## HU GH E.SW AN KE - E ntertainer, D isc Jockey, Coordinator

Hugh has been an E ntertainer and D isc Jockey in Southern California since 1987, having performed for over I, 000 w eddings, parties and events. He has done voice-overs for radio and video productions, been the $M$ aster of Ceremony for fashion show $s$, athletic show $s$, car show $s$, and bridal show $s$. H ugh is the founder and ow ner of A N ew Song M obile E ntertainment, and has one other entertainer w orking w ith him. The company focus is on weddings and receptions, as w ell as corporate parties and sound services.

His entire family has been or still is in entertainment, most of them in music. Hugh started playing bongos in a folk band before the first grade, has been in many theater productions, and has performed magic, song and comedy. He was lead singer for The Cantors in the mid 1980's, has directed and written stage plays, and hosted karaoke show s in South Riverside County. H e became a D isc J ockey w ith the help of a long-time friend who was a trainer for a large entertainment company in Southern California.

Currently, Hugh is on the Leadership Counsel for D isc Jockey A merica, a professional organization dedicated to professionalism in the D isc Jockey industry, is a founding member of the I nland E mpire A merican Disc Jockey A ssociation, and a member of the A merican D isc Jockey A ssociation. In the past Hugh has founded two wedding professional organizations, one in San D iego, and one in Temecula. H is goals for the future include teaching and training other D isc Jockeys so that the standards of the industry will allow for greater professionalism.

Hugh BA in Philosophy from San D iego State U niversity, and a teaching credential from California State U niversity, Dominguez Hills. He lives in W ildomar CA with his w ife and best friend Pam, four children, and far too many pets.

