



JO SCHUMAN SILVER
Producer

As Steve Silver's partner and handpicked successor for *Beach Blanket Babylon*, Jo has kept his creative vision alive since his death in 1995. She continues Steve's dedication to charitable involvement through numerous philanthropic endeavors. In 2002, Jo created the annual Steve Silver Foundation & *Beach Blanket Babylon* "Scholarship for the Arts" benefiting Bay Area high school seniors. The 30th anniversary of *Beach Blanket Babylon* was commemorated with a Celebration of the Arts, honoring San Francisco Opera, San Francisco Symphony, San Francisco Ballet, American Conservatory Theater (A.C.T.), and other local arts organizations. Under Jo's leadership, *Beach Blanket Babylon* also became the first American production ever to be presented at the BBC Covent Garden Music Festival in London, England. In 2005, Jo proudly welcomed Prince Charles and Camilla, The Duchess of Cornwall as part of their first official royal tour of the United States.