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# Rocker Greg Lake coming to La Quinta Resort in May

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Greg Lake will be in concert at the La Quinta Resort and Club on May 26. Courtesy photo

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Progressive rocker Greg Lake will be in the Coachella Valley for a Memorial Day weekend concert at the La Quinta Resort and Club in La Quinta.

The founder of King Crimson and Emerson, Lake and Palmer brings his solo show, "Songs of a Lifetime," to the resort for a May 26 concert in the Las Flores Ballroom.

On May 27, Lake hosts an intimate breakfast meet and greet and a preview of his autobiography at 9 a.m..

With King Crimson, it was Lake's voice that helped to put the group on American charts with "In the Court of the Crimson King" and "21st Century Schizoid Man."

Teaming with Keith Emerson and Carl Palmer in 1970, Emerson, Lake and Palmer scored their first hit with "Lucky Man," a song written by Lake when he was 12.

ELP's hits ranged from "Still You Turn Me On," "From the Beginning," "Karn Evil 9: 1st Impression, Part 2" and "Brain Salad Surgery" to classical works by Aaron Copland ("Fanfare for the Common Man") and traditional English hymns ("Jerusalem").

Tickets for the concert only are priced at \$38 and are on sale at Lake's website.

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VIP packages, which must be purchased in addition to the concert ticket, are \$100 for the gold package that includes a post-concert reception.

The \$200 platinum package adds access to the pre-concert sound check.

Tickets for the buffet breakfast are \$79.

A two night "Songs of a Lifetime" resort package starts at \$287 per night and includes two concert only tickets.

The La Quinta Resort and Club is at 49499 Eisenhower Drive in La Quinta.

Tickets are available on Lake's website, [www.greglakelive.com](http://www.greglakelive.com).

Resort information: (760) 564-4111; [www.laquintaresort.com](http://www.laquintaresort.com).

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