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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Alyeska Resort rings in the new year with three nights of power rock featuring Jerry Joseph and the Jackmormons at the Sitzmark Bar and Grill**

December 7, 2009 (Girdwood, Alaska) – Returning to the stage at Alyeska Resort's Sitzmark Bar and Grill is Jerry Joseph and the Jackmormons for three nights only starting New Year's Eve. Joseph and his band last played in Alaska in April 2009, and they are excited for their return to Alyeska Resort with shows scheduled for December 31, 2009, January 1 and 2, 2010.

Known as a touring machine, Jerry Joseph will be arriving in Alaska on the heels of his solo Winter Rockies Tour that starts in San Francisco this week. For his Alyeska Resort shows, Joseph will be bringing his rock band The Jackmormons and the audience should expect a high-energy rock show. The *Washington Post* states, "Sounding occasionally like John Mellencamp's older, wiser and psychologically mixed-up sibling, Joseph writes complex, image-laden songs and infuses them with plenty of attitude, soulfulness and swagger."

Joseph has been writing songs since 1982, highlighting a successful career that has included musical collaborations with Vic Chesnutt, Pete Droge and Dave Schools (Widespread Panic, J. Mascis and the Fog), as well as producers such as Terry Manning (Led Zeppelin) and John Keane (R.E.M., 10,000 Maniacs). Joseph has also shared the stage with the likes of Neil Young, The Flaming Lips, DJ Logic, Curt Kirkwood and David Lindley. These days, one can find Joseph, writing, touring and on the road with his band The Jackmormons, featuring band members Junior Ruppel and Steve Drizos, or side project, the Stockholm Syndrome, a band he fronts with Dave Schools, Eric McFadden, Wally Ingram and Danny Louis.

Tickets for the New Year's Eve show are \$20. Tickets for the January 1 and 2 shows are \$12 in advance and \$15 at the door. Tickets can be purchased in advance by calling 907-754-2275, visiting any Alyeska Resort Ticket Office or at the Sitzmark Bar and Grill. All three shows are 21 and over and start at 10:00 PM.



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Alyeska Resort is offering the ultimate Jerry Joseph and the Jackmormons New Year's Eve Package. The package includes one-night stay at The Hotel Alyeska, bottle of Veuve Clicquot champagne, two tickets to the show on December 31<sup>st</sup> and breakfast the next morning. The New Year's Eve Package is available from \$209 per person (based on double occupancy, includes all taxes and fees, and is subject to availability.) Alyeska Resort will be celebrating New Year's Eve with its always popular torchlight parade and fireworks show scheduled to start at 8:00 PM. The best place to view the parade and fireworks is from the Daylodge.

For Jerry Joseph enthusiasts, Alyeska Resort is offering the Jerry Joseph Fan Club Package for the nights of January 1 and 2, 2010. This package includes one-night stay at The Hotel Alyeska, show tickets and breakfast the next morning for two adults. The Fan Club Package is available from \$129 per person (based on double occupancy, includes all taxes and fees, and is subject to availability.)

To reserve either the Jerry Joseph New Year's Eve Package or Jerry Joseph Fan Club Package, please call 907-754-2111. For more information go online to [AlyeskaResort.com](http://AlyeskaResort.com).

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### **About Alyeska Resort ([www.alyeskaresort.com](http://www.alyeskaresort.com))**

Alyeska Resort is Alaska's premier year-round destination featuring The Hotel Alyeska, an award-winning 304 room full-service property. Located just 40 miles from Anchorage and Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport, Alyeska Resort is your base camp for summer and winter excursions. The resort is within close proximity of three national parks and the Kenai Peninsula, and is home to the northernmost temperate rainforest, part of the Chugach Mountains. Alyeska Resort stands out in ski season with 643" of average snowfall annually and the longest-continuous double black diamond ski run in North America. Learn more about the resort and plan your Alaskan adventure at [www.alyeskaresort.com](http://www.alyeskaresort.com) or 800-880-3880.

### **About Jerry Joseph ([www.jerryjoseph.com](http://www.jerryjoseph.com))**

Joseph got his start in music in the 80's when he led the reggae/rock band Little Women, based out of Boulder, Colorado, which ruled the Rocky Mountain club circuit for most of the 80's and broke up in 1993. Joseph continued to record before an oft-publicized drug addiction temporarily sidelined his career. The process of getting clean took Joseph to New York, Montana, Salt Lake City, where the Jackmormons were formed in 1996, and eventually to Portland. Jerry Joseph and the Jackmormons "Mouthful of Copper" was the second release from Jerry Joseph & The Jackmormons on Terminus Records and follows the critically acclaimed Conscious Contact which was released in early 2002. Jerry Joseph & the Jackmormons have released four other albums as well.