

## *About the performer ...*

Garrick Worrell is a homeschool graduate and lives in Fair Oaks, California. Garrick's musical interest began as a toddler when he rocked out to "Camptown Races" on his Fisher Price record player. His formal musical training started in 4<sup>th</sup> grade with the alto saxophone in elementary school band. By the 6<sup>th</sup> grade Garrick had transposed several songs from saxophone to piano. He was perhaps drawn by the complexity and superior mechanical luster of the piano. Garrick began formal piano lessons with Mr. Bill Becker in 2007. Mr. Becker introduced Garrick to the *Certificate of Merit* program of the Music Teachers' Association of California. *Certificate of Merit* afforded Garrick the opportunity to challenge his musical ability in a manner that incorporated piano performance, sight-reading, ear training, technique and music theory. Under Mr. Becker's guidance, Garrick completed the Music Teachers' Association of California's "*Certificate of Merit*" Level 9 in 2012. Recently, Garrick received the opportunity to showcase his musical abilities at a meeting of the Sacramento Chapter of the American Guild of Organists (AGO). Impressed with his abilities and interest in organ, the AGO awarded Garrick a scholarship of 20 organ lessons with Mr. Jack Miller.

Aside from music, Garrick enjoys family game nights and philosophical discussions. He has a wide range of other interests and activities. These interests include railroading, reading, mathematics, physics, and chemistry. Garrick has a passion for the outdoors and is particularly fond of activities such as hiking, backpacking, snowshoeing, and camping.

Academically, Garrick has taken several classes at American River College, where he has maintained a 4.0 GPA. His academic record at American River College resulted in his induction into the Phi Theta Kappa National Honor Society. Garrick's passion for the outdoors has been a driving factor in his active participation with the Boy Scouts of America. He attended the National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience at the Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico during the summer of 2011 and achieved his Eagle Scout rank in December 2011. Garrick's volunteer service has included working in children's ministry at his church, serving meals to the homeless, and playing the piano for the elderly in various retirement communities.

Garrick was recently awarded the Heritage Scholarship from LeTourneau University in Longview, Texas. He plans to attend LeTourneau in the fall where his major will be Mechanical Engineering with a possible minor in Mathematics.

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Thank you for attending today's recital.

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## **Becker Music Studio, Inc.**

*presents*

*Garrick J. d. H. Worrell*

## **Senior Recital**

Christ Community Church  
5025 Manzanita Avenue  
Carmichael, California

May 19, 2012  
2:00 p.m.

## *Recognition and Achievement in Music*

### **Organ**

Awarded Organ Scholarship, Spring 2012  
American Guild of Organists, Sacramento Chapter

Instruction in Organ with Mr. Jack Miller  
American Guild of Organists, Sacramento Chapter, Spring 2012

Organ Recital  
All Saints Episcopal Church, Sacramento, Spring 2012

### **Piano**

#### ***“Branch Honors Recital”***

Sacramento County Branch  
Music Teachers’ Association of California, Spring 2012

#### ***“Certificate of Merit”, Level Nine***

Music Teachers’ Association of California, Spring 2012

#### ***“Senior Medallion”***

Awarded by the Music Teachers’ Association of California

#### ***“First Place Award”***

Northern California/Nevada Fine Arts Competition – Piano  
Sponsored by AWANA

#### ***“Medal”***

Baroque Music Festival – 2012 (Harpsichord)  
Sponsored by the Sacramento County Branch  
Music Teachers’ Association of California

#### ***“Solo Piano Recital”***

Merrill Gardens at Citrus Heights, Spring 2011

## *Senior Recital*

# *Garrick J. d. H. Worrell*

## *Program*

Invocation

Reverend Wayne Stacks

### **Organ**

*Prelude II (WTC Bk. 1) BWV 847*

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

*Cwm Rhondda*

Hughes (1873-1932), arr. Held

*Little Prelude BWV 553*

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

### **Piano**

*Prelude No. 5, BWV 937*

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)

*Waltz, Op. 39, No. 15*

Brahms (1833-1897)

*Wedding Day at Troldhaugen, Op. 65, No. 6*

Grieg (1843-1907)

*Weeping Willow Rag*

Joplin (1867-1917)

*Maple Leaf Rag*

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*Waltz, No. 1*

Britten (1913-1976)

*Gargoyles, Op. 29, No. 2*

Liebermann (b. 1961)

*Prelude, Op. 3, No. 2*

Rachmaninoff (1873-1943)

*Presentation of Awards*

*Refreshments immediately following the recital in the Fireside Room.*