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Across Borders – Across Time

Before there were borders, there was music. Even before Time, there was music.

Attachments: Havaldar family bio information
Summary of scales and lyrics for this program
Photo of Pandit Nagaraja Rao Havaldar
Photo of Kedarnath Havaldar (son)

Early Music Now Presents a Concert of Music from India

Early Music Now, Milwaukee's nationally-recognized presenter of a broad range of historical music, offers a return concert by Pandit Nagaraj Rao Havaldar and family members (www.pandithavaldar.com) at 7:00 on Saturday, July 17th at Centennial Hall of the Milwaukee Public Library, 733 North 8th Street. Dr. Havaldar previously performed for EMN in November 2008, with resounding audience interest in having him return.

Pandit Havaldar is a Hindustani classical vocalist from Bangalore, India, whose performance lineage includes Pandit Madhava Gudi, who is a direct disciple of the legendary Kirana scion Pandit Bhimsen Joshi. Dr. Havaldar received his doctorate in Hindustani Classical Music (a "Sangeetha Ratna") from Karnataka University, and has performed and toured extensively throughout India, the United States, and the United Kingdom.

The 7:00 concert will be preceded by a lecture at 6:30, and will be followed by a reception with Dr. Havaldar and his colleagues. Tickets for the entire evening are \$25, and can be purchased by phone at 414.225.3113, online at www.earlymusicnow.org, or at the door on the evening of the concert beginning at 6:00.

For further information about this event, visit the Early Music Now website at www.earlymusicnow.org.