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Bel Canto Chorus Explores the Meaning of Home in Season Finale Concert

MILWAUKEE, WI (Friday, April 11, 2025) — Bel Canto Chorus brings its 2024–25 season to a close with *Voices of Home*, a moving concert that invites audiences to reflect on what "home" truly means. The performance takes place on Sunday, May 4 at 3:00 PM at the Irish Cultural & Heritage Center in Milwaukee.

Voices of Home weaves together a rich tapestry of music—from the folk traditions that helped define America's cultural sound to the cherished rituals of family life.

A highlight of the program is the **world premiere of** *Looking for Home* by Argentinian composer **Santiago Veros**. In the foreword to his composition, Veros writes: "Sometimes home isn't a physical location, but an emotional space... *Looking for Home* doesn't answer the question of what home is. But it does try to trace the path we walk when we begin to search for it."

To further ground the program in community, **representatives from Habitat for Humanity** will be present, offering insight into what home means for individuals and families in Milwaukee today.

Tickets can be purchased at the door or in advance at belcanto.org/voicesofhome.

Founded in 1931, Bel Canto Chorus connects singers and audiences in the Greater Milwaukee community through experiences with diverse choral music. In addition to seasonal performances, Bel Canto offers world class choral music education programs, collaborates with local performing arts groups, and serves as an advocate for emerging artists. Bel Canto Chorus is an independent, 501(c)(3) organization.

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