



Luncheon
honoring the
Spouses of the Senate



The White House
Tuesday, June 10, 2003

*Selections by
Members of the
Young Artist Program of the Americas
at the Washington Opera*

*Plácido Domingo
Artistic Director*

The Washington Opera's Young Artist Program of the Americas, overseen by Plácido Domingo, guides young singers and accompanists on the verge of international careers. Today's artists, from six nations, were selected by and work with Maestro Domingo. Begun in March 2002, the Program provides intensive study with renowned voice and drama coaches and offers voice, language and piano lessons, as well as training in yoga and nutrition. The Young Artists participate in master classes with opera stars. They have performed leading and supporting roles with The Washington Opera, as well as appearing at the Kennedy Center Millennium Stage, the Kennedy Center Honors, the International Development Bank Cultural Center, the Mexican Cultural Center, the Senate Caucus Room, and numerous embassies and schools. The Young Artists also sang their own fully staged performance of "Don Giovanni" at DAR Constitution Hall under the baton of Plácido Domingo to a full house of first-time opera-goers.

Menu



*Minted Sugar Snap Pea Soup
Vine Ripe Tomato and Avocado Timbale*

*Seared Dayboat Scallops
Salpicon of Maryland Blue Crab
Roasted Corn, Chanterelles and Poblanos*

*Petit Herb Salad
Sherry-Shallot Emulsion*

*"Spring Lilac Basket"
Apricots filled with Violet Sorbet,
Peaches and Rainier Cherries*

Navarro Rosé "Old Vine Cuvée" 2002

Mrs. Laura Bush is pleased to announce that a donation will be given in honor of all Senate spouses to the Marine Corps-Law Enforcement Foundation. The Foundation will fund academic scholarships for children of all U.S. and coalition forces killed during Operation Iraqi Freedom.