

## RESUME

Judith Ann (Snook) Utley

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### PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Judith (Snook) Utley began her harp study at the age of 12 in SD, USA. She earned her B.M. in harp performance at the University of Northern Colorado, under the tutelage of Suzann Young Davids. While an undergraduate, she was principal harpist with Central City Opera orchestra for 4 summers.

She earned her Master of Music degree in harp performance under Alice Chalifoux at The Cleveland Institute of Music in Ohio.

She also did post-graduate study and masterclasses with Suzanne McDonald.

While traveling with a touring music ensemble, Judith met her husband, Paul, who is a career missionary. After marrying in Manila, Philippines, they were reassigned to Bangkok, Thailand in 1983.

Judith performed with many orchestras and ensembles in Bangkok, most frequently with the Bangkok Symphony Orchestra. After moving to Chiangmai in 1997, she continued to commute to Bangkok and played principal harp with the BSO for more than 20 years.

She has been teaching harp students in Bangkok and Chiangmai for many years, and is a frequent jury member for exams and music competitions.

Judith has been honored to perform for members of Thailand's Royal Family.

### EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

University of Northern Colorado  
Bachelor of Music (harp performance)

The Cleveland Institute of Music/  
Case Western Reserve University  
Master of Music (harp performance)

### MUSIC HONOR SOCIETIES

Delta Omicron  
Pi Kappa Lambda