

*The Rocky Mountain Chapter American Theatre Organ Society*

Presents

## “Seeing (and hearing) Double”

with

# KEN DOUBLE

*performing in concert on the four-manual, thirty-three-rank  
George Wright IV Quantum digital theatre organ*

**Holiday Hills Ballroom**

Federal Heights, Colorado

***Sunday, July 15 & Monday, July 16, 2007***

### *About the Artist*

With the exclamation "I get paid to have fun in TWO different professions," organist and sportscaster **Ken Double** has spent more than 25 years on radio and television, and at the console of the great theatre pipe organs, providing entertainment for his audience.

Born in Chicago the last of six boys, his love of sports was just a normal part of growing up. Double parlayed that into a degree in Radio-TV from Butler University in Indianapolis, and has enjoyed a career that now finds him in Houston, Texas as the play-by-play broadcast "Voice of the Aeros" AHL hockey team.

But even after 25-plus years of broadcasting, he is still better known for his talents at the theatre organ console. He began organ lessons at age 8. A school field trip during his sophomore year in high school took him to the Pickwick Theatre in suburban Park Ridge, IL and Ken was instantly hooked on the wonderful sounds of the mighty theatre organ.

Ten years of lessons, three summers playing the organ for the Tommy Bartlett Water Show in Wisconsin Dells, and a stint as the first organist at the Market Square Arena in Indianapolis helped Ken pay for college, and it was off to the broadcast world as a sportscaster

In 1981 Double began subbing on the staff of the pipe-organ-equipped

Paramount Music Palace in Indianapolis, all the while appearing nightly on the news to deliver the sports headlines of the day.

In addition to his hundreds of concerts, he has nine CD's to his credit.

In August 2006, the Board of Directors of the American Theatre Organ Society named him President of the international organization, an honor of which he is most proud.

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*A selection of Ken's CD's will be available for sale in the back of the ballroom during intermission and following the concert.  
Ken will be happy to autograph your CD or concert program.*

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### **Rocky Mountain Chapter American Theatre Organ Society**

(RMCATOS) is dedicated to the promotion and preservation of theatre organs and theatre organ music. In addition to a few public events each year, the club holds monthly "socials" in the Holiday Hills Ballroom. Socials feature musical programs that include theatre organ, grand piano and other instruments.

**If you enjoy music, this is the organization for you!**

Membership is only \$15 per calendar year per household. Don't hesitate, join today! For additional information about the club you may call 303-466-3330 or take a look at the club's website to see photos and documentation of past public and private events.

**[www.RMCATOS.org](http://www.RMCATOS.org)**

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### ***RMCATOS Calendar of 2007 Events***

**August 19** - "Want to play the Paramount?" - Members perform on the Denver Paramount's Mighty Wurlitzer. *2 pm, Members Only, no guests or visitors for this event.*

**September 23** - "Frankly, Perko" - Frank Perko (of Organ Grinder Pizza fame) plays a wide variety of fantastic music. *Holiday Hills, 2 pm: Members, No charge; Others, \$5*

**October 14 & 15** - "Whistle While You Wurlitzer" - John Ledwon (Disney's El Capitan Theatre, Hollywood) & Sandra Henzler (International champion whistler) whet your musical appetite. *Holiday Hills, 2 pm: Adults \$10, Students \$5 ... tickets @door*  
*Both dates are RTD Senior Ride events*

**November 18** - "Got Gospel?" - Ed Wagner (Mariposa, CA) Theatre organ and grand piano that will lift your spirit. *Holiday Hills, 2 pm: Members, No charge; Others, \$5*