

PRESS RELEASE for NATURE SINGS by ART LEE

NATURE SINGS. The lights go down, the spot and projector turn on, and you are transported to some of the most beautiful places on earth, our National Parks! Art Lee's new stage show, "Nature Sings: A Tribute to Our National Parks", lets you experience the wonder and awe without traveling thousands of miles and without risking your life!

ART LEE. Art Lee is a singer-songwriter, nature photographer and storyteller in many ways like John Denver, Ansel Adams and Garrison Keillor. Of note, Art's photos are in color, and his stories are true! Art combines his talents into an exciting multimedia show and live concert, years in the making because he wrote the songs, took the photos and experienced the adventures that are his stories.

SONGS. Art's songs usually start as poetry conceived during countless hours driving to and from the parks. Once in a park, he is fully occupied with photography, but the poetry and emergent refrain play on. Interplays of lyric with melody, past with present, distress with joy, ... lead to surprising, even miraculous ends!

PHOTOS. In sharp contrast, Art's photography is relentless and extreme. A hundred early rises might catch but one great sunrise! Art has hiked, backpacked and climbed thousands of miles in over forty National Parks. Altitude sickness, frostbite, ruptured discs, and on and on, all for a moment in time – he might take ten thousand photos to get just one, just one really amazing picture!

STORIES. Through it all come real-life true stories of adventure. Art makes time for a monthly such adventure, sometimes weeks in duration. For you, weekends may be your best bet, and the Wasatch Mountains are a great place to start. Art can teach you things you'll need to know ... and fear! There are a lot of ways to die out there, and Art has tried many of them.

PERFORMANCES. Art Lee will perform "Nature Sings" on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month, 7:30pm at the Bountiful Davis Art Center (Basement Theater), 745 South Main Street, Bountiful Utah. For reservations/tickets call: 801-897-5339; Adults \$9, Seniors \$7 and Children \$7. For more information visit www.naturesings.com or contact Art Lee, art@allparks.com, 801-295-6556.