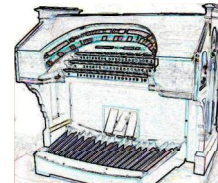


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FEBRUARY MEETING

Our Annual Election Meeting will be held in
THE COURTROOM THEATRE

at

The McKinney Performing Arts Center
111 N. Tennessee—McKinney, TX 75069
at 2:30 PM on Sunday February 17, 2008

OUR SPECIAL GUEST ARTIST

GLENN SWOPE

It has been a while since Glenn has played for one of our chapter meetings on the theatre organ. We welcome him back. He will present a program of favorite tunes appropriate to the season.

Refreshments will be provided by the Chapter.

There will be **OPEN CONSOLE** after the Election Meeting and concert program.

Bring a friend or two or ten!!!



From the President

It has been a very busy time since the December Annual Party. With the Silent film that we presented this month and the other activities that have required my attention, I have fallen short on getting this newsletter completed and into your hands on a timely basis. However, this month's meeting is our annual election of officers and I hope that we can have a fine turnout for it. Remember, your vote counts.

Our guest artist this month is Glenn Swope. We haven't heard from him in quite a while and I for one am looking forward to his performance this Sunday.

The Silents on the Square presentation of "The Son of the Sheik" with Steven Ball performing on our Mighty Wurlitzer was an event not to be missed. We had our best turnout for a silent film to date. Steven got sounds out of the organ that are not in it. Magic, pure Magic.

There is a change in the April meeting in that it will be on April 13th instead of the 20th. The program has not been finalized as of this date, but I am sure it will be a good one as always.

Be sure to get your tickets for the March 8th presentation of "The King of Kings". It is Brett Valliant's show-piece silent film.

Don

From the Secretary's desk By Alan Cavitt

Happy Valentines Day to all! The Daffodils are starting to come up and sprout blooms. I hope the coming springtime will bring you much happiness and pleasant times with your family and friends. I also hope that no one has had any of the flu bugs going around, as they can be quite nasty.

The nomination committee will report their recommendations at the Chapter meeting this Sunday.

The Traveling Organ is coming along quite nicely. The only thing left to acquire are the voice files for the sound engine. It should be playing by April or May. (Hopefully sooner as we would like to get it into the schools still this year!)

See you at the Console!

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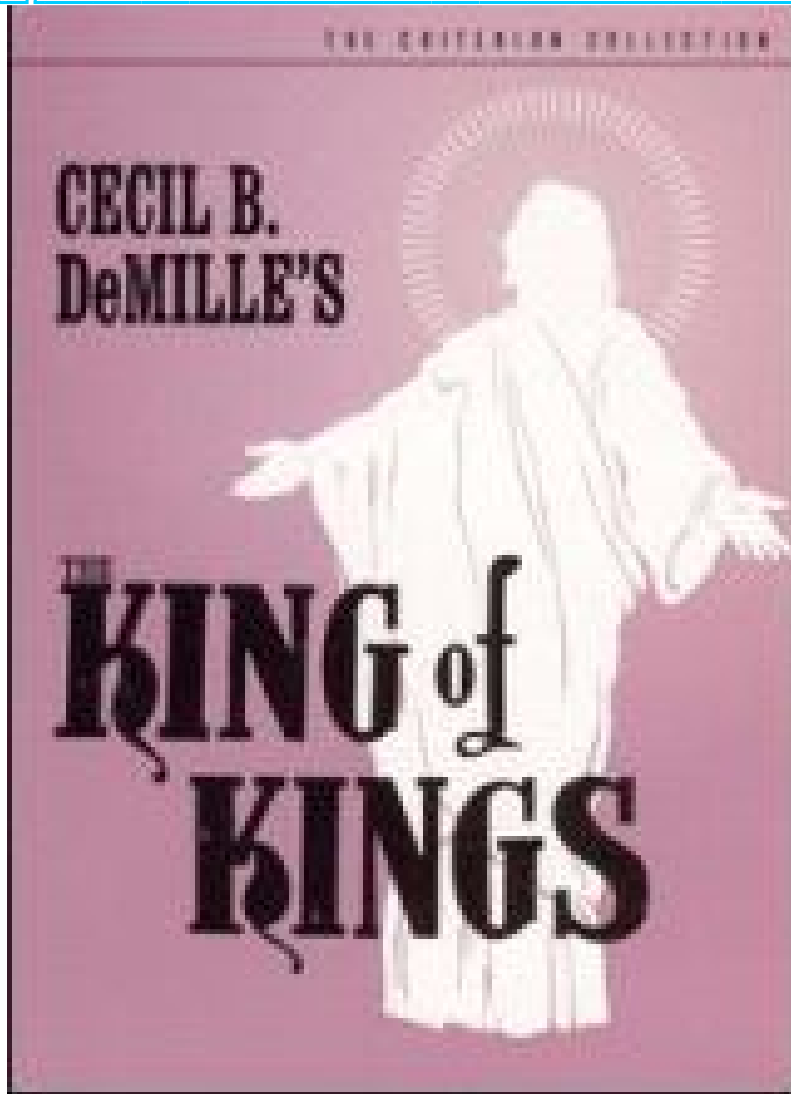
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SILENTS ON THE SQUARE

MARCH 8, 2008

THE STORY

Mary Magdalene becomes angry when Judas, now a follower of Jesus, won't come to her feast. She goes to see Jesus and becomes repentant. From there the Bible story unfolds through the Crucifixion and Resurrection.



BRETT VALLIANT

at

The Mighty Wurlitzer



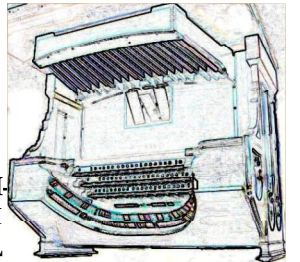
Show time is 8:00 PM in the COURTROOM THEATRE at the McKinney Performing Arts Center

Tickets are: Adults—\$15.00 - Children 12 yrs and under—\$7.50

INFORMATION & TICKETS: 214-544-4630

On-Line Tickets: <http://mckinneyperformingartscenter.tix.com>

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Next Meeting: The February Meeting will be on February 17th at the McKinney Performing Arts Center at 2:30 PM.

Directions: Take North Central (US 75) North to Virginia/Louisiana Exit in McKinney. Go East on Louisiana to Tennessee. MPAC will be on your left. It occupies the entire square. The entrance is on the East side.

