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## Playing the Mandolin – A Free Seminar

Immediately following tonight's program, at 7:00, the Providence Mandolin Orchestra will hold a free seminar for anyone interested in learning more about the mandolin. Players of all ages and levels will get a chance to make music and learn a little about the history of the mandolin. Other seminars take place throughout the winter. If you'd like information about upcoming seminars, please take a minute to fill out the tear-off sheet below, and return it to the orchestra after the concert or mail it to us at 24 Mutual Place, Providence, RI 02906, (401) 273-6930.

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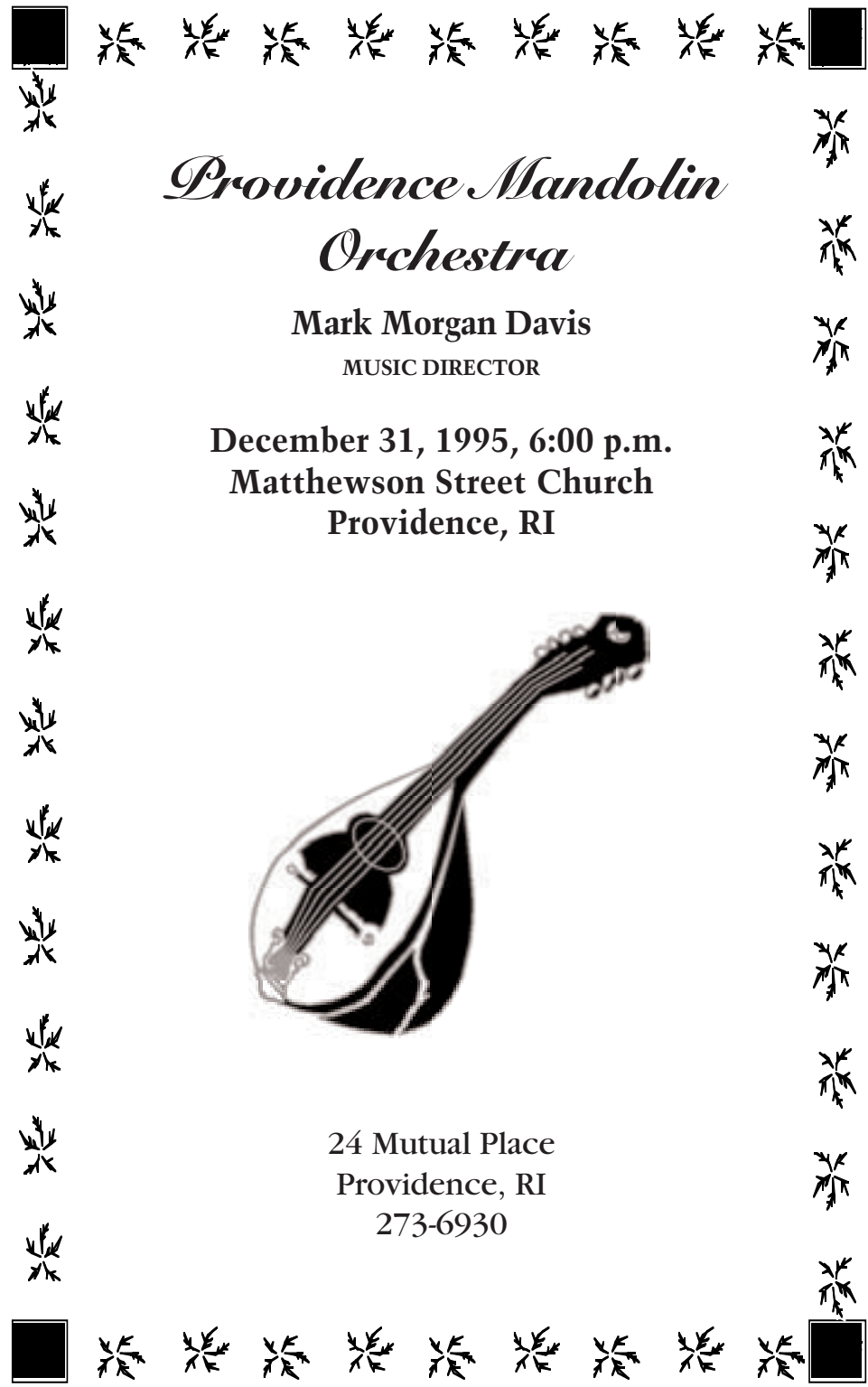
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Do you play mandolin?      Yes

Do you play another instrument? Yes  \_\_\_\_\_

Do you read music?      Yes



# *Providence Mandolin Orchestra*

**Mark Morgan Davis**  
MUSIC DIRECTOR

**December 31, 1995, 6:00 p.m.**  
**Matthewson Street Church**  
**Providence, RI**



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## THE PROVIDENCE MANDOLIN ORCHESTRA

The Providence Mandolin Orchestra was founded by the late Hibbard Perry in 1973. This group carries on an American musical tradition which goes back to the 1880's when a group of Spanish bandurria players toured the U.S. under the name of "The Spanish Students," and began a craze for mandolin and guitar groups that rivaled the popularity of rock and roll today. Mr. Davis has been associated with the Providence Mandolin Orchestra since its inception, and in 1989 became the full-time music director. In 1989, the group was the first American mandolin orchestra to perform at the Festival Internacional de Musica Plectro in Logroño, Spain.

### Mark Morgan Davis

MUSIC DIRECTOR

**1ST MANDOLIN:** Joshua Bell, Yvette Cote, Janet DeFrances, Owen Hartford.

**2ND MANDOLIN:** Lisa Abbatamarco, Lynne Freed Bell, Lenny Boudreau, Antonia Carlyon, Dottie Palsgrove, Ann Vito.

**MANDOLA:** Mac Johnston, Marilynn Mair, Robert Paul Sullivan.

**MANDOCELLO:** Dee Davis, Judy Kenower, Paul Wilde.

**GUITAR:** Robert Martel, Carol Pelypec, Beverly Roy, Natalie Wright.

**MANDOBASS:** Bob Asprinio.

### *First Night 1995*

Carmen.....	G. Bizet, arr. H.F. Odell
Cavatina .....	Carl Bohm
Jugoslavija .....	Ralph Paulsen
Canon in D.....	Johann Pachelbel
Family Squabble .....	Owen Hartford
Rondo Bachanal .....	Owen Hartford
Two Spirituals.....	arr. Will Ayton
My Lord What A Mourning/Fantasia	
Go Down, Moses	
Evening Sky .....	Robert Martel
Sky Colored Lake .....	Robert Martel