

HANDS ACROSS THE OCEAN  
**Libertas**  
**Male Choir**  
THE NETHERLANDS AND BELGIUM



**COMPLETE ARRANGEMENT**

**CONCERTS IN HISTORICAL CITIES**

**GREAT EXCURSIONS**

With the cooperation of Martin Zonnenberg,  
organ, Mark Brandwijk, piano,  
Marjolein de Wit, flute and Jan Scheper solo

**April 25 – May 7 2018**



## Dear friends Welcome in Holland!

We have created a beautiful program for you and trust that you will enjoy this tour to the Netherlands. The members of my Male Choirs and Ensembles in the Netherlands are looking forward working together and enjoying the wonderful concerts in monumental cathedrals and churches. Let's join together as friends! I like to wish you all a great tour and an unforgettable time in Holland.

Kind regards and musical greetings from your director  
Martin Mans



### WEDNESDAY 25 APRIL 2018 DEPARTURE FLIGHT TO AMSTERDAM

**DAY 1 - THURSDAY 26 APRIL 2018**  
Arrival Schiphol. Transfer to Hotel Veluwemeer. Upon arrival at the Airport the busses will be ready to bring us to the hotel. Check-in Hotel Veluwemeer. Dinner is arranged in the hotel. Overnight in Hotel Postillion Veluwemeer



### DAY 2 - FRIDAY 27 APRIL 2018 SCHEVENINGEN - CONCERT IN VIANEN - VELUWEMEER

**KINGSDAY IN HOLLAND!**  
Celebrate the birthday of the Dutch King Willem-Alexander! After breakfast the bus will bring us to Scheveningen, where we will celebrate the birthday of the Dutch King! Scheveningen is famous because of the Kurhaus and the walking promenade along the beach. Tonight the concert is arranged in the Grote Kerk in Vianen. After a light dinner we will perform in Vianen. The bus will bring us back to the hotel. Overnight in Hotel Postillion Veluwemeer

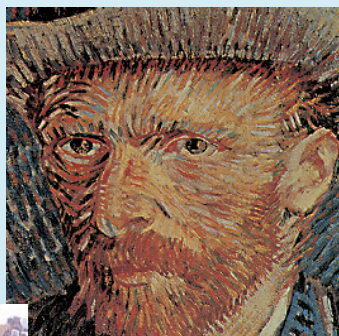
### DAY 4 - SUNDAY 29 APRIL 2018 DAY AT LEISURE – CONCERT IN MAASSLUIS

Day at leisure in the hotel.  
Concert later in the afternoon in Maassluis - Veluwemeer  
The hotel offers the possibility to rent a bike or to book a wellness arrangement in the hotel. Lunch is arranged in the hotel today. We will perform tonight in the Immanuel kerk in Maassluis. Overnight in Hotel Postillion Veluwemeer



### DAY 3 - SATURDAY 28 APRIL 2018 AMSTERDAM - CONCERT AMERSFOORT - VELUWEMEER

Today we will visit Amsterdam, the capitol of The Netherlands. One of the most impressive ways to visit Amsterdam is by boat; We will cruise along Amsterdam's canals, while our guide will inform us about Amsterdam's top attractions, such as the Skinny Bridge (Magere Brug), Amstel River, Hermitage Museum and the Anne Frank House. During the afternoon you will



### DAY 5 - MONDAY 30 APRIL 2018 UTRECHT - VELUWEMEER

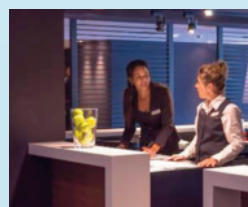
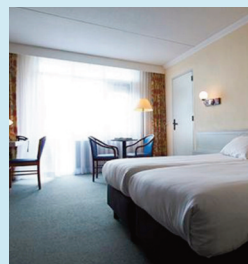
Today we will bring you to Utrecht, located in the center of The Netherlands, where you will have time at leisure.

Utrecht is absolutely chock-full of must-see attractions. If you stroll between the lively docks of the historical Oudegracht and the city centre, you come across countless national monuments and world heritage.

The gothic Dom Church was built as a cathedral for the bishop of Utrecht and dedicated to St. Maarten. The interior with many lavishly decorated tombs is impressive. The Dom church draws many people daily for a guided tour or a moment of silence and peace. No shopping trip to Utrecht is complete without a visit to Utrecht's covered shopping mall, Hoog Catharijne. Visit the Museum Quarter, the market or have lunch in one of the cosy patios. Dinner is tonight arranged in the hotel. Overnight in Hotel Postillion Veluwemeer



have time at leisure in Amsterdam to visit the famous Rijksmuseum, The Van Goghmuseum, visit the Anne Frank House or to visit one of the famous squares in Amsterdam; the Leidseplein and the Rembrandtsplein. Lunch is not included today. Dinner is arranged in Amersfoort, where we will perform tonight. After the concert the bus will bring us back to the hotel. Overnight in Hotel Postillion Veluwemeer



**DAY 6 - TUESDAY 01 MAY 2018**  
**CONCERT GENT IN BELGIUM - DORDRECHT**

After breakfast we will leave hotel Veluwemeer and drive to Gent, one of the most famous places in Belgium.

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**DAY 7 - WEDNESDAY 02 MAY 2018**  
**VISIT KINDERDIJK**  
**CONCERT DORDRECHT**

After a relaxed morning and lunch in the hotel, we will visit this afternoon the windmills of Kinderdijk, a UNESCO World Heritage in Holland. In 1997, the windmill complex of Kinderdijk was added to the prestigious UNESCO World Heritage list, because of its unique character. UNESCO considers the polder area with its dykes, boezems, mills and pumping stations to be proof of human inventiveness in reclaiming and protecting the land. After this visit the bus will bring us to Dordrecht, where -after a light dinner- we will perform in the Grote Kerk.

**Overnight in Hotel Postillion Dordrecht**



**DAY 8 - THURSDAY 03 MAY 2018**  
**VISIT AND CONCERT URK**

After breakfast the bus will bring us to Urk, where we will spend the complete day and where the concert is arranged tonight. Urk is a lively and typical fishing village. It is a former island and a picturesque village, which still has that island feeling that can be experienced. The small monumental house, situated in a maze of alleys, seem to seek support from each other.

The green and white picket fences are used for drying the fishing nets. The laundry is blowing high up over the cobblestone streets. Dinner is arranged in Urk. Concert in the Bethelkerk in Urk

**Overnight in Hotel Postillion Dordrecht**



**DAY 9 - FRIDAY 04 MAY 2018**  
**ALKMAAR - CONCERT**  
**ROTTERDAM - DORDRECHT**

Alkmaar is obviously famous as a cheese town: for centuries the world-famous cheese market has been held here on Friday mornings from April to September. A real North Holland tradition that brings a great deal of activity and cheerfulness. Visitors from across the globe come here to view the spectacle. The colourful hats of the cheese bearers, the hand clap of the cheese traders and the vibrant surrounding market make a visit to the Alkmaar cheese market the perfect day out. After the visit to the cheese market you have time at leisure in Alkmaar. There is much more to experience than cheese alone. Take a lovely walking tour or have lunch on de Grote Markt (not included today). When we leave Alkmaar we will drive along the bulb fields around Egmond and Bergen. Dinner is arranged in Rotterdam, in the Breeplein Kerk, where we will perform tonight. **Overnight in Hotel Postillion Dordrecht**



**DAY 10 - SATURDAY 05 MAY 2018**  
**MIJDRECHT CONCERT - CONCERT IN GOUDA**

Today we will spend a full day in Mijdrecht where we have a lunch concert. At night we will perform in the St. Janskerk in Gouda. **Overnight in Hotel Postillion Dordrecht**

**DAY 11 - SUNDAY 06 MAY 2018**  
**DAY AT LEISURE IN DORDRECHT**

Day at leisure in the hotel in Dordrecht. Lunch and dinner are arranged in the hotel today. **Overnight in Hotel Postillion Dordrecht**



**DAY 12 - MONDAY 07 MAY 2018**  
**SCHIPHOL - CANADA**

Transfer from the hotel to Schiphol Amsterdam Airport. Flight back home to Canada.



## Music Tour The Netherlands and Belgium

The Libertas Male Choir tour to The Netherlands offers you a package, including flights, overnights, excursions to interesting sights in The Netherlands and Belgium, dinners and concerts.

This roundtrip is organised by the Groups- and Incentives department of Style in Travel, specialized in organising roundtrips all over the world.

Do you want to join this 12-days tour to the Netherlands and Belgium? The rate based on overnights in a double- or twin bedroom, will be € 1.050,- per person. Single supplement: € 375,- per person. (tickets of CAD975 not included)

### Included

- Transfers upon arrival and departure
- 4\* Hotel accommodation in Hotel Postillion Veluwemeer and Hotel Postillion Dordrecht
- Excursions as per programm
- 1 hour canal boatripe in Amsterdam
- Boatripe in Gent, Belgium
- Entry ticket Kinderdijk windmills
- Lunches, April 29, 2 May 2 and May 6 2018
- Dinners in the hotel, including 1 non alcoholic beverage or a light dinner at the concert locations, including 1 drink
- Calamiteitenfonds, € 2,50 per reservation

### Not included

- Flights Canada-The Netherlands-Canada
- Personal expences
- Tips
- Lunches, except the lunches on 29 april May 2 and May 6, 2018
- Limited rooms are available for early check-in at the extra cost of €38 for the arrival date of April 26, 2018.
- Dutch Insurance

### Concerts during the Music tour

**April 27, 2018 - 20.00 hrs** Grote kerk, Vianen Sing along service

**April 28, 2018 - 20.00 hrs** - Joriskerk, Amersfoort  
In cooperation with CSM Noord-West Veluwe, Martin Mans

**April 29, 2018 19.00 hrs** - Immanuel Church, Maassluis  
Sing along service

**May 1, 2018 - 17.00 hrs** -Sint Baaf kerk, Gent Belgium

**May 2, 2018 - 20.00 hrs** – Grote kerk Dordrecht

**May 3, 2018 - 20.00 hrs** – Bethel kerk Urk,  
in cooperation with Urker Mans Formatie

**May 4, 2018 - 20.30 hrs** – Breepleinkerk, Rotterdam  
In cooperation with The Martin Mans Formation

**May 5, 2018 – 12.30 hrs, Mijdrecht**  
**20.00 hrs** – St. Janskerk, Gouda  
In cooperation with CWM De Gouwestem, Martin Mans

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