

SHOW DESCRIPTION

Main Show: Direct from Las Vegas, *Carpenters Legacy* is the definitive show celebrating the music and legacy of the famed brother-sister duo. Starring Sally Olson as Karen Carpenter and Ned Mills as Richard Carpenter, the show is a re-creation of the Carpenters' live performances featuring hits including "We've Only Just Begun", "Yesterday Once More", "Superstar", Karen's drum solo, Richard's classical piano feature, comedy antics and much more.

Carpenters Legacy maintains a residency in the V Theater at Planet Hollywood Resort & Casino in Las Vegas. This acclaimed production has played to sold out Las Vegas showrooms and performing arts centers all over the country. The show was the featured entertainment for both the Carpenters 50th and 55th Anniversary Celebration (2019 & 2024) at the Downey Theatre in Downey, California (home of the Carpenters.) *Carpenters Legacy* is a seven-time *Best of Las Vegas* winner and is also a *TripAdvisor Travelers' Choice Awards* recipient. Olson and Mills are the *first-ever* and *only* Karen and Richard Carpenter tribute artists to perform with the world-renowned Las Vegas based revue *Legends In Concert*. In 2025 Las Vegas Mayor Shelley Berkley proclaimed September 5 "Carpenters Legacy Day" in honor of the show and its contributions to the Entertainment Capital of the World.

Carpenters Legacy features a powerful live performance, historical commentary, lovely arrangements and video, taking audiences on an incredible journey down memory lane into the world of the Carpenters – the world's ONLY authentic Carpenters tribute in sight and sound.

"It's Karen all over again. I know of no one else that even comes close to what you're doing!" ~ Michael Lansing, The Carpenters' Audio Engineer, Assistant Tour Manager and Karen Carpenter's personal assistant in 1976

"Musically sound, vocally spot-on, and will please any fans of the duo." ~ John Katsilometes, *Las Vegas Review-Journal*

"Fans of the Carpenters will find an uncanny tribute in *Carpenters Legacy*, which has developed a reputation for capturing not only the sound but also the look of the iconic duo." - Travis Pinson, *Dallas Morning News*

Christmas Show: Direct from Las Vegas, *Carpenters Legacy: A Christmas Portrait*, starring Sally Olson as Karen Carpenter and Ned Mills as Richard Carpenter, takes the audience back in time to an old fashioned Christmas. The show recreates the nostalgia of the Carpenters' Christmas television specials and features the holiday classics "Merry Christmas, Darling", "Sleigh Ride", "The Christmas Song" and much more, and includes many of the Carpenters' greatest hits.