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## ***Bel Canto at Rocky Mountain Audio Fest 2011 Power Your Imagination in **Room 557*****

Minneapolis MN • 10/11/2011 • Bel Canto Design, Ltd., manufacturers of analog and digital source components and amplifiers exhibits again at everyone's favorite show the Rocky Mountain Audio Fest, **Room 557** with Joseph Audio Perspectives, Cardas cable, and WideaLab's Aurender S10 Music Storage and Playback System.

### ***Festival Headliner***

The NEW news is the debut of the Bel Canto CD3t Transport. It's a high-reliability slot-loader featuring low-jitter architecture for AES and SPDIF 44.1/16 outputs. As always there's an efficient low-noise power supply that typically consumes only 3 to 4 watts while operating, and an ultra-low power Sleep Mode consumes less than 0.5 watts. There's a sharp, bright four-character display and a 3.5mm IR input on the rear panel. A full-function remote makes things easy backed by six large buttons on the front panel.

And now... purchase any Bel Canto DAC and submit the warranty form and you're eligible for a free copy of Basic Amarra for Bel Canto software. A \$59 value, it supports up to 96kHz with automatic sample rate adjustment. "Get the best from iTunes and your Bel Canto DAC with Amarra," says John Stronczer.

### ***The Usual Suspects... and One Most Unusual!***

John's well-traveled Mac with a USB Light Link and the CD3t Transport will spin tunes into a DAC3.5VB, VBS1 Power Supply, VBREF Power Cable and a pair of REF500M amplifiers driving Joseph Audio Perspectives in Room 557. The WideaLab Aurender S10 Music Storage and Playback System will also feed music to the DAC3.5VB. In the Unusual Suspect category show visitors will find a similar Bel Canto system in Room 431 powering Polk Audio speakers!

The Wall Street Journal raves: "For bookshelf audiophiles who like their separate components down to the individual power supply, Bel Canto's full range of modular matching half-size power amps, CD players, FM tuners and digital-to-analog converters (for your PC music) is a dream come true. Though they're about as small as '80s-era microsystems, these handmade-in-Minneapolis stackables deliver enough sound and power for speakers 10 times their size."

***Visit Room 557 and hear for yourself what Bel Canto can do even in a Denver hotel room!***

### ***About Bel Canto***

Bel Canto Design has developed award-winning products for more than 15 years using the highest standards of design, engineering and production practices. Included in the Bel Canto line are a series of CD players, DACs, integrated amps, mono and two-channel amplifiers, an analog preamp, a companion phono stage with adjustable cartridge loading, the USB Link 24/96 USB-to-SPDIF converter, the 24/96 Light Link with more products you want on the way.

Bel Canto's music products are made in Minnesota and subscribe to low-impact production methods that put little waste back into the system. Reduced packaging volume and lower transport weight reduces environmental impact. Bel Canto reuses or recycles more than 99% of the packing materials found in incoming parts shipments, and each year diverts massive amounts of cardboard, paper, plastic film, and Styrofoam from landfills. Steel, aluminum, and other metal waste products are recycled and returned to the production stream.



turn down your electric bill.  
turn up the air guitar.

Our CD2 and the new DAC3vB with a pair of REF500M monoblock amplifiers consume less power while playing than a 40 watt light bulb. Designer John Stronczer uses less power to do more; we let the music do the talking. Visit [www.belcantodesign.com](http://www.belcantodesign.com) or a dealer near you for our full line of energy efficient products today.

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### ***Component Retail Price List***

#### **Bel Canto**

CD3t Transport	\$1,495
DAC3.5VB	\$2,995
VBS1 Power Supply	\$1,495
VBREF Power Cable	\$495
REF500M (each)	\$1,995
Light Link	\$349

#### **Joseph Audio**

Perspectives	\$11,800
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#### **Cardas Cables**

Clear Beyond Biwire Speaker Cables @ 10'	\$9884
Clear Balanced Interconnect @ 1.5m	\$2660
Clear Interconnect @1.5m	\$1840
Clear Serial Buss (USB)	\$150
Clear M Power Cords @5'	\$549

#### **WideaLab**

Aurender S10	\$6,495
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