



## **A World of Chant**

A World of Chant is a weekly one-hour radio show produced in Penticton British Columbia at Peach City Radio (CFUZ-FM). Host Ken Almond strives to bring the sounds of universal chanting to listeners. Chanting is a combination of the heartfulness of a sing-a-long with the ecstasy of a rock concert, and the spirituality of meditation. Take a journey from culture to culture, religious tradition to tradition, and experience the sound of universal chanting, some of which is thousands of years old. Chanting is a bridge between the world of spirit and the material world we live in and is good for the mind, body and soul.

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Title: **The Beatles in India - it's 50 years later!**

Host: **Ken Almond**

Guest: **n/a**

Description: **The Beatles obviously need no introduction! Their time at an ashram in India in 1968 had a significant influence on their music and on this episode, this story is told by a Canadian photographer and filmmaker. Paul Saltzman, who spent time with them at Rishikesh, the Maharishi's ashram at the foot of the Himalayas. The Beatles' denunciation of drugs in favour of Transcendental Meditation taught by the Maharishi received widespread world media attention and their visit was the most productive period for the band's songwriting. George Harrison's love affair with India began in 1967 during a six week stay with his mentor and sitar teacher Ravi Shankar. A small selection of songs influenced by these experiences can be heard on this episode.**

**TRACKLIST (Artist/Album/Track) – CANCON: 0/8 (0%)**

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- 1. The Beatles/Sgt. Peppers Lonely Hearts Club Band/Within You Without You (4:58)**
- 2. The Beatles/Not Released/ Dehra Dun (3:27)**
- 3. The Beatles/White Album/While My Guitar Gently Weeps (4:45)**
- 4. John Lennon/John Lennon Signature Box/India India (3:06)**
- 5. George Harrison/The Radha Krishna Temple - Govinda/Govindam Adi Purusam (5:25)**
- 6. Ravi Shankar/Chants of India/Poornamadah (1:23)**
- 7. The Beatles/Remastered (2001)/Norwegian Wood (2:18)**
- 8. George Harrison/All Things Must Pass/My Sweet Lord (4:31)**

**ADDITIONAL CREDITS:**

- 1. British Pathe news library 1968 - Beatles with the Maharishi**
- 2. Paul Saltzman's Beatles in India interview on WVVH-TV Hamptons Television < excerpts**

