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DEREEMER'S "WIND RIVER" CD BOTH A SUCCESS

Latest release from Cheyenne singer/songwriter shows his maturity and growth as a songwriter and

musician

(Cheyenne, Wyoming)---Wyoming native Todd Dereemer is getting a lot of attention these days.

Well known as one of Wyoming's most talented singer/songwriters, Dereemer's long-awaited

second CD, "Wind Rivers" has already caught the attention of audiences throughout Wyoming

and the Rocky Mountains. The CD is a simple, professional illustration of Dereemer's personal

and professional growth as a songwriter and performer.

"I'm very pleased with the result," says Dereemer, sporting his classic boyish grin. "I've learned

a lot over the past two years, and all of us have worked well together."

'All of us' refers to Mark Madsen, Dann Graham, Deanna Dyekman, and Nathan Matson, a

talented ensemble of musicians that Dereemer brought in after the release of his first CD, "Horse

Creek." Together the group transforms Dereemer's impeccable sense of humor and wicked

lyrics into strong and at times quite powerful music. Dereemer has a unique sense of human

nature and behavior that he somehow manages to translate into his lyrics, and the result is a feast

for the ears and intelligence. As one listener states, "Todd's music gets better each time you

hear it. You'll find something new for you to think about every time. It's that kind of depth that

makes him high on my list of people to pay attention to."

Known for his talents as a songwriter, this CD offers insight into what drives Dereemer's passion

about music and the world. The CD title, "Wind Rivers" is written for one of Dereemer's close

friends whose sister disappeared in the Wind River Mountains near Lander, Wyoming in 1997.

The song is a powerful, haunting illustration of the musician's ability to encompass the depths of

human emotions and feelings in his work, a rare talent in today's homogenized and commercial music.

For more information about Todd Dereemer or to order copies of "Wind Rivers", contact Dereemer at (307) 638-1218. Booking information and performance calendars are also available though email at dereemer@aol.com, or by mail at P.O. Box 90, Horse Creek, Wyoming 82061.

*** Missing: Amy Wroe Bechtel, Age 25, 5'6", 110 lbs., shoulder-length blonde hair, blue eyes. Last seen near Lander, Wyoming in the Wind River Mountains on July 24, 1997 wearing a yellow tank top, black running shoes, Adidas trail-running shoes, and carrying a green corduroy billfold. Photos are available on http://www.aspentree.com/amy. There is a \$100,000 reward for valid information leading to her recovery. Call 1-800-867-5AMY with any information.

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