



Poems of **Richard Blanco**

Music by **Tom Davis**

**Cloud Anthem**

Soloist - Simon Smith  
Pianist - Gail Dorr  
Chorus and Strings

**Complaint of the Río Grande**

Based on the Native American (Dakota) tune "Lacquiparle"  
Native flute music created and played by Aranka Matolcsy  
Flutes made and loaned by Al Solbjør, Waltham, MA  
Native drum played by Riley Kern, made by Dakota Drum Co.,  
Rapid City, SD, painted by Sonja Holy Eagle, and loaned  
by Conni St.Pierre  
Chorus and Strings

**Declaration of Inter-Dependence**

Soloist - Justin Bondesen  
Keyboard and Co-writer - Anna Sysko  
Drums and Percussion - Riley Kern  
Chorus and Strings

String Quartet:  
Clorinda Noyes, Violin I  
Dierdre Oehrtnann, Violin II  
Julia Eiten, Viola  
Ben Noyes, Cello

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**One Today**

A poem for Barack Obama's Presidential Inauguration,  
January 21, 2013  
Chorus and Strings

**I. One Sun**

Soloists - Simon Smith, Jonathan Smith

**II. One Ground**

Trombone - James Bennett  
Drums and Percussion - Riley Kern  
Soloist - Meg Davis

**III. One Sky**

Soloist - Evan LeConey  
Flute - Patricia Boyle-Wight

**IV. We Head Home**

**Chorus:**

Soprano - Patricia Boyle-Wight, Meg Davis, Nancy Davis, Jan Stowell,  
Emily White, Susan White, Jennifer Williams  
Alto - Kristi Bancroft, Jean Bass, Peggy Colette, Thea Dunn, Liz Smith,  
Linda Stowell, Wendy Youmans  
Tenor - Evan LeConey, Tim LeConey, Jonathan Smith, Simon Smith  
Bass - Brendan Bass, Jim Bennett, Mac Davis, Michael Davis, Bob Elliot,  
Steve McCosh

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