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Duo Scorpio performs at the 50th Anniversary of the AHS at our 40th National Conference in New York City in July 2012.

The American Harp Society, Inc. is open to **professionals, amateurs, folk harpers,** and **all those who have an interest in the harp.** The Society's **mission** is to celebrate our legacy, inspire excellence, and empower the next generation of harpists.

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- Receive regular e-newsletters
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