



Around The World In Song

A Celebration of Song for Children & Families

Everyone becomes part of the music-making in the Guy Mendilow Ensemble's family concerts! Through colorful songs, stories and games, the Guy Mendilow Ensemble transports families on an exhilarating interactive adventure through Ensemble members' diverse homes worldwide. Families encounter vibrant characters and some of the band's most fascinating "stars:" instruments like overtone singing, the munnharpa (jaw harp) and musical bow and arrow.

"From the moment they began, the children were mesmerized. Guy Mendilow is not only a talented musician, but a gifted educator as well. He could read the group perfectly and knew exactly what the students needed next. The other musicians in the group were equally talented and the whole group together was one of the best performances I have experienced in over 26 years of education."

— **Tina Monroe,**
Principal, Indian Creek Elementary School, Cedar Rapids IA

ARTIST STATEMENT

"Only our best is just good enough for children."

— **Zoltán Kodály**

"That's a sentiment we take to heart because we know that children's early music experiences shape the rest of their musical lives. It's a responsibility — and a privilege — to give our very best to children. Drawing on our training as music educators, teacher trainers and parents of young kids, we strive to create the most engaging, interactive and educationally sound concerts for young audiences."

— **Guy Mendilow**



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ABOUT THE GUY MENDILOW ENSEMBLE

"An international tour de force" (Bethlehem Morning Call) from Israel, Palestine, Argentina and the USA, the Guy Mendilow Ensemble combines world-class musicianship with cinematic storytelling in shows that "explode with artistry, refinement, and excitement" (Hebrew Union College), whisking audiences to distant times and picturesque places and, ultimately, inspiring resonance with lesser known cultures and histories.

GME was selected by the **National Endowment for the Arts** for art that meets the highest standards of excellence, public engagement with diverse and excellent art and the strengthening of communities through the arts.

SEEN ON STAGE AT :

- PBS Kids Curious George (National syndicate)
- Woodsongs Oldtime Radio Hour (NPR/PBS)
- Celebrity Series (MA)
- Shalin Liu Performance Center (MA)
- Riverside Concerts (MN)
- Chicago World Music Festival (IL)
- Levitt Pavilion / Steel Stacks (PA)
- Philadelphia Folk Festival (PA)
- Festival Mémoire et Racines (Québec, CA)
- Falcon Ridge Folk Festival (NY)
- International Festival of Arts & Ideas (CT)
- Bethlehem Musikfest (PA)
- Ashkenaz Festival (Toronto, CA)
- Old Town (IL)
- Universities across the USA from Harvard to University of Washington, Seattle



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