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The G2 Gallery

**The G2 Gallery Reaches Out to Pets in Need With Animal
Charity Benefit**

Fundraiser Benefiting Voice For the Animals Will Take Place November 20

Venice, CA—On Friday, November 20, 2009, from 6:00-9:00pm, the G2 Gallery will host a fundraiser benefiting Voice for the Animals (VFTA) with live music provided by classical pianist Rich Smith. Smith is an environmentally conscious musician who has engaged in many nature related projects. His modern-classical playing style will enthrall guests and animals alike.

Animal companions from VFTA's locally based rescue program will be on site.

Admission is free and open to the public. A silent auction will be held with all proceeds going to VFTA.

LOCATION:

The G2 Gallery (www.theg2gallery.com)
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About Voice for the Animals

Voice For The Animals Foundation is devoted to creating respect and empathy for

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animals through education, rescue, legislation, and advocacy. Our [programs](#) include 24-hour Animal Assistance Hotline, Helping Friends, Working Cats, L.A. Zoo Watch, Rescue & Adoption, Abuse Prevention, Humane Education, Political Animal newspaper, Feral Colonies, VFTA in Greece, and Animal Films.

About Rich Smith

Rich Smith is a performer, composer, and music producer, with a passionate and effortless improvisational style. His love of nature and the environment has inspired many of his musical compositions. Rich's music has been featured in film, television, radio, and theater. His most recent endeavor has been for Green Living Project, which documents and promotes successful and unique models of sustainability from around the world.

About G2 Gallery

Established in March 2008, the G2 Gallery in Venice, California, is a green art space with a dedicated focus on contemporary nature and wildlife photography. In keeping with G2's commitment to supporting arts and the environment, the gallery presents exhibitions with eco-conscious themes, donating the proceeds from all art sales to environmental charities and hosts free concerts and lectures that bring awareness of critical issues to our community.

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