

# Latif Bolat Ensemble

*Turkish Mystic music, poetry and images*

*Latif Bolat continues the tradition of the "Ashik," the dervish - troubador, which has existed for a thousand years in his native land of Turkey.*

*In his program, devotional Sufi songs from the 15th Century, mystical poetry from Rumi, Yunus Emre and images from Turkey will be presented.*

*"Bolat is a master of timeless Turkish music." - Tucson Citizen*

*"His walnut hued voice rolls without effort and wafts into the highest reaches of the balcony, causing many to lower their heads in supplication." - San Francisco Weekly*

*"Latif Bolat is a Turkish music envoy in America." - Harriyet Daily, Istanbul*

## **Latif Bolat Afternoon Workshop and Concert Saturday 7 July 2007 Columcille Centre, 2 Newbattle Terrace, Edinburgh**

**Latif Bolat Afternoon Workshop: A Thousand Years of Turkish Mystic Culture: Music, Philosophy, Poetry and History.**

**Time: Registration: 11.30am-12. Workshop: 12-4pm.**

**Cost: £10/£7 (Concessions). For a Registration Form:**

**Contact: Neill Walker, [contact@eicws.org](mailto:contact@eicws.org), 0131 331 4469.**

**Latif Bolat in Concert: Healing Sounds of the Wandering Dervishes of Turkey:**

**Turkish Mystic Sufi Music and Poetry with Latif Bolat.**

**Time: Doors open from 7pm. Concert: 7.30pm-9.30pm.**