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Silicon Valley Symphony "Double Barreled BBBs" Concert

WHO: Silicon Valley Symphony

WHAT: "Double Barreled BBBs" Concert

2 Performances:

WHEN: **7:30 PM, Friday, November 19, 2010**

WHERE: Foothill Presbyterian Church, 5301 McKee Road, San Jose, CA 95127

WHEN: 7:30 PM, Saturday, November 20, 2010

WHERE: Saint Mark's Episcopal Church, 600 Colorado Avenue, Palo Alto, CA 94306 TICKETS: \$20 general, \$15 Senior/Student; Children age 12 and younger FREE with adult

*available West Valley Music and Heaney Violins in Mountain View; Canon Music in Cupertino;

orchestra members; on our website; and at the door before the concert.

WEBSITE: Concert page: www.siliconvalleysymphony.net

PARKING: FREE Parking

The Silicon Valley Symphony is proud to present our "**Double Barreled BBBs**" **Concert** in San Jose at Foothill Presbyterian Church on Friday, November 19, 2010, at 7:30 PM. AND in Palo Alto at Saint Mark's Episcopal Church, on Saturday, November 20, 2010, at 7:30 PM. Ticket donation is \$20 general and \$15 seniors and students; children age 12 and younger are FREE with an adult.

This will be a monumental performance of spectacular music and a unique exciting family affaire! Michael Paul Gibson leads the Silicon Valley Symphony in "**Double Barreled BBBs**" – presenting double barreled performance beginning with Bach's "*Double Violin Concerto*" featuring violin soloists Julian Brown, Concertmaster of the SVS and Amy Hiraga, violinist in the San Fransicso Symphony. The "*Double Concerto for Violin and Cello*" by Brahms is masterfully performed by rising stars Mayumi Wyrick, violin soloist, and Mariko Wyrick, cello soloist. Peter Wyrick, Associate Principal Cello of the San Fransicso Symphony, previous cello soloist with the SVS, along with his wife, Amy Hiraga, also soloist for this concert, will both be playing in the orchestra during our performance of Beethoven's "*Symphony No. 5 in C Minor*". Mayumi and Mariko Wyrick are the daughters of Peter and Amy. This is truly a family affaire not to be missed!

Audience members, music critics, and even our own musicians have said that the SVS is "the community orchestra that sounds 'that' close to professional!" This is the first concert of our 2010 - 2011 Season. The acoustics in both churches are stunning and enhance your performance experience. The concert features one of the most talented musical families in the Bay Area all together. We hope you can attend.

You can get complete concert information and program notes on our website at: www.siliconvalleysymphony.net

We hope to see you, your children, family and friends in the audience. You can purchase tickets online, from orchestra members, or at the door 30 minutes prior to the performance. Tickets are also available at fine music stores: West Valley Music and Heaney Violins, both in Mountain View; and Canon Music in Cupertino. Advance ticket holders will be allowed entrance 45 minutes prior to the performance – to get the best seats. No reserved seats. Seating is first come, first served.

The SVS is sponsored by the Bay Area Music Foundation and sponsored in part by Foothill Presbyterian Church, and Foothill College Performing Arts Alliance.

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