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Ticket Sales Begin in September for the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra's 33rd IPL *Yuletide Celebration*

(August 28, 2018) – As the summer season draws to a close, the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra excitedly looks ahead to one of our favorite times of the year – IPL *Yuletide Celebration*! Vocal powerhouse Angela Brown and 2014 winner of *The Voice* Josh Kaufman are joining the ISO and friends for this annual holiday tradition.

Broadway's best singers and dancers will bring the *Yuletide* magic and music to life on the historic Hilbert Circle Theatre stage. Enjoy the traditions of "'Twas the Night Before Christmas," the famous tap-dancing Santas, and "All I Want for Christmas Is You." This year also features "Holly Jolly Dollies," "Jingle Belles and Beaux," and Angela Brown's transcendent performance of "Mary Had a Baby." You do not want to miss Josh Kaufman in a new 2018 edition of the North Pole reality singing competition, "Santa's Choice!"

A new act added to the lineup is announced today, as Indy's own dance group Expressenz takes the *Yuletide* stage! When Expressenz competed in NBC's *World of Dance*, judge Jennifer Lopez was blown away. She said, "It was so perfectly in sync with every emotion and moment that you tried to create. It really moved me. I had goosebumps from the beginning."

Tickets go on sale September 17 for this beloved celebration of holiday music. Ticket prices start at \$20 for adults and \$13.40 for children ages 12 and under. Our lowest prices occur at "Super Saver" concerts; be sure to buy your tickets early to score these deals while they last! All prices are subject to change beginning September 24. Groups of 20 or more receive 10% off single tickets, along with 10% off fees for all performances. Begin planning your event by contacting Joshua Shuck, Director of Sales, at 317.639.4300 or jshuck@IndianapolisSymphony.org.

Yuletide fans may be interested in upgrading to the ultimate concert experience: IPL *Yuletide Celebration* VIP Tickets are available for our Saturday, December 22, performance at 8pm. All tickets are \$350 each and include the following:

- One Dress Circle seat
- Valet parking
- Pre-concert photo with Tapping Santas
- Pre-concert and intermission receptions including complimentary hors d'oeuvres and drinks
- Post-concert photo on stage

Created and conducted by ISO Principal Pops Conductor Jack Everly, IPL *Yuletide Celebration* blends traditional and contemporary holiday favorites featuring our orchestra, accented by a talented cast of singers, dancers, and actors. IPL *Yuletide Celebration* celebrates its 33rd anniversary this year and continues to be the largest orchestra-produced holiday presentation of its kind. Josh Kaufman joined forces with the ISO to host his first IPL *Yuletide Celebration* in 2016, and this will be Angela Brown's third experience as *Yuletide* host – she previously joined the ISO for the 2012 and 2014 holiday seasons.

Visit www.indianapolissymphony.org for more information, or call our friendly and knowledgeable Box Office team at 317.639.4300 for assistance in selecting your seats.

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