

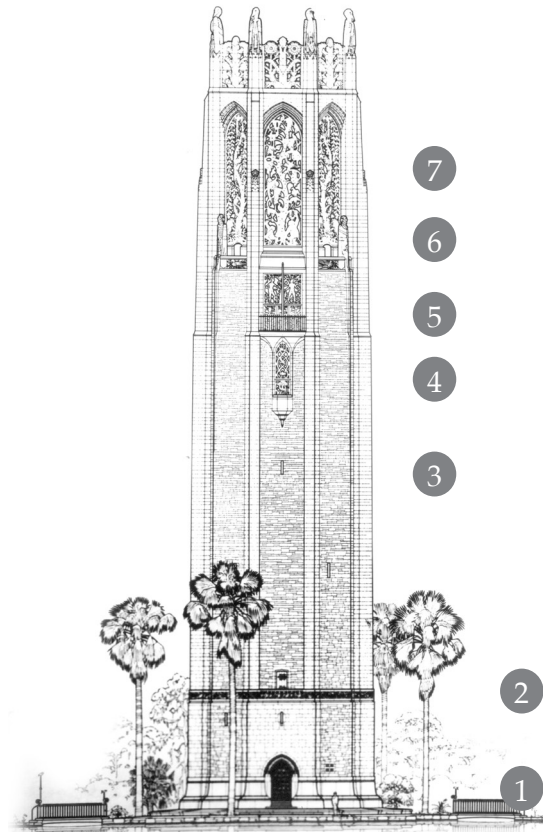
## TOWER

- Architect:** Milton B. Medary (Philadelphia)
- Purpose:** To house the carillon; serve as a centerpiece for the Gardens; the private use of the Bok family
- Built:** 1927-1929
- Height:** 205 feet (62.5 meters)
- Weight:** 5,500 tons (5,000 metric tons)
- Structure:** Steel frame with brick walls; outer facing of pink and gray Georgia marble and Florida coquina, a limestone of shell and coral fragments
- Foundation:** 118 reinforced concrete piles, 13-24 feet (4-7 meters) underground with a concrete cap of 2.5 feet (0.8 meter)
- Sculpture:** Lee Lawrie (New York City); herons at the top, eagles at the base of the bellchamber; all sculptures were carved on-site
- Colorful Grilles near the top:**  
Ceramic tiles designed by J.H. Dulles Allen (Philadelphia)
- Brass Door and Wrought-iron Gates with Birds:**  
Samuel Yellin (Philadelphia); depicts the Biblical story of Creation
- Inscription under the Sundial:**  
This Singing Tower with its adjacent Sanctuary was dedicated and presented to the American people by Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States, February 1, 1929.

## CARILLON

- Bellfounder:** John Taylor Bellfounders, Ltd. (Loughborough, England)
- Size:** 60 bronze bells
- Bell weight:** Smallest bell at 16 lbs.  
Largest bell at 11+ tons (10+ metric tons)  
Total of 63+ tons (57+ metric tons)

## INSIDE THE SINGING TOWER



1. Founder's Room
2. Chao Research Center (Archives)
3. Maintenance Workshop
4. Anton Brees Carillon Library
5. Carillonneur's Studio
6. Keyboard Room
7. Carillon (60 bells)

### Is the Tower ever open to the Public?

Members at the Brass Door level and above can receive an exclusive tour of the Founder's Room.

## CLOCK MUSIC

Announcing the hour strike:

**Ring, Bells, Ring** Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

- 9:00 **Blow Away The Morning Dew** England  
**Morning Has Broken** Ireland
- 9:30 **The Rainbow Connection** William & Ascher
- 10:00 **Prelude No. 3** Matthias vanden Gheyn  
**The Old Refrain** Fritz Kreisler  
**Ballet of the Ducklings** Robert Lannoy
- 10:30 **Sketch for Carillon** Katherine M. Warne
- 11:00 **Amelia's Story** Catalonia
- 11:30 **Listen to the Mocking Bird** Anonymous
- 12:00 **Allegretto for Flute Clock** Franz J. Haydn  
**Sarabande** Francis Poulenc  
**The King's Majesty** Graham George
- 12:30 **The Street Where You Live** Frederick Loewe
- 1:00 **CONCERT**
- 2:00 **Roses White and Roses Red** Sir Arthur Sullivan
- 2:30 **The Swan** Camille Saint-Saens
- 3:00 **CONCERT**
- 4:00 **America, The Beautiful** Samuel A. Ward
- 4:30 **Tenting Tonight** Walter Kittredge
- 5:00 **Sunrise, Sunset** Jerry Bock
- 5:30 **Lead, Kindly Light** John B. Dyke

## DAILY CARILLON MUSIC

**MARCH 28 - 31, 2024**

*Carillon Concerts at 1:00 and 3:00 p.m.*



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## Thursday at 1:00 p.m.

*Live Performance by Geert D'hollander*

### Music from the 30's & 40's

Moonglow – Smoke Gets In Your Eyes

Autumn Leaves – It's Only A Paper Moon

### Selection from “The Sound of Music” Richard Rodgers

My Favorite Things

Do-Re-Mi

Edelweiss

### Music from the 50's & 60's

Fly Me To The Moon – My Way

Sh-Boom – What a Wonderful World

## Thursday at 3:00p.m.

*Live Performance by Geert D'hollander*

### Music from the 30's & 40's

Cheek To Cheek – Heart And Soul

You Are My Sunshine – The Glory of Love

### Gershwin Selection

Someone To Watch Over Me

I've Got A Crush On You

's Wonderful

The Man I Love

### Music from the 50's & 60's

Unchained Melody – Que Sera, Sera

Only You – Raindrops Keep Fallin' On My Head

## Friday at 1:00 p.m.

*Live Performance by Geert D'hollander*

### Prelude No. IV M. Vanden Gheyn 1721-1785

### From the 1746 Antwerp Carillon Book

Andante Diedonné Raick 1703-1764

Menuet Champêtre Henri J. de Croes 1705-1786

Siciliana Ioannes de Gruijtters 1709-1772

### Music from the Romantic Era

Spring Song *Songs Without Words* F. Mendelssohn  
1809-1847

Humoresque Op. 151 No. 7 Antonin Dvorak  
1841-1904

## Friday at 3:00 p.m.

*Live Performance by Geert D'hollander*

### Prelude No. VI M. Vanden Gheyn 1721-1785

### Music from the Romantic Era

Berceuse Op. 24 No. 2 Anatole Liadov 1855-1914  
Arr. Ronald Barnes

Prelude Op.28 No. 15 Frédéric Chopin

Nocturne Op. 9 No. 2 1810-1849

arr. Anton Brees  
Waltz *Lyrical Pieces Op. 12 No. 2* Edward Grieg  
1843-1907

### Improvisation on Seasonal Music

## Saturday at 1:00 p.m.

*Live Performance by Annie Gao*

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Sonata VII J.B. Loeillet de Gand 1688-ca.1720

Largo, Allegro arr. G. D'hollander

Largo Affetuoso

Giga Allegro

### Modern Carillon Music

3 Sonneries & 1 Encore W. van Cleemput 1930-2006

Sonatina Stefano Colletti b. 1973

### Improvisation on Hits

It's Only a Paper Moon Harold Arlen 1905-1986

La Vie en Rose Luis Guglielmi 1916-1991

## Saturday at 3:00 p.m.

*Live Performance by Annie Gao*

### Works by Belgian Composers

Preludio III Matthias van den Gheyn 1721-1785

Ballade Jef Rottiers 1905-1985

### Modern Works by Geert D'hollander b. 1965

Ciacona

Pulsations

### Popular Tunes

You Are My Sunshine Jimmie Davis 1899-2000

Autumn Leaves Joseph Kosma 1905-1969

## Sunday at 1:00 p.m.

*Live Performance by Geert D'hollander*

### EASTER DAY

### FESTIVE MUSIC

### Baroque Selection

Prelude No. I Matthias Vanden Gheyn 1721-1785

Allegro from the Concerto in C A. Vivaldi 1678-1741

### Manuscripts from the Tower Brees Library

“Le Tambourin” for harpsichord J.-Ph. Rameau  
1684-1763

Sonata in C for pianoforte Daniel Steibelt 1765-1823

### Spring Selection

“Frühlingslied” Spring Song F. Mendelssohn 1809-1847

### Improvisation on seasonal music

## Sunday at 3:00 p.m.

*Live Performance by Geert D'hollander*

### EASTER DAY

### FESTIVE MUSIC

**Italian Concerto Duet** Johann Sebastian Bach

Allegro – Andante – Presto 1685-1750

### Carillon Music by Albert de Klerk 1917-1998

Ciacona & Fugue on the Easter Hymn “O Filii et Filiae”

Hemony-Suite

- Prelude

- Etude

- Siciliano

- Toccata

### Improvisation on seasonal music