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**JAVACYA ARTS CONSERVATORY ELITE ORCHESTRA & LEANDER A. KIRKSEY
ORCHESTRA PRESENT A “HEART STRING” CONCERT**

[Tallahassee, FL] Javacya Arts Conservatory Elite Orchestra & the Leander A. Kirksey Orchestra are pleased to present an unforgettable concert, Friday, March 31, 2017 at 7:30 p.m. at St. Peter’s Anglican Church. Javacya Conductors Ralph Jean Paul and Patrice Floyd have prepared a “heart stirring” concert of beloved orchestral and choral works. Special guest include Marcus Rhodes, baritone; Althea Kilgore, soprano; Monica Howell, soprano; and St. Peter’s Anglican Church Choir under the direction of Mr. Christopher Garven. Works include compositions by William Grant Still, Inez Andrews, Andrew L. Weber, Richard Wagner, Antonio Vivaldi, Bach, and Mozart.

Javacya is recognized for providing minority students the opportunity to perform many genres and receive a glimpse into a future life in the professional world of music. To expand this platform, Patrice Floyd; founder, conductor, violinist, and founding teacher for the Royal Conservatory of Music of Canada; has opened music conservatories in South Carolina, Georgia, Orlando, and Florida. Javacya’s mission includes preparing students and orchestra members alike to be comfortable and well-prepared for all future platforms. “Javacya has mentored hundreds of children and unleashed many fine students into the professional world of music,” said Floyd. “Our students and orchestra members are in show business, always striving for excellence.”

Ralph Jean Paul is an Associate Professor of Tuba Studies at Florida A&M and the youngest faculty member and associate band director at the University. Known for his mastery of classical music for tuba, Javacya has welcomed him as the permanent director of the Javacy Chamber Orchestra (*formerly known as the Mary Roberts Chamber Orchestra*) and the Javacya Elite Chamber Orchestra.

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St. Peter Anglican Church is located at 4784 Thomasville Rd., Tallahassee, FL and admission to this event is free. For more information, contact Javacya Arts Conservatory at 850-590-1517, email info@javacyamail.com, or visit them on the web at www.javacyaarts.com/.

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