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### **Belhaven College Performs Handel's Messiah**

**Jackson, Miss. (November 9, 2004)** – Belhaven College will present a musical portrayal of Handel's Messiah on Tuesday, November 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the Center for the Art's Concert Hall, located at 835 Riverside Drive. Christopher Shelt, associate professor of voice, church music and choral activities, will serve as conductor.

Handel's libretto encompasses a comprehensive biblical portrait of the life and work of Jesus. Belhaven performs this classic work once every five years and features multiple soloists from the student body, faculty and alumni. Admission is free and doors open at 7 p.m.

Belhaven College is a Christian liberal arts college founded in 1894 and is the only evangelical college that offers majors in each of the creative arts; art, music, dance theatre and creative writing. The vision of Belhaven College is to prepare men and women academically and spiritually to serve Christ Jesus in their careers, in human relationships and in the world of ideas. Belhaven College has campuses in Jackson, Miss., Memphis, Tenn., and Orlando, Fla.