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LOGGINS AND MESSINA

**LIVE AT THE RED ROBINSON SHOW THEATRE
 FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30**

Coquitlam, BC – Over thirty-five years since *Sittin' In* together, Kenny Loggins and Jimmy Messina are in the early stages of putting together a new tour that picks up where 2005's highly successful "Sittin' In Again" reunion tour left off. All this shared activity marks the unexpected and unlikely return of the most successful duo of the early 70's ... a group whose most enduring songs were so well crafted that they have never really gone away. At the same time, Loggins & Messina find themselves rebuilding the personal connection that was lost long ago.

Though Loggins and Messina's first Greatest Hits collection was called *The Best Of Friends*, both men confess that their relationship has long been a complex and sometimes difficult one. When they first met, Messina was already a well-established success story having produced and played with the legendary band, Buffalo Springfield and later with the country-rock pioneers, Poco. Loggins meanwhile was a young singer-songwriter with far less experience but with talent to burn as evidenced by early compositions like "House At Pooh Corner" and "Danny's Song." Then in 1971, *Sittin' In* – originally envisioned as a one-off joint release intended to introduce Loggins as part of a Messina six-album production deal with Columbia Records – became a smash hit. So by public demand, this accidental duo was created and released such hits as "Your Mama Don't Dance," "Thinking of You," "Angry Eyes," "My Music" and "Watching The River Run." By 1977, the duo who had sold sixteen million albums and became one of rock's most popular draws went their separate ways to pursue solo careers and it wasn't until 2005 that they decided to reunite for a summer tour.

Today as the two get ready to hit the road again for their 2009 tour, both men want to celebrate the past while leaving the future an open and intriguing question. In fact, Messina recently joined Loggins to record a duet on the old Beatles tune, "Two of Us" on Loggins' children's album, *All Join In* which will be released in July ... this marks the first time that Jimmy and Kenny have sung together on a record in over thirty years. Loggins and Messina will begin their tour this summer which will include a one-night performance at Boulevard Casino's Red Robinson Show Theatre in October.

TICKETS ON SALE THURSDAY, JUNE 4 @ 10:00 AM

DOORS: 7:00 PM SHOW: 8:00 PM

Tickets: Reg. \$59.50 & Golden Circle \$69.50 (+ Service Charge & Facility Fee)

Tickets available at all Ticketmaster Outlets or charge-by-phone (604) 280-4444 or order on-line at www.ticketmaster.ca

All shows: 19 years and over unless noted

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