



MUSIC TIP

Argentine folk music legend MERCEDES SOSA has sold out her Nov. 2 concert at the Veterans Wadsworth Theater, so the UCLA Center for the Performing Arts has added a second show at 10:30 p.m. On Nov. 14 in New York, the United Nations Development Fund for Women will give her its Anniversary Award.

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Dogg's World: Long Beach rapper Nathaniel (Nate Dogg) Hale, a Death Row recording artist who has appeared on controversial hit albums by Dr. Dre and Snoop Doggy Dogg, will perform at a family gospel concert at St. Luke's Holy Baptist Church in Long Beach on Sunday. Nate Dogg's appearance at the church comes just two days before the release of Tha Dogg Pound's "Dogg Food" album, a hard-core rap record on which he is a featured soloist. The explicit lyrics on the album, which is to be released by Death Row Records, triggered a controversy last summer that eventually led Time Warner to sever ties with Death Row's distributor, Interscope Records.

Services for Singer: Blind Melon singer Shannon Hoon, who was found dead Saturday in New Orleans, will be buried during a private ceremony Wednesday in his hometown of Lafayette, Ind. At the request of the family, any donations should be made to an educational fund for Hoon's baby daughter, Nico Blue. Address: Nico Blue Hoon c/o Shapiro & Co., 9229 Sunset Blvd., Suite 607, Los Angeles, 90069.