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SAINTE MARIE FOUNDATION RELEASES DVD

The Sainte Marie Foundation will soon release copies of a DVD featuring Dorothy Helregel Mathious, California-based mezzo soprano who presented a Sept. 3 concert at St. Mary's Church for the benefit of the Foundation.

"This video showcases a woman who grew up in Sainte Marie and whose voice carried her far," said Patricia Reis, president of the Foundation.

The video was made by Annette Reis Lynch, retired Charleston, IL, science teacher who has been studying videography at Lake Land College for the past two years. Ms. Lynch was named 2011 Outstanding Student from the Lake Land College Business Division after she made five Allied Health Program videos as a volunteer and for her involvement in the Information Technology club. She was cited for having "found a passion in her video work."

For a sample of the Mathious video, look at http://www.youtube.com/user/stemarievideo where Dorothy sings TREES, accompanied by summer and winter pictures of familiar trees in the village.

The new DVD will be available in mid-October at the Sainte Marie State Bank for \$20. If ordering by mail, the cost is \$25 (to cover the mailing costs). For a limited time, the 2010 Jim Litzelman piano concert DVD may also be ordered, with the <u>combined cost</u> for the two videos being \$30 (at bank) or \$35 if by mail. If ordering by mail, send check payable to the Sainte Marie Foundation, P.O. Box 186, Sainte Marie, IL.

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