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**FAURÉ QUARTETT & FEDERICA VON STADE
BERLIN'S AWARD-WINNING PIANO QUARTET AND SUPERSTAR SINGER, "FLICKA,"
MAKE MUSIC AT KOHL MANSION DEBUT IN ONE-NIGHT ONLY CONCERT SUNDAY, MARCH 12**

Tickets Now on Sale: musicatkohl.org

- WHO:** Berlin's award-winning **Fauré Quartett** and celebrated opera, concert and recording star **Frederica von Stade**, collaborate together for the first time in an evening of exceptional and beautiful chamber music performed in the intimate and warm acoustic of the historic Kohl Mansion Great Hall;
- WHAT:** A one-night only concert, including newly arranged Fauré songs for piano quartet and mezzo-soprano, presented by **Music at Kohl Mansion (MAKM)**, a nationally recognized presenter of chamber music now in its 40th anniversary season;
- WHEN:** **Sunday, March 12, 2023 at 7 p.m.**; a pre-performance chat at 6 p.m. and a post-concert reception with the artists; Kohl Mansion, 2750 Adeline Drive, Burlingame; free and ample parking on-site;
- PROGRAM:** **Sunday, March 12, 2023 at 7 p.m.**
Fauré songs: *Clair de Lune*, *Les Berceaux*, *Notre Amour*, *Mandoline*
Dvořák: Piano Quartet No. 2 in E-flat Major, Op. 87, B. 162
Brahms: Piano Quartet No. 2 in A Major, Op. 26
**Frederica von Stade, mezzo-soprano; Dirk Mommertz, piano; Erika Geldsetzer, violin;
Sascha Frömbing, viola; and Konstantin Heidrich, cello**

ABOUT: Celebrating its 27th anniversary, the Fauré Quartett has established itself as one of the world's premier piano quartets, visionary in its approach and highly regarded for its experiments and insights into undiscovered repertoire. Based in Germany, the ensemble has distinguished itself with groundbreaking recordings of music by Mozart, Brahms, Mahler, R. Strauss, popular songs by Peter Gabriel and Steely Dan, collaborations with Rufus Wainwright and the first-ever recording in a rare transcription of Mussorgsky's *Pictures at an Exhibition*. Of their performance, the *Toronto Star* wrote, "The communication between the four performers was as beautiful to watch as their music was satisfying to hear. This quartet thinks and breathes as one, focused on a singular, clear vision for their music making."

World renowned singer Frederica von Stade joins the Fauré Quartett for her MAKM debut in a performance of four romantic songs by 19th century French composer Gabriel Fauré, newly arranged by Zakarias Grafilo.

MORE: Single tickets for all concerts are \$55 (general), \$52 (senior) and \$25 (age 30 and below); visit musicatkohl.org or call the Music at Kohl Mansion Box Office at (650) 762-1130.

NOTE: The MAKM 40th anniversary season continues with the famed **Curtis On Tour** with violinist **Ida Kavafian** and cellist **Peter Wiley**, Sunday, April 16; and the **Alexander String Quartet**, Sunday, May 7.
For revised COVID-19 protocols, visit www.musicatkohl.org.

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