

"EASTSIDE — WESTSIDE: OVERCOMING A SEGREGATED ENVIRONMENT" NOW ON DISPLAY



Ed Sullivan at the New Town Tavern (1962)

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Sammy Davis Jr. at the New Town Tavern (1962)

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The Nevada State Museum and Historical Society has currently on display an exhibit entitled "Eastside - Westside: Overcoming a Segregated Environment, 1940-1960." The new exhibit is a brief pictorial

overview of a whirlwind two decades which saw the growth of a large black community in West Las Vegas, the development there of an alternative social and entertainment center, and the

successful struggle to break down racial barriers on the Strip and downtown. The Museum, located at 700 Twin Lakes Drive, is open seven days a week between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Admission is \$2.00

for adults and free for children under eighteen.

Las Vegas ascended swiftly from railroad whistle-stop into one of the nation's premier tourist destinations. The spectacle of Boulder Dam construction in the early 1930's gave the city an

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Harold P. Freeman, Director of Surgery, Harlem Hospital, Dr. Mae C. Jemison, The Jemison Group, Dr. Vivian Penn, The National Institute of Health, and US Surgeon General, Dr.

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JASON'S LYRIC: THE SOUNDTRACK

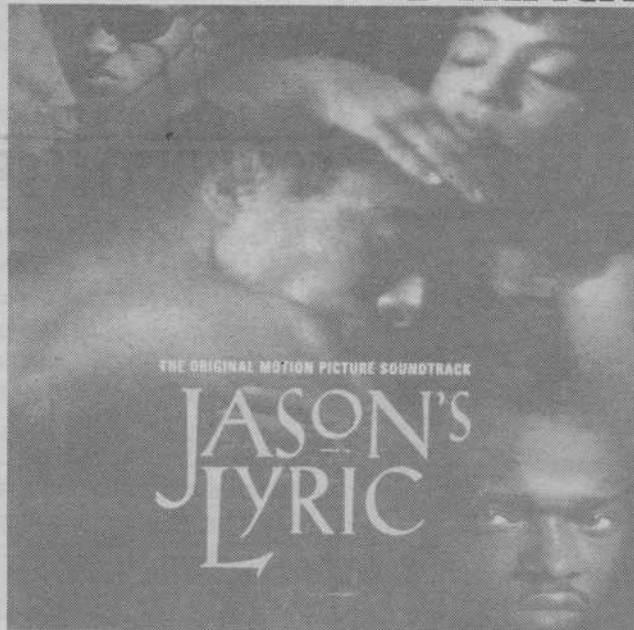
Mercury Records proudly announces the release of the JASON'S LYRIC soundtrack, slated to in-store this month to coincide with the movie's September 30th opening.

The Jason's Lyric project kicked off with the September 13th release of "U Will Know," the star-studded first single by BMU (Black Men United) which, produced by Brian McKnight and D'Angelo, features along with McKnight and fellow Mercury Records labelmates Tony Toni Tone and Joe, vocals by Boyz II Men, Tevin Campbell, R. Kelly, Mint Condition, El DeBarge, Gerald Levert, Al B. Sure, H-Town, Aaron Hall, Keith Sweat, After 7, Intro, Damion Hall, DRS, Portrait, Silk, Christopher Williams, Usher, Rude Boys and D'Angelo (who co-wrote the song).

Featured playing guitar on "U Will Know" is Lenny Kravitz who, after hearing about the project, made an impromptu stop by the recording studio to lay his parts down.

The movie Jason's Lyric, which marks the directorial debut of Doug McHenry who, along with partner George Jackson, produced "New Jack City," and the popular "House Party" movies, stars Allen Payne ("New Jack City") as Jason Alexander, Jada Pinkett ("Menace II Society" & "Inkwell") as Lyric Greer, Forest Whitaker ("The Crying Game" & "Strapped") as Maddog and Naughty By Nature's Treach ("Who's The Man?" & "Juice") as Alonzo.

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