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Serafin String Quartet Concert "Intimate Letters" at World Cafe Live in Philadelphia on September 14

(Wilmington, Del.) July 24, 2014 – [Serafin String Quartet](#) returns to [World Cafe Live](#) in Philadelphia on Sunday, September 14, 2014 at 1:00 p.m for a collage concert titled "Intimate Letters." A century ago, tormented by the fires of unrequited love, composer Leoš Janaček penned hundreds of letters to the indifferent object of his affection. Eventually he spilled his emotion onto pages of a string quartet, titled "Intimate Letters." Join Serafin String Quartet as they explore these two languages of passion: the words and music of love, obsession, beauty and fantasy - combining the music of composers with stories and poetry from the dawn of Romanticism to today.

In addition to selections from Janaček's "Intimate Letters," the Quartet will present [Andrew Norman's](#) "Sabina" from his "Companion Guide to Rome," a finalist for the 2012 Pulitzer Prize in music. Norman, an active orchestral composer, joined [Opera Philadelphia](#) as composer in residence in 2013. Also featured will be movements from works by Haydn (D Minor, Op. 76#2), Debussy (Quartet in G Minor), Grieg (G Minor, Op. 27), and Mozart (d Minor, K.421).

Serafin String Quartet "Intimate Letters"

When: Sunday, September 14, 2014 at 1:00 p.m.

Where: World Cafe Live Philadelphia - Upstairs, 3025 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, PA, 19104

Tickets: \$15 in advance, \$18 at door worldcafelive.com

Details: Doors open for an a la carte lunch menu beginning at 12:30 p.m.

Upcoming Serafin String Quartet Performances:

September 24, 2014 at 7:30pm

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October 2, 2014 at 12:30pm

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Works by Beethoven and Janacek