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England's Raphael Ensemble--making their American debut--will perform at 8 p.m. Oct. 5 in Mandeville Auditorium at the University of California, San Diego. This is the first ensemble performance of UCSD's 1995-96 Chamber Music Series.

Formed in 1982 by six string players with a desire to perform the masterpieces of the quintet and sextet repertoire, the ensemble has performed throughout Great Britain and in Norway, Germany, France, Belgium and the Far East. The award-winning group has recorded the works of Brahms, Dvorak, Korngold, Schoenberg, Martinu and Schulhoff, and their most recent compact disc features Tchaikovsky's Sextet, "Souvenir de Florence."

The ensemble's UCSD performance will include Brahms. String Sextet in G Major, Op. 16, and Dvorak: String Sextet in A Major, Op. 48.

The event is sponsored by the UCSD University Events Office. General admission tickets and tickets for staff, faculty, and senior citizens are \$18, and student tickets are \$10. For further information, call 534-4090.

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