



Susan Shehata (Sitara), Colleen Buckman (Kalyani) and Keith Helke (Pavan Kumar), combine decades of musical expertise and theatrical performance experience, as well as a passion for yogic traditions, to create an accessible and uplifting kirtan.

Sitara & Kalyani with Pavan Kumar have led Kirtan at many events including: Bhakti Fest Midwest, The Twin Cities Kirtan Festival, The Twin Cities Yoga Festival, the Varsity Theatre, Project Earth, Harvest Fest, Bella Madre and Shangri La music festivals, as well as yoga studios and wellness centers across the country.

They have also had the pleasure of playing with kirtan greats Dave Stringer, Brenda McMorrow and Suzanne Sterling, as well as opening for Trevor Hall and Grammy Award winning artist, Chris Berry.

As recording artists, the band released their first collective Kirtan album, self-titled Sitara & Kalyani with Pavan Kumar, and Kalyani has just released her second solo album, Fertile Ground.

Booking

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