



Make the Coronavirus Crisis work for you!

Jeff Stewart, an experienced operatic tenor who teaches at the Royal College of Music and the Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama, and also runs very successful amateur choirs that are repeatedly asked back to sing in major cathedrals, is offering

ONLINE SINGING LESSONS.

He writes: Many people could benefit from singing lessons, but are either too short of time or too shy. But now is your chance to have lessons in the comfort of your own home – even if you're self-isolating or in quarantine!

In the days of *bel canto*, teachers used to spend just 20 minutes each day with their students, working on exercises repeatedly to get the breath working properly and their resonances built up. These days this is not practical because lives are so busy and people usually have to travel so far for a lesson, not to mention the costs involved in that. However, now we are all working from home, with more time on our hands and great technology, it is once again possible.

During his past year I have given many lessons over the internet, mostly to students in China but also to singers here in the UK. It works really well. You can **work on repertoire** (sacred, secular or both) in much the same way as you would in person. You can also **sing songs in a session** with the aid of a backing track.

Crucially, it's great for **working intensively** in short or long periods on getting the real basics right. So I'm offering lessons as follows:

20 minute lessons for	£15,
30 minute lessons for	£20 <i>or</i>
1 hour lessons for	£40 during the crisis period.

If you are interested, please contact Jeff on jeff.stewarttenor@icloud.com or 07830 096375. Website: <http://www.jeffstewart.co.uk/>