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UST Presents “An Evening with Ken O’Malley: Irish Singer, Songwriter and Storyteller”

WHAT: The University of St. Thomas’ Center for Irish Studies and The Irish Society present the Moran Resources Company Distinguished Irish Studies Event titled “An Evening with Ken O’Malley: Irish Singer, Songwriter and Storyteller.”

WHEN: 7:30 p.m., Thursday, March 2

WHERE: University of St. Thomas
Cullen Hall, 4001 Mt. Vernon
Parking: Moran Center, 3807 Graustark at West Alabama

BACKGROUND: The Irish bardic tradition continues in the guise of Dublin-born and reared Ken O’Malley, widely regarded as the finest Irish folk singer/songwriter in the United States today. O’Malley will transport the listener down Raglan Road, Skibbereen and other conjured places where words and music express a longing for what is lost, defiance for what is taken, laughter for foolishness and irreverence for what is sacred.

He has performed with numerous bands including the Chieftains, and he has led the well-known band, The Twilight Lords. He most recently starred in a Kerry Records’ production of A Grand Irish Variety Concert at The Shiley Theater, San Diego, The United Irish Cultural Center, San Francisco, and Marsee Auditorium, El Camino College, Torrance, Calif.

COST: Free and open to the public.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: Contact Lori Gallagher at 713-525-3592. For additional tour information visit Kerry Records Web site at www.kerryrecords.com.

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