

# Craig & Kara Markley



## ***Kara Markley***

Kara began her musical career at a very early age. She is an accomplished vocalist and instrumentalist, and is also a budding multi-linguist. In addition to fiddle, Kara also plays flute, whistle and piano. She has studied fiddle with renowned players Eileen Ivers of Riverdance fame, Cape Breton's Natalie MacMaster, and Scotland's John McCusker. Craig and Kara's performances feature her expressive fiddle and unique vocal stylings in several different languages.

*"...an impressive singer with a great pedigree and a bright future ahead."*

**-Steve Winick-Dirty Linen**

## ***Craig Markley***

Craig started playing professionally at a very young age, and has performed various styles of music throughout his career. He sings and plays piano, guitar, accordions, tin whistle, and bodhran, the traditional Irish hand drum. Craig is also an accomplished composer and arranger and performs with the well-known Celtic band, "Stark Raven", which he formed, along with David Reddick, over twelve years ago. His compositions have been featured on radio programs throughout the world, and he has played on over 25 recordings.

*"His self penned tunes are both evocative and musically sensual, and songs like "Mother Beware" and "Our Father's Garden" display a sensitivity of touch, and thoughtful sentiments expressed with a quiet eloquence..... highly articulate and expertly crafted."*

**John O'Regan-Folk Roots**



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