

## **The music of SIMON & GARFUNKEL**

**Performed by Swearingen & Kelli**

**Show bio:** Swearingen & Kelli recreate the music, memories and magic of the most famous folk-rock duo of our time, Simon and Garfunkel. AJ Swearingen has been performing this music for twenty years with mastery of Paul Simon's intricate guitar playing. His deep baritone blends perfectly with Kelli's angelic vocals delivering a true tribute to the sound of the 1960's Greenwich Village, NY coffeehouse performances.

The duo is on a mission to share this iconic music to new audiences around the country. Both artists were heavily inspired by the great 70s singer-songwriters, but their unique ability to channel the sounds of Simon & Garfunkel is immediately apparent when you hear them perform these classic songs live.

### **SONG SONGS FROM THE SHOW**

HOMeward BOUND  
MRS. ROBINSON  
59TH STREET BRIDGE SONG  
THE BOXER  
SCARBOROUGH FAIR  
BRIDGE OVER TROUBLED WATER  
CECILIA  
AMERICA  
HAZY SHADE OF WINTER  
SOUND OF SILENCE  
I AM A ROCK  
THE DANGLING CONVERSATION  
OLD FRIENDS / BOOKENDS  
ONLY LIVING BOY IN NEW YORK  
AT THE ZOO  
POEM ON THE UNDERGROUND WALL  
FAKIN IT  
WE GOT A GROOVY THING  
BLEEKER STREET  
SPARROW  
RICHARD CORY  
KEEP THE CUSTOMER SATISFIED  
FLOWERS NEVER BEND WITH THE RAINFALL

**Show website:** <https://www.swearingenandkelli.com/alk-musicofsimonandgarfunkel>

**Sounds of Silence live video:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RuTRkH6489o>

**The Boxer live video:** <https://youtu.be/h-iQdwUtl8>

**Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/swearingenandkelli](http://www.facebook.com/swearingenandkelli)

**Instagram:** [https://www.instagram.com/swearingen\\_kelli/](https://www.instagram.com/swearingen_kelli/)

**Twitter:** <https://twitter.com/AJayneOfficial>

**Press Quotes:**

*"Jayne Kelli finds her way to the heavenly highs of Art Garfunkel with a soaring and effortless soprano delivery, while AJ Swearingen displays his dexterity with Simon's well-ensconced guitar riffs." -The Capital Gazette*

*"Two voices in perfect harmony balanced against one acoustic guitar delivers a true tribute to the sound of the 1960's Greenwich Village, NY coffeehouse performances"*

*"Swearingen is a fine acoustic guitarist. He articulated beautifully the haunting, singsong accompaniment to "Scarborough Fair."*

*- The Buffalo News, 2015 (Swearingen's performance with the BPO)*

*"I mean, it's that harmony. When you hear a duo that is really singing together—and by that I mean listening as much as anything else—it's a special and unique sound."*

*- Red Line Roots, 2019*

*\*Career highlights include Swearingen & Kelli performing "The Boxer" and other '70s hits with The Dayton Philharmonic, The Edmonton Symphony and THIS summer with the Cleveland Orchestra!*

*"Simon & Garfunkel are channeled by Swearingen & Kelli" - The Tribune, Hendersonville 2017*

Read the concert review:

<http://www.tribunepapers.com/2017/04/05/simon-garfunkel-channeled-by-swearingen-kelli/>

**More on Swearingen & Kelli's songwriting and recording career:**

The duo's new album, Cold-Hearted Truth, bridges the gap between folk singers and country rebels. Recorded in a series of live takes with Grammy Award-winning producer Mitch Dane (Jars of Clay, JJ Heller, The Blind Boys of Alabama), this third LP has been featured on Americana Highways, Cowboys and Indians, and Red Line Roots.

Swearingen & Kelli have shared the stage with artists including David Bromberg, Crystal Gayle and Kenny Rogers. Swearingen's song "You're Not Here With Me" was recorded by folk icon Tom Rush featuring Nanci Griffith on his album, What I Know.

**Swearingen & Kelli website:** [www.swearingenandkelli.com](http://www.swearingenandkelli.com)

