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Chicago Philharmonic Chamber Players
Valentine’s Day Brunch Features Music of Sondheim, Dvorak, The Beatles & More

Chicago, IL – (February 11, 2016) The Chicago Philharmonic Chamber Players (cp²) continue their residency at City Winery Chicago with a Valentine’s Day brunch concert. Vocalist Cheryl Wilson – who has collaborated with artists such as Michael Jackson and Mavis Staples – and a cutting-edge string quartet explore various faces of love, from the serene to the tumultuous. On a subject that has demanded the attention of practically every composer, the audience hears tango music, Broadway hits, Romantic quartets, and rock ballads, all injected with the performers’ signature banter. Brunch will be available for purchase before and during the performance.

The Chocolate Box
A Musical Take on the Flavors of Love

February 14, 2016, Noon

Cheryl Wilson, Vocals
Carmen Kassinger, Violin
Lisa Fako, Violin
Monica Reilly, Viola
Margaret Daly, Cello

Send in the Clowns – Stephen Sondheim
The Look of Love – Burt Bacharach
Got to Get You into My Life – John Lennon & Paul McCartney
Let’s Fall in Love – Harold Arlen & Ted Koehler
I’m Beginning to See the Light – Duke Ellington, Don George, Johnny Hodges & Harry James
Por una Cabeza – Carlos Gardel
All the Things You Are – Jerome Kern & Oscar Hammerstein II
American Quartet – Antonin Dvořák
Salut d’Amour – Edward Elgar
I Will Always Love You – Dolly Parton
Jacksons, Monk and Rowe – Elvis Costello
The Birds Will Still Be Singing – Elvis Costello
About The Chicago Philharmonic Society

The Chicago Philharmonic Society is a collaboration of over 200 of the highest-level classical musicians performing in the Chicago metropolitan area. Governed under a groundbreaking structure of musician leadership, the Society presents concerts at venues throughout the Chicago area that cover the full spectrum of classical music, from Bach to Britten and beyond. The Society’s orchestra, known simply as the Chicago Philharmonic, has been called “one of the country’s finest symphonic orchestras” (*Chicago Tribune*), and its unique chamber music ensembles, which perform as the Chicago Philharmonic Chamber Players (cp²), draw from its vast pool of versatile musicians. The Society’s outreach programs connect Chicago-area youth to classical music and provide performance opportunities for members of the community. Founded 26 years ago by principal musicians from the Lyric Opera Orchestra, the Chicago Philharmonic currently serves as the official orchestra of the Joffrey Ballet, continues its 21-year association with the Ravinia Festival, and presents symphonic concerts in Evanston and, beginning in May 2016, at the Harris Theater.

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