

# Oeste Canada Flamenco Festival brings Sunny Spain to you with an unforgettable evenings of fiery Flamenco...

Jose Antontio Rodriguez, Flamenco Guitarist

At the Palace Theatre

March 20,2002

Tickets \$40.00

Joaquin Ruiz & Company

Production of

Mar de Tierras

Jubilee Auditorium

Sunday, March 31, 2002

Tickets \$48.50 & \$56.50

Reserved seating.

## A wonderful stocking stuffer for the flamenco dancer in your dreams

### Joaquin Ruiz

Born into a dancing family Joaquin started dancing at the age of ten. From a young age he takes part in Spanish dance companies soon becoming an outstanding soloist in the most important clubs in Madrid.

In 1987 he creates his own company and soon becomes one of flamenco and the dance communities leading dancer and choreographer. Joaquin has traveled around the world teaching, creating and directing some of Fllamenco's most important works.

Joaquin has worked with such greats as Blanca del Rey, Paco Pena, La Tati. He has performed in some of the best venues and festivals including Art's Festival in Hong Kong, Jacob's Pillow in the U.S.A.; the Barbicon and Saddler Wells in London. He has choreographed to the music by Miles Davis. He was one of the "Los cinco Bailores" with Joaquin Cortes, Antonio Canales, Adrian Galia, and Cristobal Reyes.

### Jose Antonio Rodriguez

In 1981 won his first major prize for "Flamenco Guitar Concert at the XXI Festival de Cante de las Minas de la Union at the age of 17. His talents continue win him awards; 1982 first at the Flamenco Guitar Concert at the XI National Contest of Flamenco Guitar in Jerez de la Frontera; 1986 the "Ramon Montoya" in Cordoba. In 1984 he obtains official status as Flamenco Guitar Teacher at the High Conservatory of Music in Cordoba. At 20 he is the youngest guitar teacher in flamenco. From 1987 to present he has been traveling around the world producing, orchestrating and collaborating with such great music stars as:

Paco de Lucia, Joan Albert Amargos, Carles Benavent, Jorge Pardo, Matt Bianco, Joh Mclaughlin, Joan Baez, George Benson.

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If you feel the fire of flamenco burning inside you join us for flamenco dance, guitar, and percussion classes, which will be held the week of March 25<sup>th</sup> to March 29<sup>th</sup>. Registration is a requirement as there is limited space.

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