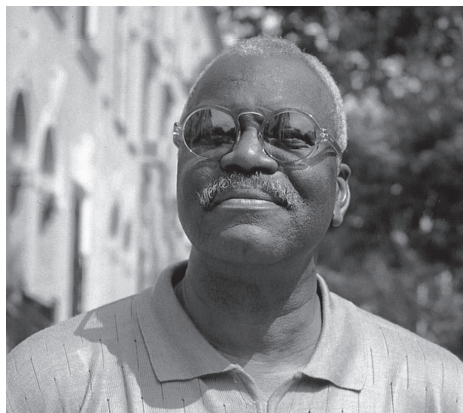


Community Works NYC, New Heritage Theatre Group, The Interchurch Center and partners invite you to

THE LEGACY NOW

REFLECTIONS ON A LIFE IN THE THEATER



harlem is... THEATER

1821 to **NOW** 

CONVERSATION AND SPECIAL HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

Wednesday, December 17, 2014

5:30pm

The Interchurch Center,
475 Riverside Dr., New York, NY
(Between 119th and 120th)

- Enjoy a holiday reception following the discussion
- Join in a silent auction offering theater tickets and fine dining
- Tour the displays of theater history, art and memorabilia

The evening will be dedicated to **harlem is... THEATER** honoree Garland Lee Thompson, Sr. (1938-2014). A special film will honor Garland Lee Thompson.

harlem is... THEATER honorees Voza Rivers and Woodie King Jr. talk about Black Theater Past, Present and Future

We continue our exploration of Black Theater's influence on Harlem and New York City with a conversation with two giants of the American Theater. Collectively responsible for the creation of important works by artists such as Peter Brooks, Amiri Baraka, Ntozake Shange, Mbongeni Ngema and Daniel Beaty. These two legends will discuss the challenges of creating theater in New York City over the past 50 years.

- **VOZA RIVERS** Executive Producer of New Heritage Theatre Group
- **WOODIE KING JR.** founder and Producing Director of the New Federal Theatre and the National Black Touring Circuit

This dialogue is part of *Conversations on Black Theater* and is moderated by noted playwright, director, and dramaturg **Talvin Wilks**.

Please RSVP to performances@communityworksnyc.org or call 212-459-1854 for more information

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