Archimedes Society

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Music & Mathematics Series *presentation*

Christopher Taylor

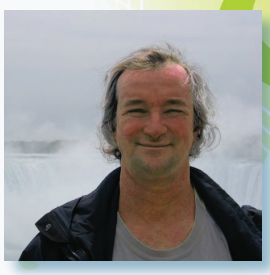
in conversation with
David Benson and Robert Osserman

Saturday, January 26, 2008

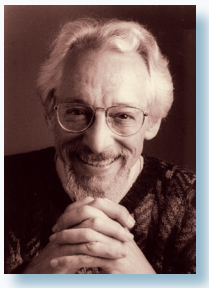
from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Simons Auditorium, Shiing-Shen Chern Hall,
at MSRI, 17 Gauss Way, Berkeley
Near the intersection of Grizzly Peak Blvd. and Centennial Dr.



CHRISTOPHER TAYLOR has a BA in mathematics from Harvard. He has emerged as one of the nation's foremost musicians for the intensity and artistry he brings to the works of masters, ranging from Bach to Ligeti.



DAVID BENSON is Sixth Century Professor of Pure Mathematics at the University of Aberdeen. He has held positions in Georgia, Oxford, and at Northwestern and Yale. He is a keen amateur singer and has performed in many operas. He is the author of *Music: A Mathematical Offering*.



ROBERT OSSERMAN is Special Projects Director at MSRI and Professor Emeritus at Stanford. He has engaged in lively conversations with such luminaries as playwrights Tom Stoppard and Michael Frayn, composer Philip Glass, and comedians Steve Martin and Robin Williams in the 2002 event, "Funny Numbers."

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Please note: Christopher Taylor performs Messaien's *Vingt regards sur l'enfant Jesu* on Sunday, Jan. 27 at 3pm in Hertz Hall under the auspices of Cal Performances.

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