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**Folk Rock Concert for Families with
Elizabeth Mitchell and You Are My Flower
at the Jewish Museum
Sunday, April 10**

Jewish Museum

New York, NY – Two-time Grammy nominee Elizabeth Mitchell and You Are My Flower will perform a folk rock concert for families on Sunday, April 10 at 11:30am at the Jewish Museum. Mitchell, a singer and guitarist known for reinterpreting classic folk songs for children and their parents, will be joined by her fourteen-year-old daughter Storey, her husband Daniel Littleton, and special guests Simi Stone and The M Shanghai Stringband. Concert attendees can enjoy cherished folk classics such as *You Are My Sunshine* and *Peace Like a River*, as well as soulful originals from Mitchell's most recent album, *Turn Turn Turn*, her collaboration with Dan Zanes.

Tickets are \$18 per adult; \$13 per child; \$15 adult Jewish Museum family level member; and \$11 child Jewish Museum family level member. This lively concert is for children age 3 and up. Adults are asked to accompany their children. Tickets can be purchased online at TheJewishMuseum.org/programs/families. For further information regarding family programs, the public may call 212.423.3337. The Jewish Museum is located at Fifth Avenue and 92nd Street, Manhattan.

Elizabeth Mitchell, a Smithsonian Folkways Recordings artist, has been recording and performing music for children and families since 1998. She was the first new children's music artist signed to Smithsonian Folkways in the 21st century. Albums include *You Are My Flower* (1998), *You Are My Sunshine* (2002), *You Are My Little Bird* (2006), *Sunny Day* (2010), *Blue Clouds* (2012) and *Little Seed: Songs for Children by Woody Guthrie* (2012). *Blue Clouds* and *Little Seed* both received Grammy nominations for Best Children's Album. Mitchell collaborated with Lisa Loeb on the 2007 album for families, *Catch the Moon*, and has worked with such artists as Levon Helm, Dan Zanes, Ella Jenkins, Jon Langford and Ziggy Marley.

Simi Stone is a singer/songwriter from Woodstock, New York whose music has been described as "where mountain meets Motown." She has performed with David Byrne at Carnegie Hall and is featured in Natalie Merchant's concert film, *Shelter*. Stone's most recent album was released in 2015.

The M Shanghai Stringband is a Brooklyn based indie-folk collective, named after the Asian bistro in Williamsburg that hosted the band's monthly shows from 2002 through 2009. M Shanghai's concerts are known for their unbridled joy, raucous energy and intimate subtlety, with ten players crowded around one condenser microphone. With an adventurous take on Americana, the band emphasizes distinctive songwriting while retaining the immediacy of classic American roots music.

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About The Jewish Museum

Located on Museum Mile at Fifth Avenue and 92nd Street, the Jewish Museum is one of the world's preeminent institutions devoted to exploring art and Jewish culture from ancient to contemporary, offering intellectually engaging, educational, and provocative exhibitions and programs for people of all ages and backgrounds. The Museum was established in 1904, when Judge Mayer Sulzberger donated 26 ceremonial objects to The Jewish Theological Seminary as the core of a museum collection. Today, the Museum maintains a collection of over 30,000 works of art, artifacts, and broadcast media reflecting global Jewish identity, and presents a diverse schedule of internationally acclaimed temporary exhibitions.

The Jewish Museum is located at 1109 Fifth Avenue at 92nd Street, New York City. Museum hours are Saturday, Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, 11am to 5:45pm; Thursday, 11am to 8pm; and Friday, 11am to 4pm. Museum admission is \$15.00 for adults, \$12.00 for senior citizens, \$7.50 for students, free for visitors 18 and under and Jewish Museum members. Admission is Pay What You Wish on Thursdays from 5pm to 8pm and free on Saturdays. For information on the Jewish Museum, the public may call 212.423.3200 or visit the website at TheJewishMuseum.org.

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