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KERRVILLE...COAST TO COAST!

(*Kerrville*) – On Wednesday, November 11, 2009, Americans coast-to-coast were treated to a national broadcast recorded live in Kerrville's Cailloux Theater. National Public Radio selected a performance presented by the Kerrville Performing Arts Society featuring The 5 Browns for their nationally syndicated program. The two selections heard throughout the U.S. included Greg Brown performing Prokofiev's *Toccata, Opus 11* and all five members of the famed family of pianists collaborating on Rachmaninoff's *18th Variation from Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini*. The Brown's performance was part of American Public Media's **Performance Today** broadcast that is carried by 245 public radio stations through the country and is heard by approximately 1.2 million people each week.

The Brown's appearance was part of the Kerrville Performing Arts Society's 2008-2009 Silver Anniversary season. The 5 Browns are five siblings, all Juilliard trained pianists who are performers of international stature. The May 5th concert was one of two evening concerts as well as one student outreach program performed in Kerrville's Cailloux Theater.

Texas Public Radio, based in San Antonio, will once again record a KPAS performance in 2010 featuring the Woodwind Quintet from the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. The Berlin Philharmonic Wind Quintet will be in the United States for only two weeks...with one week being in Chicago and one week in Austin. During their one-week residency at University of Texas in Austin, the quintet will travel to Kerrville for two performances.

Additional information can be viewed at www.kpas.org.

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