

MY POINT OF VIEW

A BRONX TALE

By Jacqueline R. Walker
Savory Pictures

Directed by Robert DeNiro

Screenplay by

Chazz Palmiterie

Starring Robert DeNiro,

Lilo Brancato,

Francis Capra, Chazz Palmiterie and Taral Hicks

Robert DeNiro's debut directorial film was revealing and poignant. A story that chronicled the nineteen-sixties and the attitudes of the time.

Bronx, New York, is a world unto itself; each neighborhood mirrored by it's ethnic traditions and culture. If you weren't part of the culture you weren't allowed.

Ce (Lilo Brancato), a young

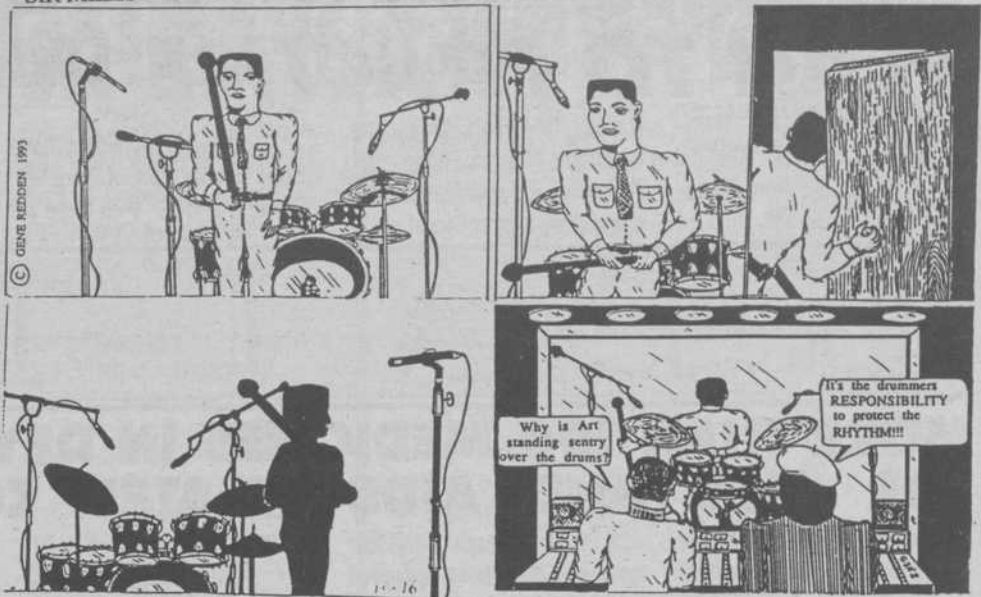


Italian growing up during these times is torn between the underworld figures, Sonny (Chazz Palmiterie) of the neighborhood, and his father played by Robert DeNiro, a bus driver. Ce (Brancato) finds that he's attracted to a young African American girl, Jane Williams (Taral Hicks), which is a NO NO in his neighborhood. This relationship is marred by racial hatred between neighborhoods, resulting in violence.

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VIOLENT SCENES. Taral Hicks' performance in her debut film was excellent. We hope to see more of Taral Hicks in future films.

OUT ON VIDEO: BODY GUARD, starring Whitney Houston, and Kevin Costner.

COMING TO THE SILVER SCREEN: PELICAN BRIEF, starring Denzel Washington and Julia Roberts. PHILADELPHIA, starring Denzel Washington and Tom Hanks. SISTER ACT II, starring Whoopi Goldberg.

DUKE ELLINGTON ORCHESTRA TO PERFORM

The Duke Ellington Orchestra directed by Mercer Ellington will perform in UNLV's Artemus Ham Concert Hall, February 27, 1994, 7:30 p.m. The concert is presented in honor of Black History Month by Clark County Parks and Recreation and the UNLV Music Department, with additional support from Sprint-Central Telephone Nevada. Admission to the concert is \$10. For tickets call the UNLV Performing Arts Center Box Office.

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EBONY ETCHINGS

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publicized feud currently going on between former movie making buddies Robert Townsend and Keenan Ivory Wayans is really about what everyone in Hollywood sez its' about, or is there more to it than what's being said??

Rollin' 80's Productions and Roger E. Mosely just might have something in common in 1994, so stay tuned into this kolm for the 411.

Whitney Houston sure did herself proud by walking away with all eleven top awards of the evening at the recent Billboard Music Awards and in doing so, topped awards records set by other super music industry artists including the Beatles. If she can repeat this feat at the rest for the annual industry awards events, there'll be no question about her record breaking ability and super star status!!

This weeks mailbag produced two new album releases by two for the greatest jazz legends from the Tinseltown jazz community. Internationally known saxman Teddy Edwards, and my all time favorite jazz vocalist Ernie Andrews. We'll be telling you lots more about both of these albums after we've stopped playing them for our own enjoyment. Tinseltowners are all abuzz about the formation of a Los Angeles Chapter of the Young Black Programmers Coalition, which incidently will be going through a name change in 1994 to the National Black Programmers Coalition. . . and that's Hollywood this time!! Until the next time, Lanier.

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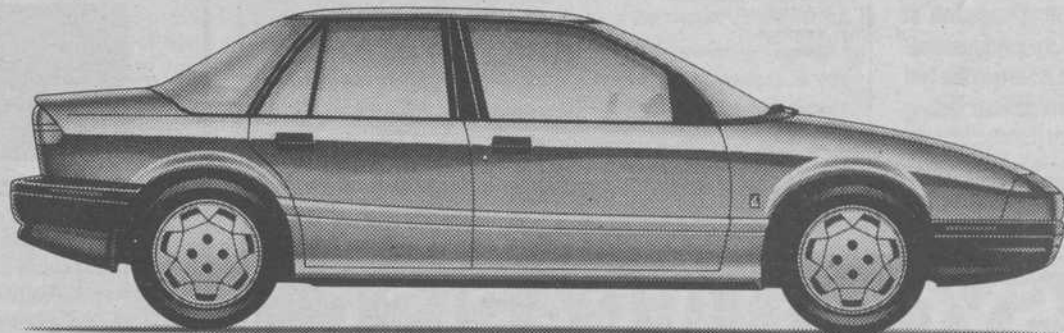
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