



Saturday, May 17, 2014

Two Guys from Seattle Perform Popular Jazz Standards:

Gershwin

Johnny Mercer

Hoagy Carmichael

Kurt Weill

Plus a few surprises . . .



*When Sunny Gets Blue
Skylark
Lady Be Good
Pennies from Heaven
I Remember Clifford
My Romance
But Beautiful
Waltz for Debbie*

Luther Schutz, Vocals
Elisha Gullixson, Piano

Luther Schutz

Luther has had a varied musical perspective over the years. He currently performs songs lovingly chosen from that vast treasury of American popular music, songs that musicians call "standards." Some are familiar, others not heard so often, but all are poignant and tasteful. Luther's vocal style is his own, a rare combination of sophistication and soul.

Elisha Gullixson

Elisha Gullixson took his first piano lesson in Nov. 1947, before you were born. He has a committed respect for the discipline and joys of Jazz, insisting that it is America's only indigenous art form. He finds it fun and rewarding to be able to accompany Luther, not least due to their compatibility with respect to the material they choose to perform.