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## REALITY CHECK



## 2007 DRAMA CATALOGUE

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# The Jeremiah People

## Contemporary Christian Broadway Style Musicals Archive

**Dear Diary (2006-2007)** — The audience will witness teen-ager Billie's grades falling off, and watch as her parents begin to ride her in an attempt to get to the bottom of the sudden change. Her mother nags and compares Billie to her sister, her father is usually someplace else, and her boyfriend begins pushing for her to "prove her love". Her outspoken grandma is a woman of faith and makes no bones about it. In the midst of the furor, whether at school or home, Billie speaks to her diary. Her pressures become so strong, she contemplates suicide. A family trial, an attempt to run away, and a happy ending gives this two-act script strong motivation and Christian conviction.

*(This program may not be appropriate for children under the age of ten.)*

**Rules of My Engagement (2005-2006)**

**Friends Unscripted (2004-2005)**

**The Game of Life (2003-2004)**

**To Tell the Truth (2000-2001)**

**Amazing Grace**

**Adam and Eve**

**Grampa**

**Closing Chapter**

**Family Room**

**The Agape Boat**

**Family Outings**

**Family Album (1988-1989)**

**Reflections and Images**

**Two Ring Circus**

**First Love**

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# Drama Resources

## Comedy and Drama Sketch Book Volume I - Great sketches

centering on relationships. Skit titles include:

*Daddy's Girl*-chronicles that special 'father-daughter' relationship over the years.

*Instant Replay* -blow by blow account of a fight between a mother and daughter.

*Invitation #1* - a humorous look at what goes through our minds when we 'witness.'

*Invitation #2* - about a granddaughter inviting her grandfather to church.

*Confession* - friendship during crucial times.

*What's Wisdom?* - a down home look at 'smarts' and true wisdom.

*Impasse* - a mother- daughter relationship on the verge of collapse finds healing.

*The Single Conscience* - a funny but poignant look at singleness.

*Jimmy and the Lie* - a mini one-act that shows the consequences of lying.

*Boomer* - with one friend gone, other friends gather around to remember.

*Fathers and Sons* - a tender look at the evolution of a father-son relationship.

*Love and Marriage* - a twist on the story of Adam and Eve.

## Comedy and Drama Sketch Book Volume II - Analogical

sketches from Eric Boyd. These innovative scenes are fresh and can be used with youth or in worship. Skit titles include:

*Generic Bible* - a comedic illustration of how we rationalize the Scripture.

*No Dogs Allowed* - an allegorical look at a Heavenly Living Complex.

*All of Me* - a sketch about giving everything to God.

*The Rain* - based on Matt. 5:45, how we all experience good and bad times.

*License to Kill* - a pointed look at abusing the grace of God.

*San Francisco Stones* - modern day look at Jesus & the adulterous woman.

*Our Battle* - a sketch about priorities. Why fight with each other?

*Do or Die* - the Bride (church) debates whether or not she really wants marriage.

*Rescue* - an allegorical look at our responsibility to tell others about Christ.

*God Only Knows* - in the end, our relationship with God is all that really matters.

*Heart Cleanser* - compares a laundry detergent to the blood of Christ (1John 1:7).

## Jeremiah People Sketch Book Vol. II- Sketches compiled by Chuck

Bolte. A combination of comic vignettes, humorous interviews and dramatic sketches proven as effective ways of communicating the gospel. Skit titles include:

*Women's Missionary Fellowship*-three ladies discuss the recent visit of a missionary at their church and how 'generous' it would be of them to get 'financially' involved.

*I Just Don't Understand*-a young couple and an older couple, in separate conversations, blame the age gap on lack of understanding, when really they are lacking effort.

*Pass to the Pastor*-the common occurrence of passing spiritual problem off to the pastor.

*The Bionic Christian*-a new invention that is guaranteed to alleviate any problems or responsibilities we might have as Christians.

*The Tired Couple*-a married couple are so involved with church, they have lost sight of their first love for Christ.

*Christian to Christian*-a series of interviews asking 'What has church done for your home life?'

*The Cantata*- the lead soloist decides the Lord is leading her out of the choir.

## Jeremiah People Sketch Book Vol. III-Jeremiah People sketches

compiled by Chuck Bolte. All the sketches contained relate powerful messages on subjects such as witnessing, prayer, child-like faith, failure and Christian growth.

Some Skit titles include:

*The Car Crash*-at the scene of an accident, two couples discover they are both on their way to church.

*New People at Church*-a little girl shares her mother's reaction to a new family at church that doesn't quite meet up to her mother's standards.

*Ladies Bible Study*-3 ladies at Biblestudy, all for the wrong reasons

*Call Me Anytime*-too busy with church meetings, a fellow Christian is left in the cold

*The Church*-Two men meet at church and discuss how expensive and beautiful their church is, why doesn't everyone go here?

*Jesus Calls*-a busy church secretary has an un-expected 'visitor' who wants to speak to the church people. Unfortunately, she just can't fit him into the schedule.

*The Play*-more of a dramatic sketch, a middle-class Christian family finds that Christianity has become more of a security blanket than a source of challenge and growth.

*Gossip*-a concerned mother shares her concern with someone who decides to make it a 'matter of prayer'...with half the church.

*The Baseball Game*-a baseball game between rival churches becomes an equally rival conversation between church members.

## The Best of the Jeremiah People-Humorous Sketches and

Performance Tips from America's Leading Christian Drama Troupe!

Table of Contents:

*Why a Drama Ministry?*

*Part One: Production Techniques* (Tips on how to start and maintain your own drama ministry)

*Part One: Sketches* (25 different sketches)

Titles include:

*Who's Gonna Pray*-to pray or not to pray, Shakespearian sketch about public prayer

*Bored*-What are you putting inside your body?

*Old Folks*-are old age and uselessness synonymous, no way.

*The Twenty Year Reunion*-Looking back, Bonnie and Jason ask themselves, what if?

*The Elevator*-Two people stuck in an elevator examine what it means to trust the Lord.

*In the Sanhedrin Waiting Room*-a look at our own self-importance issue vs. grace.

*The Pastoral Selection Committee*-everyone thinks they know what to look for in a pastor. Do they have it right?

*Choir Director*-a choir member disagrees with the musical taste of the choir director.

# YOU GOTTA GO . . .

**There's Nothing Else Like It!** Going on tour with The CONTINENTALS will give you a time of Christian Fellowship and spiritual growth you'll never forget. Each year over 600 young people and adults, just like you, combine their personal faith with their talent and enthusiasm to bring God's awesome message to people around the world. There's a ton of adventure, yet nothing is more thrilling than seeing firsthand the impact of Christ on others.

Using music as a common language, The CONTINENTALS have been presenting the message of Jesus Christ in a very powerful and dynamic way for more than 35 years. As a CONTINENTAL, you will have the opportunity to touch the lives of thousands and at the same time, grow deeper in your relationship with Christ.

Whether you're a vocalist, instrumentalist, actor, or technician, your opportunity to join this life-changing organization has never been greater. From the first day of rehearsal camp to your final concert, your CONTINENTAL experience will provide the highest quality of musical and technical training, in-depth discipleship, and incredible personal growth . . . all in all, this experience is unlike anything else . . . one which will last a lifetime.

## **The YOUNG CONTINENTALS (ages 12-16) 5 week commitment**

The YOUNG CONTINENTALS perform today's music geared toward a young teen audience. This group of 30 young performers travels the country singing and dancing a high-energy contemporary program, which challenges their audience. Also touring, special tours for home-schooled teens are in the Spring & Fall.

## **The FRONTLINE CONTINENTALS (ages 16-28) 5 or 12 week commitment**

Touring for over 35 years, The FRONTLINE CONTINENTALS have touched thousands of lives through this dynamic ministry. These groups of app. 30-35 singers, dancers and technicians are dedicated to taking the message of Christ in music to every corner of the world. From churches to nursing homes, homeless shelters to juvenile centers, these individuals have accepted the challenge to travel further, to work harder, and to reach deeper in order to evangelize through music, face to face on the frontlines.

## **The ENCORE CONTINENTALS (ages 21 and up) 3 week commitment**

A tour with our adult ministry team, The ENCORE CONTINENTALS, is an exciting way to spend vacations or free time using your talents for the Lord, travelling all over the globe and just plain having fun! This team of over 25 vocalists and technicians share a powerful concert full of praise and worship music in the best traditions of The CONTINENTALS.

## **The JEREMIAH PEOPLE (ages 18-25) 9 month commitment**

Our comedy/drama troop is comprised of eight talented actors, singers and dancers. Each year they produce the very best in Broadway-style, contemporary Christian musicals. For over 25 years, they have traveled throughout the US, Canada, and Mexico introducing and encouraging drama in a Christian setting. The audition process is selective meaning that some of the best young Christian performers are on stage and right on track utilizing the power of drama and music.

**Thousands Await You and The Message . . .** Tours last from three to twelve weeks, including rehearsal camps. The audition process is simple. Just call 800.481.7464. You may also visit our website and print out application materials and tour breakdowns.

**BECAUSE OUR DRAMA RESOURCES AND/OR SHEET MUSIC IS PRINTED ON DEMAND ALL RETURNED MUSIC IS SUBJECT TO A 15% RESTOCKING CHARGE.**

## **ADDITIONAL PRODUCTS:**

There are many, many, MANY more products to choose from in our Ventura, CA office. Don't see the title you are looking for? Give us a call at 1-800-481-7464 ext. 102 and we can help you locate the recording/song you are looking for!

VID 024 "**David: A Man After God's Own Heart**" Video . . . **\$15.00**

VOC 024 "**David: A Man After God's Own Heart**" Songbook . . . **\$12.00**  
Buy 10 or more songbooks . . . **\$8.00 each**

## **PRINTED MUSIC PRICE LIST**

**Vocal - SATB Score . . . \$1.25 per song copy**  
**(10 COPY MINIMUM ORDER)**

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**Piano Score / Master Rhythm Chart . . . \$5.00**

*Please note that piano scores vary from a classically written out score to scores that are contemporary/popular rhythm charts.*

## **ACCOMPANIMENT CDS**

See Printed Music Titles for a complete list of tracks currently available.

**Custom-made Accompaniment CD . . . \$15.00/title**

*(includes demo & instrumental; split track is included only if available)*

**Original Album Accompaniment CD . . . \$75.00/album**

*(there can be no changes made to titles offered)*

*On most orders, please allow 1-2 weeks for delivery. 4-6 weeks during rehearsal camp seasons.*

# CONCERT INFORMATION

The CONTINENTALS/Jeremiah People are moving ahead aggressively, remaining committed to our call to carry the torch of the Gospel to people everywhere with exhilarating nightly concerts. Presently, tours are being scheduled throughout YOUR area!

Catch the excitement! Armed with the Gospel and an exciting program of contemporary Christian music, The CONTINENTALS/Jeremiah People have seen God touch lives all over the world for more than a quarter century. Last year, we witnessed hundreds of people making decisions for Christ throughout North America alone as a direct result of God speaking to their hearts through one of our programs.

The CONTINENTALS/Jeremiah People travel worldwide preaching the Gospel through a dynamic musical program incorporating traditional, gospel, inspirational and contemporary musical styles. Our concerts are designed for the entire family. Our purpose is to present a lasting spiritual impact through personal testimony, powerful Christian music, and an overall visual presentation that will be honoring to the Lord.

Please give us a call at 800.743.8687, or fax us at 805.289.1527 or e-mail us at [booking@continentalsingers.org](mailto:booking@continentalsingers.org) to receive more information on how your church can host The CONTINENTALS/Jeremiah People.

## WE'RE ONLINE. . .

For the latest information on The CONTINENTALS/Jeremiah People, including our tour destinations and concert bookings, please check out our website. For information on anything found in this catalogue, e-mail us at [music@continentalsingers.org](mailto:music@continentalsingers.org)

## Dramatic Musicals

**DAVID: A MAN AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART (1997)** by Cam Floria - In 1997, The CONTINENTALS celebrated their 30th anniversary by launching a sprawling epic of an ancient time summed up in one man's life -- King David. A dramatic musical production for the church, DAVID will inspire, motivate and challenge you. Featured titles from this musical include *O Jerusalem, The Lord Is My Shepherd, Our Great God & King* and *Unbelievable Love*.

CAD 024 **David** double-compact disc. . . **\$16.00**

CAC 024 **David** double-length cassette. . . **\$8.00**

**DREAMER, The Story of Joseph (1983 & Revised 1994)** - In 1994, we brought back the most popular CONTINENTAL production ever, our 1983 Dove Award-winning musical **Dreamer**. This new cast recording includes new songs not previously recorded including Scott Wesley Brown's *Let This Be the Love*, as well as, classic new arrangements of *In Moments Like These, He Will Carry You* and *He Opens a Window*.

CAD 019 **Dreamer** compact disc . . . **\$16.00**

CAC 019 **Dreamer** cassette . . . **\$8.00**

**The Apostle**—A look at the life and testimony of the Apostle Paul.

**Elijah**—An energetic youth musical.

**Enchanted Journey**—A light-hearted Children's Musical.

**Our music is available! Maybe one of our songs pairs well with a skit you are performing? The following is an archive of our music library, including Jeremiah People recordings! (available in cassette or CD, call to find out if the title you are interested in is available on CD)**

### Continentials Music:

1963 - *Sing A Happy Song!* \***First album**\*

1964 - *Sing A Song Along*

1965 - *Life Is A Symphony* (Not Yet Available)

1967 - *There's More To Life...* (Not Yet Available)

1968 - *Live! In Concert... Tour Album*

1970 - *Soul*

1971 - *Look Inside*

1972 - *It's Getting Late...* (Not Yet Available)

1973 - *The Apostle* (**Musical**)

1974 - *Share*

1975 - *I Believe In Heaven*

1976 - *Majesty & Glory*

1977 - *Come Worship the Lord*

*Enchanted Journey*

1978 - *Sing It With Love*

1979 - *Come Praise the Lord*

*Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star* (Not Yet Available)

1980 - *And There Was Light*

*Praise the Lord!* (**Instrumental**)

1981 - *The Sky Shall Unfold*

*Come Trust the Lord*

1982 - *Continental Country*

*Wings of Light: In A Different Light*

1983 - *Dreamer* (**Musical**) (**Original version**)

1984 - *O Come All Ye Faithful*

*Come Love the Lord*

*How Majestic Is Your Name* (**Instrumental**)

1985 - *Together We Will Stand*

*Wings of Light: Alien*

1986 - *All Over the World*

*Continental Encores*

1987 - *Elijah* (**Musical**)

1988 - *The Reason We Sing*

*The Best of the Continentals, Vol.1 (1963-1977)*

*The Best of the Continentals, Vol.2 (1978-1982)*

1989 - *Come Bless the Lord, Vol.5*

1990 - *Hold Up the Light*

1991 - *Set Them Free*

*True Friends* (**YC**)

1992 - *Yes! Let's Go.*

1993 - *Stand Up! Move Out!*

*Choose Right* (**YC**)

*Best of the Continental Orchestra & Brass* (**Instrumental**)

1994 - *Dreamer* (**Musical**) (**Revised version**)

1995 - *Celebrate: Best of the Continentals, Vol.3*

*Get A Life* (**YC**)

1996 - *Faith In Motion*

1997 - *David: A Man After God's Own Heart*

1998 - *Give 'Em Hope* (**YC**)

1999 - *Mission of Love*

2000 - *Testify 2 Truth*

2001 - *The Grace Odyssey*

*Gotta Love 'Em* (**YC**)

2002 - *Live It Up!*

2003 - *XP3*

*Extreme* (**YC**)

2004 - *AirBorne*

2005 - *Committed To The Call* (FL)

*Committed... No Less* (YC)

2006 - *Reality Check*

*Jabulani Africa*

### Jeremiah People albums:

1972 - *Let Love Live*

1973 - *Buildin' For the Very Third Time*

1975 - *First Love* (Not Yet Available)

1976 - *Act One Company*

1977 - *Where Your Heart Is*

1978 - *Reflections & Images*

1979 - *Home Again: Portrait of a Family*

1982 - *The Reunion*

1983 - *Agape Boat*

1985 - *Grampa*

1988 - *Laff Trax, Vol.1*

1990 - *Laff Trax Vol. 2*

2004 - *Friends Unscripted*

2006 - *My Rules of Engagement*