

# *Ronny Cox to Headline The Art and Music Festival for the Missing*

**Lisa Haley Special Guest**

**For Immediate Release: April 22, 2005...GINA for Missing Persons and LA Women in Music have announced famed actor and musician Ronny Cox and currently, Senator Kinsey in "Stargate SG1". will be the featured performer at The Art and Music Festival for the Missing at Pearson Park Amphitheater in Anaheim on May 21, 2005.**

**7:00 PM Support act will be: Jannel Rap and the C Street Band.**

**Ronny's show will begin at 8:30 pm.**

**Erin Runnion, mother of Samantha Runnion, will speak**

Cox, who's latest CD is entitled "Ronny Cox Live" presents a family show full of songs and stories under the title "Songs, Stories and Out and Out Lies." Ronny showcases an original, sophisticated storytelling that has, as he puts it , "a lyric-driven folky sound". For this appearance only Ronny's band will include special guest Lisa Haley. Lisa's progressive "One World Swamp" music ignites the spirits of contemporary Jazz, Rock, and Folk fans.

Besides his music, Ronny Cox is one of the most respected and sought-after character actors in Hollywood. Since his debut in John Boorman's film "Deliverance" including playing guitar in the famous "dueling banjos" scene, Ronny has appeared in over 50 films including "Beverly Hills Cop (I & 11)", "Bound for Glory", "Robo Cop", "Total Recall" and too many others to mention. He has starred in numerous TV movies and in the tv series of "Apple's Way", "St. Elsewhere", "The Agency" and of course as Senator Kinsey in "Stargate SG1" and in "Star Trek, the Next Generation" he played the Captain in 2 episodes.

The day's events begin at 4pm and will include a Songwriting contest with area artists, art and music booths, fingerprinting, food and drink, raffle prizes with merchandise from major label artists, Hank Aaron and Barry Zito autographed baseballs, books, CDs, trips, dinner for two and a chance to win \$25,000 in cash. At the end of the evening there will be a candle light vigil for those missing in the Orange County area.

L.A. Women In Music is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing career opportunities and education to women and men in the music business.

GINA is a non-profit organization founded by Jannel Rap in honor of her sister, Gina Bos, missing since Oct.17, 2000. It organizes concerts and events across the country to gain attention for the missing in the area of the events. 100 plus events have been organized to date highlighting the stories of hundreds across the US. For more information please contact:

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