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Folks here in Las Vegas enjoyed over this past weekend MOTOWN RETUR-NS TO THE APOLLO which brought back a whole lot of memories and many youngsters got a chance to look back some 50 years and see many Black Entertainers who paved the way for many of the STARS OF TODAY!

Well let's not stop with MOTOWN RECORDS in NEW YORK CITY. Move with ME June 1985. A into TRIBUTE TO ART to benefit The Las Vegas Art Museum

(in Lorenzi Park). The concert will be held at The LAN-DMARK HOTEL & CASINO in The Empire Theater . . . 2 Shows 7:30 P.M. & 10 P.M. For tickets phone (702) 732-1710, 644-5967, 648-7508 or pick them up at any of the major hotels - ALL STATE TOUR BOOTH.

The Master of Ceremonies will be Sherwood Bell of K.C.E.P. and the co-hostess will be Laurie Buckley vocalist, writer, columnist, art illustrator, promoter,

"Pop music can put clothes on your back, but it can't put joy in your heart!" states Al Green, who, as one of the most successful soul singers of the 1970's, became famous for his ability to dominate a concert stage. Now in the 1980's this same Al Green is a gospel singer who can sing and minister with a sweetness and fervor

prolific. Laurie has two

teenage children, Micolette

age 17 and her son Trevor,

age 14. She is a deep lover of

Show-Biz, horses and the

meeting of people. A born

New Yorker that has lived in

Las Vegas for some 27

years, for the past eight of

those years she has worked

with her pet project - The

Betty Honn Animal Adoption

Center as Public Relationist-

A soft spoken lady who has Las Vegas & The Vegas

Visitor deep within her

Promotion-Public Advisor.

working sights plus she is JANICE CARTER singing pop the Managing Editor of The Vegas Visitor for 2 years and up-tempo tunes and songs of loves every moment working to inform the readers of what's happening in the sports books.

She said that she was involved in a most meaningful way with the first printings of The Las Vegas Sentinel Newspaper (birth six years ago) as a graphic artist The lady has got soul in her heart and her smile

Check it out at the concert as you see her introducing lovely, cute and sweet

songs, blues, love ballads,

stage of the Sahara Hotel

Space Center at 7 p.m.

Grammy Award this year for

singing with gospel singer Shirley Caesar on 'Sailin' on

the Sea of Your Love'' track from her album on Myrrh

His latest album on Myrrh Records, "Trust in God," was nominated for a Grammy Award this year as well as a Gospel Music Association Dove Award. "Al Green

Presents the Full Gospel Tabernacle Choir,'' follows

his very successful ''I'll Rise Again.'' Green received a Grammy Award last year, his

fourth, for Best Male Gospel

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Green received his fifth

Friday, May 24.

Records.

Al Green: The Man and His Music that matches and surpasses any of his prior accomplish-Again. ments. Al Green will be Few soul singers are menpresented in concert on the

tioned in the same breath with the late Sam Cook and Otis Redding, yet Green is consistently being compared to the two. Robert Hilburn,

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Angeles Times wrote: "He is the most acclaimed soul singer of the 1970's There's little question that Green has the same potential to be one of the most successful artists ever in gospel

the times in which we live.

Janice has a long standing

of pleasing folks with her

songs. Along with LOU

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pop music critic for the Los

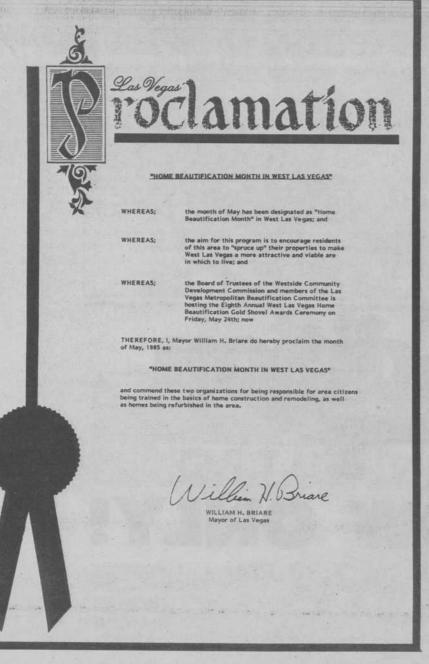
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Al Green music. He could also do much to expand the music's popularity.

Born in Memphis, Tennessee as one of nine children, Green's early years were spent around the church. While Al was still quite young, his father, Robert Green, a talented bassist, formed a gospel group known as "The Green Brothers." The act included Al's father and brothers Walter, William and Robert Jr. Al joined the family band when he turned 10 and stayed with the group through high school performing in churches throughout the Memphis area.

"I learned a lot about music in those years," says Green. "We were always trying to find our own style. We'd listen to the radio and to other groups in the area adapting music here and there. We'd follow groups like the Swan Silver Tone Singers, The Soul Stirrers, and the great Highway QC's. They had a real soulful sound.



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