



City of Las Vegas  
Office of Cultural Affairs

*Downtown Cultural Series*  
Lloyd D. George U.S. Courthouse

**Oct. 15, 2010**  
Noon-1 p.m.

**Tenor Mark Thomsen**  
*Accompanied by Barbara Riske*

Tenor Mark Thomsen performs with leading opera and orchestral companies throughout North America and Europe. Having made his Metropolitan Opera debut in December of 2008 Mr. Thomsen has also performed with New York City Opera, Santa Fe Opera, Dallas Opera, Vienna Volksoper, Vienna Staatsoper and Houston Grand Opera. Upcoming highlights for 2010-11 include Strauss' Capriccio with The Metropolitan Opera, Puccini concerts in Italy (excerpts from *La Boheme* and *Madame Butterfly*), Handel's *Messiah* in Las Vegas and various gala "popera" concerts throughout the United States.

Pianist Barbara Riske has played with several groups locally including the Las Vegas Philharmonic, the Nevada Chamber Symphony, Nevada Baller Theater, Opera Las Vegas, the Las Vegas Flute Club, the Las Vegas Music Festival, the Las Vegas Woodwind Quintet and the Sierra Winds. She has also performed in chamber concerts throughout the U.S., and in March 2002, performed for the second time at Carnegie Hall in New York City.

NAME THAT TUNE

DE' MIEI BOLLENTI SPIRITI	from <i>La Traviata</i>	Verdi
SUMMER NIGHTS	from <i>Mr. and Mrs. Olson</i>	Keillor/Stein
I FEEL THE SPIRIT MOVING	traditional spiritual	arr. by Hayes
STRANGER IN PARADISE	from <i>Kismet</i>	Wright/Forrest
DEIN IST MEIN GANZES HERZ	from <i>Das Land des Lächelns</i>	Léhar
{ "Bell' Amorosa Pizza" commercial here with skit }		
LONELY HOUSE	from <i>Street Scene</i>	Weil
THE WAY YOU LOOK TONIGHT		Fields/Kern
SALUT! DEMEURE CHASTE ET PURE {Attack demo}	from <i>Faust</i>	Gounod

I DREAMED A DREAM, BRING HIM HOME  
Medley from *Les Miserable*

Kretzmer, Boublil  
and Schönberg

LA FLEUR from *Carmen*

Bizer

THE PRAYER  
Sung by Naomi and Mark Thomsen

McClurkin/Adams

FIN, FINI, ENDE, THE END!

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Nov. 19, 2010  
Celtic Cove

Celtic Cove will take you on a musical journey  
into the many colors of traditional Irish and Scottish music.

**Additional Upcoming Events**

Historic Fifth Street School, 401 S. Fourth St.  
Downtown at Fourth Street & Clark  
*Free and open to the public*

**OKTOBERFEST**

Saturday, Oct. 16, 2010 • 2-10 p.m.  
German music, dance, food and beer!

Vegas Valley Children's Book Festival  
Saturday Nov. 6, 2010 • 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

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