

IRISH CHRISTMAS IN AMERICA

PRODUCER/FIDDLE Oisín Mac Diarmada

VOCALS/BODHRÁN Cathy Jordan

IRISH HARP/CONCERTINA Emily Greaney

DANCE/PIANO Samantha Harvey

FLUTE/UILLEANN PIPES Caoimhín Ó Fearghaíl

GUITAR/VOCALS Jack Warnock

GUEST DANCERS McAleer-Paulson School of Irish Dance

Zellerbach Theatre

Friday, December 19 @ 7:30 PM

There will be an intermission.

ABOUT THE ARTISTS

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Produced by Sligo fiddler Oisín Mac Diarmada, Irish Christmas in America features top Irish music, song and dance in an engaging performance rich in humour and boundless energy. The holiday show was first conceived in 2005 with past tours featuring such stellar guest vocalists as Niamh Farrell, Séamus and Méabh Begley, Teresa Horgan, Lumière (Pauline Scanlon and Eilis Kennedy), Karan Casey, Cara Dillon, Muireann Nic Amhlaoibh, Cathie Ryan and Michael Londra. Mac Diarmada celebrates the program as a way to bring traditional and often unknown Irish customs to the States. "One of the most heartfelt themes of Irish Christmas is emigration," says Mac Diarmada. "Music was a way that people stayed close to home." irishchristmasinamerica.com