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'ASTITVA', an 8-member Indian Musical Group led by Salman and Zaman presented cultural performances in Malta and Gozo. The visit was sponsored by the Indian Council for Cultural Relations, Government of India.

In Malta, Astitva performed on Saturday, 23 September, 2023 at Festival Destination North organised by the St Paul's Bay Local Council to celebrate diversity by bringing together culture, art and food of different countries. This marks the first ever performance by a band from India which drew large crowds to the event. The group dazzled the audience with a medley of sufi, folk & bollywood music.

On Sunday, 23 September, 2023 Astitva presented another melodious evening in Gozo, a sister island of Malta, They performed at the 1st edition of Gozo Theatre Festival held at Villa Rundle gardens. The participation was organised by the High Commission of India in association with Cultural Heritage Directorate, Ministry for Gozo. Hon. Min for Gozo, H.E. Mr. Clint Camilleri graced the event with his presence. This was first ever Indian cultural event organised by the High Commission in Gozo. It was well attended by Gozitans and members of Indian community.

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