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New Chimes Added to Woodstock Environments Collection

Item / Size / MSRP: Woodstock Healing Chime / 34" Long x 15" Wide / \$65

Woodstock Buddha Chime / 31" Long / \$45

Woodstock Temple Bell - Fuji / 32.5" Long / \$35

Woodstock Temple Bell - Nara / 23.5" Long / \$25

Woodstock Temple Bell - Solo / 15.5" Long / \$20

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Following the successful expansion of its *Environments Collection* in 2007, Woodstock Chimes introduces additional windchimes that recognize the healing powers of sound. "There's an interest among consumers in Eastern philosophy that continues to grow," says Garry Kvistad, founder of Woodstock Chimes. "We have a number of very interesting and unusual products that have been inspired by these philosophies and also satisfy our customers' curiosities."

The *Woodstock Healing Chime* is one of these ancient curiosities. The precisely tuned tubes work together to create a sound "illusion," harmonizing in such a way that causes the ear to hear more tones than the windchime is creating. "Because of my own fascination with sound, this happens to be my favorite introduction this year," says Kvistad. "The chime uses an ancient scale, called the Natural Harmonic Overtone Series, to create this musical effect. The resulting sound cannot be heard on any modern instrument."

Another new introduction for 2008 is the *Woodstock Buddha Chime*, which features a hand-painted, synthetic pagoda and four Buddha figures, which can be seen from all sides of the windchime. The windchime's gold, anodized aluminum tubes are also tuned to an ancient Chinese scale from the 27th century BC and complement the gold and red finished ash wood.

Woodstock also introduces three new *Temple Bells* that feature ceramic and wood beads as decorative accents. The *Fuji Temple Bell* has five copper-plated steel bells, while the *Nara Temple Bell* has three bells, also in copper-plated steel. The *Solo Temple Bell* features a single brass bell along with a unique swirled clapper.

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About Woodstock Chimes:

Founded by music pioneers Garry and Diane Kvistad more than 25 years ago, Woodstock Chimes is a leading manufacturer of precision-tuned windchimes. Today, the company markets more than 100 different products in its Encore® and Signature Collections™, many of which are tuned to particular musical scales. Woodstock's home and garden offerings include hand-tuned chimes, bells, gongs, and fountains, as well as the popular DCUK designs. The Woodstock Environments® line features holistic products for the mind and body. An additional collection of musical gifts, the Woodstock Music Collection®, is a unique assortment of instruments from around the world that can be played and enjoyed without extensive training or practice. For more information on Woodstock Chimes, visit www.chimes.com or call 1.800.422.4463 or 845.657.6000.

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