

## Fall Events at the Vanderbilt Museum

### ***Singer Toby Tobias Returns: 'Journey from Johannesburg'***



**Toby Tobias in concert**

*Photo by Julya Brown*

Singer-songwriter Toby Tobias will return to the Vanderbilt with *Journey from Johannesburg*, songs and stories from his life in Africa and Israel. The performance, with The Toby Tobias Ensemble, will be on Sunday, October 16, at 7:00 p.m. in the Vanderbilt's Charles and Helen Reichert Planetarium. He appeared at the Vanderbilt for the first time in October 2015.

A South African native, Tobias grew up in Johannesburg during the Apartheid era in a traditional Jewish household. *Journey from Johannesburg* features theatrical vignettes and songs based on his life there and later in Israel, before he settled in America.

“The show is the story of my journey through three continents and three countries,” he said, “original songs interspersed with small vignettes about my life in Johannesburg and Jerusalem.”

The performance will be enhanced by photos and video projected onto the Planetarium dome. Tickets: \$20 on-line ([www.vanderbiltmuseum.org](http://www.vanderbiltmuseum.org)) pre-purchase and \$25 at the door. Early purchase is suggested.

### ***Arena Players: 'I'll Be Back Before Midnight'***

Just in time for Halloween, the Arena Players Repertory Theater will offer *I'll Be Back Before Midnight!* by Peter Colley, opening Friday, October 7, at 8:00 p.m. in the Vanderbilt Carriage House Theater. The theater is located on the grounds of the Suffolk County Vanderbilt Museum, 180 Little Neck Road, Centerport, N.Y.

This spooky and funny thriller tells the story of Jan, a woman recovering from a nervous disorder who retreats to a cabin with her husband, Greg.



All seems well until a creepy neighbor and Greg's sister arrive at the cabin, prompting a series of frightening events that culminate in a nerve-shattering climax.

Performances will be given on October 7, 8, 14, 15, 28, and 29 at 8:00 p.m., and on October 9 and 30 at 3:00 p.m.

Tickets for Friday and Sunday shows are \$20, and \$18 for seniors (62 and older). Saturday tickets are \$25 (no senior discount).

For more information, call 516-293-0674 or 516-557-1207 for more info. Visit [arenaplayers.org](http://arenaplayers.org)

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