



THE TEMPTATIONS AND THE FOUR TOPS LIVE AT SAN MANUEL

Two Of Motown's Most Respected And Longest Performing Groups Set To Take Stage

San Manuel Indian Nation, Calif. – August 6, 2008 – Thursday, August 21, San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino is proud to present The Temptations and The Four Tops as they take the stage for a night filled with greatest hits. Tickets are available now at Ticketmaster.com and the San Manuel Box Office for \$35, \$45, and \$55.

The Temptations

The Temptations began their musical life in Detroit in the early sixties and are known for their flair, flash, and class. They are an essential component of the original Motown machine and have withstood the test of time with fabulous singing, smooth dance steps, and flawless presentations. For nearly five decades, they truly have been the emperors of soul.

Over the years, the group has undergone a number of personnel changes. From the classic lineup of Otis Williams, Melvin Franklin, Paul Williams, Eddie Kendricks, and David Ruffin to the current lineup of Otis Williams, Terry Weeks, G.C. Cameron, Ron Tyson, and Joe Herndon; The Temptations remain true to their tradition, no matter the personnel change.

The Temptations repertoire of classic hits include “My Girl”, “The Way You Do”, “The Things You Do”, “Since I Lost My Baby”, “Ain’t Too Proud To Beg”, “I Wish It Would Rain”, plus many more. The group was inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 1989 and into the Vocal Group Hall of Fame in 1999.

The Four Tops

Marveling audiences with their infectious blend of pure vocal power and sweet harmonies since 1954, this group has one of the longest tenured musical careers in history. For 43 years, the group never made a personnel change. From 1954 until 1997, Levi Stubbs, Renaldo “Obie” Benson, Abdul “Duke” Fakir, and Lawrence Payton were The Four Tops. Nothing could break them up: bad times, petty jealousies, or the hardships of the entertainment world.

With classic hits like “Baby I Need Your Loving”, “Reach Out, I’ll Be There”, “Standing In The Shadows of Love”, “I Can’t Help Myself (Sugar Pie Honey Bunch)”, plus many more; their music symbolized the Motown Sound – simple, distinctive melodies and rhyming call-and-response lyrics.

Today, The Four Tops consist of original member Duke Fakir, Theo Peoples (replacing Levi Stubbs); Ronnie Mcneir (replacing Lawrence Payton); and Rokie Payton (the son of Lawrence, and replacing Obie Benson).

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Note: A 21-and-older age requirement to enter the casino and/or see the show is strictly enforced.

About San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino

San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino is Southern California’s one-stop destination for entertainment and fun. The casino is just 70 minutes from downtown Los Angeles and a short drive from LA-Ontario International Airport. Guests enjoy 3,500 of the latest slots, live poker and Vegas-style blackjack, high-limit gaming, high-stakes bingo, incredible entertainment, sumptuous dining and generous player’s reward program. Owned and operated by the San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, the casino has been providing fun and excitement since 1986. Since that time, players have received over \$2 billion in cash, prizes and giveaways, making any visit to San Manuel an exciting and memorable experience. For more information on San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino, please visit their Web site at www.sanmanuel.com or call 800-359-2464.

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