

# The Guitar Garden

Newsletter of the New Jersey Classical Guitar Society

March 2022

## March Meeting

Our meeting for this month will be via Zoom on Sunday, March 13, at 4:00 p.m. The meeting will be hosted by Stella Kosim and is sponsored with a generous contribution from Ming Chao. Please watch for a Reminder next week with details on how to join the meeting.

As noted last month, we plan to continue with Zoom meetings at least through May, but also are looking for suitable venues in which to return to in-person meetings, as the Covid situation and comfort levels permit. Please let us know if you can help. J

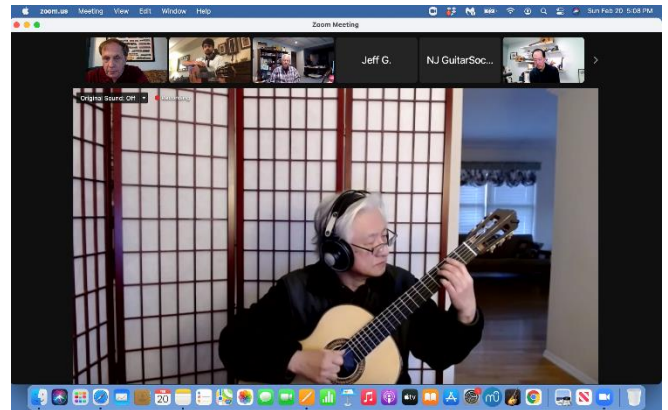
## February Meeting



Arjo Guhamazumder



Gary Lee



Ming Chao

## Program

### Stella Kosim

- Opus 31 No. 13, 18 & 24 – Fernando Sor

### Alex Cherfas

- Andantino in D – Fernando Sor, from F.Noad, Book 2

### Gary Lee

- Waiting for Dawn – Andrew York

### Arjo Guhamazumder

- Two Fantasias – Francesco Da Milano
- Sonatina Meridional Campo – Manuel M. Ponce, adaptation by Andres Segovia

### Ming Chao

- Roslin Castle – Scottish Traditional, arr. David Russell)
- Uma Valsa e Dois Amores – Dilermando Rei

### Jeffrey Wilt

- No Mas – Per-Olov Kindgren)

*The cost of using Zoom for this meeting is covered by a generous contribution from Gad Berger. J*

## Upcoming Concerts

### PHILADELPHIA CLASSICAL GUITAR SOCIETY

#### Rucco James Duo

Settlement Music School (free parking)  
416 Queen St. Philadelphia PA 19147  
Sunday, March 13, 3:00 p.m. EDT



*The duo of Pasquale Rucco and Douglas James specializes in the guitar literature of the early 19th century performed on authentic instruments of the period. The two*

*first met and became friends at guitar festivals in northern Italy during the early 1990's. They have now been performing together for over 25 years, charming audiences worldwide with their interpretations of music from the first true "golden age" of the guitar.*

This is a live and in-person concert with limited admission, and masking and vaccination requirements. Tickets must be purchased online in advance. A recording on Youtube also will be presented.

More Information:

<https://www.phillyguitar.org/events/#!event/2022/3/13/rucco-james-duo>

### ITALIAN VIRTUOSO GUITAR MUSIC

April 3, 2022 @ 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm  
Dorothea's House Italian Cultural Center  
120 John Street, Princeton, NJ 08544  
Phone: 609-924-9713  
Website: <https://dorotheashouse.org>  
Dr. Stanley Alexandrowicz  
609-721-3160; [www.stanleyalexandrowicz.com](http://www.stanleyalexandrowicz.com)



*Please join internationally renowned classical guitarist Stanley Alexandrowicz when he reopens the Dorothea's House Concert*

*Series with a program of Italian guitar music from the Baroque, Romantic, and Contemporary eras. Included will be works by Girolamo Frescobaldi, Luigi Legnani (duo partner of Paganini), Felix Mendelssohn (his*

*famous Venetian Boat Song, from the "Songs Without Words" collection), and, especially featured will be Baroque Orchestra of New Jersey Maestro Robert W. Butts's "Canti di Venezia" (Songs of Venice) written when the composer was in Italy (2019) for performances of his opera, and dedicated to Stanley Alexandrowicz.*

### TRI-COUNTY CONCERTS MICHAEL POLL VIRTUAL CONCERT



*Tri-County Concerts presents Philadelphia native Michael Poll performing two Bach lute suites he arranged for a 7-string guitar specially designed to replicate the range of the lute*

*for which Bach was writing. Watch this virtual concert anytime from Wed., Feb. 23 through March 8 on a pay-what-you-wish basis at:*

[www.tricountyconcerts.org/emerging\\_artists](http://www.tricountyconcerts.org/emerging_artists).

*Gramophone called Michael's debut guitar album 7-String Bach "masterful", and TheWholeNote praised his "warm, rich, and full tone." The album has been streamed over 1 million times on Spotify and Apple Music and featured on the BBC and Classic FM. ♪*



*Soldier Playing the Theorbo, Ernest Meissonier*