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EMMY AND TONY AWARD–WINNER KRISTIN CHENOWETH COMES TO THE BROWARD CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY

FORT LAUDERDALE – Emmy and Tony award–winning actress and singer **Kristin Chenoweth** will appear in concert with a 12-piece ensemble in the Au-Rene Theater on **Thursday, January 14, 2016 at 8 p.m.** She will take center stage performing Broadway show tunes, pop standards and music from her 2014 album, *Coming Home*.

Chenoweth may be most remembered by Broadway lovers everywhere for her origination of the role of Glinda the Good Witch in *Wicked*, which earned her a Tony Award nomination, and her Tony-winning performance in *You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown*. For her most recent appearance on Broadway in *On the Twentieth Century*, she won Drama Desk and Outer Critics Circle Awards and earned nominations for Tony and Drama League Awards. Other Broadway credits include the revival of *Promises, Promises*, *Steel Pier* and *Epic Proportions*.

In July 2015, Chenoweth was seen in the Disney Channel's live-action original movie *Descendants*, where she played the classic *Sleeping Beauty* villain Maleficent. Disney's *Descendants* became the #5 cable TV movie in history garnering 12.2 million viewers for its premiere and its hit soundtrack debuted at #1 on the *Billboard* 200 chart and peaked at #1 on the iTunes album chart. Honors for her television performances include an Emmy Award for Best Supporting Actress in a Comedy Series for the ABC series *Pushing Daisies* and nominations for two Emmy Awards and a People's Choice Award for her role as the quirky ex-songstress April Rhodes in *Glee*.

The third theater star ever to present a solo concert at New York's Metropolitan Opera House, Chenoweth has a phenomenal concert career that includes performing to sold-out crowds in two solo concerts at Carnegie Hall, the Hollywood Bowl with the Los Angeles Philharmonic and London's prestigious Royal Albert Hall. Her performance of *Kristin Chenoweth: The Dames of Broadway... All of 'Em!!!* at Lincoln Center also aired on PBS as did *Kristin Chenoweth: Coming Home*, in which she performed a career-spanning concert in her hometown of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

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