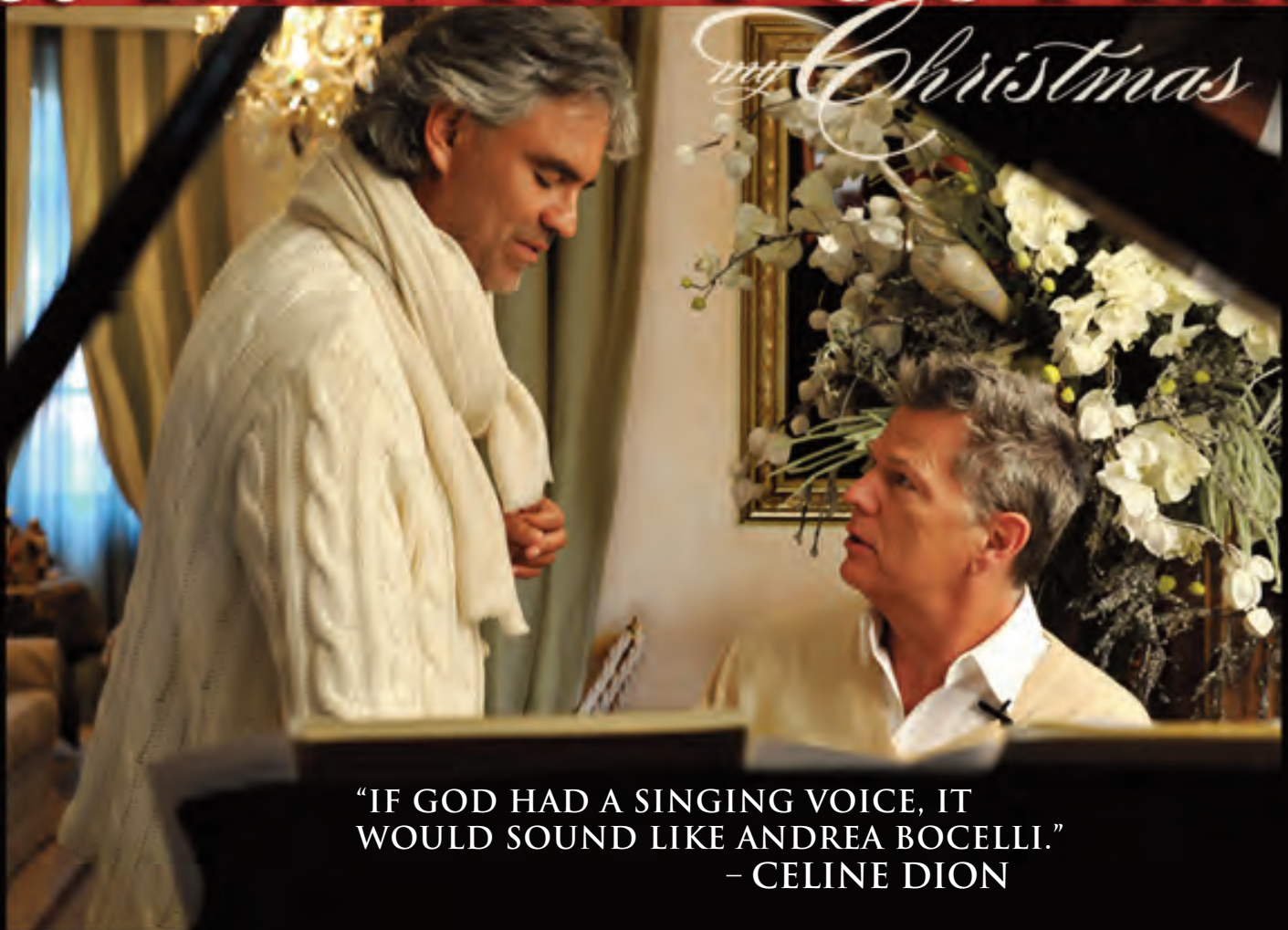


ANDREA BOCELLI & DAVID FOSTER



**"IF GOD HAD A SINGING VOICE, IT
WOULD SOUND LIKE ANDREA BOCELLI."
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PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

PBS/Great Performances superstar Andrea Bocelli is joined by "Hitman" David Foster for a new Christmas concert of holiday classics as they share the stage to present an elegant collection of seasonal favorites. Showcasing Bocelli's unmistakable soaring vocals are lush new arrangements given the distinctive Foster touch for an inspiring concert performance.

Beautifully shot and recorded at the Kodak Theatre in Los Angeles, the program also features special guest artists Natalie Cole, Mary J. Blige, Welsh mezzo-soprano Katherine Jenkins, and The Muppets, as well as a visit with the Mormon Tabernacle Choir. Among the featured song highlights are "White Christmas," "Oh Holy Night," "Santa Claus is Coming to Town," "Silent Night," "The Christmas Song," "What Child Is This," and more. The program concert's finale is an unforgettable and audience-rousing performance of "Jingle Bells" with The Muppets, which promises to leave public television viewer's spirits just as uplifted as the enthusiastic cheering live audience.

AVAILABILITY

The 60-minute special Great Performances: ANDREA BOCELLI & DAVID FOSTER: MY CHRISTMAS, is presented by WNET. Available

for December 2009 pledge, with possible early airing release rights granted.

PLEDGE PREMIUMS

Stations will be able to pledge the first-ever Christmas recording from Andrea, with his gift of heart-warming collection of songs destined to become a holiday classic for years to come. They can also offer members the concert DVD of David Foster and Andrea Bocelli performing the holiday favorites from the highly-anticipated album. See contact information below for station visits, ticket offers, and other opportunities.

BACKGROUND

With one of the most unique, distinctive voices on the planet, and a phenomenal career marked by the same far-reaching measure of uniqueness and distinction, Andrea Bocelli has ambled effortlessly in the realms of both classical and popular music. Along the way he has rewritten music history by amassing worldwide sales of more than 60 million albums, topping charts internationally with his critically acclaimed albums and singles, and earning an impressive array of prestigious awards, including a Golden Globe for Best Song, plus Grammy and Academy Award nominations. His towering presence on the pop charts is also unde-

niable - in a unique feat, four of his albums occupied the US pop charts simultaneously. Audiences in virtually every corner of the globe are enthralled by the commanding passion of Andrea's formidable voice, and at the same time touched by the tender intimacy and humble generosity with which he offers his special gift.

Multiple award-winning composer and producer, "Hitman" David Foster, was most recently featured in the hugely successful PBS "pledge hit" Great Performances: Hitman: David Foster and Friends, which also highlights an amazing, 40+ year brilliant career that is obviously still going strong. In the "Hitman" special, he brought together an array of more than a dozen of the world's top talented artists to perform, with many either "discovered" by David or whose successful careers he helped develop. "Hitman" has aired more than 7,500 times on PBS stations in virtually every U.S. market, and continues to be a pledge phenomenon.

This powerful combination of genius makes for an unmatched musical feast for ears and eyes, and Andrea Bocelli and David Foster, My Christmas will continue to uplift hearts far beyond the holiday season.



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CD TRACK LISTING

WHITE CHRISTMAS / BIANCO NATALE
ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH
SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN
THE CHRISTMAS SONG — *featuring Natalie Cole*
THE LORD'S PRAYER — *featuring The Mormon Tabernacle Choir*
WHAT CHILD IS THIS — *featuring Mary J. Blige*
ADESTE FIDELES
O TANNENBAUM
JINGLE BELLS — *featuring The Muppets*
SILENT NIGHT
BLUE CHRISTMAS — *featuring Reba McEntire*
CANTIQUE DE NOEL
CARO JESU BAMBINO
I BELIEVE — *featuring Katherine Jenkins*
GOD BLESS US EVERYONE*

*Featured in the new Disney film "Christmas Carol" starring Jim Carrey in theaters throughout the 2009 Holiday Season

DVD TRACK LISTING

CAROL OF THE BELLS
ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH
SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN
TU SCENDI DALLE STELLA
O HOLY NIGHT
THE CHRISTMAS SONG — *featuring Natalie Cole*
CARO JESU BAMBINO
BLUE CHRISTMAS — *featuring Reba McEntire*
O TANNENBAUM
THE LORD'S PRAYER — *featuring The Mormon Tabernacle Choir*
WHAT CHILD IS THIS — *featuring Mary J. Blige*
ADESTE FIDELES
AVE MARIA
I BELIEVE — *featuring Katherine Jenkins*
SILENT NIGHT
JINGLE BELLS — *featuring The Muppets*
WHITE CHRISTMAS