



Cristiana Pegoraro



In Vienna with Riccardo Muti and the Italian Ambassador Massimo Spinetti



My Dear Friends,

My life continues to be full of trips and concerts.
Not a dull moment, I can assure you!

As I had mentioned in the last newsletter, the tour "ITHAKA - the journey of Ulysses" began in Rome last February, and is continuing in the capitals of Europe and the Middle East.

On April 10th it was Vienna's turn, where I played at the Metternich Palace, home to the Italian Embassy.

UPCOMING CONCERTS

ATHENS, GREECE
7 June 2008, 9.00 PM

CAPRI (NAPLES), ITALY
7 August 2008, 9.30 PM

SARAGOZZA, SPAIN
19 August 2008, 10.30 PM

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK, USA
28 September 2008, 3.00 PM

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In Vienna I met Riccardo Muti and I was invited to play an all-Beethoven program on November 27th at the Musikverein, home of the prestigious New Year's concert and countless performances of the most renowned names in classical music.

My stay in Vienna was a great opportunity to see this beautiful city again and to visit Bösendorfer, the piano builders, with whom I am working on a major project for 2009.



On April 25th I was invited to represent Europe at the "2008 Spring Festival" organized by the United Nations.

The day was full of events promoting the development of cultural, economic and political relations between the peoples of 192 countries represented at the United Nations.

I performed in the Hall of the General Assembly in an event inaugurated by the UN Secretary General, Ban Ki-Moon, in front of UN Ambassadors and many artistic and musical celebrities from 5 continents. It was a very exciting concert!

On May 8th, I brought the ITHAKA program to Qatar, where I performed in the capital Doha. This was also a beautiful experience and an opportunity to learn about a new and fascinating country. In the photo I am



next to the Italian Ambassador Giuseppe Buccino Grimaldi.

On May 20th my Umbrian fans had the opportunity to listen to ITHAKA in the beautiful municipal theatre of Narni (Terni).

ITHAKA continues its journey in the Mediterranean landing in Athens on June 7th, where I will play for 2000 spectators in the famous Vrachon theater, Capri on August 7th, and Zaragoza (Spain) on August 19.

All the details for upcoming concerts are on my site cristianapegoraro.com. You can also see videos of my concerts on youtube.com.

Please continue to follow me. Thanks for your support.

Cristiana



CRISTIANA PEGORARO PRESENTED HER BOOK OF POEMS "ITHAKA" IN NAPLES

On May 22nd I presented ITHAKA, my book of poems and my CD by the same name at the Naval Officers Club in Naples, Italy.

It was a wonderful evening.

An actor read some of my poems while I accompanied him with my compositions at the piano.

CRISTIANA PEGORARO

"ITHAKA"

Poems in Italian
with side-by-side English translations.

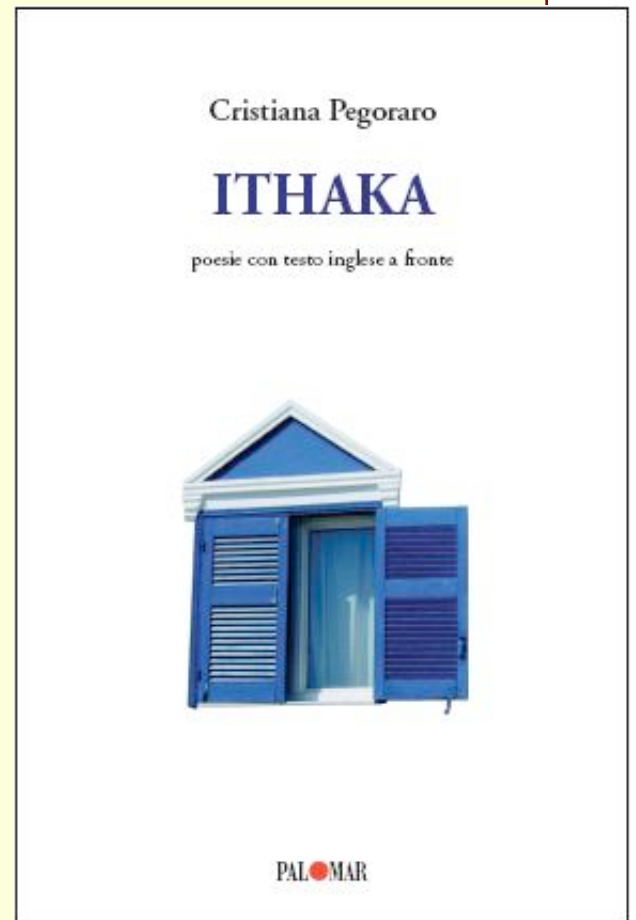
Includes the ITHAKA CD
composed and played by Cristiana Pegoraro

"A mysterious and evocative poetry that stirs memories and recalls origins, but that cannot, and does not want to forget that the past is also the future. ITHAKA is the journey of man, the modern Ulysses, through a Mediterranean that unites and does not divide, a sea of welcome and peace among peoples. Hence the irrepressible

need for a translation free from the boundaries of language, with music composed and performed by the author as a melodic complement to the written word."

The book contains the English translation of all the texts and poems.

To learn more visit www.cristianapegoraro.com/inglese/libri.asp





Images from the International Tourism Fair (Milan, february 2008)

As an official promoter of Umbria for art and culture, I inaugurated the International Tourism Fair in Milan in February

with a concert at the Umbrian pavilion.



On this occasion I presented my last book / CD "MY UMBRIA -- JOURNEY TO THE HEART," produced exclusively for the Tourist Board of Umbria.



The book / CD is a tribute to my land: it is a book of memories and emotions that wants to communicate, through my eyes, the natural beauty, art and culture of this small but beautiful region of Italy.

The book contains splendid pictures and is supplemented by a CD with my compositions, some recorded for the first time, like "Rain", "Aurora" and "In the labyrinth of time".

