



Cristiana Pegoraro



Upcoming concerts and my new website



CONCERTS

MILAN, ITALY

FEBRUARY 21, 2008 at 11.00AM

Concert and presentation of the book/CD "LA MIA UMBRIA - VIAGGIO NEL CUORE"

Borsa Internazionale del Turismo, Fiera di Milano

ROME, ITALY

FEBRUARY 28, 2008 at 9.00PM

Teatro Ghione

Via delle Fornaci 37, Rome

VIENNA, AUSTRIA

APRIL 10, 2008 at 7.30PM

Metternich Palace, Embassy of Italy

Rennweg 27, Vienna

ROME, ITALY

APRIL 23, 2008 at 9.00PM

Circolo Ufficiali della Marina Militare

Lungotevere Flaminio 43, Rome

DOHA, QATAR

MAY 8, 2008 at 7.00PM

Marriot Hotel, Doha

MUSCAT, OMAN

MAY 11, 2008 at 7.00PM

My Dear Friends,

The new year has started with many new activities brewing, and I assure you there will be some surprises!



On January 29th I taught a master class on the theme of “music business” at the prestigious Juilliard School of Music in New York. It’s very important to impart to young music students how to manage a successful career without the help of managers and agents.



On February 21st I was at Milan’s prestigious show on tourism (Borsa Internazionale del Turismo) for a performance and the presentation of my book/CD “My Umbria—Journey to the Heart.” As some of you may remember, I was honored with the role of “ambassador” for Umbrian art and culture. The book/CD that I presented is an homage to my land: it is a book of memories and emotions which will enable people to get to know the nature, art and culture of this small but beautiful region in Italy. The book includes stunning photographs and a CD with my compositions, some of which were recorded here for the first time, like “Rain”, “Aurora” and “In the Labyrinth of Time.”

Then I will perform at a series of concerts: Vienna, Rome, and finally Doha (Qatar) and Muscat (Oman). In the first page of this newsletter you can find all the details.

I would love to see you again in one of these places.

My concert at the Ghione Theatre in Rome on February 28th was a great opportunity to see my Roman fans.

In this program I presented the program “Ithaka - The Journey of Ulysses. The piano as a vessel discovering the Mediterranean.”

The Rome concert marked the beginning of a tour in the Mediterranean countries programmed for 2008/09. It was a preview for my Roman audiences who follow me and appreciate my art.

The ITHAKA project is born of the necessity to unite people from different traditions, cultures and countries. It will be a musical journey tracing the Odyssey, symbolizing the voyage of man through life.

Please continue to follow me! Thanks for your support. See you soon!

A big hug.

Cristiana



MY NEW WEB SITET

I am very happy to announce
my new web site

www.cristianapegoraro.com

The site will be available in English and Italian.
I thought it was right that my Italian audience be able to
follow my concert activity and more.

There are many improvements over the old site. You can see
the **concert dates** as well as the **programs**, the **videos** of the
concerts and the **photos** of my trips. For journalists it will be
possible to download an **electronic press kit** in the “press
area”. Those who want to get to know me better can read
my **blog**, which will include personal notes and stories. The
newsletters will be available in PDF format and it will be pos-
sible for users to leave messages in the **guestbook**. You will
be able to purchase my **CDs**, **sheet music** and **books**.

I hope this new web site will be easy to navigate and enable
us to get to know each other and bring us closer to the magi-
cal world of art.



Images from Oman



During my last tour in the Gulf States, I visited the Sultanate of Oman, a beautiful country, which combines the magic of the desert with that of the mountains and the sea: Jabal Akhdar is a mountain chain which reaches 3000 meters in height.

The rich vegetation contrasts with the aridness of the desert. Massive mountains are crossed by deep canyons and “wadi”

(rocks under which rivers flow). The desert sands like the Wahiba and the interminable Rub Al Khali are marvelous.



The landscapes are very suggestive: beaches, oases, lagoons, rock formations along the coast, black volcano rocks, white beaches and pink beaches (from the shells), and red sand in the desert.



From an architectural point of view, the castles are well maintained, as are the numerous forts, many of them restored with care.

Muscat, the capital, was founded in the first century AD. It has the biggest city in Oman and offers enchanted gardens, the forts of Mirani and Jalali, the marina of Bander Al-Rowdah, famous for its boats, the national park at Qurum and the beautiful mosque of Al Qubrah.

