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# World Cafe Live at the Queen, Premier Center for the Arts, and The Arts at Trinity present Serafin String Quartet in April

(Wilmington, Del.) March 8, 2016 – <u>Serafin String Quartet</u> announces concerts in Delaware and Pennsylvania in April. The Quartet will return to <u>World Cafe Live at the Queen</u> (**April 9**), <u>Crosslands Concert Series</u> (**April 12**) and <u>The Arts at Trinity</u> (**April 30**). On **April 15**, the Serafins travel to Milton, Del. for their first performance at the <u>Premier Center for the Arts</u>. Concert repertoire includes new collage concert *Kismet! and the Magic of Borodin*, in addition to works by Beethoven and Mozart.

Journey with the Serafins back in time and across the oceans to old Baghdad of the Arabian Nights in their newest collage concert, *Kismet! and the Magic of Borodin*. Follow princes, beggars, magicians, maidens and maids through the course of a day that will transform all their fates. With love, fortune and identity all at stake, what is their destiny? What is their KISMET? The story is woven into Alexander Borodin's String Quartet No. 2.

### Saturday, April 9 at 7:00 p.m.

## World Cafe Live at the Queen presents Serafin String Quartet

Collage Concert *Kismet! and the Magic of Borodin*World Cafe Live at the Queen, 500 N Market St, Wilmington, DE 19801
Tickets \$20
www.worldcafelive.com

#### Tuesday, April 12 at 7:30pm

## **Crosslands Concert Series presents Serafin String Quartet**

Concert features works by Beethoven and Mozart. 1109 East Baltimore Pike, Kennett Square, PA Free http://kcc.kendal.org

#### Friday, April 15, 2016 at 8:00pm

#### Premier Center for Arts presents Serafin String Quartet

Collage Concert *Kismet!* and the Magic of Borodin 110 Union Street, Milton, DE \$25 General Admission / \$35 Reserved Seating www.pcade.com

### **Saturday, April 30, 2016 at 7:30pm**

#### The Arts at Trinity presents Serafin String Quartet

Program features Mozart String Quartet in Eb Major, K.428 and Beethoven String Quartet in F Major, Op. 59#1. Trinity Episcopal Church, 1108 North Adams Street, Wilmington, DE FREE - donations appreciated

The Arts at Trinity is a free community arts series, sponsored by Jackson ImmunoResearch Laboratories, Inc. www.theartsattrinity.org

Please visit www.serafinquartet.org for performance details and pricing information.

#### **About Serafin String Quartet**

Serafin String Quartet's world premiere recording featuring early chamber works by award-winning composer Jennifer Higdon will be released by Naxos on July 30, 2013. The Quartet's debut recording (Centaur Records 2010) was hailed by *The Strad Magazine* for "playing with style and sophistication" and the *American Record Guide* for "combining true rhythmic precision, beautiful intonation, and beautiful articulation with an excellent sense of balance and deeply satisfying musical phrasing." Serafin String Quartet has been applauded by audiences around the nation, including sellout crowds at repeat performances in New York City's Weill Recital Hall at Carnegie Hall. The Quartet serves as *Quartet in Residence* at the University of Delaware and takes its name from master violin maker, Sanctus Serafin, who in 1728 crafted the violin currently played by Kate Ransom. The other members of the Quartet play Testore instruments, thanks to the generosity of Dr. William J. Stegeman. For more information, please visit <a href="https://www.serafinquartet.org">www.serafinquartet.org</a>.

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