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ARCOSANTI PRESENTS SONYA-KUMIKO LEE
IN CELEBRATION OF THE 20TH ANNUAL COLLY CONCERT
ON SEPTEMBER 15, 2001

(Cordes Junction, AZ) - Arcosanti Saturday, September 15, 2001, the Colly Soleri Music Center at Arcosanti is 20 years old! We are celebrating this 20th Annual Colly Center with a classic pianist, SONYA KUMIKO LEE., performing works by Chopin, Debussy, Mozart, and Schumann.

Sonya Kumiko Lee began her musical studies at the age of three and won her first competition at age seven. Ms. Lee has successfully competed in numerous national and international competitions receiving top prizes and solo performance engagements. Winner of Artists International's Twenty-fourth Annual Young Artists Piano Award, Ms. Lee debuted in New York City at Carnegie Hall in the 1997-98 season, receiving high critical acclaim and performed a 1999 solo recital at Lincoln Center's Alice Tully Hall.

Paolo and Colly Soleri founded the Cosanti Foundation, a non-profit, educational institution whose major project has been the building of Arcosanti, an alternative urban prototype. Mrs. Soleri was an avid supporter of art and cultural events there and since her death the tradition has continued through the Colly Soleri Music Center's Concert Season.

Guests new to events at the Colly Soleri Music Center are invited to tour Arcosanti at 5:00 p.m., dinner at 6:00 p.m. and Sonya Kumiko Lee's performance at 7:30 p.m.

Dinner Menu: Granny's Borscht, Fresh Salmon with Maple Glaze, Citrus Buerre Blanc, Tofu a l'Orange, Souffle de Maize, Salade Nicoise, Melon-Mint Salad, Bread Sticks, Cashew Butter Cookies. The evening cost is \$25 per person. Reservations are required: 520-632-7135 or 602-254-5309. Arcosanti is located 2 1/2 miles northeast of Cordes Junction (exit 262) of I-17, about 60 miles north of Phoenix.

Event: 20TH ANNUAL COLLY CONCERT FEATURING SONYA KUMIKO-LEE

Date: Saturday , September 15, 2001

Program: 5 p.m. Complimentary Tour of Arcosanti

6:p.m. Dinner

7:30 p.m. Performance

Location: Arcosanti, 65 miles north of Phoenix, off of I-17, exit 262 Cordes Junction

Tickets: \$25 for Dinner and Concert; \$12.50 for Concert Only

For Reservations contact: arcoinfo@arcosanti.org or

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