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**CHARLOTTE SYMPHONY TO OFFER FREE COMMUNITY EVENT AT SHALOM PARK**

**MARCH 31, 2015** | CHARLOTTE, NC – Charlotte Symphony Principal Clarinetist [Gene Kavadlo](#), Temple Beth El Cantor Mary Thomas, and Temple Israel Cantor Elias Roochvarg will lead a discussion on the historical, musical, and religious significance of traditional Jewish klezmer music on Tuesday, April 7, 2015 at 2 p.m. in Gorelick Hall at Shalom Park.

This free community conversation takes place in advance of the Charlotte Symphony's next KnightSounds concert, [A Night In New York](#), April 17 and 18 at 7:30 p.m. at Knight Theater at the Levine Center for the Arts.

The concert will feature klezmer music specially commissioned for Kavadlo in celebration of nearly 40 years with the CSO.

During this concert, various camera angles will capture onstage action and will be projected onto a large screen above the stage, including close-ups of Music Director Christopher Warren-Green, the CSO musicians, and their instruments.

The CSO will also offer a free plazacast of the concert outside on the Levine Center for the Arts campus.

Attendees at the klezmer discussion will receive 20 percent off tickets to A Night In New York.

For more information or to sign up for the conversation at Shalom Park, visit [charlottesymphony.org](http://charlottesymphony.org).

**About the Charlotte Symphony**

Founded in 1932 and led by internationally renowned Music Director Christopher Warren-Green, the Charlotte Symphony is a non-profit organization that serves the whole community through music that educates, entertains, and enriches the human spirit. We are world-class musicians, music teachers, and music lovers. We put violins in the hands of Charlotte's children and actively nurture the next generation with our music education programs. We bring artistic excellence to Charlotte's parks and hospitals, schools and places of worship, stadiums and concert halls. The Charlotte Symphony is a cornerstone of the cultural community, connecting people and adding value to their lives through music.

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