

Kearney Area Storytelling Festival

January 16-20, 2018

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Bringing the Storytelling experience to Kearney Area audiences including school students of all ages, senior citizens, libraries, special groups, service clubs, and other venues.

2018 Featured National Tellers

Donna Washington

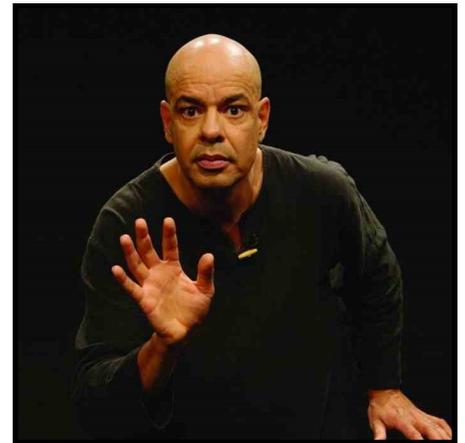


Donna is a performer and author with a diverse background in storytelling. She was born an army brat in Colorado Springs, Colorado, and began her international travel early with her parents. All through her journeys, her father would sit at the dinner table and spin the wildest yarns imaginable. He taught her Arthurian Legend and Greek Mythology by telling the stories in the first person. For many years, she thought he had actually been with Merlin and Oedipus! Donna spent from second to sixth grade in Seoul Korea. It was during these years that her parents adopted three Amerasian children. Through it all, she learned about different people, places and of course, learned their stories.

Donna attended Northwestern University and was involved with numerous theatrical productions. In the four years she was there, she began to make storytelling a central part of her performance life. She is an award winning author and recording artist receiving multiple Parent's Choice awards. Donna has performed at thousands of schools & libraries and numerous storytelling festivals throughout the country. She has also been featured at numerous storytelling festivals including the National Storytelling Festival.

Antonio Rocha

Antonio Rocha, a native of Brazil, began his career in the performing arts in 1985. In 1988 he received a Partners of the Americas grant to come to the USA to perform and deepen his mime skills with Mime Master Tony Montanaro. Since then he has earned a Summa Cum Laude Theater BA from USM (University of Southern Maine) and studied with Master Marcel Marceau. Mr. Rocha's unique solo shows of stories and mime have been performed from Singapore to Hawaii and many places in between including 16 countries on 6 continents. Some of the venues include: The National Storytelling Festival, The Kennedy Center, The Smithsonian Institution, The National Geographic as well as many other Storytelling Festivals and educational institutions around The USA.



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