



Invitation to Support the Lithuania Millennium Concert

December 23, 2008

Dear Prospective Sponsor:

The “Dainava” Lithuanian Chorale, in collaboration with the Consulate General of the Republic of Lithuania in Chicago, invites you to sponsor our unique upcoming event—a concert to celebrate Lithuania’s millennium anniversary! Lithuania’s name was first mentioned in the historical documents in Germany one thousand years ago.

To commemorate this worldwide occasion, on **Sunday, March 8, 2009**, at 3 p.m., the choir will celebrate with a special performance at Harris Theatre for Music and Dance in Chicago’s Millennium Park (205 E. Randolph Dr., Chicago). We invite you to participate in this historical event and support it through a contribution of your choice:

- Yellow level—\$1,000 and above
- Green level—\$250 to \$999
- Red level—up to \$249

1,500 people are expected to attend this event in Chicago, also called the second capital of Lithuania. We launched an extensive advertising campaign to bring together many music lovers ranging from Lithuanians, Polish, Ukrainians, Russians, Jewish, and other ethnic groups to Chicago city representatives and general American public who enjoy classical and choir music.

Along with Dainava, the concert will feature pianists Sonata and Rokas Zubovas from Lithuania, who will perform works by Lithuanian composers, Beethoven, and Brahms. The focal piece is the world premiere of “Lithuanian Suite” by Lithuanian composer Nijolė Sinkevičiūtė. This work fuses ancient folk elements with contemporary styles, presenting an exciting and vibrant musical portrait of Lithuania.

This concert is the only one of its kind—don’t miss this opportunity to be a part of it! **Please fill out the back of this letter and mail your contribution to Dainava by January 31, 2009.** Please contact us with any questions. Thank you!

Sincerely,

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How You Can Contribute to the Lithuania Millennium Concert

Please check one of the following to indicate your tax-deductible contribution (Dainava's tax ID number is 80-0221579).

- Yellow Level—\$1,000 and above**
You will receive 4 free tickets to the event, an invitation to our pre-concert reception, and listing of your name in the program book.
- Green Level—\$250 to \$999**
You will receive 2 free tickets to the event, an invitation to our pre-concert reception, and listing of your name in the program book.
- Red Level—up to \$249**
Your name will be listed in the program book.

All contributions to this event will be used to offset the costs of hiring professional musicians, renting the concert venue, advertising, program book printing, and hosting the pre-concert supporter reception.

Your name _____

Address _____

Telephone # _____

Please check if you do not wish your name listed in the program book.

Please fill out this form and mail it along with your contribution payable to Dainava Lithuanian Chorale to the following address by January 31, 2009:

Dainava Lithuanian Chorale
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For more information, please email us at info@dainava.us or visit www.dainava.us

Thank you for your generous support!