

THE FIRST PARISH OF WATERTOWN &
THE FOLK SONG SOCIETY OF GREATER BOSTON
PRESENT THE:

Dave Rowe Trio

Folk Music from Maine

<http://www.daverowemusic.com>

Saturday

February 27, 2010

8:00 p.m.

The First Parish of Watertown
35 Church Street, Watertown, MA

**A Benefit Concert for
The Helen Robinson Wright
Charitable Fund**

*(To Benefit local charities and needy
residents of Watertown)*

Admission \$20
Coffee & Refreshments will be served



Hairy-chested nautical songs, rollicking bluegrass and Appalachian tunes, old-timey instrumental masterpieces, broad-shouldered Celtic classics, captivating originals, and Downeast wit pepper every show by the Maine-based Dave Rowe Trio. This group of seasoned musicians seamlessly blend traditional and contemporary music with themes of northern New England, its interesting culture and rich heritage, effectively transporting the listener to the great state of Maine—from mountains to foothills to coast, from factory worker to farmer to fisherman. Dave's own sturdy songcraft is uniquely suited to express these traditional themes and imagery of hard work, community, and family together with stunning clarity. The trio's inventive use of instrumentation on guitar, mandolin, electric bass, and tin whistles along with their strong three-part vocal harmonies which hearken back to the great folk bands of the 1960s create an unique musical tapestry rarely heard in the contemporary folk landscape.

Dave Rowe has a strong heritage to draw on, having grown up immersed in music. His father was Tom Rowe, Schooner Fare's bass player. The trio includes Dave on guitar, Kevin O'Reilly, an electric bass player with a background in rock music, and Eric McDonald, a Boston-based mandolin player.

"...youthful zest, pulsing melodicism, and pedal-to-the-metal energy, Rowe and his pals prove there's nothing retro about carrying on the family name."

Scott Alarik
The Boston Globe

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