

SAMPLE

Andalee Belly Dance Performance Contract

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The parties to this contract are Andalee Belly Dance and _____ (“Client”).

1. Andalee Belly Dance shall provide:

a. **1** dancer for a performance on _____ at the below specified location:

Address: _____

Time: _____

(Please include the name of the venue or other helpful information for locating the event):

b. The total performance time shall be

one set for the duration of 10 minutes (Belly Dance Light)

two sets for the duration of 20 minutes (The Complete Package)

two sets for the duration of 30 minutes (The Works)

a belly dance lesson with short performance for approximately one hour (Shimmy Party)

a belly dance lesson without a performance for approximately one hour

other: _____

c. If appropriate, Andalee will encourage audience participation through dancing and clapping. Guests of honor may be invited onto the stage to dance, but Andalee will not force those who are uninterested in participating.

d. Andalee will not solicit tips from the guests, but if they choose to tip Andalee of their own accord, they may do so by throwing bills in the air above her head, respectfully placing them in her costume (Andalee will indicate an appropriate place, and inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated), or handing them to her. Any and all tips given to Andalee are hers to keep, and are in addition to the payment

e. Andalee shall provide music in the form of a CD, plus a backup MP3 player.

f. If for any reason there is a delay in the Andalee's arrival time, she will call the phone number given to inform the hiring party of the delay.

g. Time allowing, Andalee will be happy to pose for souvenir pictures after the performance.

h. Andalee will wear an appropriate, professional costume. She will also wear a costume cover when not performing.

2. The client shall provide:

a. A total of \$_____ for the performance listed in 1b. A nonrefundable deposit of **\$50** is required to be received no later than five days before performance (Checks and PayPal accepted). The balance of the payment shall be provided at event location.

b. Payment in the amount of \$_____ is due immediately following the performance/lesson. (Cash is preferred). For each half-hour beyond the agreed upon time listed in 1a, a fee of \$50 shall apply.

c. Payment shall include roundtrip travel if the location of the events is outside of the Triangle area. The Triangle is defined as Apex, Carrboro, Cary, Chapel Hill, Durham, Garner, Hillsborough, Morrisville, and Raleigh. A travel fee of \$1.00 per mile will be calculated once Andalee arrives at event location. The estimated travel fee is \$_____. Travel fees are nonrefundable.

d. A safe and adequate space for Andalee shall be provided. This includes a floor or stage space that is free of broken glass, spilled liquids, or other hazardous objects. This also includes an environment that is free of

harassment of a sexual nature or otherwise. If Andalee deems the environment unsafe for the above reasons, she may leave without rendering services. In that case, the client will still be responsible for paying the full amount.

e. A sound system with CD playing capabilities shall be provided, preferably in the same room in which the performance is to take place. The sound system is an important part of the show and should be tested prior to Andalee's arrival. Louder is better.

f. The client shall communicate any special suggestions or requests prior to the beginning of the performance. The performance has been carefully choreographed and it is difficult to make changes once the performance has begun. Be assured that, if appropriate, audience participation song(s) will be included.

g. Andalee may have more than one engagement per day, so it is important that the show start at the agreed upon time. If Andalee is required to start more than 30 minutes late, an extra charge of \$50 will apply. In some cases, lateness may result in a shorter show or constitute a breach of contract on the part of the client.

h. It is important to pay Andalee in a timely manner once services have been rendered. If Andalee is required to wait more than 15 minutes after the show for payment, an extra charge of \$50 will apply. Please help us to get out the door on time so that we can remain on schedule.

i. A private space will be provided for Andalee to change clothes and to store her bags while performing.

j. A safe parking spot will be available for the performer close to the event venue.

k. Any recordings or photographs shall not be duplicated or used for commercial purposes.

This contract represents the full understanding of all parties.

Agreed to and accepted:

Client:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Provider:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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