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SINGLE TICKETS FOR COLORADO SYMPHONY 2016/17 SEASON ON SALE AUGUST 1

August 1, 2016 – DENVER, CO – The Colorado Symphony announces single tickets for all concerts in the Colorado Symphony's 2016/17 Season go on sale August 1. Below is a sample of the season's diverse offerings:

THE SECOND CITY GUIDE TO THE SYMPHONY | September 24

Second City—Chicago's lauded launchpad for comedy legends Tina Fey, Stephen Colbert, and so many more—joins the Colorado Symphony onstage for a satirical (but loving) look at the players, the repertoire, the composers, the personalities, and even the audience!

LA BOHÈME I October 21-23

Andrew Litton conducts the Symphony in a semi-staged production of a beloved Puccini opera, La Bohème, 120 years after its premiere in Turin, Italy.

A SYMPHONIC TRIBUTE TO COMIC CON: THE TETRALOGY | March 24-25

Forget what you think you know about this cosplay-encouraged night out; we're back with even more of your favorite scores! Expect the best superhero soundtracks from movies, television, and video games.

MOVIE AT THE SYMPHONY: E.T. THE EXTRA-TERRESTRIAL | April 27

Experience the movie that captivated audiences around the world, complete with John Williams' Academy Award®-winning score, performed live by the Colorado Symphony in sync to the film projected on-screen!

BACH ST. MATTHEW PASSION I May 6-7

Johann Sebastian Bach's St. Matthew Passion, first performed on Good Friday 1727, is widely considered one of the crowning artistic achievements of Western Civilization. This is a don't-miss performance!

The Colorado Symphony looks forward to announcing more concerts this Fall. For a full list of the Colorado Symphony's 2016/17 Season performances and ticketing information, visit tickets.coloradosymphony.org or contact rtrignano@coloradosymphony.org for a complimentary brochure.

TICKETS:

Paid tickets are available online at <u>coloradosymphony.org</u>, by phone at 303.623.7876, and in person at the Boettcher Concert Hall Box Office, Denver Performing Arts Complex, 1000 14th Street. The Box Office is open Monday - Friday, 10 am - 6 pm; Saturday, noon - 6 pm; and 90 minutes prior to each performance.

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ABOUT THE COLORADO SYMPHONY

One of the leading orchestras in the United States, the Colorado Symphony performs more than 150 concerts annually at Boettcher Concert Hall in downtown Denver and across Colorado. Led by internationally renowned Artistic Advisor Andrew Litton, the Colorado Symphony is home to eighty full-time musicians, representing more than a dozen nations, and regularly welcomes the most celebrated artists from the world of symphonic music and beyond. Every season, the Colorado Symphony serves more than 250,000 people from all walks of life, performing a range of musical styles, from traditional to contemporary. Recognized as an incubator of innovation, creativity, and excellence, the Colorado Symphony continually expands its reach through education, outreach, and programming. The Colorado Symphony partners with the state's leading musical artists, cultural organizations, corporations, foundations, sports teams, and individuals to expose diverse audiences to the transformative power of music. To learn more, visit coloradosymphony.org.