



I:WITNESS

A Chicano Legacy Project Play

April 7-8, 2017 at Plaza de la Raza

For the first time in **About...Productions'** history, a student-written play will premiere as a full production! Performed by students and professional actors, **I:WITNESS** parallels the lives of veterans from the **East L.A. Student Walkouts**, **Chicano Moratorium** and seminal art movements with youth of current day East L.A.

This production is part of the **Chicano Legacy Project** which aims to enrich the public's knowledge of the rich history of the **1960s and 70s Chicano Movement**, and provide youth with a transformative experience.

I:WITNESS is based on a selection of interviews with Chicano elders conducted by youth at East L.A. continuation high schools in residencies conducted by professional theater artists over the past 5 years. This full production is a first in the **17-year history of About...Productions' Young Theaterworks Program**.



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I: WITNESS is based on interviews with Chicano elders: poet **Gloria Enedina Alvarez**, muralist and visual artist **Yreina Cervantez**, poet **Marisela Norte**, and filmmaker and producer **Jesús Treviño**. These main characters are guided by The Jaguar, a spirit animal, as they search for purpose and gain the courage to stand and affect change.

I: WITNESS Play Premiere with post-play discussions
Friday, April 7 @ 8PM; and **Saturday, April 8 @ 2PM**

Plaza de la Raza's Margo Albert Theatre in Lincoln Park

3540 N. Mission Road., Los Angeles 90031

FREE lot and street PARKING

TICKETS: \$10 General Admission; \$5 Students and Groups;
Free (Ages 13 and under)

\$50 VIP Ticket - April 8th only includes Reserved Seat & Reception

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