

ONE NITE ONLY! —A Philippine-International Extravaganza

North Miami, Florida – February 15, 2002

ONE NITE ONLY! was an exciting and memorable night when the Cast and Musicians of “Miss Saigon” and other international performers joined the crowd at the North Miami Beach Performing Arts on Saturday, February 1, 2003.

“Miss Saigon” was held at the Jackie Gleason Theatre in Miami Beach during the last week of January 2003. This made it possible for the cast and musicians to join the community in a special performance for ONE NITE ONLY!

The event started at 7:30 PM on Saturday, February 1, with ballroom dancing and a free group ballroom dance lesson from the First Place Instructor Winner and best Latin *dancer Carlos Escobar* and his wife, Christy at the McDonald Social Hall of the North Miami Beach Performing Arts Theatre.

Guests also enjoyed disco dancing to the tune of ELVIS Live! by *Randy Walker*, who has performed as ELVIS internationally, in Las Vegas, and on TV. And of course, there was finger food to satisfy everyone’s appetite.



Later, guests were ushered to the main hall of North Miami Beach Performing Arts Theatre for a lively musical and dance performance by the cast and musicians of “Miss Saigon”. The Front Act will include Kundiman songs rendered by talented members of the International Award Winning group, the *Himig Singers*, who now call themselves “*Music and Madness*”. The

Philippine Dance Troupe, U.S.A. performed folk dances representative of the three regions of the Philippines. *Pura Stetter* and *Azeneth Cadabas* also sang Filipino songs, with Yuri Villanueva on the piano.

Invigorated guests continued to party with the Cast of Miss Saigon after the main performance.

Horizon International Remittance and Inday Abuan produced the show in cooperation with InART/NY.

Miguel Braganza II, originally from the Philippines, is the founder and artistic director of InART/NY & Children's Musical Theatre Workshop. A very talented international performer and original cast of Miss Saigon, Miguel holds a Bachelor's Degree in Theater and won the 1987 Walter Tony Scholarship for Choreography from Harvard University. Manuel Pablo Tuason, who also has impressive International credentials, will be directing the show.

Emi Alcid, Liza Bugarin, Irene Caguin, Edward Dias, Ramona Dubarry, Rommel O'Choa, Dan Rosenbaum, Wallace Smith, Mario Tadeo, Rae Toledo, John Florencio, Jeremy Meronuck, and Michael Burt are among the talented international Cast of Miss Saigon.

All proceeds from the event were donated to NANAY (National Alliance to Nurture the Aged and the Youth), a 501(c)(3) organization that provides supportive services to the community (www.nanay.com).

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