

# From Sea to Shining Sea

featuring

Dr. Jeannine Jordan,  
organist and narrator

with

David Jordan, media artist

Friday, November 6, 2015

7:30 p.m.

First Christian Church  
Peoria, Illinois

Sponsored by the Peoria Chapter of the  
American Guild of Organists

# From Sea to Shining Sea Program

## PREFACE

### A Page from the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

*Blithely Breezing Along*  
from *Baronian Suite for Organ*.....Stephen Paulus  
(1949-2014)

## CHAPTER ONE

### Beginnings

*Voluntary in A Major*.....William Selby  
(1738?-1798)  
*Festival Voluntary* from  
American Church Organ Voluntaries.....Cutler and Johnson  
*Fugue* .....Charles Zeuner  
(1795-1857)

## CHAPTER TWO

### Into the Wilderness

*Voluntary*.....Francis Linley  
(1771-1800)

## CHAPTER THREE

### Becoming a Country

*The Battle of Trenton*.....James Hewitt  
(1770-1827)

A Sonata dedicated to General Washington

**CHAPTER FOUR**  
**Immigrants Creating American Music**

*Soft Organ Voluntary*..... Manuel Emilio  
(1812-1871)

*Postlude*..... Lucien H. Southard  
(1827-1881)

**CHAPTER FIVE**  
**Women Filling the Roles**

*Voluntary* ..... Jennie Allatt  
(fl. 1874)

**CHAPTER SIX**  
**Wildly Popular**

*The Thunder Storm* ..... Thomas Philander Ryder  
(1836-1887)

**CHAPTER SEVEN**  
**The American Organ Comes Into Its Own**

*Trumpet Air*..... James Bremner  
(fl.1780)

*Toccata in B-flat Major*..... Alfred L. Barnes  
(1851-1933)

*Trio* ..... Samuel B. Whitney  
(1842-1914)

**CHAPTER EIGHT**  
**A Salute to America**

*Prelude* ..... Arthur Foote  
(1853-1937)

*The Star Spangled Banner –  
Concert Variations* ..... Dudley Buck  
(1839-1900)

Theme  
Minore adagio  
Fughetta. Allegro assai

## *Our Artists ---*

Jeannine is a champion of the organ and its music. She has traveled throughout the US and the world promoting and sharing organ music through her innovative concerts. As a professional organist she enjoys a varied career. Besides concertizing and recording, Jeannine has held university teaching positions and has served in a variety of positions in church music ministry. She is also the President and founder of *Pro-Motion Music* — a company celebrating the world of the organ. Dr. Jordan was awarded the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in Organ Performance and Music History from the University of Oregon where early American organists was the subject of her dissertation. This study led to further research and collaboration with media artist, David Jordan to create *From Sea to Shining Sea* as well as a CD of American organ music.

David Jordan, a skilled pianist with a Master of Music degree in composition from Ball State University, is also a media artist. Whether creating the visual portions the Jordan's organ and media events or reimagining photographs, his work inspires and mesmerizes its viewers.

The Jordans are also the creators and performers of *Bach and Sons*, an organ and multi-media event celebrating the life and times of Johann Sebastian Bach and his family. CDs recorded on historic organs in Bach's Germany by Dr. Jordan include *The Music of Bach and Sons* and *The Chorales of Martin Luther*.

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Please join us following the concert at our *Pro-Motion Music* table where you can purchase various CDs including the music of *From Sea to Shining Sea* and Jeannine's book, *On the Heels of an Organist*.

We also invite you to visit our websites at [www.promotionmusic.org](http://www.promotionmusic.org), [www.bachandsons.com](http://www.bachandsons.com), and [www.fromseatoshiningsea.net](http://www.fromseatoshiningsea.net) to learn more of our work.

Thank you for taking this musical and visual journey with us to discover the world of the organ in America.

...Jeannine and David