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MUSIC CONCERT ANNOUNCEMENT
Saturday, Dec. 19, 2009 - 7:30 pm

The **Folk Music Society of Huntington's HARD LUCK CAFÉ** will present two performers:

CAROLINE DOCTOROW *Bridgehampton
Velveteen*



On her new CD **ANOTHER COUNTRY**, Long Island singer songwriter Caroline Doctorow showcases her "velveteen voice" while singing the extraordinary songs of 1960's folk icons Mimi and Richard Farina. Expertly produced by the highly sought after multi-instrumentalist PETE KENNEDY, this recording boasts several stellar guest artists including Nanci Griffith, John Sebastian, Maura Kennedy and Happy Traum. Electric sitar, dulcimer, banjo, mandolin, and swampy sounding guitars provide a lush and driving backdrop for Doctorow's wondrous voice as it wraps around Farina's dark lyrics. Lyrics which are somehow still on the cutting edge of today in their unflinching, even ruthless examination of relationships between lovers, nations and cultures. *Another Country* is the first full audio retrospective of Richard Farina's masterful long neglected catalog

"... a stirring vocal that recalls Sandy Denny, Joni Mitchell, and Judy Collins, she takes the Farinas' timeless tunes and delivers them with a grace and eloquence that's pure and profound" — Lee Zimmerman - Subterranean Finds, New Times

on the same program with:

SUSAN KANE
A warm mellifluous voice

Award-winning Americana singer songwriter Susan Kane crafts melodic and memorable songs about life, relationships, and nature. Drawing on country, folk and blues influences, and with a warm mellifluous voice, she delivers moving performances.

In the early 2000s she entered the local Westchester and New York singer-songwriter folk scene. "I was very inspired by Pete Seeger, whom I first met at a nonprofit fundraiser. He listened to a song I had just written, and was very complementary and encouraging." She gets her songwriting ideas from anything and everything— offbeat newspaper articles, odd turns of phrase, roadside flowers. She is drawn to characters and the consequences of character, stories and situations, and tries to express a particular message or feeling though the unique use of language. *"... hummable country folk ... A pleasure to hear live!"*



High resolution digital photos available on request to webmaster@fmszny.org

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 7:15 p.m. Refreshments, including home baked goods, will be available throughout the entire evening.

General admission for this event is \$10, with \$7 for members. For more information regarding this event please call **(631) 425-2925** or email to info@fmszny.org

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

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