

MONTANGO

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MONTANGO was formed in 1996 to perform in concert and festival settings the Music, Dance and Song of contemporary Tango masters. The group is composed of a classically trained quintet including bandoneon, violin, classical guitar, piano and acoustic bass, as well as a vocalist and internationally acclaimed Tango dancers.

MONTANGO weaves a fascinating history of Tango throughout their two-hour program. It is a remarkable history of dangerous times, impossible dreams and lost love that flows through the symphonic designs of these rhythms. No art form quite equals Tango in exquisitely exploring these timeless emotions.



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What they say about MONTANGO:

"A powerful and passionate interpretation of Piazzolla's work!..."

Pampa Cortés, celebrated Argentine Tango dancer, of the Broadway hit "Forever Tango"

"MonTango opened our season with a smashing performance that captivated our audience. Tom Montgomery's ensemble played with sensitivity and precision. The attractive dancers conveyed the sensual nature of the tango with such style "oohs and aahs" rose from the 1800 in attendance. What a lovely evening!!" **Sam Kamilos**, Artist Selection Chairman, Sacramento Community Concert Association

"...both ethereal and intense... hear them for yourself!" **Joel Selvin**, S.F. Chronicle, Music Critic

"...captures Piazzolla's craft and adds charmed nuances... real fire onstage"... **R.Nachman**, SF Gate Magazine

"...you're magnificent, and the show is fascinating...working with you is truly a pleasure." **Steve Miller**, Steve Miller Band

"It has been a pleasure to listen to your CDs, I really like it very much. You did a great work with my father's music in both CD's...Thanks you very much for playing Astor's music."

Daniel Piazzolla, son of Astor Piazzolla

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In addition to being world-class performers, members of the **MONTANGO** are committed to creating connections between the community and the arts. **MONTANGO** offers residency and educational outreach programs that bring together the various disciplines that combine to form Tango. The music is explained and then brought together in a concert that serves to deepen audience appreciation for the richness of this fascinating cultural tradition.

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- * Recorded two CD's produced by rock legend Steve Miller who liked the group so well that he flew them to his state-of-the-art studio in Sun Valley to record.
- * Commissions and performs original works in this genre, and continues to perform the contemporary and traditional masterworks of Argentine Tango.
- * Has been featured in the SF Chronicle Datebook's Critics' Pick and their CDs have been favorably reviewed in the SF Bay Guardian.
- * Enjoys the continued support of enthusiasts such as Joel Selvin of the San Francisco Chronicle, Grammy Award winner Gene Puerling, and luminaries such as Huey Lewis and Mickey Hart.

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