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November 28, 2012

Dear Friends of the Accordion,

November brought us the return of Kevin Christensen, along with his stage partner, Elsbeth Gugi. Both Kevin and Gugi perform regularly at the Goldener Hirsch Inn Restaurant at Deer Valley. Their act for the club consisted of solos by each, yodeling by Gugi, and a cabaret set that brought back the sounds of several French and German singers, such as Edith Piaf.

Ruth Paslay graciously performed dinner music beforehand and incredible solo pieces to close out the evening. With fingertip orchestration at her control (compliments of her Concerto), Ruth brought forth a host of timbre and rhythms that kept the audience's heads bobbing and feet tapping. Following the meeting, Ruth pulled me aside and said "I felt like I was 25 years old again-----you know, when I used to play the organ to gansta rap and bebop beatnik." Yes, yes, Ruth has always been ahead and behind the times, only not necessarily in that order, or maybe not at all.

Our next meeting, our Christmas potluck dinner, will be held at Accordions International on December 10. Doors will open at six o'clock to enable us to set up the delectable morsels to be sampled. Please remember that food will only be permitted in the back room. The showroom will be used for our Christmas performances. Those playing pieces are asked to bring one or two songs for the evening.

December also begins our search for new leadership and renewal of funds. As part of the Wasatch Accordion Club bylaws, we must hold elections for two positions: president and secretary. Also, this month begins dues collections. The dues continue to be \$25.00 for an entire family under a single roof. Also, non-members will continue to pay \$3.00 at the door for each meeting. Other levels of dues consist of: founding member (\$250.00); sustaining member (\$100.00); and supporting member (\$50.00).

Once again, our next meeting will be:

WHAT: Annual Christmas Potluck Dinner  
WHERE: Accordions International (where only real "accordioniste" gather)  
1760 South 450 West  
WHEN: Monday, December 10th  
TIME: Doors open at 6:00 pm  
WHY: Because we love you. See you real soon!

"Keep Squeezin"  
Santa Marasco

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