



Low Key Men's Ensemble Organizational Statement

I. Identity:

Low Key Men's Ensemble is a men's vocal ensemble, composed of 7-10 college-aged men. All of the members of **Low Key Men's Ensemble** are current students at **Maranatha Baptist University**, ranging from Freshmen to Seniors. All members of the group are volunteers, and not paid.

II. Autonomy and Registration:

Low Key Men's Ensemble is autonomous from any institution or establishment. **Low Key Men's Ensemble** is registered as **Low Key Men's Ensemble LLC**. **Low Key Men's Ensemble** will not be held responsible for any of its member's actions.

III. Music Philosophy and Mission:

Low Key Men's Ensemble takes its performance material and musical style very seriously. **Low Key Men's Ensemble** seeks to exhort and encourage the local church and other ministries through music. Because of the constituency that is served and **Low Key Men's Ensemble's** student connection to **Maranatha Baptist University**, **Low Key Men's Ensemble** chooses to align itself with a musical style commonly referred to as "Conservative Christian Music" or the "Traditional" style. This style is characterized by controlled voicing, excellent harmony, a clear message, piano accompaniment or a cappella, string obbligatos, and a clear biblical focus.

IV. Music Philosophy Continued:

Because of **Low Key Men's Ensemble's** student connection to **Maranatha Baptist University**, **Low Key Men's Ensemble** chooses to align itself in musical standards with **Maranatha Baptist University**.

***Low Key Men's Ensemble** reserves the right to edit and change any information included in this statement.

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