

'Star Of Bethlehem' Closing Is Extended

Opportunity to Witness Performance Until Jan. 10

Closing date for "Star of Bethlehem," the Morehead Planetarium's annual tribute to Christmas at Chapel Hill has been postponed until January 10, it is announced by Director A. F. Jenzano.

Several factors prompted the decision to offer additional performances. "First," Jenzano said, "we are still receiving requests for reservations, indicating that there are many people who have deferred their attendance until after Christmas. Second, large groups representing churches and organizations may have planned to see the inspirational pageant before Christmas but were unable to secure transportation until the two-day holiday was over. By extending the show one week, we feel we are making it possible for everyone who desires to see 'Star of Bethlehem' to do so at his comfort and convenience."

Deferring the closing date of the Christmas story will not interrupt the schedule of special school shows Wednesday and Thursday mornings, the director reminded teachers. Thus, "Reasons for the Seasons," designed especially for students, will open on schedule January 4.

Too, the next public show for all age groups is "Sun, Earth's Powerhouse," and it will open January 11 instead of January 4.


During the week's extension, "Star of Bethlehem" will be presented daily at 8:30 P. M., with matinees at 11 A. M., 3 and 4 P. M., Saturday and 2, 3, and 4 P. M., Sundays.

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60-SECOND SERMONS

BY
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TEXT: The miser and the pig are of no use 'til death. —La Motte

There is a timely barnyard story about a pig and a cow. The pig was sorrowing to the cow because he was unpopular.

"People are always talking about your gentleness and kind eyes," complained the pig. "Sure, you give milk and cream, but I give even more. I give bacon and ham, I give bristles and they even pick my feet. Still nobody likes me. I'm just a pig. Why is this?"

The cow thought a moment and said, "Well, maybe it's because I give while I'm still living."

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Surviving are her husband, John Martin Harrell, Jr.; her mother, Mrs. Leona Swearingen of Orlando, Fla.; her father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Welch of Cross City, Fla.; two stepchildren, John Martin Harrell, III, and Richard T. Harrell, both of Lakeland, Fla.

Funeral services were held at the Williford Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Rev. B. L. Raines, pastor of the Rocky Hook Baptist Church, officiated and burial was in Berry Hill Cemetery.

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