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TOURING TROUBADORS TAKE TROPICS WITH TEMPO, TIMBRE AND TECHNIQUE

OAKLAND-The Pacific Boychoir Academy (PBA) returned to Oakland from Brazil on the 22nd of July after a over the top experience of concert performances in Sao Paulo, Re de Janeiro, Nitteroi and other Brazilian cities and towns. The concerts were all sell out with standing room only and received more standing ovations than there were concerts!

There were so many highlights that there seems to be no lows. Even in the smaller venues the Brazilian people were ecstatic at the singing of the 47 singers. They sang a range of music from Mozart to the Beatles. The most popular were the Spirituals from the recently recorded CD.

PBA was the guest artist for the National Orchestra of Brazil in their concert series that included the Coronation Mass by Mozart. The conductor had the PBA finish off the Mozart with two songs after the Coronation Mass. The audience and the orchestra asked for five encores! The soloists returned to the stage to and took seats to hear this outstanding choir bring the house to its feet over and over again. The choir left the stage so that the rest of the concert could continue with the audience was still calling for more.

The PBA had another unusual concert in Brazil at Campos do Jordao. PBA was the headliner for a 21-day concert series in this small Brazilian town famous for the winter classical music festival (it is winter in Brazil) and the Austrian architecture. PBA was the only presenter on this cool July night. The boys could see their breath as they sang a concert that left a standing room only crowd on their feet until the choir ran out of encores!

The Pacific Boychoir Academy is a 501 (c) 3 not-for-profit, non-denominational, non-sectarian, corporation that provides excellence in music education and performance to boys from 6 to 18 in an environment that understands boys and helps them to excel. If you would like more information on the many programs that PBA offers to boys of the bay area, please call us 510. 652.4722 or visit us at www.pacificboychoir.org.

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