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2012 Mid Atlantic Harp Festival And Harp Competition

Starting Friday, March 2, 2012

Providence Baptist Church, 8980 Brook Rd, McLean, VA 22102



featuring: **Elisabeth Remy Johnson,**
principal harpist, Atlanta Symphony

Elisabeth Remy Johnson was appointed principal harpist of the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra in 1995. She holds the endowed Delta Air Lines Chair, and also held the honorary UPS Community Service Chair for 2006-07. With the Atlanta Symphony, Ms. Remy Johnson has performed concertos by Debussy, Handel, Mozart and Ginastera. Winner of first-place awards in competitions of the American Harp Society and the American String Teachers Association, she is also a NFAA/ARTS awardee. She studied with Ann Hobson Pilot in Boston and Alice Chalifoux at the Salzedo Summer Harp Colony in Camden, Maine. She graduated from Harvard University Phi Beta Kappa with a double major in Music and French.



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REGISTRATION: \$55

FAMILY FEE: \$20

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COMPETITION REGISTRATION - JANUARY 15!

FESTIVAL EVENTS:

Opening Concert	American Youth Harp Ensemble	Fri - 7:30
Scholarship Competition	<i>See details below</i>	Sat - all day
Workshop	Lynnelle Ediger-Kordzaia – the Harp Ensemble	Sat – 9 am
Workshop	Ivan Gardner – <i>Harp maintenance techniques</i>	Sat – 10:15
Workshop	Anne Sullivan – <i>How to Improve Your Sight-reading in 15 minutes a Day</i> (bring your harp for “hands on” if you like)	Sat – 11:30
Lunch Raffle Shopping	FREE lunch buffet raffle drawings (gift certificates, CD, etc.) shop at Virginia Harp Center	Sat - 12:30
Master Class	Elisabeth Remy Johnson	Sat - 1:30 pm
Workshop	Anne Sullivan – <i>Makeover for Your Eyes, Ears, and Fingers: Learn Music From the Inside</i>	Sat - 3:30 pm
Lecture	Ken Lee – <i>Music Studio as a Business</i>	Sat - 5:15 pm
Dinner	FREE dinner buffet raffle drawings (gift certificates, CD, etc.)	Sat – 6:30 pm
Award Ceremony	Festival Competition Prizes Presented	Sat – 7:45
Closing Concert	Elisabeth Remy Johnson	Sat – 8:00 pm
Reception	Meet the artist and enjoy free refreshments and food with other festival attendees	Sat – 9:15 pm

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## SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION RULES/GUIDELINES:

There is a **\$25 non refundable fee** to enter the competition, and students must also be registered for the festival in order to compete and be members of the AHS DC Chapter and reside in the AHS region of MD, DC, DE, VA, PA, WV or NJ. Students Must be 18 years or younger. Previous competition winners are not eligible to compete for the year after winning a prize at the competition. Students may only compete in only 1 Division-choose either Young Artist or Emerging Talent Division. There is no minimum age requirement for either division, but students must be 18 years or younger for both divisions.

Repertoire: Students will play the required piece and one free choice solo. Combined timing of both pieces should not exceed 10 minutes. Only solos are permissible. Concertos are only permissible if they can be performed as a solo without the orchestral accompaniment.

Young Artist Required Repertoire: Rumba from Suite of 8 Dances by Carlos Salzedo.

Emerging Talent Required piece: Glissando Waltz by Mozart (found in Suzuki Book 2)

Students must submit a one page hand written essay outlining their experiences with the harp and detailing how they would use the scholarship to further their study of the harp.

The competition will take place throughout the day on Saturday March 3, 2012, and individual times will be assigned.

### **Prizes:**

Young Artist Division: \$100 first prize, \$75 second prize, \$50 third prize

Emerging Talent Division: \$75 first prize, \$50 second prize, \$25 third prize

Honorable mentions will be at the judges' discretion and may or may not be awarded.

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