

**NOT TO BE  
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## **Defiant Requiem: Verdi at Terezin**

**Wednesday, October 6 @ 7:30 pm**  
**Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts**



*This multi-media concert/drama features a full performance of *The Requiem*, with actors, video testimony with surviving members of the Terezin Choir, and original Nazi propaganda film footage.*

*Defiant Requiem tells the story of courageous Jewish prisoners in the Theresienstadt Concentration Camp during WWII who learned Verdi's Requiem Mass by rote and then performed this compelling work 16 times as a statement of defiance and resistance, answering the worst of mankind with the best of mankind.*

*This one-time performance, honoring the original Terezin Choir, will be performed by the Washington National Opera Orchestra, The City Choir of Washington, and members of The Catholic University of America Chorus. This performance is hosted by Ambassador Stuart Eizenstat and Fran Eizenstat.*

**Tickets are available from \$30-\$85. Order your tickets today at 202-467-4600 or online at [www.kennedy-center.org](http://www.kennedy-center.org).**

**Temple Beth Ami will provide round-trip bus transportation for our members who have tickets.**

**Reserve your seat on our bus by contacting: Shelly Gordon (SLG@bethami.org) or 301-340-6818**

*"We will sing to the Nazis what we cannot say to them."  
Conductor Rafael Schaecter to his choir  
Theresienstadt*