

## FIRST NIGHT

### Local performers win national award

Area musicians Randy Armstrong and Genevieve Aichele recently received an Outstanding Honors Award from the Parent's Guide to Children's Media based in Winchester, Va.

The award recognized Armstrong & Aichele's album *World Tales: A Mosaic of Stories and Music from Around the World*. The award judges described the album as "hauntingly beautiful and exotic music mix(ed) with imaginative and inspiring stories."

Armstrong & Aichele were also recognized in the Women's Day publication "Kids: Activities for Families." *World Tales* was featured in the Editors' Choice section of the November 1998 issue. "This stunning collection," states the review, "will take you and your child far from home."

*World Tales: A Mosaic of Stories and Music from Around the World* is available in both CD and cassette forms. The album can be purchased locally at Rock Bottom Records, Bull Moose Records and Stroudwater Books, or by calling Family Planet Music at (800) 985-8894.

Randy Armstrong of Dover and Genevieve Aichele of Portsmouth will be performing *World Tales* live at Portsmouth's upcoming First Night celebration at the Unitarian Universalist Church at 5:15 p.m. and 6:45 p.m. Armstrong & Aichele also bring *World Tales* to the community through educational residencies and family concerts.



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