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MUSIC CONCERT ANNOUNCEMENT

Oct 2, 2004 — 7:30 pm

The ***Folk Music Society of Huntington's* First Saturday Concerts** will present :

TOM RUSH

Folk Legend

Tom Rush first introduced the world to the songs of Joni Mitchell, Jackson Browne, and James Taylor over thirty years ago, and has been captivating audiences throughout the country ever since with his ever-romantic, gently rustic folk music. Rush has made his reputation as a soft-spoken, powerful interpreter of traditional songs, and he helped usher in the era of the singer-songwriter.

Since the early Coffeehouse days, Tom has displayed an uncanny knack for finding wonderful songs, and writing his own — many of which have become classics re-interpreted by new generations. Today, Rush combines a time-tested mix of new and old tunes, polished with gentle years of experience.

His elastic, laid-back voice, woodsy New Hampshire wit and affecting mix of old and new songs stirs romantic hearts and sets toes tapping. Although Tom Rush's talents easily fill monumental prestigious halls, he is able to transform smaller venues such as ours to living room closeness.

His voice has grown even richer and more melodic with time and training, and his music, like a fine wine, has matured and ripened in the blending of traditional and modern influences. He's doing what he loves, and what audiences love him for, knitting together the musical traditions and talents of our times.



Tom Rush

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photos available on request

ABOUT THE CONCERT AND VENUE:

Concert at 7:30 pm, at the Congregational Church of Huntington, 30 Washington Drive, Centerport (just off 25A).

An "open mike" segment precedes the main concert. All are welcome at the open mike; sign up is before 7:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be available during the intermission.

General admission for this special event is \$20, with \$17 for members and \$19 for seniors. For more information regarding this event please call **(631) 425-2925**.

Addition information about the Folk Music Society of Huntington and our concerts are available on our website:

[http:// fmshny.org](http://fmshny.org)
