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# Multicultural Fair/ Black ARts Festival

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# The Philadelphia Dance Company "Philadanco"

Sunday, March 6, 1988

8:00 p.m.

Mathers Theatre Holland Union Building

Sponsored by the Congress of Afro-American Students

#### Introduction

The Philadelphia Dance Company, composed predominantely of black dancers, is familiarly known as *Philadanco* in its home city where it is considered a cultural asset. Young and energetic, the group's emphasis on pyrotechnics has led to a reputation for "free-wheeling but technically advanced, virtuoso work." The "beautifully trained" young dancers concentrate on contemporary choreography.

### Program

"Bound to be Free"
Choreographer: Tobin Green
Lighting Design: William H. Grant, III
Music: Pablo Cruise
Dancers: Kim Bears, Erin White, Evelyn Watkins,
Maureen Henighan, Sabrina Madison,
Michael Donaghy, David Ross, Paul Sadler

"I Told Jesus"
Choreographer: Billy Wilson
Music: Roberta Flack
Dancer: Danielle Gee

"Dreamtime"

Choreographer: Elisa Monte
Assistant to Ms. Monte: David Brown
Music: David Van Tieghem
Featuring: Danielle Gee
Dancers: Sabrina Madison, Maureen Henighan,
Erin White, Michael Donaghy, David Ross,
Paul Sadler, Kim Bears

#### ... Intermission...

"The Element In Which It Takes Place"
(World Premiere, 1985)
Choreographer: Milton Myers
Assistant to Mr. Myers: Shirley Blackbrown
Lighting Design: William H. Grant, III
Costume Design and Execution: Natalie Garfinkle
Scenery: Michael Spencer
Music: Phillip Glass - Koyaanis Quates,
Meredith Monk - Docmen Music
Dancers: Kim Bears, Michael Donaghy, Danielle Gee, Maureen
Henighan, Sabrina Madison, David Ross, Antonio C. Scott,
Carlos Shorty, Evelyn Watkins, Erin White, Paul Sadler

This ballet is made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts, the Sun Company, and the City of Philadelphia

#### ... Pause ...

"A Rag, A Bone, And A Hank Of Hair"

Choreographer: Talley Beatty

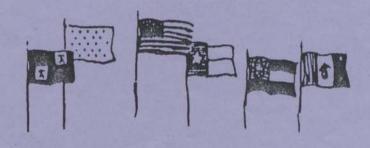
Assistant to Mr. Beatty: Ralph Farrington
Lighting Design: William H. Grant, III

Costume Design: Kim Bears, Evelyn Ferrante

Dancers: Kim Bears, Michael Donaghy, Danielle Gee, Maureen
Henighan, Sabrina Madison, David Ross, Antonio C. Scott, Carlos
Shorty, Erin White, Evelyn Watkins, Paul Sadler

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