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Lincoln Theatre plans annual North Star Concert Nov. 21

Columbus' Bobby Floyd headlines uplifting, hope-filled program

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Longtime Columbus pianist/organist and bandleader **Bobby Floyd** will headline the Lincoln Theatre Association's annual **North Star** concert at the Lincoln Theatre (769 E. Long St.).

Bobby Floyd & Friends will be featured on this uplifting evening of positivity and hope through music and the arts. As the North Star is a symbol of guidance and hope, so the Lincoln Theatre Association's North Star Concert offers a beacon of light and life to our community.

The concert will be held Friday, November 21 at 7 p.m. at the Lincoln Theatre (769 E. Long St.).

Tickets are \$32 and can be purchased at www.LincolnTheatreColumbus.com or by phone at (614) 469-0939.

"The NorthStar concert will serve as a radiant beacon of hope, vision, inspiration, and liberation—expressed through the transformative power of art," said Suzan Bradford, Executive Director of the Lincoln Theatre. "Columbus' most accomplished and revered artists along with nationally recognized musical icons, will grace the stage, infusing the theatre with extraordinary talent and soul-stirring performances."

Floyd has toured and performed extensively with Ray Charles, Rusty Bryant, Jeff Tyzik, Chris Howes, Byron Stripling, Sarah Morrow and his own trio. He is also a frequent soloist with the Columbus Jazz Orchestra.

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About the Lincoln Theatre

First opened in 1928, the Lincoln Theatre is a landmark in African American and jazz history. After undergoing a \$13.5 million renovation funded by a partnership of public and private support, the Lincoln reopened in May 2009 as a multi-use, state-of-the-art performing arts and education center serving the diversity of the central Ohio community. The Lincoln is a bustling hub of activity 365 days a year hosting performances, rehearsals, and classes in the performing arts, as well as a wide variety of community events such as film festivals, meetings, and receptions.

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