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Lights! Camera! Orchestra!

NEW series debuts with “Phantom of the Opera”

WHAT: “THE PHANTOM OF THE OPERA” Debut Concert of NEW series!

Series sponsor: First National Bank Concert sponsor: Woodmen of the World

WHEN: Saturday, October 24, 2009 @ 8 PM

WHERE: Holland Performing Arts Center 1200 Douglas Street

TICKETS: Starting at \$10! Call 402.342.3560 or order online @ www.omahasymphony.org

Omaha, Neb – Get in the Halloween spirit with the Omaha Symphony at **Phantom of the Opera** on October 24 at 8 p.m. at the Holland Performing Arts Center. Concertgoers will watch the classic 1925 silent film *The Phantom of the Opera* starring Lon Chaney on a big screen above the orchestra. Musicians will provide a live, spooky soundtrack, showcasing ghoulish gems like Gounod’s *Faust* and Saint-Saën’s *Danse macabre*.

Delighting eyes and ears, this performance marks the debut of the symphony’s new Sights & Sounds Series. This exciting programming combines the best of movies and music to create a unique entertainment experience for all ages. Other Sights and Sounds performances this season include Bugs Bunny on Broadway—a celebration of Warner Bros. cartoon classics—and A Space Odyssey, featuring exclusive NASA footage.

The Omaha Symphony is a non-profit organization that presents more than 200 live orchestral performances from September through June. In addition to MasterWorks, Symphony Pops, Symphony Rocks, Chamber, Sights and Sounds, and Family series concerts, the Omaha Symphony’s nationally recognized education programs touch the lives of more than 37,000 schoolchildren each year. For tickets or information regarding the Omaha Symphony, call 402.342.3560 or visit www.omahasymphony.org

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