Arts & Entertainment

Cage and Ryan star in 'City of Angels'

Brie Bittenbender Pendulum Reporter

I cried when I saw "City of Angels," but I don't know why. Although it was a let down, I must give it credit for being well written. It is definitely one of those "Chicken Soup for the Soul" kind of films.

As for the actors in the film, Nicholas Cage has portrayed everything from a drunk, to a convict and this time he is an angel.

Meg Ryan has maintained her 30-year-old look for the last 15 years and makes a great character out of the angel's attraction.

The story focuses on Seth, the angel played by Cage, and Maggie, a heart surgeon played by Ryan. As you might of guessed, they fall in love and everything works out great right?

Come to find out Seth can't

feel emotions and when Maggie his wings for nothing, but it is jusfinds out about it, she leaves town.

In the meantime, Seth is debat-

ing whether or not to turn in his angelic status Maggie. He is perplexed by this issue and even-

tually

seeks help

Cage and Ryan find heavenly love in 'Angels'

from an ex-angel who tells him that it is possible for an angel to become human and fall in love with another human being.

Within days of Seth's an gelic sacrifice, the entire reason for the end of his immortality becomes extinct. So in theory, Seth gives up

tified by the poetic quality of Cage's character that, "Giving it all up for

one brush of her hair, one touch of her hand and one taste of her lips was worth never feeling it."

This average love story with a twist was definitely cute, but I would not see it again. If you are into that kind of romance, then you should see it because it does make you think about life and question whether or not there are angels somewhere watching over your

Come to the Elon Dancer's Concert!

April 30 - May 1 McCrary Theatre 8 p.m.

Sonsa performs Sunday in Yeager Recital Hall

Erik Akelaitis A&E Editor

An afternoon of 20th century music await as Sonsa performs Sunday at 3 p.m. in Yeager Recital Hall.

Sonsa is a trio of violin, clarinet and piano musicians who combine their talents in an effort to capture the essence of chamber music. The members of the musical group are Corine Cook, violin; Donald Oehler, clarinet and Victoria Fischer, piano.

Fischer, an Elon professor, wants the concert to provide the Elon community with a chance to experience chamber music in a positive manner.

"I hope that the performance will show Elon students what a great genre twenieth century music is," Fischer said.

"In the future we hope to expand our performances and get our

literature written and out to the



Corine Cook, Victoria Fischer and **Donald Oehler of Sonsa perform Sunday**

The group will perform an array of American and international music from a variety of composers.

Some of the music the group will perform is "From The Green

Mountains," by Jeanne Singer, an American song writer, as well as other early American music.

In addition, Sonsa will perform a variety of international music from different composers such Bartok,

Khachatuarian and Harbison.

The concert is free with an

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- April 23: Elon College Chamber Orchestra 8 p.m. McCrary Theatre
- **April 24- The Department** of Performing Arts presents "A Grand Night for Singing IV" 8 p.m. Yeager Recital Hall
- April 26- Sonsa; 3 p.m. Yeager Recital Hall
- April 30-May1 Elon Dancers Concert, 8 p.m McCrary Theatre; Tickets: \$5
- May 2- North Carolina **Poetry Society Spring Festival:** 9 a.m.-3p.m. Yeager Recital Hall. For more information, contact Rosemary Haskell at 584-2211.
- May 2- Elon College Chamber Singers; 8 p.m. McCrary Theatre. Tickets: fre

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