

A SEED: ICHI-RYU MANBAI

One Wish Can Change the World

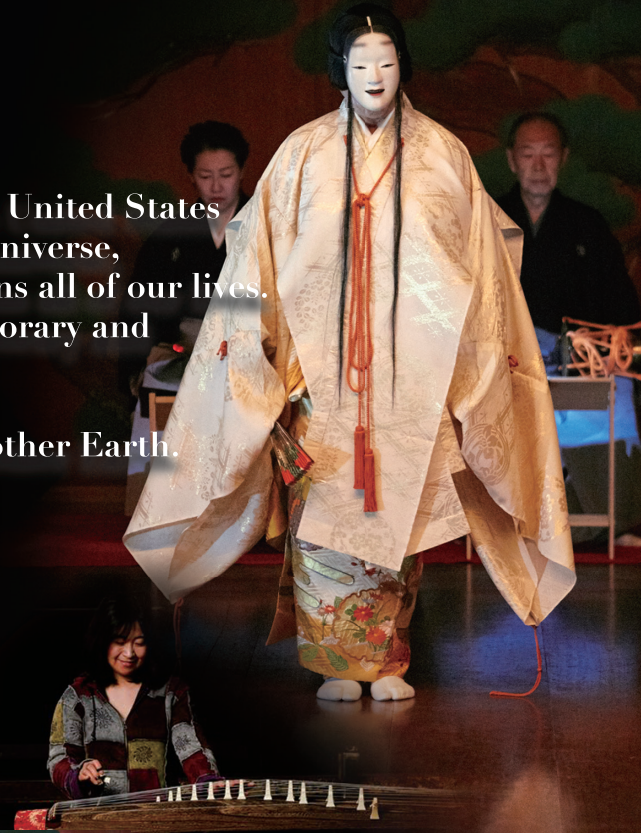
Inspired by Japanese mythology, artists from Japan and the United States will come together to tell the story of the beginning of the universe, and how a single grain of rice grew into millions that sustains all of our lives. Join us for an exciting evening of live taiko drums, contemporary and traditional Japanese dance and kimono, Noh drama, and storytelling in both English and Japanese. East meets West as we celebrate life and the blessings of Mother Earth.

Saturday, January 14, 2017: 8PM

Armstrong Theater 3330 Civic Center Dr., Torrance, CA 90503

Tickets: \$40, \$35, \$30 (Reserved seating)

Box Office: 310-328-5310



Director's Statement:

"Our mission is to spread our wish for harmony through our theatrical performance entitled "A SEED: Ichi-ryu Manbai." Ichi-ryu Manbai means "a single seed can eventually produce millions of grains of rice and a great harvest." In this way, a single wish can spread amongst millions of people. One day, our wish is that A SEED will grow into millions and pass its spirit on to the next generation."

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Performers: Internationally Acclaimed Koto Artist Yukiko Matsuyama (Koto), Saburo Mochizuki (Tsuzumi), Tatsuya Hatta (Noh actor), Yuu Ishizuka (Taiko Project~Indra & Tsuzumi), Kiminori Katada, Yumiko Shigekusa, Hiroataka Ogawa, Yuta Kato, Kouki Akashi, Chie Norieda & Baliassi, Hidesomi Bando, Narumi Nakamura, Megumi Anjo, and Kiki D Amanno, Kiki D Amanno, and Grateful Crane Ensemble.
Special thanks to: Asano Taiko U.S.

Created & Directed by Yasushi Matsuura NPO Team Itadakimasu

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