

What happens to a dream deferred?
Does it dry up
Like a raisin in the sun?
Or fester like a sore—
And then run?
Does it stink like rotten meat?
or crust and sugar over—
Like a syrupy sweet?

Maybe it just sags
Like a heavy load.

Or does it explode?
—Langston Hughes

The University Theatre's next production

April 12 - 15
Wednesday - Saturday
8pm

All in the Timing
Fine Arts Theatre



presents

*Lorraine
Hansberry's*

A circular, textured image of a raisin, positioned behind the title text.

**A
RAISIN
IN
THE SUN**

February 23 - 26, 2000
8:00 pm
Fine Arts Theatre
Francis Marion University

Lorraine Hansberry's

A RAISIN IN THE SUN

The Cast

Ruth Younger Shemekia Nero
 Travis Younger Jared Glover
 Walter Lee Younger Rodrick Belton
 Lena Younger (Mama) Pauline Holmes
 Beneatha Younger Samieka Gambrell
 Joseph Asagai George Boykin, Jr.
 George Murchison Patrick Grant
 Bobo Carlos Baxley
 Karl Lindner Christopher Wilcox
 Moving Man David Martinez†
 Moving Man Charles Julg

The Time: The early 1950's
 The Place: The Younger's apartment on Chicago's Southside

There will be one 10-minute intermission
 You are invited to purchase a Coke during the intermission;
 however, please do not bring the drink into the theatre.

Because it disturbs the actors and the audience, please refrain from
 all types of photography during the performance.
 Please turn off all cell phones, beepers, watch alarms or other equipment
 that may make noise during the performance.

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 Associate Professor of Theatre Arts D.K. Best
 Assistant Professor of Theatre Arts A.L. Sherwood
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 Kyle Rea, Jessica Willis, Greg Williams†

PRODUCTION STAFF

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 Scenic Design D.C. Granath
 Costume Design A.L. Sherwood
 Lighting Design D.C. Granath
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 Box Office Reservations Dawn Alex†, Brent Ard
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