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## Joey + Rory: The Music of True Love

Shawnee, OK- The sweet sounds of Joey + Rory's country music will fill the air at FireLake Grand on Saturday, February 20<sup>th</sup>! With songs they wrote and a sound that feels like home, they are capturing the hearts of country music fans across the nation.

"This husband and wife duo brought excitement to CMT's Can You Duet, and their continued success has been fun to watch," said Brad Peltier, Director of Marketing for FireLake Grand Casino. "Their harmonies and the songs that they wrote about their lives make their music unique. Their traditional approach to country music has endeared them to fans."

Born in rural Indiana in a factory town, Joey's dad, a Vietnam veteran, worked for GM and played guitar, and her mom, a farm girl, sang gospel. Surrounded by a musical family, Joey learned to sing traditional country, and she lives a country life. Working with vets, she learned the ins and outs of horses, cattle, and cleaning out barns. While she looks like a model wearing her jeans, western shirts, and boots, she works like a cowboy on the farm where she lives with her husband and his two daughters. Joey also owns a country restaurant with her sister. When she isn't on the road, she can be found pouring coffee or making bread at the restaurant.

Joey admits that she has been influenced by Dolly Parton, Loretta Lynne, and Connie Smith. She focuses on the sounds of traditional country music. She sings about what she knows...love, cowboys, family, faith, and keeping her man.

Kansas born Rory is every bit as country as Joey it's reflected in his dress of work boots and overalls. Rory, a former Marine, has focused on writing songs since arriving in Nashville. After writing songs for other labels, he started his own company, Giantslayer Publishing.

Joey + Rory have a winning combination. They not only get to do what they love; they also get to sing with the one they love. This concert is sure to renew your love of country music. Tickets may be purchased from FireLake Grand Casino Gift Shop, or by calling 405-96-GRAND, or by logging on to [www.firelakegrand.com](http://www.firelakegrand.com).

Presented with pride by the Citizen Potawatomi Nation, FireLake Grand Casino features more than 1,800 Vegas-style games in the beautiful 125,000 square foot facility, from the hottest slot machines to some 100 table games. As all games are designated "Class 3, Oklahoma Compact," six percent of FireLake Grand's net gaming revenue goes to support the state's public education. Dining options range from sizzling steaks at Embers Steakhouse to the exciting Grandstand Sports Grille and The Grand Buffet. The Casino is conveniently located just east of Oklahoma City on Interstate 40 at Exit 178.

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