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2009-2010 RECITAL SERIES

Sunday, February 28, 2010

*** GARRY ELLIOTT (guitar)**

+ GERTRUDE LÉTOURNEAU (flûte)

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| * | Spanish Dance No. 5 | Enrique Granados |
| * + | Romanza Andaluza | Pablo Sarasate |
| * + | Souvenir d'Orient | Onorato Costa |
| * | Variations on a theme of Mozart (Op. 9) | Fernando Sor |
| * | Una Limosna por el Amor de Dios | Agustin Barrios |
| * + | Jobiniana No. 2 | Sergio Assad |
| * + | Fantasie Pastorale Hongroise | Franz Doppler |

The next recital in the series will be on

SUNDAY, MARCH 14th

Ottawa Celtic Choir

(Ellen MacIsaac, conductor)

A Celebration of St. Patrick and beyond: a mixture of songs from the Celtic nations, including Irish and Scots songs, in both Gaelic and in English.

THE ARTISTS

Flutist **Gertrude Létourneau** and guitarist **Garry Elliott** have been playing together since the fall of 2007. They have performed in various venues in the Ottawa area including "Les Concerts Ponticello", Glebe-St. James United Church and St. Luke's Recital Series, Chamber Music on Cleary Avenue, NAC 4th Stage and at "La Galerie d'Art" in Montebello. They will also be featured in the Almonte Concert Series on April 24th. They released their first CD *Habanera* last spring.

Reaching new audiences and engaging individuals in the musical experience has always been the focus of **Gertrude Létourneau's** career. After completing her Bachelor's Degree in Music at the University of Ottawa and her Master's Degree in Performance at the University of Montreal, she took part in the "Performance and Communication Skills Program" at the Guildhall School of Music and Drama in London, England. She toured Canada as a member of Trio Mio playing for audiences of all ages. Ms. Létourneau is a flutist, singer, accompanist and music instructor at the Perley and Rideau Veterans' Health Centre in Ottawa. At the same time, she continues her performing career as a flutist and singer. In 2005, Ms. Létourneau released her first solo CD, "histoires d'amour.....". She presented *Flûte d'amour et chansons d'amour* at the National Arts Centre and *Love and War* at the Canadian War Museum in 2007. In November 2007, Gertrude Létourneau and Garry Elliott played for *Les Concerts Ponticello* in Gatineau. Gertrude performed with musicians of the National Arts Centre Orchestra as part of their 2008 Western Canadian Tour. In November, she will be performing at the NAC 4th stage and at the Canadian War Museum a concert of war songs and classical music called *Remember...*

Garry Elliott is a versatile guitarist specializing in classical, jazz and tango nuevo. He received a Bachelor of music degree from the University of Ottawa where he studied with Michael Strutt. He also participated in master classes with David Russell and Manuel Barrueco. As a classical guitarist, Garry frequently performs solo and in duos. He has performed and recorded with composer, guitarist Roddy Ellias and the tango nuevo ensemble Norteño. He is also very active on the Ottawa jazz scene. Garry has performed in various festivals including the Montreal and Ottawa Jazz Festivals, the Ottawa International Chamber Music Festival and the Westben Music Festival. He has recorded for the CBC and Radio Canada on numerous occasions. Garry teaches classical and jazz guitar for Carleton University as well as privately.