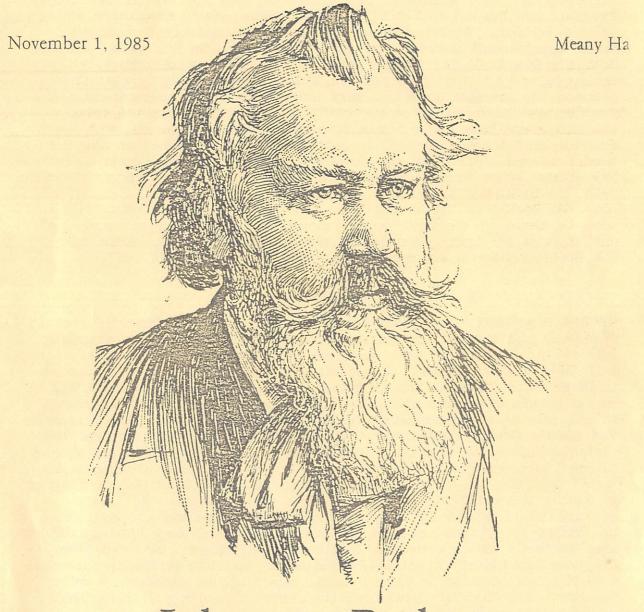
The Broadway Symphony

George Shangrow, Conductor



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STEVEN KEMPER has been captivating audiences and critics alike since his debut at age 10. Power, control, artistry and elegance are the hallmarks of this charismatic performer. A 1974 graduate of the Curtis Institute, he has studied with Seymour Lipkin, Boris Roubakine and Willard Schultz. Steven Kemper has toured extensively throughout North America and Europe, and currently resides in his native Seattle. Both his New York and Philadelphia debuts (1978) were critically acclaimed and in that same year in Moscow, at the Tchaikowski Competition, he brought home the only prize won by an American pianist, for the best performance of the commissioned work. His inspiring master classes have made him a favorite at universities all over North America, and since returning to Seattle, he has performed in the Mostly Mozart summer fesitval of the Seattle Symphony, in the Seattle Symphony New Music Series and, last year, played the Beethoven Emperor Concerto with The Broadway Symphony. During the Spring of 1986, Kemper will play the Beethoven Triple Concerto with the Seattle Symphony. He will soon be heard in his first major recordings as soloist with conductor Carlos Paita for Lodia Records, in the five Beethoven concertos and the Mozart concertos in d-minor (K. 466) and C-Major (K. 467).

GEORGE SHANGROW is the founder and musical director for the Broadway Symphony and the Seattle Chamber Singers. His skill and charasmatic leadership has brought both ensembles to prominence and critical acclaim both here and in Europe. In addition to his position with BS/SCS, he is Director of Music at the University Unitarian Church (since 1969) where he has regularly produced concert series and special programs. In the role of music educator, Shangrow has taught at Seattle University and Seattle Central Community College, and is a frequent lecturer for Women's University Club and Seattle Opera Previews. He is an accomplished harpsichordist, and has made solo appearances throughout his "own" special project "The Bach Year", a series of 32 different programs of Bach's music honoring the composer's tricentenniel. He is the accompanist of choice for many of Seattle's solo artists and will often be invited to provide continuo for Seattle Symphony and visiting ensembles and soloists. He is a member of the National Opera Association, and the American Choral Directors Assocaition. His fast-devloping career as a professional conductor have brought him to guest appearances with the Northwest Chamber Orchestra, the Seattle Symphony Players Organization, the Seattle Philharmonic, and the Choir of the Sound.

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Piano Concerto No.1 in d-minor, Op. 15

Maestroso Adagio Rondo, allegro non troppo

Steven Kemper, pianist

Intermission

Symphony No.2 in D Major, Op. 73

Allegro non troppo Adagio non troppo Allegretto grazioso; presto ma non assai Allegro con spirito

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The string sections of the Broadway Symphony practice regular seating rotation. Therefore, personnel is listed alphabetically

Violins Deede Cook Fritz Klein, Concertmaster Karen Kofoed Diane Lange Eileen Lusk. Principal 2nd Avron Maletsky Timothy Prior Gregg Rice Barbara Rood Phyllis Rowe Janet Showalter Kenna Smith Rebecca Soukup Stephen Tada Myrnie Van Kempen Donna Weller

Violas
Beatrice Dolf
Rose Lang
Alice Leighton
Stephanie Read
Robert Shangrow
Katrina Sharples
Michael Thompson
Sam Williams,
Principal
Nancy Winder

Cellos
Gary Anderson
Rosemary Berner
Vera Groom
Rebecca Parker
Maryann Tapiro,
Principal
Ronald Welch
Julie Wheeler

Bass
David Couch
Allan Goldman
Jo Hansen
Connie Van Winkle

Flute Erin Adair Janeen Shigley

Bassoon Daniel Harshman Paul Rafanelli

Trombone Charles Arndt Steve Sommer

Bass Trombone William Irving

Oboe Huntley Beyer Shannon Hill Daniel Williams

Horn Maurice Cary Laurie Heidt Cynthia Jefferson Anita Stokes <u>Clarinet</u> John Metler Gary Oules

<u>Trumpet</u> Gary Fladmoe David Hensler

Tuba David Brewer

Timpani Daniel Oie