

Chicago Audio Society Newsletter, July, 2005

Meeting Notice-Sunday, July 10th, 2:00PM-7:00PM at Rick Berta's house:

Rick will have at least 2 high efficiency systems on hand, one utilizing a Lowther driver with a circular horn with the Lambda low-frequency driver. Another setup combines the Lambda low frequency driver, with an Altec extended range driver and a Focal tweeter. Also possible a setup utilizing the French PHY-HP drivers may be ready. Rick has a variety of custom built 300B amps and tube equipment on hand. Both LP and a multi-disk modified Denon are on hand. All formats welcome!

The following web link will show Rick's location-you can then zoom in and out, and also get directions by putting in your starting address:

<http://www.mapquest.com/maps/map.adp?country=US&addtohistory=&formtype=address&searchtype=address&cat=&address=17113%20Ashwood%20Dr&city=Orland%20Park&state=IL&zipcode=60467%2d6020>

GEORGE GERSHWIN ALONE by Rich Sacks

This past weekend I had the privilege to see (and hear) the one-man performance show of George Gershwin Alone at the Royal George Theater (<http://www.theroyalgeorgetheatre.com>) in Chicago. It is conceived, written, and performed by Hershey Felder who has now done over 2000 performances of this show around the world. After July 31st, it will be history.

Right now, there are limited **FREE** promotional tickets available for the show. Call 312-924-1889 and follow the instructions carefully-have your calendar out before you call. For anyone who has even a slight affinity for George Gershwin and his music, I cannot give a higher recommendation. Felder is simply remarkable in all respects. To read more about the show go to:

<http://www.georgegershwinalone.com/>

On Friday, July 1st at 8:00PM WFMT will be doing a live broadcast of the show and subsequently releasing a CD of it-the first one ever on the WFMT label. After July 31st, Felder will be premiering at the Royal George Theater a similiar format show based on the life and music of Frederick Chopin.

FUTURE MEETINGS

August 21st, 2005 Brian Richardson's house

An all tube multi-channel SACD Magnepan setup! And a redesigned room-Brian has been very busy since last summer's meeting!