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Presents

The Magic of Christmas Featuring Terry Evanswood



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Star Of Magic *Terry Evanswood*

Performing professionally since the age of 10, Terry Evanswood has appeared in live stage shows and on television throughout the United States as well as on international stages.

Evanswood was awarded an entertainment scholarship to attend the Chavez College of Magic, which has enhanced the skills of prestidigitation and manual dexterity of some of the leading performers in the field of magic.

In 1991, Evanswood became the youngest illusionist in history to perform at Hollywood's famed Magic Castle.

Evanswood was presented with the Certificate of Excellence award, which was the first and only honor given by the "American Museum of Magic."



Evanswood's illusionary career has taken him from New York's Liberty Island across the country to Las Vegas, Nevada. From Chicago to Miami Beach, Evanswood has been the featured entertainer in countless shows, fairs, conventions and theatres.

Evanswood has starred in review shows around the world including "Rio Ecstasy" in Cancun, Mexico; the "Stars of Magic," Sarnia, Canada; "Fabulous Miami," Miami Beach, Florida and "Grand Illusion" at the Americana Hotel and Casino in Aruba. The magic of Evanswood has been onboard entertainment for world-renowned Holland America Cruise Line most recently touring Alaska.

With over a decade of center-stage experience, Evanswood is dedicated to preserving the art of illusion and promises to be one of magic's fastest rising stars!

"Evanswood has [the] audience in the palm of his hand...his interaction with children was electrifying."

St. Charles Review

"An extraordinary, must see, magical experience that you won't soon forget! A great show for All Ages."

Pigeon Forge Dept. of Tourism

"...Incredible dexterity as a master of slight-of-hand, manipulating multiple decks of cards in ways that defy logic."

What's Showing Magazine

"The way Evanswood does it, it's real magic...a high-energy succession of illusion and sleight-of-hand that rank with the best."

Circus Report Weekly

"Enter the Terry Evanswood world of illusions, where reality and fantasy embrace."

Chicago Tribune

"...Throughout the ages, magical entertainers have lifted the human spirit with arts of wonder and delight...Evanswood excels in this great tradition."

American Museum of Magic

"...innovative, stylish and personable!"

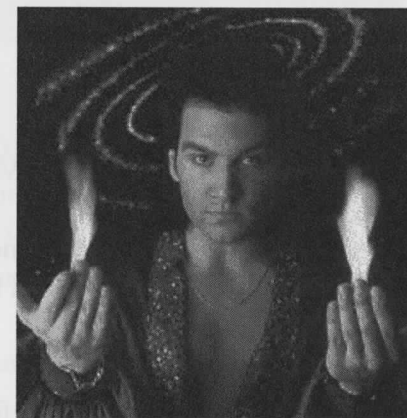
WGN Television

"If you're looking for a magician, there is none better!"

Walt Disney Productions

"...dramatic illusion...an upbeat, high energy presentation!"

Aruba Today



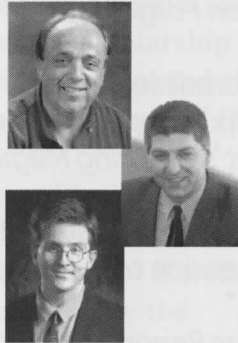
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Saturday, January 17, 8PM

Chicago's own Steve Cochran, Spike Manton, and Tim Clue come together for an evening of contemporary stand-up comedy looking at life, love, raising kids and raising Cain.



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Saturday, January 24, 8PM

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