

Janet Langhart Cohen's

ANNE ST EMOVIEMENT

Directed by Jacie Knight



APRIL 29 - MAY 15, 2022

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CAST

Mitch Frazier	Prologue
Michael Bruckmueller	Otto Frank
Kimetha KaeJae Johnson	Maimie Till
Ella Kozak	Anne Frank
Nicholas Livingston	Emmett Till
Nicola Wahl	Anne Frank

PRODUCTION TEAM

Jacie Knight	Director
Kyra Richardson	Assistant Director
Erin Gustafson	
Evergreen/Evermore/	
Aka Niemi	Assistant Stage Manager
Mary Cay Stone	Composer/Arrangement
	Musician
Larry Rostad	Scenic Painter/Set Design
Jay Scoggin	Set Construction
Lee Christiansen	Set Construction
Meghan Kent	Costume Design
Mitch Frazier	Lighting Design
Tom Forliti	Audio Design
Pamela Miller	Graphic Design
Jacqueline Byers	Photographer
Mary Catherine	ASL Interpreter

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Janet Langhart Cohen's Anne and Emmett is an imaginary conversation between Anne Frank and Emmett Till, both victims of racial intolerance and hatred. Frank is the 13-year-old Jewish girl whose diary provided a gripping perspective of the Holocaust. Till is the 14-year-old African-American boy whose brutal murder in Mississippi sparked the American Civil Rights Movement. The beyond the grave encounter draws the startling similarities between the two youths' harrowing experiences at the hands of societies that could not protect them.

The play is an opportunity to promote healing and important conversation about racial justice.

Anne and Emmett contains derogatory racial language and imagery that reflects the realities of the lives and deaths of these two young victims of hate crimes.

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