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“THE FORGOTTEN SPIRIT” (A CHRISTMAS TALE) THE HISTORIC FIRST AFRICAN-AMERICAN CHRISTMAS STORY IN THE COUNTRY BASED ON THE GOSPELS OF JESUS CHRIST BY NOVELIST EVIE RHODES IS MAKING ITS STAGE DEBUT FOR CHRISTMAS SEASON 2019.

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New York, NY - THE FORGOTTEN SPIRIT (A CHRISTMAS TALE) by Novelist Evie Rhodes is historically considered to be the first African-American Christmas story in the Country based on the Gospels of Jesus Christ. Editor Marjorie J. Hurst of *The Point Of View Newspaper* reported, “*In this well-written and timeless Christmas tale that is, in my opinion, destined to become as popular as Dickens’ A Christmas Carol...Evie Rhodes weaves a story of the true spirit of Christmas.*” It will be the first of its kind to grace the theatrical stage for fall 2019. It is a beloved story that can bring continuous joy for generations to come.

THE FORGOTTEN SPIRIT (A CHRISTMAS TALE) an inspirational and uplifting story is a remarkable feat of the power of love, new beginnings, and the amazing power of hope. The brilliance of its timing is sure to touch the hearts of many this upcoming Holiday Season!

Adapted and musically produced by seasoned veteran Leslie “L’Kuicha” Parks of JELUPA Productions, Inc., it is scheduled to debut on November 29th, 30th, 2019 for 7:30 pm performances and on December 1st, 2019 at 4:30 pm. The performances will take place at American International College (Esther B. Griswold Theater for Performing Arts) in the Greater Springfield area of Massachusetts. The collaboration between James Rhodes and Ms. Parks for this theatrical creation is of historic proportions and sure to warm and touch the hearts of all who see it this upcoming season.

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