

The Robey Theatre Company
in association with the
3rd Annual Leimert Park/Los Angeles Theatre Festival:
A Festival of Staged Readings
presents

92 GROVE STREET

A new play by **Randy Ross, Ph.D.**

Directed by **Ben Guillory**

Over 50 years ago, a fiery minister (Malcolm X) and a struggling writer (Alex Haley) began meeting late night in a small room to create what would become a touchstone book of the 20th century, *The Autobiography of Malcolm X*. **92 GROVE STREET** probes what went on in that room.



Saturday, August 27, 2016 @ 7 pm

Cast / Crew

James Holloway as Malcolm X

Dwain Perry as Alex Haley

Alexa Hamilton as Paula

Ashlee Olivia as Ebony

Sherwood Shag Hunter – Stage Manager

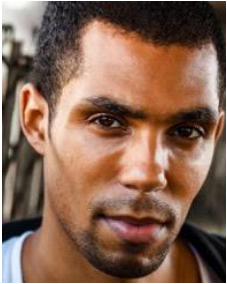
Leimert Park Vision Theatre

3341 West 43rd Place

Los Angeles, CA 90008



ALEXA HAMILTON (*Paula*): has performed lead roles on London's West End and the Edinburgh Festival as well as in LA. Most recently portraying the Lead Role of "Jules Davis" in Robert Allan Ackerman's critically acclaimed BLOOD, which had its World Premiere earlier this year and will be returning to the Complex Theatre in Hollywood in October for an extended run prior to a projected off Broadway transfer next year. TV Guest Star Credits include: roles on the popular BBC Series "Doctors" and the Lead female role in the NBC Mini Series based on the original novel version of THE POSEIDON ADVENTURE. Film credits include: TRASH FIRE which debuted at this year's Sundance Film Festival. Alexa is also a Singer/Songwriter with original music on iTUNES and CD Baby. For complete credits and contact info: www.imdb.me/alexahamilton



JAMES HOLLOWAY (*Malcolm*): James was accepted into The London Academy of Music & Dramatic Art to pursue his Master's in Classical Acting. NYC / Regional: Broken Fences (Road Theatre), Macbeth (Theatre Row - Lion), Fences (Bristol Riverside), Superior Donuts (GEVA), History of the Word (Crossroads), A Few Good Men (Flatrock Playhouse), Weekend Comedy (The New Theater). Film / TV: The Newsroom (HBO); Masters of Sex (Showtime); Grey's Anatomy (ABC); Sam & Cat (Nickelodeon); Law & Order: SVU (NBC); Blue Bloods (CBS); The Roe Effect (HBO); The Cycle (HBO); Jackson Parish (BET). Conservatory of Acting at SUNY-Purchase, B.F.A. Visit www.iamjamesholloway.com



ASHLEE OLIVIA (*Ebony*): majored in acting at DePaul University. She was Eartha Kitt in her own one-woman show, Eartha's Kit, Anna in Robey's Anna Lucasta, Gloria in The Magnificent Dunbar Hotel and Lenora in Knock Me A Kiss which she won best supporting actress by the NAACP



DWAIN PERRY (*Alex Haley*): Was last seen in North Carolina's Cape Fear Regional Theatre's production of GUESS WHO'S COMING TO DINNER. Recently, Dwain directed Robey Theatre Company's KNOCK ME A KISS. Other Robey Stage Credits include: ANNA LUCASTA, BRONZEVILLE, CAMP LOGAN, THE EMPERORS LAST PERFORMANCE and THE LAST SEASON.



RANDY ROSS, Ph.D. (*playwright*): writes plays, fiction, and nonfiction. Randy's play, *92 Grove Street*, benefitted from his participation in workshops convened by IBWA-LA and Robey Theatre Co. as well as readings staged by Road Theatre Co. and Robey. His short stories have been published in *African American Review*, *Maryland Review*, and *Obsidian II*, among others. He has published one story collection (*The Chocolate Man*) and co-edited another (*Griots Beneath the Baobab*). Dr. Ross's nonfiction books include, *Government and the Private Sector: Who Should Do What?* Many of his public-policy essays have been published in *Education Week* and the *Los Angeles Times*.