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Re: Three Worlds: Brad Prevedoros, Niel Golden and Greg Joy

To Presenters

My name is Bob de Wolff and I live in North Saanich on Vancouver Island where I am a musician, music teacher, Director at the Deep Cove Folk Club and presenter of the Wooden Nickel House Concert series. I have been actively involved as a presenter of music for more than 30 years (most of which was in Calgary) where I was an organizer of the Nickelodeon Music Club and the Calgary Folk Festival. I have also been involved in sound and stage management for the Canmore Folk Festival for most of its 35 years.

I am writing to recommend "Three Worlds". Brad, Niel and Greg are very well known as solo performers on Vancouver Island, and have formed the trio as a special project.

We have seen them as a trio several times, at concerts including at the 300 seat Charlie White Theatre in Sidney. And, this year we had the pleasure of presenting them as part of our house concert series. We were delighted.

First, the concert sold out, and we had a waiting list for tickets. This is true even though most of our audience had never seen them before. Their publicity and photo captured their interest.

And ... the concert was worth it. It was entirely instrumental, which in some circumstances might have been a problem for us. BUT, folks were enthusiastic. The program was varied. Folks heard and saw instruments that they'd never seen before.

In summary, the performance showed their maturity as performers; showcasing excellent content, musicianship and performance pace. Plus their varied instrumentation was a strong asset.

I ask that you consider "Three Worlds" for your musical program.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch with me for any reason.

Sincerely,

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