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Title: *"A Quiet End" Brochure*

Date: July 1955

Location: LGBT-043 Lily White & Company Collection

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Lily White & Co., Inc.
Presents



Robin Swados'
**A Quiet
End**

July 13, 14, 15, 20, 21 & 22
at 8:00 p.m.

July 16 and 23 at 2:30 p.m.

Open Stage of Harrisburg
223 Walnut St.
Ground level of the Walnut St.
Garage in Harrisburg

A Quiet End will be performed as
a benefit to raise funds for AIDS
Hospice relief in the Central
Pennsylvania area.

All proceeds will support the
ongoing task of providing end-
stage patient care to those who
wish to live their lives in dignity.

A Quiet End is presented with the permission of Samuel French, Inc.

About A Quiet End




Three men of diverse backgrounds and aspirations face their greatest test of all—living with AIDS. You will experience the human side of the present health crisis through their friendship, loyalty and love.


"The play, as quiet in its message as in its ending, gets the measure of pain and love in a bitter-chill climate." - N.Y. Post


N.Y. Native said, *"In a situation that will be recognizable to most gay people, it is the chosen family rather than the biological family, that has become important to these men. Robin Swados has made an impressive debut with 'Quiet End' by accurately representing the touching relationships in such a group."*

About The Cause

Men, women, children and infants infected with HIV have found a way to live out their lives in dignity. AIDS hospices in the area afford that opportunity. The following hospice care providers will benefit from the proceeds of **A Quiet End**:

 **York House Hospice** - Established in 1991, this three bed facility has become the standard bearer of end-stage AIDS patient care in Central Pennsylvania.


 **Wellspring** - This recently-established facility is Lebanon's answer to the community's mounting crisis. Committed to providing a final home for AIDS patients, Wellspring will open its doors Sept. 1.


 **Our House** - The SCAAN *Our House* project is dedicated to the establishment of the provision for an AIDS hospice in the Greater Harrisburg area.


Additional support will go a long way


In order to help our hospice care providers, additional contributions are highly encouraged...

 ...by becoming a:
corporate sponsor (\$1,000 contribution gets 16 tickets),
sponsor (\$500/8 tickets),
platinum angel (\$250/4 tickets),
gold angel (\$100/2 tickets),

 ...by enjoying a delicious brunch prior to the Sunday matinees (July 16 & 23) at The Paper Moon Restaurant. \$25.00 will get you brunch and a ticket to the performance. Reservations required. (Alcoholic beverages and gratuity **not** included),

 ...by making a donation in the memory of a loved one for a minimum of \$5.00 which will be listed in the program booklet,

 ...by placing an advertisement in the program booklet. Feel free to fill out the accompanying ad form. Call us if you have any questions.

 ...by participating in our July 13th Opening Night Reception. It will be an opportunity to talk to representatives of the area hospices. Tickets for the reception are \$25.00.

Ticket Order Form

- Yes, I want to attend A Quiet End as a
- Corporate Sponsor - \$1,000
 - Sponsor - \$500
 - Platinum Angel - \$250
 - Gold Angel - \$100
 - Silver Angel - \$50
 - Patron - \$25
 - Reception Patron - \$25
- Please do **not** list my name in the program booklet.
- Friend - \$12.50

Please reserve my tickets for:

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> July 13 # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> July 20 # _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> July 14 # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> July 21 # _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> July 15 # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> July 22 # _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> July 16 # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Brunch/Matinee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> July 16 # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Show only |
| <input type="checkbox"/> July 23 # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Brunch Matinee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> July 23 # _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Show only |

- I am unable to attend, but I wish to make a contribution of \$_____.
- My donation of \$_____ is in memory of _____.

Total tickets _____ **Total \$** _____

- Please send my tickets to me.
- I will pick up my tickets at the door.

Please make check payable to York House Hospice.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

PHONE _____

Please send this form with payment to:
Lily White & Co., Inc.
P.O. Box 5703
Harrisburg, PA 17110-0703.

Directions to Open Stage

From Route 83

Take the Harrisburg/Front Street exit and go to Second St. Go to the second light (Market St.) and take a right. Go two lights to Fourth St. and take a left. Take a right at the next light onto Walnut St. Pass through the Third St. light and to the Walnut Street garage on the left. Open Stage is on street level.

From Route 81

Take the Harrisburg/Front Street South exit and go down Front St. passing three lights. At the fourth light, make a left onto Market Street. Pass through the light and follow the rest of the directions for Route 83.

About Lily White & Co.

Lily White & Company, Inc. is a non-profit theatrical troupe whose mission, in part, is to raise funds for organizations which provide HIV+/AIDS patient supportive services in Central Pennsylvania.

Lily has presented full scale productions of published works by prominent playwrights including Larry Kramer's *The Normal Heart*, Harvey Fierstein's *Forget Him* and Terrance McNally's *The Lisbon Traviata*.

Since its official inception in 1989, Lily White & Co. has raised and donated over \$50,000 for apatient support services to organizations such as SCAAN, Lancaster AIDS Project, York House Hospice, York Health Extended Support Services, & the area AIDS patient food drive through Mark A. Ward Ministries.