

MUSIC & ACHIEVEMENT

A grounding in the arts will help our children to see; to bring uniquely human perspective to science and technology. In short, it will help them as they grow smarter to also grow wiser.
—Robert Allen, CEO, AT&T Corp.



FOUNDING

The Gold Orchestra was founded in 1989 by David Littrell, University Distinguished Professor of Music, Kansas State University. Comprised of students from Manhattan and area public and home schools, the orchestra has grown from the original 10 to more than 70 students grades 5-10.

To accommodate age appropriate musical repertoires, the Gold Orchestra is composed of three separate ensembles:

- GOLD grades 9-12
- SILVER grades 5-9
- BRONZE grades 3-5

ORCHESTRA ACTIVITIES

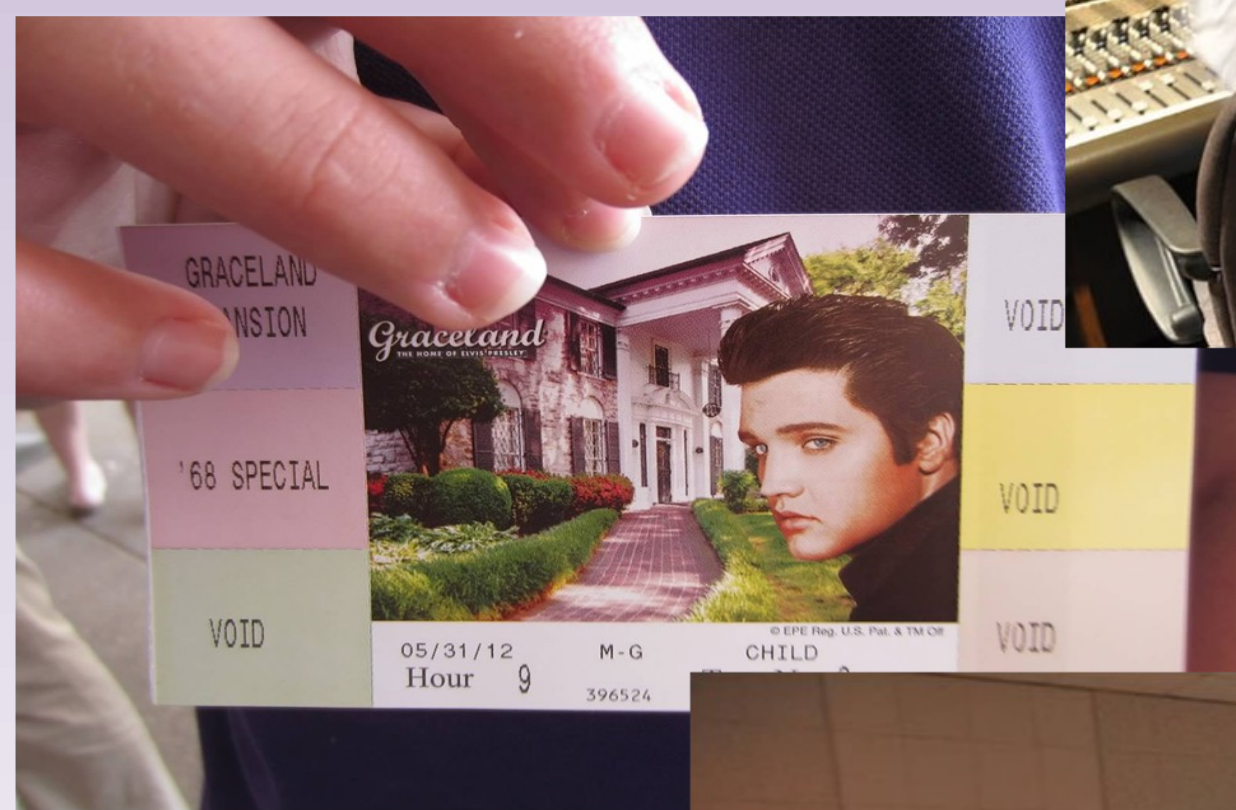
Fall Schedule

- . Weekly rehearsals
- . Rock Springs music camp
- . Performances for the public and at local schools

Concert Tours

Past & Future

- . Carnegie Hall 2001, 2006, 2014
- . Midwest Clinic 1992, 2010
- . Colorado 2008
- . Grand Canyon 2009
- . Nashville 2012



Gold Orchestra recording session, Studio B, (Elvis' favorite recording studio), Memphis, TN, June 2012

