



"Tennessee, Tallulah & Truman...

Birds of a Feather"



September 7-9, 2018

Columbus, Mississippi



Dear Tennessee Williams Tribute Friend,

This September, a Columbus institution returns for its 17th terrific season. The **Tennessee Williams Tribute** (Sept. 7-9, 2018) promotes the legacy of our city's world-famous son, attracts cultural tourism, encourages academic research and, of course, celebrates the creative spirit of Columbus.

This year we unite three great legends of Southern culture whose larger-than-life personalities defined an era of innovation in literature and entertainment.

Our theme is "**Tennessee, Tallulah, and Truman... Birds of a Feather.**" This is one *cage aux folles* you won't want to miss!

Friday events include the famous "Stella Shouting Contest" at Hollyhocks, literary poetry readings, a movie, and more!

On Saturday, we start the day with a breakfast recognizing this year's Tennessee Williams Scholar. We then visit four antebellum homes for our popular porch plays. Relax with a midday movie at the RAC. Then spend an elegant evening at our annual "**Moon Lake Gala**" and silent auction. Broadway actor Joel Vig returns as Truman Capote, rhapsodizing about his friendships with Tennessee Williams and Alabama-born actress Tallulah Bankhead.

On Sunday, St. Paul's Episcopal Church honors our festival with a Tennessee Williams-themed sermon. Our popular tour of Victorian Homes returns in the afternoon, offering a glimpse inside some of Columbus's most elegant residences.

Lock in your support now with a \$100 "Desire Pass," which includes unlimited access to all Tribute functions. Or choose a level of giving on the following page. Your gift supports the arts and helps maintain the birthplace of America's Greatest Playwright.

As a volunteer-driven community event, TWT depends upon your generosity. Please help us spread the word by placing a yard sign, attending our events, investing in this annual celebration...or all of the above. Call 662/368-8591 for more information.

Thank you in advance. We look forward to celebrating with you in September!

Best,

Marthalie Porter

Tribute Chair



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Thank you for your generosity!

As an all-volunteer organization, we rely on the continued support of friends and sponsors to bring exciting, meaningful programming to the TWT each year. Please fill out and return to the form to the address below or call us with any questions. Please make checks payable to “Tennessee Williams Tribute.” And thank you, once again, for your generosity!

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Program listing and reservation information (telephone number for TWT contact only).

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