



Morning Matinee Series

## THOUGHTS OF A COLORED MAN

By Keenan Scott II

Dawn breaks in Brooklyn, and seven black men rise to meet the day. One of them, a finance director, leaves his luxurious condo to jog around a rapidly gentrifying neighborhood, just as a grocery-store clerk is staring another soul-crushing shift. At the bus stop, two best friends debate the intricacies of modern dating, while a basketball coach at the youth center grapples with his unrealized potential. At the hospital, a teacher and his father-in-law welcome a new life. And at the barbershop, the whole group meets for cuts and conversation as sparks fly over questions about identity and community. Through the storytelling style of slam narrative and prose, *Thoughts of a Colored Man* celebrates the hopes, ambitions, joys, and triumphs of black men in a world that often refuses to hear them. Every teen age and young adult male should experience this show!

**Date & Time:** Thursday, October 17, 2024 @ 10 a.m.

**Running Time:** Approximately one hour and 30 minutes with no intermission.

**Advisory:** This play contains profanity and discussions of adult behavior such as sex, drugs, violence, race and sexual identity.

**Suggested Audience:** Mature High School Students or 16+

**Admission:** \$5 per student, \$7 per adult (for every 25 persons 2 chaperones are admitted free)

**RSVP and Final Count Deadline:** Wednesday, October 9, 2025

To reserve tickets for your school group, complete and submit the reservation form below.



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Date & Time of Performance: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Number of Students Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$5.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Adults Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$0.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ x \$7.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Two (2) Chaperones per every twenty-five (25) persons will be admitted free.

Total amount due: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Note: 30% of the total is due to hold reservation.

Method of payment: \_\_\_\_\_ cash \_\_\_\_\_ check # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ credit card last for digits: \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ money order # \_\_\_\_\_

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