



Together we fill the skies with music every September 11<sup>th</sup>

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The September Concert Foundation was founded in 2002 with the mission to bring communities together, to reaffirm our hope for peace, to celebrate life and our universal humanity. We do this through The September Concert, a series of free concerts held annually on September 11<sup>th</sup>. The foundation is a not-for-profit 501 (c)(3) organization.

Musicians of all backgrounds, genres, and levels of expertise join together to bring music anywhere and everywhere people gather.

The goal of the September Concert Foundation is to spread the message of peace through the magical power of music. Our concerts are held in all areas of our city, our nation, our world.

All concerts adhere to three basic principles:

**Freedom:** All venues and musicians are free to design and organize their own concerts.

**Equality:** All music and all musicians are treated equally, regardless of genre or background.

**Accessibility:** All music is offered free of charge.

In 2005 we organized 117 concerts with more than 2,000 performers. This year will mark the 5<sup>th</sup> annual September concert as well as the 5<sup>th</sup> anniversary of 9/11. By partnering with a variety of NY, national, and international groups The September Concert will truly be a global day of music for peace on September 11<sup>th</sup> 2006.

Some of our partnerships include:

- Association for a Better New York
- Battery Park City Authority
- British Memorial Garden Trust
- City University of New York
- Fox Television Stations, Inc.
- Grand Central Partnership
- NYC & Co.
- NYC Dept. of Parks & Recreation
- New York Choral Society
- New York Pops
- New York Restoration Project
- Musicians on Call
- Real Estate Board of New York
- St. Patrick's Cathedral
- Sister Cities International
- The Sister City Program of N.Y.
- United Nations
- South St. Seaport – Pier 17

Your interest and support of our program assures the importance of this day will not be lost and that all people will have the opportunity to participate in this global day of peace.

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