CANDES: CHRISTMAS WILL FIND US WHEREVER WE ARE

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PRESS RELEASE



Songs included on CD:

- 1. Christmas Will Find Us Wherever We Are
- 2. Hawaiian Christmas Medley: Santa's Hula/The Merriest Hawaiian Christmas/Christmas Island
- 3. I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus/ Merry Christmas Darling
- 4. All I Want for Christmas Is You
- 5. Santa Baby
- 6. I'll Be Home for Christmas
- 7. Aloha, The Spirit of Christmas
- 8. Ave Maria
- 9. Baby It's Cold Outside
- 10. A Christmas Love Song
- 11. Mele Kalikimaka/Have Yourself A Merry Little Christmas
- 12. The Secret of Christmas/Po Lai'e

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Happy Hapa Haole Holidays from Candes with her latest Musical Release

Candes is very excited about the release of her third album. With over 35 songs available via digital download on sites such as iTunes, Amazon, eMusic & the likes, Candes has decided to ring in the Holidays with a promotional tour to celebrate & promote her first Holiday Album.

Christmas Will Find Us Wherever We Are consists of 12 songs, 3 of which are original songs that talk of Christmas in the Islands: the title song "Christmas Will Find Us Wherever We Are" by Ron Creager & Tina Tessina; " A Christmas Love Song" by Kristin Zambucka; and "Aloha, The Spirit of Christmas" by Randy Hongo. You will also find several Hawaiian Christmas favorites as well as some surprising twists on all time holiday

Featured on the Album is Grammy Award Winning Slack Key Guitarist Jeff Peterson. Jeff delights listeners with his Ukulele, Classical & Steel String Guitar, and Tenor Ukulele. He brings an Island feel to the CD that is unparalleled and provides a beautiful cloud on which Candes' voice soars.

Dr. Laurence Paxton, Chairman of the University of Hawaii at Manoa Department of Music, demonstrates his multi-faceted musical prowess through his exquisite accompaniment, arrangements & repertoire.

Once again Candes has chosen to record & produce her album at Rendez-Vous Recording under the musical guidance and genius of Pierre Grill.

Condesa Azria Nora Meijide-Gentry of Atelier 808 captures the essence of Candes' vision in her incredible photography.

Long time friend, Joey Caldarone is featured in a rendition of "Baby It's Cold Outside," and Candes debut's her niece and nephew in a children's chorus on one of Hawaii's all time favorite Alex Anderson numbers, "Mele Kalikimaka."

Candes would like to wish you a happy holiday season & hopes that this CD will serve as a reminder, "that it's not the things you do at Christmas time, but the Christmas things you do all year through."

- The Secret of Christmas

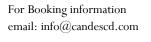
"A valid voice, and auspicious debut...She sounds as pretty as she looks. Candes...has a powerful voice well-suited for the performing stage..."

Wayne Harada, Honolulu Advertiser 2006 (A Change In Me album review)

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Or call Candes at 277-4494



"Gentry and Grill do a beautiful job. Gentry sings these standards with skill and sincerity."

John Berger, Star-Bulletin 2009 (Come What May album review)