

## And finally ...



Trio Dinicu performing in Irina Voloshina's driveway. Maggie Shannon for The New York Times

Every Saturday, during a stretch of the pandemic, visitors from as far away as Malibu headed across Los Angeles to an Altadena driveway. There, they could hear something rare for the moment: live music.

Not just any live music — free live music with prominent guests including the Emmy Award-winning composer William Ross and [Larry Blank](#), resident pops conductor of the Pasadena Symphony and Pops. The series was started by Irina Voloshina, a local musician and recording artist who performs with the symphony.

The Los Angeles-based photographer Maggie Shannon (who recently [took us to prom across the state](#)) captured these images of a recent performance.



Concert attendees applaud Trio Dinicu after their performance. Maggie Shannon for The New York Times



Frank Anastasio packs up his upright bass after performing. Maggie Shannon for The New York Times

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