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Guest Artist: Chris Calloway

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CHRIS CALLOWAY
WITH RICKY MALICHI TRIO
@ City Center Theater
Truth or Consequences
Saturday September 23, 2005
Doors open at 8:pm; Cost: $8 per person at the door

Vince Genova (piano)
Erik Unsworth (bass)
Ricky Malichi (drums)

Chris Calloway is a singer, an actor, a television personality, a producer, and a band-leader. She is the daughter of the famous Cotton Club bandleader and international icon Cab Calloway and is heir to that American musical legacy. With an introduction by her father, 30 years ago, she began her career on the Ed Sullivan show. For 20 years, until his death in 1995, she performed worldwide in the finest clubs and concert halls with Cab Calloway and his Hi De Ho Orchestra. Her portrayal of Billie Holiday in Lady Day at Emerson’s Bar and Grill, took her around the world and finally to Santa Fe at the Santa Fe Stages International Theatre Festival. In 1999 she re-formed The Hi De Ho Orchestra for the JVC Jazz Festival which led to a 55-city Cab Calloway's Legacy of Swing big band tour. Returning to Santa Fe in 2001 she wrote and starred in a one woman show entitled Clouds of Joy about her Aunt Blanche Calloway, the only known black female to front (in 1931!) an “all male” band.