

This Far By Faith

"This Far By Faith" -- the little known story of the black church and its impact on American culture -- will be scheduled for showings throughout the month of April at the following locations:

Friday 4-7-78	Community Baptist Church 1548 Price Street (off of Corn Street) Henderson, NV Contact Person: Rev. S. Roberson 648-8100	7:30 p.m. Rev. Sam Roberson, Pastor
Wednesday 4-12-78	Black Students Alliance (BSA) Consolidated Student Union of UNLV (CSUN) BALLROOM Pepper Bartlett, President 4505 South Maryland Parkway Las Vegas, NV Contact: Pepper Bartlett	4:00 p.m. 7:36-8147
Sunday 4-16-78	God Center of Divine Healing and Prophecy Rev. Mother A.M. White, Pastor 1044 West Owens Las Vegas, NV 89106 Contact: Rev. Mother A.M. White 648-6143	2:30 p.m.
Wednesday 4-19-78	Vegas View Church of God In Christ 1906 Glider Street North Las Vegas, NV 89030 Program Director: Michael Jackson 842-6211 Assistant Pastor: Frank Harkis 648-5871	8:00 p.m. Rev. C. Parson, Pastor
Sunday 4-23-78	True Love Missionary Baptist Church 1941 North "H" Street Las Vegas, NV 89106 Contact: Dr. Rev. I.W. Wilson 642-0216 or 648-3603	7:30 p.m. Rev. I. W. Wilson, Pastor

Narrated by actor Brock Peters and featuring a variety of noted black artists and performers, "This Far By Faith" relates through music, dance, literature, drama and interviews how the black church preserved the African cultural forms and traditions, thereby becoming a major source of American artistic and humanistic leadership.

The hour-long special is made possible by American Telephone and Telegraph and is presented by the City Spirit Coalition of Las Vegas funded by National Endowment for the Arts and supported by grants from the City of Las Vegas, Dayton-Hudson Foundation, and Comprehensive Employment and Training Act.

The "griot", and African storyteller and oral historian, is a central figure in "This Far By Faith". The link between ancient African tradition and the black cultural experience in America, the griot was the forerunner of today's black minister. In the film, the griot becomes the plantation storyteller, the

emancipated preacher, and, finally today's black minister and leader.

"This Far By Faith" brings together a unique cast of luminary artists including Roscoe Lee Browne, Carmen de Lavallade, James Baldwin, Jacob Lawrence and Brock Peters. As narrator and coproducer, Peters lends to the film his talents as an accomplished actor, writer and producer. Well-known to American audiences for his brilliant roles in "The Pawnbroker" and "To Kill a Mockingbird", Peters has also garnered acclaim on Broadway and has received numerous drama awards.

The musical direction for "This Far By Faith" was supervised by Coleridge-Taylor Perkinson, the illustrious black composer and conductor. Perkinson has scored over six television programs, eight motion pictures and nine stage productions, including "A Warm December" and "Ceremonies in Dark old Men". Among his many professional affiliations, Perkinson has been conductor of the Symphony of the New World and Music Director of the American Theatre Lab.

In "This Far By Faith", Perkinson masterfully orchestrates the growth of black music from early spirituals to modern jazz. Spirituals evolved from slave songs, whose double entendre lyrics carried messages across plantations, to do today's black church music which has become a major force in contemporary American music. In their rendition of "By and By" the Edwin Hawkins Singers underscore the flavor of gospel music.

Jazz, America's gift to the music world, underwent subtle changes as it migrated from its southern delta source up the Mississippi to Memphis, Chicago and New York. In "This Far By Faith", Donald Byrd, noted jazz trumpeter, performs two versions of "St. Louis Blues" each with a different jazz texture.

City Spirit Coalition, an ad hoc organization of local arts agencies, is involved in a one-year cultural planning project, focusing

on the cultural needs of West Las Vegas, while broadening the role of the arts in the Las Vegas Valley.

Additional schedules may be obtained by calling Allied Arts at 384-1204.

WORDS OF LIFE Biblical Inspiration For The Week

"With God are wisdom and might."
—Job 12:13

1. *Wisdom comes from God. God Himself is Truth.* It is God who created the universe and all that pertains to it. When we turn to a maker or a creator to learn about what has been created by His (or Her) hand, we are going to the source of wisdom for His world.

2. *We learn from God in many ways.* Here are a few:
—We learn from God through prayer.

—We learn from God through all the Scriptures.

—We learn of God through obedience to God.

—We learn from God by serving and loving others.

—We learn from God through disciplining our minds to explore his orderly truths.

—We learn of God through the humble surrender of all we do to Him.

3. *God gives us the strength to do His will.* "With God is might." God gives us the strength to do all things which are consistent with God's wisdom and God's will.

He giveth more strength when the burdens grow greater

He giveth more grace as the burdens increase...

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SUMMER JOBS FOR YOUTH COMPREHENSIVE EMPLOYMENT TRAINING ACT

The Clark County School District, in cooperation with the Las Vegas/Clark County Consortia, may be offering a summer job training program. All youth who feel that they meet the CETA Eligibility Criteria are encouraged to check their vocational preference and return the ad to their school counselor or the CETA Youth Office. The Clark County School District is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of sex, age, race, creed, handicap, or national origin.

Eligibility Criteria: 14 - 21 years of age (must have birth certificate)
U. S. citizen or eligible for U. S. citizenship
Meet the poverty income level criteria or be a ward of the court or receive ADC

Poverty Level Criteria:

Size of Family	YEARLY INCOME
1	\$2970
2	4270
3	5860
4	7230
5	8540
6	9980

For family units with more than 6 members, add \$1440.00 for each additional member.

All candidates must show proof of income which will consist of any of the following:
Copy of U. S. income tax for previous year
Notarized affidavit
Copy of Welfare card (Sammy)
Social Security Benefit form (2458)
Proof of military disability or death benefit
Ward of Court letter
Foster children automatically eligible in receiving state assistance (letter from Child Welfare required)

The CETA Youth Office, located at the Jefferson School on Lake Mead Blvd. and Hoover Street in North Las Vegas, has notary service available and will make copies of proof of income at no charge.

A. Courses which may be offered upon sufficient client demand are as follows.

1st	2nd	PLEASE CHECK FIRST AND SECOND CHOICE	Course offerings are for pre-vocational orientation.
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Basic Electricity	<input type="checkbox"/> Food Service (fast foods)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Business Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Gardening
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Carpentry	<input type="checkbox"/> Key Punch Operator
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B. I would prefer work experience in a governmental agency.
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C. I would prefer placement in a private agency (OJT).
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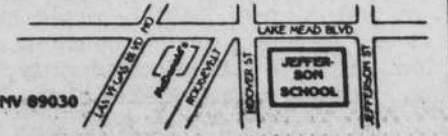
APPLICANT INFORMATION*

LEGAL NAME _____ TELEPHONE _____
Last First MI
ADDRESS _____ Zip Code _____
Street City
Age _____ Birthdate _____ Last grade completed as of June 1978 _____
Last school attended _____ Number living in home _____ Income _____

*All information is confidential and will not be released to any other agency or individual without the written consent of the applicant or the applicant's guardian.

COMPREHENSIVE YOUTH PROGRAM
642-7272

MAILING ADDRESS: CYP, 1941 Jefferson St., North Las Vegas, NV 89030



NOTICE: Employers interested in training youth on a reimbursable basis are invited to contact the CYP office for details.