

# The Fountain Fund

provides essential support and represents your commitment to live, intimate theatre in your community!

## WAYS TO GIVE:

- **By mail:** Send a donation with this form to: The Fountain Theatre, 5060 Fountain Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90029. Att: Barbara Goodhill
- **Online:** Visit fountaintheatre.com and click **DONATE**
- **By phone:** Contact Barbara Goodhill, Development Director at 818-907-7159 and make a contribution with your debit or credit card
- **Double your donation:** Ask your employer about a matching gift program.
- **Create a legacy:** Contact Barbara Goodhill at 818-907-7159 to discuss making a planned gift.

## Our Mission:

The Fountain Theatre is dedicated to providing a nurturing, creative home for multi-ethnic theatre and dance artists. We seek to develop provocative new works or explore a unique vision of established plays that reflect the immediate concerns and cultural diversity of Los Angeles and the nation. The Fountain offers a supportive haven for artists of varied backgrounds to interact and inspire each other toward the creation of work that will ignite and illuminate the community from which it's drawn and give creative voice to those who may not otherwise be heard. At the heart of The Fountain's artistic mission is engaging socio-economically diverse and underserved audiences and communities.

## The most honored intimate theatre in Los Angeles!

The Fountain Theatre, recipient of four Los Angeles City Council Awards for "enhancing the cultural life of Los Angeles," has been honored with over 200 awards and hundreds of nominations for over 65 productions since its inception in 1990, from such notable organizations as: *The Los Angeles Stage Alliance's Ovation Awards, The Los Angeles Drama Critics Circle Awards, The Los Angeles Times, The LA Weekly, New York Outer Critics Circle, New York Theatre Wire Writers, Back Stage Garland, NAACP Theatre Awards, Stage Scene LA.com, Maddy Awards, Entertainment Today Ticketholder Awards, and Edinburgh Fringe Festival.*

## Count me in!

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Supporting live, intimate theatre in your community!

"I consider The Fountain Theatre my creative home in the United States."

-Athol Fugard

"Broadway calibre!" - *The Los Angeles Times*

"Intimate theatre at its most compelling."

-*The Hollywood Reporter*

"... one of this country's best intimate regional houses" - *The Wall Street Journal*

"The Fountain Theatre exemplifies that great theatre is alive and well in Los Angeles"

-*Broadway World*

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INTIMATE. EXCELLENT.

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**The Fountain Theatre** is a unique place. Year after year, in an intimate setting, we bring you well-produced, provocative new theatrical works, re-imagined classics and exhilarating dance. When you sit in the theatre, watching a Fountain production, you're more than an audience member. You're an essential part of a conversation.

We are proud of the artistic legacy we've established and the Fountain Family we've created. Our family includes you. Together we enjoyed an unforgettable 2012-2013 season. Each production -- *In the Red and Brown Water*, *On The Spectrum*, *Forever Flamenco at The Ford*, *Heartsong*, *Cyrano in New York* and *The Normal Heart* -- has given us the opportunity to look at the world through different eyes and to feel part of something larger than ourselves. That's what live, intimate theatre can do. Our efforts in 2012-2013 earned prestigious Ovation Award nominations for Best Overall Season and Best Production of a Play.

Since its founding, The Fountain has been honored with over 200 awards, including the highest number of Ovation awards and nominations for any intimate theatre in Los Angeles. The 2013-2014 season at The Fountain will continue this tradition of excellence: bringing you the best in intimate theatre. But this year we are also starting a new tradition:

## The Fountain Fund

By giving to The Fountain Fund you will be protecting a small but vitally important gathering place where big ideas thrive. Your gift will help sustain a local treasure, a place where powerful, thoughtful work can be viewed and debated. A creative home where we all stay challenged and connected.

*Your gift may be unrestricted or toward the program or production of your choice. The Fountain Theatre is a 501c3. Our tax i.d. # is 95-3119081. Your gift is tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law.*

## Why an annual fund?

The Fountain is a non-profit organization. Your support is vital. We are in this together!

### Access to the arts:

Ticket purchases and subscriptions cover only about 50% of our costs. Your gift will keep ticket prices and membership accessible to all, senior citizen and student alike. This is the only way to keep intimate theatre alive.

### A home for theatre artists:

Your support will allow us to continue to offer a creative home for emerging playwrights, actors, directors and dancers.

### Theatre as a Learning Tool:

Your generosity will provide vital support for this innovative program. Local college and high school students experience educational benefits from live theatre and our post-show talk-backs with professional theatre artists.

### A voice for those not often heard:

Your gift will help The Fountain continue to produce works that might not otherwise be seen. Works that represent the many, diverse and under-represented voices within our community. Including yours.



from The Fountain's Artistic Directors

Here we go! Launching our 24th season! Join us on another magical journey. In this digital-tech age, live theatre and dance are more important than ever. We invite you to turn off your screen and enjoy our shared human experience this season. Please participate in The Fountain Fund at whatever level is comfortable for you. Your support is essential. Help keep live theatre and the arts in your community alive.

Please be a part of the Fountain Fund!

Thank you,  
Deborah Lawlor and Stephen Sachs

## Contribution Levels:

### Angel's Circle:

Gifts of \$5,000 or more

### Leadership Circle:

Gifts of \$2,500 or more

### Producer's Circle:

Gifts of \$1,500 or more

### Director's Circle:

Gifts of \$1,000 or more

### Patron's Circle:

Gifts of \$500 or more

### Backer's Circle:

Gifts of \$250 or more

### Supporter's Circle:

Gifts of \$100 or more

### Friend's Circle:

Gifts of \$50 or more

*Your participation will be gratefully acknowledged on our programs, website and blog. All giving level benefits are listed on our website.*

**Thank you for your support!**

