

WHAT IS 'CODRAMATICS'?

We are a group of people with a wide range of skills in various fields, who desire to share the gospel through the powerful creative expression of the performance arts. With experience ranging from beginner to professional in the arts, we come together and through prayer, study, research and training, develop the skills needed to perform skits, full length plays, and musicals that challenge, entertain and provoke audiences to respond to the good news of Jesus Christ.

Our desire is to devote ourselves to excellence in every area of our productions, from the stage to the front of the house, the backstage to the technical execution. We create original productions and perform works that reveal the good news of Jesus in fresh and relevant-to-daily-life presentations that are designed to provoke conversation and challenge status quo expectations concerning the gospel message.

If you would like to join us in our vision for sharing this message in this house and in our surrounding communities, feel free to contact us at codramatics@gmail.com.



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City Of Hope International Church Presents



**Three Performances
Thursday & Friday,
April 9th & 10th @ 7:30 pm,
Saturday,
April 11th @ 7:00PM**

Note from the Directors

Dear Friends,

It is our great pleasure to bring to you for the third time in our history the play "Reflection", a dramatic presentation with music about the gospel of Jesus and it's relevance to our lives today.

The stories of the six main characters provide a basis for the introduction of the good news that, according to scripture, Jesus came to freely give and provide -in abundance- to all who would simply open up their hearts and receive. From its conception, it has been our desire to present a cross section of stories that we can all identify with in some way. The larger vision however, is to show that regardless of what the specific circumstances in our lives are, the message of Jesus is as needed and relevant today as it has always been throughout history.

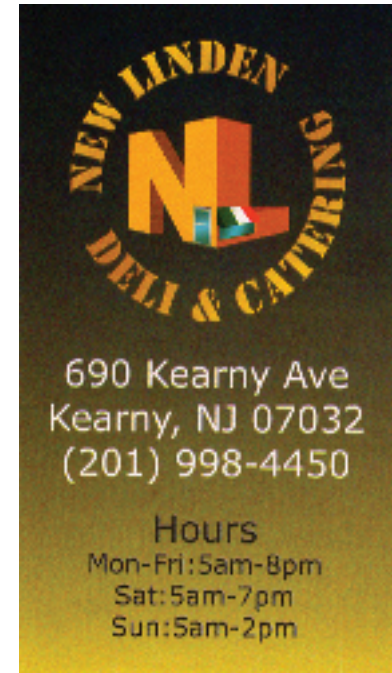
In the rehearsal process, while working through the various stages, it occurred to the writers of this play that this is not just an update of the presentations of the past. It is a fresh, completely new revision that continues to reveal to us nuances of truth about the life and good news that Jesus came to give.

Many of the actors in the production shared with us on different occasions how they were inspired and deeply moved by several scenes throughout rehearsals and used it as inspiration to give more of themselves in their roles. In addition, there were other times in which we all stopped rehearsals momentarily to allow His presence to guide us when challenged by various details, such as the presentation of Jesus on the cross.

Ultimately, we hope that you will take part with us in the joy and fulfillment of the life that Jesus intended for all.

George & Pat Wilson

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- Appreciation -

City of Hope International Church is committed to bringing wholeness and recovery to the broken, to the addicted, and to the hopeless. Our church believes in, and is committed to building strong families, always endeavoring to strengthen the identity of manhood and womanhood in correlation to the Bible, and with a strong emphasis on ministering to the youth and single adult. City of Hope aims to reach out to the needs of the community with a message of reconciliation and bringing hope where there was once only discouragement and despair.

If you do not have a church, we would love to have you join us for Resurrection Sunday at 10am. For more information on COHIC, check us out online at www.cohic.com

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Scenes -

ACT I

**Scene I
Prelude**

**Scene II
Heart's Expression**

**Scene III
Six Characters**

**Scene IV
Temptation**

**Scene V
Son's of Thunder**

**Scene VI
Jesus Heals**

**Scene VII
Prostitute washes Jesus' Feet**

**Scene VIII
Jesus with the Children**

**Scene VIII
From the Temple to the Grave- Pt. 1**

ACT II

**Scene I
From the Temple to the Grave- Pt. 2**

**Scene II
From the Temple to the Grave- Pt. 3**

**Scene III
From the Temple to the Grave- Pt. 4**

**Scene IV
Heart's Keeper of My Heart**

ACT III

**Scene I
Resurrection**

Cast -

Adrian Grant	Jesus
Kristen Lima	Heart
Mary Drake	Woman 1, Mary Magdalene, Prostitute
Mark Piacante	Man 1
Flor Gomez	Woman 2
Isa Santos	Woman 3
Donna Taklif	Woman 4
Chuck Gilker	Man 2
Daniel Lima	Satan
Rose Amoroso	Follower, Buyer
Devon Baksh	Follower, Merchant
Matthew Cordero	James, Disciple 1
Nicole DeJesus	Follower, Buyer
Juana De Paola	Demon, Leopard, Mother 2
Marta Fernandes	Buyer
Melanie Garnier	Child
Mari-Clara Garnier	Child
Lindsay Hall	Child
Lauren Hall	Child
Daniella LaRosa	Leopard, Buyer
Johnny Lima	Follower, Centurion Soldier
Gianna Manzo	Child
VJ Manzo	Demon
Anabel Olive	Blind Woman, Mother 1, Follower
Bethany Olive	Child
Estrella Ortiz	Follower
Julio Ortiz	Child
Ray Parker	Follower 1, Pontious Pilate
Jason Ranne	John, Disciple 2
Maria Samayoa	Mother 3, Mother Mary
Marco Stefani	Centurion Soldier
George Wilson	Narrator 1
Pat Wilson	Narrator 2

Production Credits -

Written and Directed by
George and Pat Wilson

Music and Sound Design by
VJ Manzo

Production Manager & Marketing
Diana Santos

Production Assistant
Dawn Wider

Set Design/Art
Linda Potter, Director

Costume Design
Jane Botelho

Make-up Design
Sharon Manzo
Marisa DeJesus
Raquel Fernandes

Audio and Lighting
George Wilson
Jeff Corneilson

Stage Crew
Carl Corneilson
Craig Corneilson