

## REVIEW: *Beautiful Brahms*

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This was a rare and thrilling choral experience for all the Bridgnorth concert goers!

The terraced dynamic balance of each section of this choir was superb! A real treat to listen to a very able choir responding to the conductor's every direction in the generous acoustic of St Mary Magdalene Bridgnorth tonight.

It was evident throughout, that the Choir were really enjoying singing the marvellous Brahms motets and part songs.

The Choir were fixed upon the conductor's clear directions which ensured a beautiful balance between the voice parts and sections.

It seems fitting that the sun blazed through the stained glass windows throughout the evening, enhancing the Choir's enthusiastic handling of some very demanding choral music.

The solo piano pieces were very much enjoyed and provided a very well thought out contrast between the choral pieces.

An enthusiast audience very much hope that the Bach Choir will return to S Mary's again to thrill us with the glorious sound of voices in harmony.