

About the Family

This season marks Elijah's fourth year touring with his dad full time, hundreds of concerts each season. With home school, hobbies and the upkeep of living off-grid, this has been no small amount of work, sacrifice and commitment from this 15 year old young man.

This year the rest of our family, wife Jessica and daughter Marietta, will be joining our mission of bringing concerts to nursing homes, Alzheimers and dementia units, assisted living and independent living communities throughout New England and beyond. Where we are able, Jessie and Mari will be providing room visits to those unable to attend the concerts. Their mission is to bring light, smiles and inspiration to those that need it most. During these visits they share stories, laughs and talk about faith and spirituality. Mari spends a lot of time between concert tours working on pictures and paintings to offer to those she will meet. As a family we spend a lot of time talking about what we can do in every interaction to have the most meaningful and positive effect on the lives we touch. It is a family mission. We are thankful for the chance to share those things which have been blessings in our lives with you.

We hope that by sharing our music we were able to bring you a bit of the warmth and happiness which our family feels each day.

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2019 Winter Spring Concert Series

Presents

“The Missions”

With

Bruce Pratt -Piano

Elijah Pratt -Violin

About the Presentations

Today's program is called “The Missions.” This year marks a new chapter in the concert presentations which we have been offering for nearly twenty years, beginning in Colorado back in the year 2000. From this year forward we will offer two separate presentations each year. The first presentation will be offered during our Winter/Spring concert series between the months of January and May. The second presentation will be offered during the Summer/Fall concert series from July to November.

Our primary mission is to offer concerts without partiality. Many communities have a rich and spectacular activities events calendar that offers every variety of cultural enjoyments including monthly classical concerts: from pianists, to trios, to renowned choirs and beyond. Some communities are not afforded such diversity of programming selection. Sometimes even the piano, or the instrument, needed to provide the opportunity for a concert is not to be found. For a large amount of communities, hiring professional entertainment is quite simply out of the question. Those are our target audiences. It's where we feel there is the most need for the concert presentations we provide. Not without coincidence, those audiences are often times where we find the most appreciation and gratitude for the talents we have to share. In this, the concerts we provide cease to be entertainment, which can be done without, and become essential as therapeutic programming. The healing and rejuvenating effects of music are more clearly visable in environments where it is most needed.

The Selections:

Part 1:

Sunrise Sunset Adaption.....	Bruce Pratt Jr.
Bagatelle.....	Ludwig van Beethoven
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Spring Sonata 1 st Mvt.....	Ludwig van Beethoven
Valse No. 1 Op. 83 (The First Valse).....	Auguste Durand

Part 2:

Bourree dm.....	Dennis Alexander
La Campanelle.....	Franz Liszt
Reverie.....	Claude Dubussy
Crush Collision March.....	Scot Joplin
Perpetuum Mobile.....	Ottokar Novacek

Part 3:

Tarantella.....	John Thomsen
Aragonaise.....	Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
Flight of the Bumblebee.....	Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov
Minuet In G Minor.....	Christian Petzold
Concerto Op 3 No 6 in A Minor.....	Antonio Vivaldi