



Kristin Shaffer received her B.M and M.M in flute performance at Wichita State University, where she was a student of Dr. Frances Shelly. Kristin has performed in master classes with Julius Baker and James Galway. She has been on the Bethel College (North Newton, KS) adjunct faculty since 1996 and is also adjunct flute instructor at Hesston (KS) College. She has been principal flutist with the Newton Mid-Kansas Symphony Orchestra since 1996 and was principal flutist with the Hutchinson Symphony from 1998-2006. Kristin was a soloist with NMKSO in 2008 on *Latin American Suite for Flute and Harpsichord* by Daniel Luzko, and in 2010 on *Brandenburg Concerto No. 2* by J.S. Bach. She most recently performed *Poem for Flute and Orchestra* by Charles Griffes with the Newton Mid-Kansas Symphony Orchestra in 2011. Kristin lives in Wichita with her husband, Doug, and her two sons.