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MUSIC CONCERT ANNOUNCEMENT

Saturday, January 15, 2011 - 7:30 pm

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



ANNA DAGMAR

pianist, singer, songwriter ... virtuosity

Just when you think you've got her pegged as another romantic piano girl, Anna Dagmar hits you with a collage of noise, a lament for fallen soldiers, or an apocalyptic vision. Wait for the next track: it might surprise you.

Her love of words was born at a tiny desk, in a tiny room, just north of London. St. Albans' Cathedral choir, father's classical radio, and mother's lullabies echoed all around. And at age seven, one never forgets sitting on the steps of a new home in Massachusetts, on lookout, for the piano delivery truck.

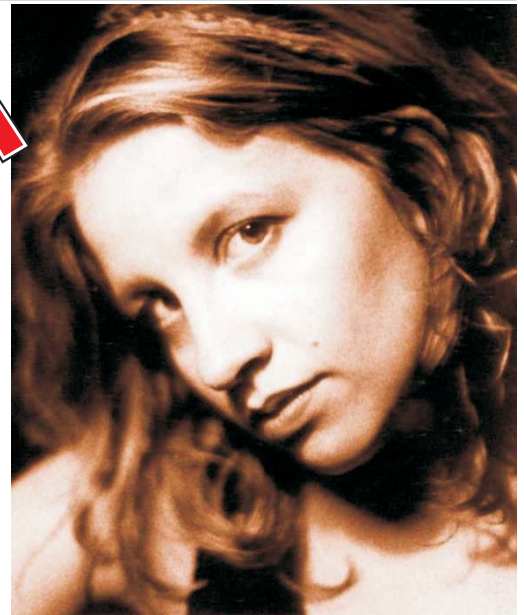
Now based in New York City, she has rapidly become known across the US and all the way to Stockholm for her virtuosity as a pianist, singer and songwriter.

"Anna Dagmar's album showcases her gorgeous voice, lyrical piano stylings and lovely, intelligent songs." — Lucy Kaplansky, singer/songwriter

ON THE SAME PROGRAM WITH

ALLISON TARTALIA

songs unpredictable and unforgettable



Allison Tartalia's powerful and expressive performances have a way of charming audiences. The secret weapons: fearless honesty, a wry sense of humor and a flair for writing songs that are at once unpredictable and unforgettable. Audiences have taken notice at clubs, colleges and festivals around the country.

A classically trained pianist and self-taught guitar player with a theatrical bent, Allison draws upon diverse influences to create her eclectic brand of orchestral chamber pop. Her debut CD, "Ready," was enthusiastically greeted by critics, and tracks from the album receive airplay on college and independent radio stations from coast to coast. Recently, Allison's "Spinning Song" won second place in the Indiegrl Song Writing Contest, and other tunes have been recognized by the Billboard and John Lennon Songwriting Contests.

High resolution digital photos available on request to webmaster@fmszny.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) 425-2925** or email to info@fmszny.org

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

<http://fmszny.org>