

Judy Handler & Mark Levesque

Music for Mandolin & Guitar

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NEW CD AVAILABLE

by the

THE NEW AMERICAN MANDOLIN ENSEMBLE (NAME)

Contemporary classical music for plucked string instruments reflecting folk, jazz and world music influences.



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Since forming in 2013 NAME has performed throughout New England, at festivals in Germany & Spain as well as presenting concerts in the Netherlands and Portugal, at a national conference in Portland, Oregon and a tour in the Mid Atlantic States. In May 2018 NAME will be doing a tour in England.

Preview quotes:

*Brilliant and beautiful contemporary compositions performed
by extraordinary musicians with finesse, power and heart.*

John Goodin - composer, mandolinist, Luther College

*The music is played so fresh and I love the natural sense of
groove that this group has. Beautiful playing!*

Caterina Lichtenberg, Professor of Mandolin, Koln/Wuppertal, DE

*The New American Mandolin Ensemble shines a fresh light - will no doubt become a
standard for mandolin groups of tomorrow.*

Mike Marshall - American mandolinist

NAME MEMBERS

Mandolin: Mark Davis (director), Mark Levesque

Mandola, Liuto Cantabile: Robert A. Margo

Classical Guitar: Beverly Davis, Judy Handler

Bass: Bob Asprinio



Thursday, October 19, 2:30 p.m.

GEER VILLAGE

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Canaan, CT

(860) 824-8133

Duo concert. Open to the public.



Sunday, October 22, 4:00 p.m.

Rosewood Chamber Ensemble

Barbara Hopkins, flute & Judy Handler, guitar

Music in the Nave Concert Series

Saint Andrew's Church

1 N Main Street

Kent, CT

(860) 927-3486

Admission: \$15, free to students 18 and younger

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OLD WORLD ~ NEW WORLD

This concert contrasts 19th century music from both sides of the Atlantic: Paganini & Schubert pieces versus popular American music and dances from the gold mining towns of the American West and our country's first "classical" composers. Barbara will play early American flutes, a European "Romantic" flute and her modern flute. Judy will play her 19th century parlor guitars as well as her modern guitar. Come hear how different the music scene was on both sides of the pond!

The concert will include discussion of the instruments, music and composers. Guests are invited to talk with the performers both before and after the performance.

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