

**Correo Aereo**  
**Letter of Recommendation**  
***Imagination Celebration***

The duo of Abel Rocha and Madeleine Sosin, Correo Aéreo, performed in Fort Worth on November 9, 1993, for Imagination Celebration Fort Worth. They performed for two schools, McLean Middle School and Natha Howell Elementary. The performance for McLean Middle School was in a large auditorium for the entire student body of 900. The emphasis for the performance was on multi-culturalism. They chose selections that illustrated the blending of cultures that comprises Latin American music and beautifully explained the background of each piece. As the student body was ethnically mixed a common bond was made apparent through this unique presentation; the music enabled this diverse group of young people to see a reflection of themselves in what before many identified only as "Hispanic" music. The effect was moving. The performance at Natha Howell Elementary was in conjunction with a special fourth grade science course on the environment and the rain forest. We had asked Correo Aéreo to illustrate to these young children through their music Latin American songs that emphasize man's love of the earth and again the common spirit that connects all men. They requested curriculum materials in advance of the performance in order to specifically develop their program to fit what the children had been studying. The selection of music presented accomplished this goal and more. Correo Aéreo are extremely gifted artistically with a range of performance skills that can appeal to any age of audience. Their music is of exceptional quality, and the variety of instruments that they have mastery over is incredible. Their blend of voices is a phenomenal match –at times they sound as one while at other times offering a rich and stimulating harmony. Correo Aéreo are those rare individuals that not only have a precious and gifted talent, but know how to communicate their art to audiences as inspiring teachers. We are looking forward to having Correo Aéreo be a part of our future programs.

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