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**SPOTLIGHT 29 CASINO PROUDLY PRESENTS AMERICA ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10<sup>th</sup>**

*'Horse With No Name,' 'Sister Golden Hair' Hitmakers Return to Spotlight Showroom*

**COACHELLA, CA (January 10, 2018)** – Spotlight 29 Casino is proud to present Grammy Award-winning acoustic rock duo **America** on **Saturday, February 10<sup>th</sup> at 8 p.m.** in the *Spotlight Showroom*. Tickets are \$45, \$35 and \$25 at [Spotlight29.com](http://Spotlight29.com). Spotlight 29 Casino's *Spotlight Showroom* offers the premier entertainment experience in the Coachella Valley.

Formed in 1970 by singer-songwriters Gerry Beckley and Dewey Bunnell (along with the late Dan Peek), the group honed a three-part vocal harmony influenced by the Beatles and Crosby, Stills & Nash. Their eponymous debut was released in 1971 and sold only modestly until it was rereleased later that year to include the No. 1 smash, "[A Horse With No Name.](#)" Praised by critics as a folk-pop classic, the album also featured the hit "I Need You" (No. 9). The group scored another top-10 hit with "[Ventura Highway](#)" and won the Grammy Award for best New Artist of 1972.

Beatles producer George Martin was enlisted to produce 1974's *Holiday*, featuring the classics "[Tin Man](#)" and "Lonely People." The follow-up album, *Hearts*, included the group's second No. 1 hit, "[Sister Golden Hair,](#)" which was inspired by former Beatle George Harrison's "My Sweet Lord." *History*, a greatest hits compilation featuring remixed tracks from their first three albums, was released in 1975 and quickly went platinum. In 1977, Peek left the group to pursue a solo career while Beckley and Bunnell had a top-30 live album recorded at the Greek Theater in Los Angeles.

The group returned to the charts in 1982 with *View From the Ground*, featuring vocal contributions from members of the Beach Boys and Toto. The singles "[You Can Do Magic](#)" and "Right Before Your Eyes" reestablished America as a commercial force and popular touring act. "The Border," from 1983's *Your Move*, continued their successful transition from pop to adult contemporary formats. In 2000, Rhino Records released *Highway: 30 years of America*, featuring 64 remastered tracks spanning the group's career.

Tickets for America are available at [Spotlight29.com](http://Spotlight29.com), by calling Star Tickets (800) 585-3737, and at the Spotlight 29 Box Office and Gift Shop. Doors open at 7 p.m. Shows start at 8 p.m.

**ADDITIONAL UPCOMING SHOWS**

January 12	Mike Epps
January 20	Felipe Esparza
January 26	Tony Orlando
February 3	Celebration of Depeche Mode
February 10	America
February 17	Dick Fox's Golden Boys Starring Frankie Avalon, Fabian, Bobby Rydell
February 24	Peter Cetera
March 3	George Benson
March 10	Celebration of Tom Petty
March 17	Happy Together Tour
March 24	Carrot Top
March 31	Kool & The Gang
April 7	Marlon Wayans
April 14	Paquita La Del Barrio
April 28	Britain's Finest: A Celebration of the Beatles

**About Spotlight 29 Casino:**

Spotlight 29 Casino is the Coachella Valley's Best Bet, featuring 1,600 of the hottest and most popular slots of any Casino in the Coachella Valley. Spotlight 29 Casino also offers world-class table games where guests will always find a \$5 table, plus delicious dining options including JEM Steakhouse and Capitata Buffet. Spotlight 29 Casino provides the premier entertainment experience in the Coachella Valley and is home to the 2,200 seat Spotlight Showroom which has featured headliners such as Bruno Mars, Marc Anthony, Pitbull, Dave Chappelle, Montgomery Gentry, Martina McBride and more, plus a Friday Free Tribute Concert Series where guests can see a tribute to their favorite acts for Free. Guests can also enjoy drink specials or dance the night away at three exciting nightclubs: Hot Spot, Blue Bar and Groove. Spotlight 29 Casino is only minutes from Palm Springs, located just off of Interstate 10 at Dillon Road. Spotlight 29 Casino is a business venture of the Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians. For more information, go to [www.Spotlight29.com](http://www.Spotlight29.com) or call 760-775-5566. Follow Spotlight 29 Casino on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram *#Spotlight29Casino*.

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