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"In Touch" Looks At Low Income Housing Sunday

WBTB Community Affairs Director Ken Koontz hosts a discussion of a growing crisis in Charlotte on "In Touch With Low Income Housing," Sunday, May 23 at 6:30 p.m. on WBTB, Channel 3.

Koontz and his guests, Harold Wilson, a local CPA; Dr. Olev Niiland, Director of UNCC's Student Health Center; and Kathy Schinkle, Charlotte homemaker, make up a special task force looking into the critical shortage of low-to-moderate housing. They have discovered that Charlotte city officials estimate some 3,000 families are on the waiting list, but that there are fewer than 500 units of potentially available homes for these families.

The task force members will discuss the problems and present their recommendations for a solution on the thirty-minute program.

"Stand By Your Man" Is Tuesday

Night Movie

"Stand by Your Man," the motion picture-for-television starring Annette O'Toole and Tim McIntire, which is based on the autobiography of country music queen Tammy Wynette, will be rebroadcast on "The CBS Tuesday Night Movies," Tuesday, May 25 at 9 p.m. on WBTB, Channel 3.

Cooper Huckabee, Helen Page Camp and James Hampton also star in the rags-to-riches story that dramatizes highlights in the career of Tammy Wynette, from her impoverished childhood to superstardom in the country music field. The title "Stand by Your Man" comes from Miss Wynette's most famous song, one of the longest-selling single records in the history of country music. The book, written by Miss Wynette with Joan Drew, was adapted for television by John Gay.

Annette O'Toole portrays Miss Wynette, who began life in the rural South, worked in the cotton fields as a small child, survived recurrent illness, shock therapy and four disastrous marriages and raised four daughters while fighting for the break that led, finally,

to her steady climb to the top of the music charts and an enduring place as a First Lady of country music. She has won two Grammy Awards and has three times been named Top Vocalist of the Year by the Country Music Association.



REV. JAMES CLEVELAND

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Rev. Cleveland Is Synonymous To The Nurturing Of Gospel

Super-star status hasn't altered what the Rev. James Cleveland set out to do years ago. His mission then was to feed the hungry souls with his gospel music. That mission hasn't wavered. Rev. James Cleveland's name has always been synonymous to the nurturing of gospel.

It is little wonder that Cleveland's course in life veered towards gospel music. Cleveland's childhood included two Christian parents who attended church regularly, prayed fervently and took the time to teach their religious beliefs to him. From this environment Cleveland absorbed and grew firm in the Christian faith.

Adept with the talent of singing Cleveland's formative years were spent performing with many great gospel groups including the Thorns, Crusaders, The Gospel All-Stars of New York, The Roberta Martin Singers, The Caravans, The Mahalia Jackson Singers, and the Meditation Singers.

This time was a period of learning for Cleveland. Surrounded by such talented and gifted performers Cleveland's singing ability developed to the stage where Cleve-

land decided to venture out on his own. Combining the best of those groups with his own, unique and creative genius, Cleveland organized the Cleveland Singers.

Ever since Cleveland's first hit recording, "The Love of God," Cleveland has received six gold albums: "Peace, Be Still," "I'll Do His Will," "Lord, Do It," "I Stood On The Bans," "Lord Help Me To Hold Out," and "Jesus Is The Best Thing."

Cleveland's total immersion in the field of gospel has opened other doors of opportunity for him. He served as the musical consultant for the Emmy Award winning teleplay "Roots" one and two, and also the motion picture, "The Mad Messiah."

Following closely behind Cleveland's opportunities are his honors. He was the recipient of an honorary doctorate degree from Temple Bible College, winner of two Grammy Awards, "Billboard" magazine's Trend-Setters Award, NAACP Image Award, "Billboard" No. 1 Gospel Artist Award, Record World "Record World" Top Gospel Artist Award, EBONY magazine's Artist Award the National Association of Negro Musicians'

Award and NA'KA Award as Best Gospel Artist.

During a schedule that has so many demands it doesn't seem likely that Cleveland would have the time to discover new talent. But he does. In recent years he has presented a number of fine artists, all of whom were recorded on the Savoy label.

Providing the type of gospel music so many people seek Cleveland has written over 350 compositions and has recorded 72 albums.

If Cleveland's work stopped at his musical career, certainly that would be enough but Cleveland goes on tirelessly. He is the pastor of the Cornerstone Institutional Baptist Church in Los Angeles and is founder and president of the Gospel Music Workshop of America, a convention of singers from all over the country.

Truly a disciple of Christ, Cleveland, along with gospel performers Albertina Walker and Inez Andrews, will appear at the Charlotte Coliseum Sunday, May 23, for what promises to be the greatest gospel concert ever. The concert begins at 4 p.m.

Modern Music To Be Played At The Mint Museum

The Charlotte Chamber of Music Workshop will present a concert of mostly modern music at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 23, in the Golden Circle Theatre at the Mint Museum, 501 Hempstead Place. Tickets are \$4 and may be purchased at the door.

The concert, the last in a series of five "Music at the Mint" concerts presented by the Charlotte Chamber Music Workshop, features the Renaissance String Quartet: Dennis and Lisa Spring, violins; Scott Rice, viola; and Charles Wiens, violoncello. Their 75 minute program includes Debussy's "Premier" and five pieces for string quartet by Clark Eastham.

The Charlotte Chamber Music Workshop concerts at the Mint Museum are sponsored by the Department of Performing Arts. For additional information about the concert or the Charlotte Chamber Music Workshop, call 535-3024.

"Time After Time" Is WBTB Saturday Night Movie

Jack the Ripper escapes through time to modern-day San Francisco in "Time After Time," suspense drama starring Malcolm McDowell, David Warner and Mary Steenburgen, to be broadcast for the first time on network television on "The CBS Saturday Night Movies," Saturday, May 22 at 9 p.m. on WBTB, Channel 3.

Idealistic writer H. G. Wells (McDowell) is throwing a dinner party in turn-of-the-century London to show his friends his new invention, a time machine, when the police interrupt. They are looking for the notorious murderer, Jack the Ripper, who has just committed another heinous crime. In their search of the house, they come across evidence that Dr. John Stevenson (Warner), one of Wells' erudite guests, is the Ripper, but before they can make an arrest, Stevenson escapes in Wells' time machine.

The machine returns, without Stevenson, to London and Wells climbs aboard in pursuit of his murderous acquaintance, finding himself, after a dazzling journey through time, in modern San Francisco. Expecting a Utopia, Wells is disappointed with what he finds, but his first concern is to locate Stevenson. Baffled by contemporary ways, he enlists the aid of a bank officer, Amy (Miss Steenburgen), who helps him discover where Stevenson is staying.