





OCTOBER 16-31, 2015

SIDE MAN

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Written by Warren Leight

Directed by Jim Reiter

Produced by Wes Bedsworth

Featuring: Ben Carr, Rick Estberg, Rich Koster, Mary MacLeod, Tim Sayles, Ali Vellon and Jason Vellon

In this touching tragi-comic memory play (winner of the Tony Award for Best Play in 1999), playwright Warren Leight draws from his own experience as the son of a jazz side man. With a perfect mix of pathos and humor, the fictional Clifford Glimmer narrates the story of his father, Gene Glimmer, a gifted trumpet player whose career parallels the decline of jazz from its peak in the early 1950s to its relative obscurity in the rock-and-roll decades that followed. Along the way we hear the increasingly fractious story of Gene and Terry, Clifford's woefully mismatched parents.

Approximate running time: 90 minutes.

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Tickets: \$20 regular price, \$15 for seniors, students and active military. Groups, friendsand-family and other specials available through the box office, not online.

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