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**The Cowpie Quintet**

Debra Akerlund  
violin

Rachel Nesvig  
violin

Maria Bokor  
viola

Peggy Thorndill  
cello

Christopher Burns  
bass

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