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'LIFE: A Guide for the Perplexed' Comes to the Cohan Center April 2

SAN LUIS OBISPO – On Sunday, April 2 at 4 p.m. in the Christopher Cohan Center, the renowned Flying Karamazov Brothers are coming. Cal Poly Arts presents the Brothers' latest creation -- "LIFE: A Guide for the Perplexed" – as part of the Cal Poly Arts low-cost Family Event Series.

The Washington Post complimented their "blend of artistry that is part genius, part insanity."

Nimble of wit and hand, specializing in good juggling, bad jokes, and inspired anarchy, The Flying Karamazov Brothers are not Russian, nor are they brothers, nor do they fly. They are, however, Paul Magid, Jay Patterson, Mark Ettinger, and Roderick Kimball

The Flying Karamazov Brothers -- comedians, musicians, jugglers and men about town -- have concocted a Monty Python-esque new production filled with entertainment guaranteed to thrill, delight and even bring a tear to the eye.

The show is designed in the new vaudeville tradition, complete with juggling acts, singing, and dancing. The afternoon is appropriate for all ages and tickets are \$15 general/\$12 student and children.

The storyline of "LIFE: A Guide for the Perplexed" opens with one of The Brothers having received a mysterious box from the Man in Black. When opened, the box reveals an even more mysterious book called a "Guide for the Perplexed," a source of rules, perplexing moments, parables, and puzzle pieces to help the reader meet the challenges of life.

The show is filled with over twenty characters, all played by the four performers. Each Brother also plays numerous different instruments during the course of the show, ranging from pocket trumpet to double-necked guitar.

As The Brothers explain: "'LIFE: A Guide for the Perplexed' (is) a skill-filled romp through the stages of life... Don't expect the unexpected, don't even expect the expected, just don't expect, and we won't have to clean up after you."

Tickets may be purchased at the Performing Arts Ticket Office, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays. To order by phone, call 805/756-2787; to order by fax: 805/756-6088. Order on-line at www.pacslo.org.

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