

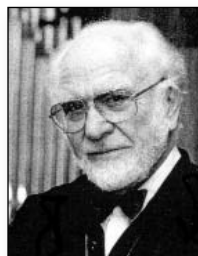


Mark W. Lawson,
President

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Paul Manz at 90

One of the greatest thrills of being associated with MorningStar Music Publishers is the opportunity to work with Paul Manz. Paul's early belief in the mission of MorningStar and his willingness to entrust his many fine publications to our care has been one of the main reasons that MorningStar has survived as a publisher.



In May, Paul will celebrate his 90th birthday. We have already been receiving many calls about hymn festivals around the country in recognition of this special day, and we plan on putting some of the programs from these festivals on our website.

As I travel around the country representing MorningStar, I hear personal stories of how Paul has impacted the lives of many church musicians and congregations through his teaching, playing, and composing. If you would like to send us a birthday greeting for Paul or share a story with us, we would be glad to collect them and pass them on. Please send your greetings or stories to this e-mail address: cpeery@morningstarmusic.com.

During the months of April and May we are offering 20% off of all Paul Manz items including his [choral music](#), [organ music](#), Scott Hyslop's book [The Journey Was Chosen](#), and all [Paul Manz CD's](#). This is a great time to update your Manz collections. To receive the discount, please include this code with your order: **MANZB20**

Choral Music for Ascension and Pentecost

Ascension and Pentecost will be with us soon. Here are links to some of MorningStar's newest and best-selling anthems for these upcoming seasons:

Ascension

[Sing Praises to God—James Biery](#)

[Splendor and Honor and Kingly Power—Gerald Near](#)

[Lord, Enthroned in Heavly Splendor—Alfred Fedak](#)

[Come Away to the Skies—David Mennicke](#)

Pentecost

[Hymn to the Spirit—John Ferguson](#)

[O Holy Spirit, Praise to You—Howard Helvey](#)

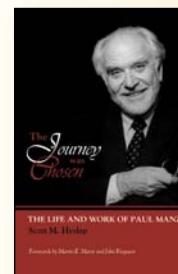
[In This Place—Susan Borwick](#)

[Come, Thou Almighty King—Michael Burkhardt](#)

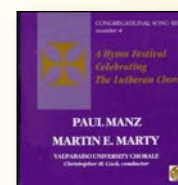
[Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song—Michael Burkhardt](#)

[To Thee, O Comforter Divine—Michael Larkin](#)

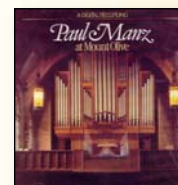
[Rushing Wind, Dancing Flame—Matthew Corl](#)



The Journey Was Chosen



CD: A Hymn Festival Celebrating
The Lutheran Choral



CD: Paul Manz at Mount Olive



CD: Paul Manz Hymn Improvisations, Set 1



CD: Paul Manz Hymn Improvisations, Set 2



CD: Paul Manz Hymn Improvisations, Set 3