

GRAMMY WINNER WILL SMITH STARS IN NBC'S "FRESH PRINCE OF BEL AIR" -- Grammy-winning recording artist Will Smith (center, "Parents Just Don't Understand") makes his network television debut as a tough Philadelphia kid sent to live with Aunt Vivian (Janet Hubert) and Uncle Phillip (James Avery), his wealthy relatives in Bel Air, in NBC-TV's new comedy series "Fresh Prince of Bel Air;" Smith who performs under the name of Fresh Prince in the duo DJ Jazzy Jeff and the Fresh Prince, won a Grammy in 1988 for Best Rap Performance on the album "He's the DJ, I'm the Rapper." The series will premiere on Monday, Sept. 10 (8-8:30 p.m. NYT).

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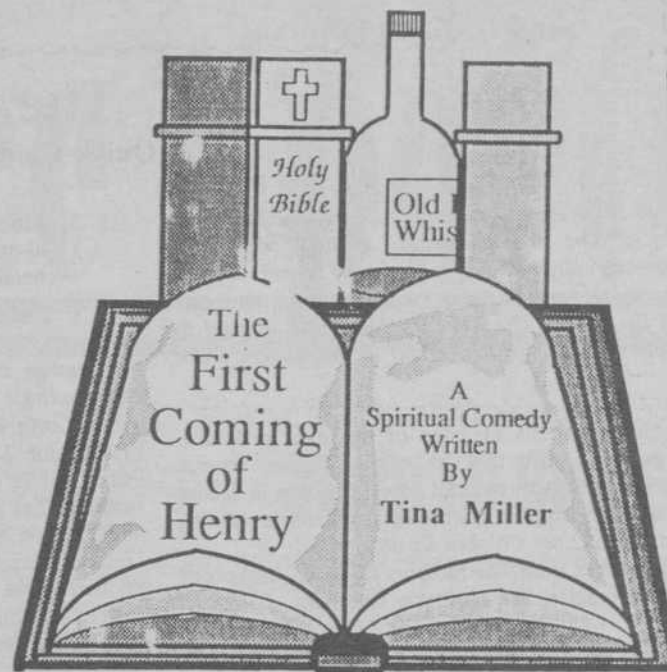
A LONG LINE interview about the African World Festival that takes place in the Motor City this month. According to Dr. Marian J. Moore, one of the event's head hunchos. "In terms of actual revenue the 200 artists, craftspersons, international kitchens and other vendors will gross approximately \$1 million during the weekend of the festival. These vendors come to us from across the country and around the world. It's an exciting and profitable venue for them as well as for the hundreds of thousands of festival attendees. Vendors are attracted by the international flavor of the AWF. There will be performers, artists, and other vendors throughout the African world lending a sophisticated, cosmopolitan feeling to the event. It's an opportunity to touch the African continent without leaving the U.S.A. The African World Festival (AWF)

is a tremendous celebration of Black culture. We feel good being with each other, and those who attend who are not Black can share in the wealth of good feeling exhibited by the events. And then there's a music! There is no way to stress how important the music is to this event. With musical performances ranging from Don Cherry and Multikulti and Pharoah Snaders to Sweet Honey In the Rock and Sam Fan Thomas from the Cameroon speaks to the broad variety of styles offered. This year's schedule appeals to a vast audience -- and we're very pleased about this. Coming off the heels of Nelson Mandela's U.S. visit, this event, particularly the open forum focusing on the Marcus Garvey and Nelson Mandela roles in our history, certainly keeps focus on the continuing problems Blacks face in South Africa. We want to continually remind people that Black South Africans are not free. They still cannot vote. They are not citizens.

Because Nelson Mandela has been released from prison does not mean he is free. We have to remind people... and keep the struggle alive."...STAY LOOSE...Billy Rowe is a syndicated columnist.

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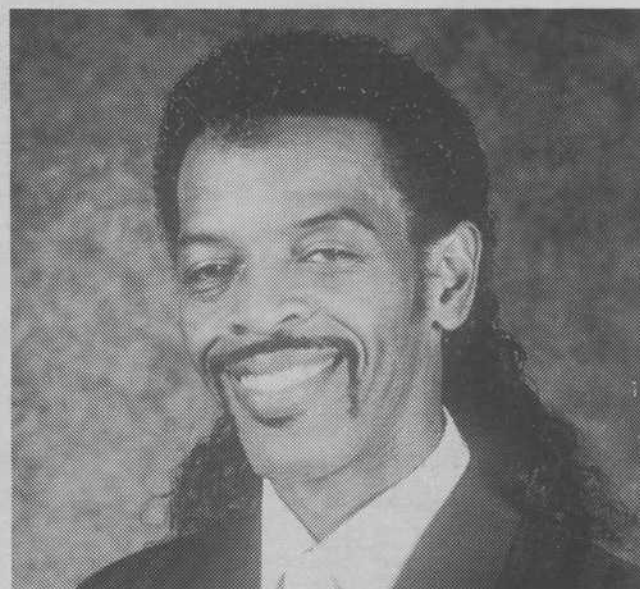


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