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Essence of Joy Alumni Singers Present Free Concert in New York City

MIDDLETOWN, Pa. (January 9, 2011) / The Essence of Joy Alumni Singers (EOJAS) are pleased to announce a performance on Saturday February 12th at 2PM at Holy Name School, 202 W. 97th St., New York City, NY.

The choir is pleased to present a free concert showcasing music of the African and African-Tribution. A free-will offering will be collected to help defray costs associated with the performance.

“This will be our first performance in New York and we are thrilled to have the opportunity to present our music in the city that so many of our members and their families call home,” said Joshua Edwards, EOJAS President.

For directions to the performance space, please visit <http://www.holyname.com>. For additional information or to hear clips from past performances, please visit www.eojas.org. The choir would be happy to accommodate any requests for interviews.

About The Essence of Joy Alumni Singers:

Founded in 2005 and comprised of alumni from Pennsylvania State University's Essence of Joy Choir, the Essence of Joy Alumni Singers perform sacred and secular music from the African and African-American tradition in an effort to entertain, inspire, affirm and unify the worldwide community. Under the artistic direction of Dr. Anthony T. Leach, the group has performed extensively in the United States, Europe, and the Caribbean. The choir is a non-profit corporation registered in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and a tax exempt organization as defined in section 501(c)(3) of the IRS Tax Code.