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***13th Annual Young Artist Music Series
Opens January 8, 2009 at Bonnet House***

FORT LAUDERDALE, F.L., December 8, 2008 --Bonnet House Museum & Gardens announces the opening of its 13th season of the Young Artist Music. Give the gift of music this holiday season. Purchase an individual ticket or the entire series and enjoy opera, musical theater and jazz.

The season kicks off with an evening of favorite arias and ensemble performances from opera and musical theater by Florida Grand Opera on Thursday, January 9 at 7pm. On February 12th the University Of Miami Frost School Of Music presents vocalists from musical theatre, vocal performance, opera and jazz in a variety program featuring delightful favorites along with fresh contemporary works, on March 12th under the leadership of Bruce Stasyna, we have Palm Beach Opera Studio performing operatic arias and duets and for our fourth and final performance on April 9th we have the Florida Atlantic University Department of Music presenting jazz combo Uwallo Messengers with instructor Mike Brignola.

We are thrilled to offer the Fort Lauderdale community what we consider to be the 'best deal in town'. Canapés and wine are served to our guests from 7:00-7:30 p.m. The one hour performances begin at 7:30 p.m. and immediately following the performances dessert and coffee will be served. For only \$28.00 per performance or \$100 for the series for Bonnet House members and \$33 per performance and \$120 for the series for non-members everyone can enjoy an evening under the stars like no other. The Art Institute Culinary School has provided the wonderful canapés and desserts for the past 12 years and the honors graphic design class at the Art Institute of Fort Lauderdale designs our posters each year.

For more information or to purchase tickets online, call(954)563-5393 Ext. 124 or visit us at www.bonnethouse.org/exhibits&events.

Bonnet House Museum & Gardens -- 900 North Birch Road, Fort Lauderdale
Open for tours Tues.- Sat. from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm; Sundays from 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm
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