

# The String Quartet Society of Tuscaloosa

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## The American String Quartet

4:00 p.m., Sunday, February 19, 2006

Sponsored by Gene Beatty Dean and  
The Gloria Narramore Moody Foundation

Formed in 1974, the American String Quartet was launched by winning both the Coleman Competition and the Naumburg Award in the same year. Internationally recognized as one of the world's finest quartets, the American has performed in all fifty states and appeared in virtually every important concert hall throughout the

world. Resident quartet at the Aspen Music Festival since 1974, the Quartet's diverse activities include international radio and television broadcasts. Their extensive discography can be heard on many labels. The 1998 MusicMasters Complete Mozart String Quartets are widely considered to have set the standard for this repertoire. For their Tuscaloosa concert, the Quartet will perform Mozart's Quartet in D Major, K. 575; Brahms' Quartet in A Minor, Op. 51, No. 2; and Ravel's Quartet in F Major.

## The String Quartet Society of Tuscaloosa (SQST)

Created in 1998 to celebrate and foster the enjoyment of string quartet music, the SQST is a non-profit organization of volunteers with both a cultural and an educational mission. The SQST seeks to enrich the lives of people in the Tuscaloosa area by (a) providing two formal concerts each year by outstanding professional ensembles, and (b) collaborating with other groups in the area to support the new Strings in the Schools program. The SQST provides free tickets to its concerts to all students.

## Future SQST Concerts

The SQST will present both a fall and a spring program during the 2006-07 concert season. Please watch for an August mailing regarding upcoming performances.

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## Ticket Orders

**Ticket Price: \$15.00:** Admission is **FREE** for persons 18 & under & for all students with valid student IDs.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Number of American String Quartet tickets @ \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_ **Ticket Amount** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Donation Amount** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Enclose check made payable to SQST:

**Total** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Send order form to SQST, P.O. Box 2730, PMB 144, Tuscaloosa, 35403, Tuscaloosa, 35403.  
Tickets also may be purchased at the door. For further information, call 205-759-4781.