

LAS VEGAS SHOWCASE

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SUPERSTAR DANNY AT DUNES



DANNY THOMAS, WHO WILL STAR IN DUNES MAIN SHOWROOM DECEMBER 1 TO DECEMBER 21.

of the month). DIANE FINDLAY, SIEGFRIED & ROY, RICK MILAND and "HALLELUJAH HOLLYWOOD", ROGER MINAMI & CINNAMON-STEEN and "BARE TOUCH OF VEGAS", choreographer-director RON LEWIS, among the recipients of the awards (given prior to the Hope taping) were announced and seen at the end of the special.....Membership in the Awards-voting ACADEMY OF CABARET & VARIETY ARTISTS (For next year) is now open to all performers, musicians, agents, producers, choreographers, managers, press, etc. If you did NOT join in the 1974 Awards, you can now get applications for the 74-75 year by calling the Academy at 735-8879. ALL performers, currently working or not, are eligible for membership. Joining NOW will insure that you receive a ballot next year!!.....PAUL ANKA & his talented protege ODIA COATES are doing it all over again with their latest release "One Woman Man, One Man Woman". Paul & Odia open at Caesars Palace on December 18, and by that time their "Having My Baby" disc should be certified a platinum best seller!MEL TORME winds a dazzling year of personal & professional acclaim this month with an engagement at the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco, is being coaxed out of his Christmas-at-home-retreat to star in a special-New Year's Eve show at a Strip hotel. Mel, who has maintained a no work holiday for the past several years has promised the hotel an answer this week! Mel will be returning to the Sahara Hotel in 1975; his first time out will be the February 27 opener with Jerry Lewis.

LIFE UPON THE WICKED STAGE.....DICK CLARK premieres his new "Good Old Rock 'N Roll Revue" in the "new" main showroom of the Flamingo Hotel on December 5.....THE KIM BROTHERS move from the Flamingo Casino Theater to the newly reopened Hilton Casino Theater, opening tonight (Nov. 29) in the Hilton Nitebird with THE TRENIERS. THE CHECKMATES LTD (winners again as "Lounge Act of the Year") and SLAPPY WHITE open the Hilton Casino Theater. WEEKEND WANDERERS.....THE JACKSON FIVE and PAT COOPER at the Grand.....JAI ALAI at the MGM Fronton.....PHYLLIS DILLER at the Tropicana.....GLADYS KNIGHT & THE PIPS & DOC SEVERINSEN at the Hilton.....PETULA at the Riviera.....DANNY THOMAS at the Dunes (Dec 1).....RICH LITTLE & JERRY VALE at the Sands.....

LIGHTS OF LAS VEGAS.....RICHARD TODD and THE ROYAL SHAKESPEARE COMPANY arrive today for a special limited engagement (five performances) at the Judy Bayley Theater at the University of Las Vegas.....CHARO, now at the Sahara with JIM NABORS, will headline a special New Year's Eve show at the Congo Room with an all-Latin revue. TOTIE FIELDS & JERRY VALE, who will be the Christmas-New Years attraction at the Sahara will do their shows at 6:00 P.M. and 10:00 P.M. on December 31; Charo will do her special show at 2:00 A.M.....BOBBIE GENTRY, scheduled for a Desert Inn return on December 27, may be called in to do a special one week date at the D.J. when JULIET PROWSE closes on Dec 4. Bobbie would then close on Dec 11, and reopen the 27th, which is the same schedule that the Frontier Hotel has for its stars ROBERT GOULET & FOSTER BROOKS.....SHECKY GREENE makes a special four day appearance at the MGM Grand Hotel's Celebrity Room opening Dec. 11. The room goes dark when Shecky closes and reopens Christmas Day with SHIRLEY MACLAINE.....THE JACKSON FIVE, currently at the Grand, are being wooed to make their first major appearance on Broadway in a special concert engagement after the New Year. The J-5, who are usually booked to play massive arenas to accommodate 20-50,000 fans per show, are making a crossover into adult audiences and nightclub patrons and a Broadway bow would cinch the Motown stars as an all-audience attraction.....ANN-MARGRET, back at the Hilton on Dec 18, is also Broadway bound. Ann-Margret has accepted a limited road tour for her new "Best of Ann-Margret" spectacular and will wind with a limited Broadway run next

year.....FULL MOON, the new group at the Union Plaza brought in by BOBBY MORRIS & his Creative Entertainment & Associates agency, are doing such good biz at the noon to 6 PM time slot, entertainment director Maynard Sloate has inked the musical ensemble to an additional four week stay.....

STRIP BITS & PIECES.....Congratulations, again, to all the nominees and winners in the 4th annual LAS VEGAS ENTERTAINMENT AWARDS (aired last week as a BOB HOPE NBC-TV special and scoring in the top rated shows

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