

# Kimberly's Entertainment News



## SPECIAL FEATURE .... A LETTER TO SPIKE!

This past Thursday I traveled to Los Angeles to see a special VIP screening of your recent movie, or should I say, your recent masterpiece of MALCOLM X. Directly after the masterpiece screening, words didn't seem appropriate. Only thought

pored through my veins. I guess the only way I can describe it is to compare it to when I was a child at Christmas when my brother and I use to scabble through the large stack of colorful presents underneath the Christmas tree searching for

those presents that had our names on them. A LARGE THANKYOU is in order because your movie is the greatest present you could have given your African American public. Oh yes, the 'vanilla ice' public should be thanking you also, for a vehicle of understanding. In the

beginning of your movie when the letter "X" was being branded into the RED, WHITE, and BLUE flag, I had no idea that by the end of the movie a "X" would also be ever so present in my soul. In some way, calling this masterpiece of a film, MALCOLM X, A MOVIE doesn't seem right. It's much more than A MOVIE! For me, it was like a map towards African American affirmation. I realize some may say, "it was just a story about a man, MALCOLM X, and about his struggle towards truth," but as an African American woman who is a single parent, his trials of rebellion from a forced system applied. Your silver screen interpretation of the AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF MALCOLM X took me there. Even  
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## EBONY ETCHINGS

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early hits, and penned Whitney Houston's million seller record "Where Do Broken Hearts Go," is currently looking for two artists (one male, and one female), to sign to his newly formed independent Ce-Jak record label.

We are still waiting on the word from Jimmy Bee's management and production company about the release date for Johnny "Guitar" Watson's new single we heard some months back, titled "Sexual Harassment," that's got the sound of a 'hit' written all over it!!

In case you haven't already heard it, the late Stax recording artist Otis Redding, will be one of the first African American R&B performers selected to have his

likeness adorn a commemorative postage stamp.

Millie Jackson's musical stage play Young Man, Older Women," is currently on the road for the second time around, and we're getting nothing but rave reviews from cities where this hilarious musical stage play has already played. Following a record setting five day run before moving on to Tampa, Florida, for a November 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th playdate. Other scheduled dates so far for Millie Jackson's 'hot' hilarious musical play include Orlando, Philadelphia, New York, Las Vegas and Los Angeles...and that's Hollywood this time!! Until the next time, Lanier.

## JOHNNIE TAYLOR TO APPEAR AT THE NEW TOWN TAVERN



Legendary recording artist Johnnie Taylor will be appearing for 2 shows at The New Town Tavern this Sunday night. An Arkansas native, Taylor, began singing as a youngster in the church choir to the delight of many.

His first professional break came as a teenager after moving to the "windy city" of Chicago and performing with the Highway QCs. After a short engagement with them, he was approached to sing with Soul Stirrers, who's lead singer was Sam Cooke. Upon deciding to embark on a solo career in rhythm and blues, Sam was replaced by Johnnie Taylor. His voice exhibited such a smooth, distinct sound that he too decided to leave the gospel and venture on a R&B solo career.

Johnnie Taylor has a long line of hits to his credit, including

"Disco Lady," "Somebody's Sleeping In My Bed," and others which are still aired frequently on radio stations throughout the country. His one classic single has to be, "Who's Making Love (To Your Old Lady?)," still a favorite in tavern juke boxes.

With Johnnie's recent LP release on Malaco records, "I Know It's Wrong, But I...Just Can't Do Right," his numerous fans can once again enjoy the vintage sexual healings of Johnnie Taylor.

With discounted advance tickets on sale now for both the 8:30 p.m. and midnight performance, The New Town Tavern will be the place to catch a piece of entertainment history. Located at 600 West Jackson, The New Town Tavern is home to many blues, and R&B artists.

For more ticket information call 647-3995.



# THE BROTHER'S

## MARKET & MEATHOUSE

MEAT	PRODUCE	GROCERY
<b>FRESH PORK SHOULDER PICNIC ROASTS</b> <b>89¢ LB.</b>	<b>FANCY VALENCIA ORANGES</b> <b>39¢ LB.</b>	<b>WESSON 48 OZ VEGETABLE OIL</b> <b>\$1.99</b>
<b>CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS</b> <b>\$2.99 LB.</b>	<b>MEDIUM - GREEN BELL PEPPERS</b> <b>59¢ LB.</b>	<b>12 OZ - 6 PACK Milwaukee's Best BEER</b> <b>\$1.99</b>
<b>USDA Choice BEEF TOP SIRLOIN STEAK</b> <b>\$2.59 LB.</b>	<b>8 OZ. PKG MUSHROOMS</b> <b>79¢ PKG</b>	<b>FAMILY SCOTT TOILET TISSUE</b> <b>\$1.09</b> Four Roll Pack
<b>Frozen 22 Oz. Patti Jean GAME HENS</b> <b>\$1.59 EACH</b>	<b>FRESH SALAD TOMATOES</b> <b>59¢ LB.</b>	<b>Post 14.5 oz. HONEYCOMB CEREAL</b> <b>\$2.99</b>
<b>SMOKED PORK HOCKS</b> <b>99¢ LB.</b>	<b>DELIT ITEM</b> <b>FARMER JOHN MILD OR HOT LINKS</b> <b>\$2.39 LB.</b>	<b>Gebhardt 6.25 oz. HOT SAUCE</b> <b>39¢</b>
<b>LARGE 21-25 COUNT MEXICAN WHITE SHRIMP</b> <b>\$6.99 LB.</b>	<b>Yellow - Pre-Sliced American Cheese</b> <b>\$2.39 LB.</b>	<b>Planters 24 oz. PEANUT OIL</b> <b>\$2.29</b>
		<b>Hunt's 15.5 oz MANWICH SAUCE</b> <b>\$1.19</b>
		<b>Fruit Juicy Red Hawaiian Punch</b> <b>\$1.09 64 oz.</b>