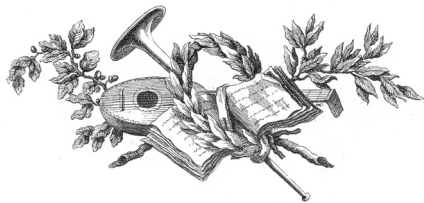


RAPHAEL AND KAREN RYGER, violinist and cellist, met as Juilliard School students in a string quartet coached by the renowned Budapest Quartet. They have performed widely in both Israel and the U.S. Raphael is in his 36th season as Concertmaster of Orchestra New England, and Karen, a former member of the Jerusalem String Quartet and the Israel Chamber Orchestra, now appears regularly with area groups, including the Lillibridge Ensemble.

DAVID CLAMPITT, violinist, is Professor Emeritus at Ohio State University, formerly Associate Professor in the Music Department of Yale University. Following violin studies at Manhattan School of Music, he played with Orchestra of New York, the Algonquin String Quartet, the Morningside Piano Trio, Prometheus, and many other ensembles. He is a member of the Miles Road String Quartet, and lectures on and coaches chamber music in many cities in the US and in Europe.

KRSTYANA CZEINER, violinist and violist, has made her mark in the music world with dual degrees from Juilliard, a Grammy award, and contributions to platinum and gold records. She was a student of Dorothy Delay, Robert Mann, Felix Galamir and Louise Behrend and she has made notable appearances at The Aspen Music Festival, Sarasota Music Festival, Carnegie Hall and was featured in the Delay Starling Symposium. Beyond performing, Krstyana is dedicated to music education, classical music accessibility, and serves on the board of trustees for several non-profit arts organizations.

DR. MADELEINE FORTE, pianist, received the Josef Lhevinne Memorial Award at The Juilliard School. She offered Scholarships to American and Foreign students at Boise State University where she taught for twenty-six years. She has toured on five continents. The New Yorker praised "Forte's gorgeous tone and sensuous line (evoke) classic French pianism...chaste simplicity of the Sonatine to the virtuosic 'Gaspard de la Nuit', in which no prisoners are taken and no notes are dropped." Website: <https://madeleineforte.github.io>



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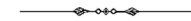
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Violin Sonata No. 9 in A Major, Op. 47, "Kreutzer" Ludwig van Beethoven
(1770-1827)

- I Adagio sostenuto; Presto
- II Andante con variazioni
- III Presto

Piano Quintet in E-flat Major, Opus 44 Robert Schumann
(1810-1856)

- I Allegro brillante
- II In modo d'una marcia
- III Scherzo
- IV Allegro, ma non troppo



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