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Jake Walsh
Senior Composition Recital

In collaboration with Ithaca College School of Music students and faculty

Hockett Family Recital Hall
Sunday, October 11th, 2015
1:00 pm
Mango & Tango for woodwind quintet (2015)

Jeannette Lewis, flute
Jake Walsh, oboe
Vivian Becker, clarinet
Jacob Factor, horn
Cynthia Becker, bassoon

Our Lives for SATB chorus text by David Mitchell (2014)

Two Movements for Leon (2015)

i. the poetry of the body
ii. the poetry of the soul

Ellen Walterscheid, tap dancer
Paige Morgan, oboe
Carolyn Grossmann, piano

Intermission

Root Cellar text by Theodore Roethke (2014)

Nathan Haltiwanger, baritone
Jon Vogtle, piano


This recital is in fulfillment of the degree Oboe Performance and Music Composition. Jacob Walsh is from the studio of Dana Wilson.
OUR LIVES

text by David Mitchell

Our lives are not our own. From womb to tomb we are bound to others, past and present. And by each crime, and every kindness, we birth our future.

ROOT CELLAR

text by Theodore Roethke

Nothing would sleep in that cellar, dank as a ditch,
Bulbs broke out of boxes hunting for chinks in the dark,
Shoots dangled and drooped,
Lolling obscenely from mildewed crates,
Hung down long yellow evil necks, like tropical snakes.
And what a congress of stinks!
Roots ripe as old bait,
Pulpy stems, rank, silo-rich,
Leaf-mold, manure, lime, piled against slippery planks.
Nothing would give up life:
Even the dirt kept breathing a small breath.