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## Press Release — **COFFEE HOUSE**

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### **MUSIC CONCERT ANNOUNCEMENT**

**October 20, 2007 — 7:30 pm**

The **Folk Music Society of Huntington's HARD LUCK CAFÉ** will present two performers:

#### **MARJORIE THOMPSON** *Country Blues*



**Marjorie Thompson** is a singer-songwriter and fingerstyle guitarist from Providence, RI. She plays and sings in the time honored genres of the country blues, rags, and roots music, and will play originals reflective of this style but with contemporary twists. In addition to being a faculty member at Brown Univ., she tours the northeast and mid-Atlantic, and has opened shows for Richie Havens, Hot Tuna, Richard Shindell, and Chris Smither, among others.

She also teaches guitar in Ohio at Jorma Kaukonen's Fur Peace Ranch, in her own workshop *Songcrafting and Country Blues Essentials*.

Marjorie brings her clear, expressive voice and solid blues guitar-playing to Long Island for what promises to be an uplifting and engaging evening. Don't miss this opportunity to experience the talents of this exciting folk performer at our Hard Luck Café.

on the same program with:

#### **BONNIE LEE PANDA** *Country Folk with Soul*

**Bonnie Lee Panda** has the voice of an angel heard through songs that soar with spirit, with a "big voice and telegenic looks." Her music is a blend of country-folk with soul. After listening to her recordings, John Platt (WFUV 90.7 FM, New York City) said "Her voice is supple and expressive, one of the best instruments in the folk world."

In 2006, Bonnie Lee was named a finalist in the prestigious Plowshare's songwriting contest in Phoenixville, PA. Bonnie Lee tours regionally and donates her time and talents for many benefits.



High res digital photos available on request to [webmaster@fmshny.org](mailto:webmaster@fmshny.org)

#### **ABOUT THE CONCERT AND VENUE:**

Concert at 7:30 pm, at the Congregational Church of Huntington, 30 Washington Drive, Centerport (just off 25A).

An "open mike" segment precedes the main concert. All are welcome at the open mike; sign up is before 7:15 p.m.

Refreshments, including home baked goods, will be available throughout the entire evening.

General admission for this event is \$10, with \$7 for members. For more information regarding this event please call **(631) 661-1278** or email to [info@fmshny.org](mailto:info@fmshny.org)

Addition information about the Folk Music Society of Huntington and our concerts are available on our website:

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