# **Anima Vox**

Carole Ott Coelho, voice Tadeu Coelho, flute and alto flute

with
Robert Rocco, piano and harpsichord
and guests
Saxton Rose, bassoon
Danté Thomas, percussion

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lam diu dilecte mi Jesu, Motett, Op. 20,Isabella Leonarda
for voice, flute & continuo (c. 1700) (1620 - 1704)
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Robert Rocco, harpsichord
Saxton Rose, bassoon
Kimsa harawicha (Three Songs),Daniel Cueto
for soprano and alto flute (2017) (b. 1986)
Urqupi chu kañasqay
Patibamballay
Kacharpari
Anima Vox
Improvisation on the poem "Regina Coeli,"Anima Vox by Auta de Souza, for flute and voice
Anima vox
Estudo de Virtuosidade No. 13, for solo flute (c. 1929)Pedro de Assis (1873 - 1947)
Tadeu Coelho, flute
Improvisation on the poem "The Painted Lady,"Anima Vox
by Margaret Danner, for flute and voice
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Danza de la Mariposa, for solo flute (2011)Valerie Coleman (b. 1970)
Tadeu Coelho, flute
Songs of Laurence Hope,Henry Thacker Burleigh
arranged for voice, flute and piano, (1915) (1866 - 1949)
Worth While arr. Anima Vox
The Jungle Flower
Kashmiri Song
Among the Fuchsias
Anima Vox
Robert Rocco, piano
Hombres Necios, for soprano, flute, piano,Phoebe Pylant
and percussion (2021) (world premiere) (b. 2007)
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Danté Thomas, percussion

Robert Rocco, piano

# **TEXTS & TRANSLATIONS**

#### lam diu dilecte mi Jesu

lam diu, dilecte mi Jesu, te concupivi

O blande amor, te suspiravi, et non invenio.

For a long time, my beloved Jesus, I have longed for you
Oh kind love, I sigh and do not find you.

Me miseram, quid faciam? ergo pergamne dare membra sapori? Ah, non potius circuam ubique, nec desistam ni invenero. Poor me, what should I do? then go on to give the limbs to the taste?
Ah, I'd rather go around everywhere, and don't stop unless I find you.

O vos milites generosi, quorum gloriae in certamine consurgunt, si quem diligit anima mea in bello vidistis, indicite, indicite mihi ubi cubat, ubi quiescet si eum contendam, si impugnat caput hostili, Oh you noble soldiers, whose glory they rise in battle, if you have seen anyone in war, tell me, tell me where he lies, where he will rest, if I should contend with him, if he assails the head of an enemy, for I am ready to fight.

nam ad certamen parata sum.

Resonate ergo tube, resonate. Dicite ad arma. Non paveo. Non timeo. Ad certamen parata sum. Sound then trumpets, sound. Call to arms. I am not afraid. I'm ready to fight.

Resonate, ergo, tube. Ad certamen parata sum.

O demens, si credideris in bello, mi Amor pacis frustra amor non plus non plus labores.

Ah potius ad undarum delicias, ad cristalini fontis latebras

Sound, then, trumpets. I'm ready to fight.

Oh madness, if you believe in war, my love of peace is vain love, no more hardships.

Ah rather the delights of the waves, the hiding places of the crystalline spring.

Grato limpharum murmure fluctuans pascitur Amor meus.

Ad fontes, ad limphas, ad celeris volo. Transcendens litora, dilectum colo. My love is fed by the grateful murmur of the waves.

To the fountains, to the waters, to the speedier. Transcending beaches, I cherish my choice.

Fluctuantis cordis mei syren suavis es mihi gravis.

You are the sweet syren of my fluctuating heart.

Nam mihi nondum venit optatus cantus, O Amor,

For me the desired result has not yet come to the song, Oh Love,

O Amor tantus.

Quid possunt suspiria, quid labores, o mi dilecte, si volitans in undis confugis a me?

Sed quid doleo, quid langueo? Quiesce, cor meum. Ecce in umbrosis sylvis optatus amor, lam incolo in amplexus. Hic sisto pedem. In umbrosis laetis sylvis latet meus amor.

Velox, vero, felix vado. Sponsum quaero meum.

Heu misera, amore fervens frustra circuo sylvas, frustra vagor per hortos.

Ah, non invenio. Forsan in vertice montis quiescet amor meus.

lam conscendo colles, iam montes apricos.

O amor meus, optata spes, culpas non reus, nam clemens es.

Te solum quaero. Beata fors, in te nunc spero, nec vincat mors.

Dilecte, quo tendis? Ah plus non iocare, ne diu morare, languentem non pendis.

Consolare me, queso, quia amore langueo.

Veni tandem, veni, O dilecte optime.

Veni, veni, mi amor. Ah toties suspiro te.

Oh love so great.

What can sighs, what travails, O my beloved, if you flee from me, hovering in the waves?

But of what am I sorry? of what am I sick? Rest still, my heart. Behold, in the shade of the woods the longedfor love, I now live in your embrace. Check back here. My love lies in the happy shades of woods.

Quick, true, happy go. I'm looking for my spouse.

Alas, miserable, I wander around the woods in vain, I wander through the gardens in vain.

Ah, I can't find it. Perhaps my love will be quiet on the top of the mountain.

Now I'm climbing the hills, now the sunny mountains.

Oh my love, my longed-for hope, not guilty of my faults, for you are merciful.

I'm looking for you alone. Blessed is chance, in you now I hope, and death will not prevail.

Beloved, whither are you going? Ah no more joking, lest you procrastinate long.

Comfort me, I beg you, because I am sick of love.

I have come at last, come, O best beloved.

Come, come, my love. Ah, I sigh so often.

#### Kimsa harawicha (Three Songs)

#### URQUPI ICHU KAÑASQAY

Urqupi ichu kañasqay

Qasapi ichu kañasqay Kunankamachus rawracha kunankamachus rupacha

Hinalla rawrakuptinqa Hinalla rupariptinqa Warma wiqichaykiwan

Challaykuy!

Warma wiqichaykiwan Chasnuykuy!

# THE ICHU THAT I BURNED ON THE MOUNTAIN

The ichu\* that I burned on the moun-

tain

The ichu that I burned at the top

perhaps it is still in flames perhaps it is still ablaze

If it's still in flames If it's still ablaze With your child tears (please) Smother it! With your child tears (please) Put it out!

\*Ichu: a valuable grass of the upper Andes that is used as forage and for thatching.

#### **PATIBAMBALLAY**

Patibamballay Patisachallay Sunqu ruruchaykiqa qurimantas kasqa qullqimantas kasqa

#### **KACHARPARI**

Kunanmi ripunay punchaw.
manam kunanga ripusagchu,
pagarinñam.
Llugsiptiy gawawankichik
chuspi tullu waqachichkagta,
kusikusi llikamanta unanchantinta;
tinyaymi sisipa runtun kanga
Muntiraygá? Muntirayga
gintipa gisanmi kanga!

#### PATIBAMBALLAY

Oh tree

Tree of Patibamba nobody knew

that your heart was made of gold that your chest was made of silver.

#### **FAREWELL**

This is the day of my departure.
I'm not leaving today, but tomorrow.
You will watch me depart
playing a whistle made from a fly's
bone

bearing, as a flag, a spider web My drum will be the egg of an ant And my headpiece? My headpiece will be a hummingbird's nest!

### Regina Coeli"

Toda a pureza do Amor, Todo o feitiço do olhar, Orvalho a cahir na flor, Sereno a cahir no Mar...

Tudo em teu nome palpita, Tudo embriaga e seduz, Como a delicia infinita De um paraiso de luz.

E, n'um canto repassado De lyrismo que extasia, Teu nome vive embalado, Teu nome santo, ó Maria! All the purity of Love, All the spell of the look, Dew falling on the flower, Serene falling into the sea...

Everything in your name throbs, Everything intoxicates and seduces, like the infinite delight From a paradise of light.

And, in a forgotten corner Of ecstatic lyrism, Your name lives wrapped, Thy holy name, O Mary!

### **Four Songs**

#### Worth While

I asked of my desolate shipwrecked soul "Wouldst thou rather never have met
The one whom thou lovedst beyond control
And whom thou adorest yet?"
Back from the senses, the heart, the brain,
Came the answer swiftly thrown,
"What matter the price? We would pay it again,
We have had, we have loved, we have known!"

## The Jungle Flower

Thou art one of the jungle flowers, strange and fierce and fair, Palest amber, perfect lines, and scented with champa flower. Lie back and frame thy face in the gloom of thy loosened hair; Sweet thou art and loved — ay, loved — for an hour. But thought flies far, ah, far, to another breast, Whose whiteness breaks to the rose of a twin pink flower, Where wind the azure veins that my lips caressed When Fate was gentle to me for a too-brief hour.

#### Kashmiri Song

Pale hands I loved beside the Shalimar,
Where are you now? [Who lies beneath your spell?]1
Whom do you lead on Rapture's roadway, far,
Before you agonise them in farewell?
Oh, pale dispensers of my Joys and Pains,
Holding the doors of Heaven and of Hell,
How the hot blood rushed wildly through the veins
Beneath your touch, until you waved farewell.
Pale hands, pink tipped, like Lotus buds that float
On those cool waters where we used to dwell,
I would have rather felt you round my throat,
Crushing out life, than waving me farewell!

#### Among the Fuchsias

Call me not to a secret place
When daylight dies away,
Tempt me not with thine eager face
And words thou shouldst not say.
Entice me not with a child of thine,
Ah, God, if such might be,
For surely a man is half divine
Who adds another link to the line
Whose last link none may see.

Call me not to the Lotus Lake
That drooping fuchsias hide,
What if my latent youth awakes
And will not be denied?
Ah, tempt me not for I am not strong
(Thy mouth is a budded kiss)
My days are empty, my nights are long.
Ah, why is a thing so sweet so wrong,
As thy temptation is?

#### **Hombres Necios "Foolish Men"**

by Sor Juana Inés de la Cruz (1648-1695) Translation: Michael Smith, from Poets.org

Hombres necios que acusáis a la mujer, sin razón, sin ver que sois la ocasión de lo mismo que culpáis; You foolish men who lay the guilt on women, not seeing you're the cause of the very thing you blame;

si con ansia sin igual solicitáis su desdén, por qué queréis que obren bien si las incitáis al mal? if you invite their disdain with measureless desire why wish they well behave if you incite to ill.

Combatís su resistencia y luego, con gravedad, decís que fue liviandad lo que hizo la diligencia. You fight against her resistance and then, with a grave face you said that it was promiscuity what diligent effort won.

Parecer quiere el denuedo de vuestro parecer loco, al niño que pone el coco y luego le tiene miedo.

In all your crazy shows you act just like a child who plays the bogeyman of which he's then afraid.

Queréis, con presunción necia, hallar a la que buscáis para prentendida, Thais, y en la posesión, Lucrecia. With foolish arrogance you hope to find a Thaïs in her you court, but a Lucretia when you've possessed her.

¿Qué humor puede ser más raro que el que, falto de consejo, él mismo empaña el Espejo y siente que no esté claro? What kind of mind is odder than his who mists a mirror and then complains that it's not clear?

Con el favor y el desdén tenéis condición igual, quejándoos, si os tratan mal, burlándoos, si os quieren bien. Their favour and disdain you hold in equal state, if they mistreat, you complain, you mock if they treat you well.

Opinión, ninguna gana, pues la que más se recata, si no os admite, es ingrata, y si os admite, es liviana. No woman wins esteem of you: the most modest is ungrateful if she refuses to admit you; yet if she does, she's loose. ¿Cuál mayor culpa ha tenido en una pasión errada: la que cae de rogada, o el que ruega de caído?

¿O cuál es de más culpar, aunque cualquiera mal haga; la que peca por la paga o el que paga por pecar?

¿Pues, para qué os espantáis de la culpa que tenéis? Queredlas cual las hacéis o hacedlas cual las buscáis.

Bien con muchas armas fundo que lidia vuestra arrogancia, pues en promesa e instancia juntáis diablo, carne y mundo. Who has embraced the greater blame in passion? She who, solicited, falls, or he who, fallen, pleads?

Or who is more to blame, even if both do act incorrectly: she who sins for a wage or he who pays to sin?

Why be outraged at the guilt that is of your own doing?
Love them the way you make them or make them the way you want them.

Patent is your arrogance that fights with many weapons since in promise and insistence you join world, flesh and devil.

#### **BIOGRAPHIES**

CAROLE OTT COELHO is Associate Director of Choral Activities at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro (UNCG). Her degrees include the Master of Music and Doctor of Musical Arts in conducing from the University of Michigan where she studied with Jerry Blackstone. She also holds a Bachelor of Music in music education from the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music where her primary instrument was horn. While pursuing graduate studies at the University of Michigan, Ott Coelho received a double Grammy for her role in the preparation of William Bolcom's "The Songs of Innocence and of Experience."

At UNCG, Ott Coelho directs the University Chorale and Women's Glee Club. She also teaches undergraduate and graduate conducting and graduate seminars in choral music. Additionally, she is the director of the Eastern Music Festival Choral Institute. Ott Coelho frequently appears as clinician and guest conductor both regionally and nationally and has spent several summers on the faculty at the Interlochen Summer Arts Camp and Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp in Michigan. Ott Coelho is a recipient of The American Prize in choral conducting (college/university division). An active soprano, Ott Coelho's vocal interests center around early music and improvisation. Recent research interests include free improvisation in the choral setting, vocal chamber music and the music of Josquin des Prez.

TADEU COELHO has been a resident artist/professor of flute at the North Carolina School of the Arts (UNCSA) since the fall of 2002. He has served as associate professor of flute at the University of Iowa from 1997 -2002, as assistant professor of flute at the University of New Mexico from 1992-1997, and as visiting professor at the Ino Mirkovich Music Academy in Croatia. He has performed as first solo flutist of the Santa Fe Symphony, the Hofer Symphoniker in Germany and the Spoleto Festival Orchestra in Italy, among others, including guest appearances with the Boston Symphony in the summer of 1996.

A recipient of many awards and scholarships, including the Rockefeller Foundation, Fideicomiso para la cultura México/EUA, USIA/Fulbright,

LASPAU and CAPES, Coelho received his Doctor of Musical Arts degree from the Manhattan School of Music as a student of Julius Baker and Ransom Wilson. Started on the flute by his father, Coelho also studied with Keith Underwood, Thomas Nyfenger, Andrew Lolya and Arthur Ephross. Coelho gave his New York recital debut at Weill Recital Hall at Carnegie Hall in April of 1992. In his native Brazil, Coelho studied also with Spartacco Rossi, João Dias Carrasqueira and Jean Noel Sagaard.

He is an avid proponent of new music and the music of the Americas. He has commissioned, performed, and recorded works by notable composers. His solo CDs include: "Nocturnes," "18th Century Flute Sonatas," "Modernly Classic," "Life Drawing" (works for solo flute), "iRompe!" (chamber music from Mexico), "Flutists of the World" and "Flute Music from Brazil." His other recordings include "Live from New Orleans" with Quarteto Vivace Brasil, and "Latin Voices" with his wife Carole Ott Coelho as part of the Anima Vox duo. His published works are available at Flute World. Coelho is a Miyazawa artist.

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PHOEBE PYLANT is a flutist, pianist, harpist and soprano from the metro Atlanta area. She started writing flute duets at age 10. Since then she has composed prolifically for various instruments and ensembles. She was the Georgia winner and Southeast regional runner-up for the Music Teachers' National Association (MTNA) composition competition (junior division) in 2020. The following year Juan Ramirez of the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra named her the 2021 Georgia winner of the inaugural statewide music composition competition hosted by Ztunes Music. Aside from her instruments and composing, she also enjoys painting, reading and knitting. She is currently studying flute with Tadeu Coelho in the UNCSA School of Music high school program.

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