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Celebrate the Holiday Season with the Jim Gamble Puppets Performance of "The Nutcracker" December 3rd at the Lewis Family Playhouse

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Rancho Cucamonga, California – Parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles can introduce their little ones to the magical world of *The Nutcracker* this holiday season with help from master puppeteer Jim Gamble. The marionette maestro brings his cadre of colorful puppets to the Lewis Family Playhouse on Wednesday, December 3rd at 10:00 a.m. All tickets are priced at \$9.50.

Based on the classic musical tale by Peter Tchaikovsky, with music performed by The Berlin Symphony Orchestra, this timeless holiday production is perfect for children ages two and older. The performance is part of the *Wee Wednesdays* series, aimed at introducing toddlers and preschoolers to the joy of live theatre.

Known throughout the world, Jim Gamble Puppet Productions was formed 25 years ago “to entertain and educate, using the highest skills of the art of puppetry.” The company presents more than 1,800 performances each year at schools, libraries, special events and large theatres.

An intimate, 536-seat venue, the Lewis Family Playhouse is the crown jewel of the three-acre, 89,000 square-foot Victoria Gardens Cultural Center, located off the I-15 at Foothill Boulevard. The Box Office is open Monday through Thursday from noon to 6:00 p.m., Friday and Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., and Sunday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., with ample free parking available.

For More Information - For additional information or to purchase tickets, please visit www.lewisfamilyplayhouse.com or call the Box Office at (909) 477-2752 or (877) 858-8422.

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