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The Great American Songbook 2012 ~ Featuring International Pianist Kevin Cole ~ Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines - Freedom of the Seas

March 4 - 11, 2012

*The first island you see rises up from the water like an emerald mirage.
And it invites you to explore its many distinctive pleasures--the turquoise waters
accented with rainbow fish, the laid-back pace in the charming towns,
the gracious, hospitable locals who welcome you, the fresh island food and tropical drinks,
and the infectious music--everywhere you go, music!
This could describe any of the Caribbean places you can visit year round. And does.*

You are cordially invited to join us on our **Great American Songbook 2012** departing from Port Canaveral, Florida on Sunday March 4, 2012 aboard the beautiful...**Freedom of The Seas**. We will visit Labadee, Haiti - Falmouth, Jamaica - George Town, Grand Cayman - Cozumel, Mexico. We have held space for 140 passengers on this magical...and musical cruise!

(Invitation Letter from Kevin Cole)

Port Canaveral, Florida

The gateway to Central Florida, Port Canaveral provides access to the wonderful theme parks and entertainment complexes of Orlando, the spectacular wonders of the Kennedy Space Center and the natural habitats of the alligator and Florida manatee.

Labadee, Haiti

On the north coast of Hispaniola, surrounded by beautiful mountain slopes and exotic foliage, sits Labadee®, Royal Caribbean's private paradise. This exclusive destination offers pristine beaches, breathtaking scenery and spectacular water activities. They even have an amazing new Aqua Park for kids. Regardless of where you go, you'll find yourself embraced by the beautiful landscape. Labadee's native charm, along with its natural beauty, make this a destination not to be missed, and only Royal Caribbean can take you there.

Falmouth, Jamaica

Step off the ship and step back in time. It may not appear so at first glance, but quaint Falmouth was an economic powerhouse and center for dramatic social change during the English Colonial Period. In today's [Falmouth](#), visitors still enjoy 19th-century Georgian architecture as well as river bamboo raft rides, arts and crafts shopping, flavorful local fare and horse-and-buggy rides through town. Falmouth also serves as the gateway to the best Jamaica has to offer. Just east of Falmouth is Ocho Rios, best known for its spectacular Dunn's River Falls. Travel west to reach Montego Bay and the beautiful beaches of Negril, a two-hour drive from Falmouth. Thanks to its central location, Falmouth gives visitors the best tour experiences of the north coast of Jamaica.

Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. is working with the Port Authority of Jamaica on a multi-phased plan to develop historic Falmouth into one of the premier, modern ports of call in the Caribbean. Visitors to Falmouth will be among the first to experience the revitalization of one of the first shipping ports in the Caribbean, with a rich heritage dating back more than 240 years. The first phase of development, which is nearing completion, includes a two-berth pier, retail and restaurant services and a transportation center. Subsequent phases will include onsite attractions and experiences, hotel and residential components and additional retail and restaurant options.

Georgetown, Grand Cayman

Grand Cayman is one of a group of three magnificent tropical islands Christopher Columbus called "Las Tortugas" (the turtles) for the sea creatures he found in the ocean water. The designation did not endure, however, for on later maps the islands were labeled the Caimanau, the Carib Indian word for "crocodile." The name "Caimanas" refers inaccurately to the iguanas native to the islands, which were perhaps at one point mistaken for crocodiles. Among other attractions, visitors to the island will enjoy learning about the turtles, visiting the town of Hell, exploring Seven-Mile Beach and enjoying the undersea world.

Cozumel, Mexico

The Conquistadors first saw Mexico from the shores of Cozumel while searching for gold. Today, visitors to the island continue to seek out gold and silver jewelry in the shops of San Miguel while having a great time in its many local bars and restaurants. Plus, the waters around Cozumel's sheltered coral reefs make this one of the best snorkeling areas in the world.

Please feel free to refer your friends and family to our website at **www.DanTheTravelMan.com**
OR I would be happy to mail/fax this information to anyone who would consider such a vacation
experience... please call my office and request the packet for -
The Great American Songbook 2012.

Remember, only a **\$350.00 fully-refundable, per person deposit holds** your space aboard this
musical Caribbean cruise experience!

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memberships...

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If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Dan Schmier

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Kevin Cole - America's Pianist

Artist Biography

America's pianist Kevin Cole has delighted audiences with a repertoire that includes the best of 20th Century American Music. Kevin Cole's performances, especially his interpretation of Gershwin, have prompted accolades from some of the foremost critics in America.

"When Cole sits down at the piano, you would swear Gershwin himself was at work... Cole stands as the best Gershwin pianist in America today,"

Howard Reich, Chicago Tribune.

"The virtuosic Cole...made his Hollywood Bowl debut in an audacious, ear-opening performance of "Rhapsody in Blue."... Cole reinstated Gershwin's bracing tempos - documented in the composer's own recordings - and driving exuberance through the work, delivering all its facets, but relentlessly. And he did so with perfect technical apparatus and utter clarity. At the end, a bowlful of Gershwin lovers hollered with approval."

Daniel Cariaga, Los Angeles Times

Engagements for Cole include: sold-out performances with the Los Angeles Philharmonic at the Hollywood Bowl; BBC Concert Orchestra at Royal Albert Hall; National Symphony at the Kennedy Center; San Francisco Symphony, Chicago Symphony, Philadelphia Orchestra, Philharmonia Orchestra (London); Boston Philharmonic, Minnesota Orchestra, New Zealand Symphony, Pittsburgh Symphony, Edmonton Symphony (Canada) and many others.

He has shared the concert stage with notables from opera greats William Warfield and Sylvia McNair to Broadway legends Barbara Cook and Marvin Hamlisch.

Kevin Cole is an award-winning musical director, arranger, composer, vocalist and archivist who has garnered the praises of Irving Berlin, Harold Arlen, E.Y. Harburg, Hugh Martin, Burton Lane, Stephen Sondheim and members of the Jerome Kern and Gershwin families.

His discography includes Gramophone Musical Album of the Year (1995) Gershwin's Oh, Kay! with soprano Dawn Upshaw (Elektra/Nonesuch) and Lady Be Good- First Recordings of the Unknown George Gershwin (Pro Arte). Cole's recent CDs include: The Song Is You with the Carolyn Mawby Chorale, A Cole Christmas, and his critically acclaimed solo piano disc,

"Kevin is the best Gershwin pianist since Gershwin himself - no one can touch him."

Edward Jablonski, author of the Encyclopedia of American Music and renowned Gershwin scholar.

To follow Kevin on his musical adventures go to his website:

www.KevinColeOnline.com

The Great American Songbook 2012

Sailing Date: Sunday, March 4, 2012 to Sunday, March 11, 2012

Cruise Company: Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines

Name of Ship: Freedom of The Seas

Itinerary: Sunday ~ Depart Port Canaveral, Florida 4:40PM
Monday ~ cruising
Tuesday ~ Labadee, Haiti 8:00AM - 5:00PM
Wednesday ~ Falmouth, Jamaica 10:00AM - 7:00PM
Thursday ~ Georgetown, Grand Cayman 8:00AM - 4:00PM
Friday ~ Cozumel, Mexico 10:00AM - 7:00PM
Saturday ~ cruising
Sunday ~ Arrive Port Canaveral, Florida 6:00AM

Cruise Cost: Oceanview Balcony - Category D1
\$1599 per person double occupancy
\$1089 per person for 3rd & 4th in same cabin
Oceanview Balcony - Category E1
\$1529 per person double occupancy
3rd and 4th N/A
Inside Stateroom - Category K
\$1159 per person double occupancy
\$859 per person for 3rd & 4th in same cabin
Inside Stateroom - Category M
\$1099 per person double occupancy
3rd & 4th N/A

Interested in an Oceanview Stateroom and Suite?

Call for details!

Accessible cabins available for those with special needs...

Call for a quote!

Included in Cruise Package: Seven night sailing aboard Royal Caribbean's Freedom of The Seas, all food, onboard entertainment and activities, two private performances and one public performance of Kevin Cole, VIP seating for the public performance, port charges and taxes.

Air from your home city available...call for a quote.

- Group Dining Time:** 6:00PM
- Pre/Post Packages:** Port Canaveral and The Greater Orlando Area is a beautiful place to visit. If you would like to extend your vacation with a few extra days in Florida, please give me a call at 800-818-3739 nationwide toll-free and will be happy to help you with those plans.
- Private Group:** Please be aware that this is a private group. Only individuals who book directly with All-Star Cruises & Travel, Inc. Will be allowed to participate in all of the Oldies musical and social events. This is monitored with a pass that will be sent to you prior our sailing and must be presented at all events.
- Transfers:** Transfers are offered from Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines between the airport and pier. For round trip transfers from the Orlando International airport to the pier, Royal Caribbean charges \$84 per person round trip. Royal Caribbean does require that transfers be booked a minimum of 21 days prior departure.
- Citizenship:** A valid US Passport is required. **Please verify your passport is valid until November 11, 2012.**
- Travel Insurance:** Travel Insurance is highly recommended. Please call us for a quote.
- Payments:** A refundable* \$350.00 (per person) deposit holds your space, and is due upon booking.
- 2nd payment of \$350.00 (per person), is due on September 21, 2011.
- *On December 12, 2011, cancellation penalties will apply. Please see your brochure for these fees.*
- Final payment is due on December 12, 2011.
- Forms of Payment:** Cash, check, money order, and all major credit cards.

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Please PRINT Clearly! (for 3rd or 4th in the same cabin, please use a second booking sheet)

Legal Name w/middle initial (passenger #1) _____
Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Home Telephone _____
Business Telephone _____
Emergency Contact Name & Phone Number _____
Email Address _____
Date of Birth _____ Are you a past Royal Caribbean Guest? _____
Are you a US Citizen? _____ Tee-Shirt Size S M L XL XXL XXXL XXXXL XXXXXL

Legal Name w/middle initial (passenger #2) _____
Address _____
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Home Telephone _____
Business Telephone _____
Emergency Contact Name & Phone Number _____
Email Address _____
Date of Birth _____ Are you a past Royal Caribbean Guest? _____
Are you a US Citizen? _____ Tee-Shirt Size S M L XL XXL XXXL XXXXL XXXXXL

Smoking or Nonsmoking Cabin (circle one) - 2 twin beds or 1 queen (circle one)

Special dietary needs? Yes or No - Window or aisle seating on an airplane?

Please indicate room choice: Balcony Cabin ___ Inside Cabin ___

Form of Payment...Cash - Check - Visa - Master Card - Discover - American Express

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Billing address of card _____
City/State/Zip _____
Cardholder's Signature _____

Please send the completed reservation form, including your \$350.00 per person refundable* deposit, to:

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