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German Classical Musicians mesmerize Jeddahwies with cherished concert

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Jeddah: People of Jeddah experienced a memorable night by German duo of a classical music night of harp and flute on the

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eve of New-year Night recently at the premises of German Consul General Residence. The German Consulate organised the classical musical night as new-year celebrations and part of an introduction to German culture through the taste of German classical music. German Consul General in Jeddah Holger Ziegeler welcomed the audience and said he loves to bring the taste of German music to the people of Saudi Arabia.



Lea Maria Loffler played the harp, and flute was played by Myriam Ghani. The musicians played original works from classical greats such as Schumann, Ravel and Bach and more in the garden of the CG residence. The music that was chosen takes the audience on the musical journey of joy and relaxation with the winter breeze and message that classical music is still as popular as modern music.

As the night went on, the crowd were transfixed by the beauty of the harp and flute combination, transporting them in time as they listened to Beethoven's "Schone Minka," Ravel's "Vocalise-Etude en from de Habaera," Christoph Gluck's "Dance of the Blessed Spirits and Minuet" from the opera Orpheus and Eurydice, and Nino Rota's title theme for the classic film "The Godfather" by Francis Ford Coppola.



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The music that played was a very high standard of art, close to heart that takes people beyond time and boundaries, satisfied the need of the soul.

A member of the Cologne Chamber Orchestra and the Wuppertal Symphony Orchestra, it was Ghani's first performance in the Kingdom, and she was delighted to "bring in new music, as it connects different cultures."

Discovering her love for the harp at the age of five, and performing her first public solo concerto with orchestra at age 12, Lea Maria Loffler granted the audience a fantastic performance.





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