



# Starke Stimmen (Powerful Voices) - The choral workshop for Women

with Rainer Stemmermann

Starke Stimmen (Powerful Voices) aims to let you experience Singing at its best: your own (expressive-) power, the joy of successful harmony and the ability to make contact through music.

So far, Rainer Stemmermann has created three different programs for the women's choral workshop, each with five selected pop and jazz titles, most of which in new arrangements. The workshop focuses on pieces composed, written or interpreted by women. A fourth program is now in the planning phase. A common feature of all selected pieces is the strong affirmation of life (whether powerfully rejoicing or emotionally reflective) which they convey in the lyrics and the sensitively emphatic arrangements.

The workshop addresses women of all ages and skill levels. Excellent preparatory materials (including MP3-audio files in addition to the octavos) enable differences in vocal proficiency to be minimized and keep the motivation and enjoyment of all participants equally high during the weekend workshop.

## **Short biography**

*Rainer was born in Oberhausen / NRW (Germany) where he ran the music production company [Vocaland](#) after his music studies and belonged to the "Fivepipes" - one of the first nationally successfully vocal ensembles. Now lives in Duisburg. Singer, Composer, Arranger and currently Director of five choruses and Vocal ensembles representing different styles and proficiency levels. Offers open vocal Pop, Jazz and Gospel workshops in collaboration with other musicians.*

