



# Phil BYU



## The Group

Directed by Nathan Haines, BYU's Philharmonic Orchestra brings classical works from all time periods to life. Its richly varied repertoire demonstrates a mastery of symphonic music. Composed of 95 gifted musicians, the orchestra performs locally and on campus, collaborating with BYU's acclaimed opera, choral, and ballet groups. The Philharmonic Orchestra also recorded music for the Opening and Closing Ceremonies of the 2002 Salt Lake City Winter Olympic Games.

## Dr. Nathan Haines

- Holds a Ph.D. in Orchestral Conducting and Music Education from Florida State University
- Served as the associate conductor of orchestras, taught courses in conducting, and pursued research in the art of conducting and music education at FSU under the mentorship of Dr. Alexander Jiménez
- Co-founded the Studio Orchestra at FSU to create and perform music in film, video game, and other commercial media
- Served as the principal conductor and music director of the Utah Philharmonic Orchestra in Bluffdale, Utah

1980s-2025

800+

PERFORMANCES



81,000+

VIEWS



600,000+

AUDIENCE MEMBERS



## The Show

*The Philharmonic Orchestra performs concerts rich with variety. The ensemble's repertoire includes great classical symphonic works from all musical periods. Audiences of all kinds will appreciate the orchestra's expert presentation of classical music.*

## Performance History

- 2023-Salt Lake City
- 2007-Idaho
- 2005-Nevada/Northern California
- 2004-Nevada



## Outreach Efforts

The Philharmonic Orchestra frequently offers performance technique workshops and clinics for young musicians at local schools and community centers, as well as invites local schools to share the BYU stage in concerts.

### Philharmonic Orchestra is equipped to:

- Collaborate with local productions of opera, choral, and ballet programs
- Lead youth performance experiences
- Teach youth performance technique
- Engage in community service projects
- Collaborate with professional performing companies and organizations

“  
Right from the opening fanfare...  
you could have convinced me  
this was a fully professional  
orchestra. The musicians play  
with supreme confidence and a  
sense of total abandon...all  
things considered, it is a shining  
tribute to the excellence of  
America’s music schools.

Robert Markow, Fanfare Magazine



## Quotes

- “I would like to thank Brigham Young University for sending its orchestra to Othello. You cannot fully understand the value of this event for our community, culturally speaking... Let me stress to you just how deeply grateful I am for the ensemble’s moving performance last week. Please pass my sentiments on to the Maestro and to the fine musicians.” -Wayne Math Brown, Director of Bands, Othello, Washington
- “You probably don’t realize the impact that your group has on the audiences which you honor by your appearances and performances. First, the sheer professionalism and energy couple with the consistent quality...is a joy to experience. Second, the personalities of the performers...are such that an immediate rapport is established between the group and the audience.” Ronnie Bray, Yorkshire, England

## Music Releases

- Baba Yetu (By Christopher Tin) Lord's Prayer in Swahili - Alex Boyé, BYU Men's Chorus/ Philharmonic
- A Thanksgiving of American Folk Hymns (Remastered) [CD] - BYU Choirs and Orchestra
- The Redeemer: A Sacred Service of Music [CD] - Robert Cundick, BYU Choirs and Orchestra, and other artists
- Mahler: Symphony No. 3 in D Minor [double CD] - BYU Choirs and Orchestra



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