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Virtuoso Series Concert

Guest Artists Borromeo String Quartet

Friday, April 10, 7:30 p.m.

Organ Recital Hall, University Center for the Arts

1400 Remington St., Fort Collins, Colorado

\$15, \$5/CSU Students, \$5/Youth (ages 6-17)

Considered "Simply the best there is," by the Boston Globe, the Quartet performs a late Beethoven quartet (op 131), and are joined by the CSU Faculty String Quartet for an octet performance to celebrate Mendelssohn-Bartholdy's 200th birthday!

Since their explosive debut in 1989 the Borromeo have become one of the most sought after string quartets in the world and perform over 100 concerts each season across three continents. Audiences and critics alike have championed the Quartet's revealing explorations of both classical and contemporary literature and its affinity for making challenging repertoire approachable.

The Borromeo have performed at the world's most illustrious concert halls and music festivals and continue long-standing residencies at the Isabella Stuart Gardner Museum ("one of the defining experiences of civilization in Boston" Boston Globe), the Tenri Cultural Institute ("one of New York's best kept secrets" N.Y. Sun), Dai-ichi Semei Hall in Tokyo, and the Cape Cod Chamber music Festival, where first violinist Nicholas Kitchen serves as Artistic Director. In 2007 they were named winners of the 2007 Avery Fisher Career Grants.

MasterClass and Pre-College Chamber Music Festival

In addition to the concert, during their stay the Quartet will conduct a **MasterClass on Saturday, April 11, 10:30 a.m. in the Griffin Concert Hall**. The MasterClass Series at Colorado State University School of the Arts features the world's finest performers in their genre and are FREE and open to the public. Observe these amazing artists perform as well as provide hands-on instruction to top select CSU students in an open, informal setting.

[For more information about the Pre-College Chamber Music Festival please click here.](#)

Meet the Artist Reception Following Concert

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