

AMERICAS

DATE	EVENT / PLACE	DESCRIPTION
15/03/97	Grand Rapids, Michigan, USA Nexus performances with <i>Memphis Symphony Orchestra</i> Convention Center Memphis, TN, USA	Percussion quintet joins symphony for two performances: "The Story of Percussion-in the Orchestra", with Vincent Danner, conductor; and "From Rags to Riches", with Bill Cahn, conductor. After a busy 25th anniversary season during which NEXUS was honoured in Rochester by the Canadian Consulate Buffalo, the Canadian percussion quintet performs in recitals, workshops, and master classes at several colleges in West Virginia; 09/04/97 West Liberty College in West Liberty, WV, 10/04/97 at West Virginia Wesleyan, 11/04/97 at University of West Virginia, 12/04/97 at West Virginia State College, 13/04/97 at University of West Virginia, and 15/04/97 at Shepherd College. The Canadian percussion ensemble will also perform in concert with the Omaha Symphony Orchestra from 24/01/97 to 26/01/97 at the Symphony Hall in Omaha, NE. This engagement is part of a 25th anniversary USA tour for this popular group. The tour includes performances on 16/01/97 in Ann Arbor, Michigan, on 18/01/97 in Chicago, 19/01/97 in Glen Ellyn, Illinois, on 22/01/97 and 23/01/97 in Kansas City, from 04/02/97 to 09/02/97 in Costa Mesa, on 10/02/97 in Northridge, California, and on 06/04/97 at Miami University and 08/04/97 in Ohio.
15/03/97	Detroit Symphony Orchestra Orchestra Hall Detroit, Michigan, USA	Guest Eric Nagler from Toronto provides family entertainment.
15/03/97 22/03/97	Benjamin Butterfield, tenor Different venues California, USA	The Canadian tenor performs the role of the Evangelist in "St. Matthew Passion" with the Philharmonia Baroque. On 15/03/97 and 16/03/97 in Berkeley, on 19/03/97 in Walnut Creek, on 21/03/97 in San Francisco and on 22/03/97 in Palo Alto.
15/03/97 16/03/97	Rich Little Macomb Center for the Performing Arts Mt. Clemens, Michigan, USA	This Canadian master impressionist presents yet another concert.
16/03/97	Le Cirque Eloize Venue to be determined Columbus, Ohio, USA	Daring acrobatics, breathtaking balancing, comedy, theatre, dance and music make up this exciting show. This Montreal-based company of seven multi-talented performers will also perform on 22/03/97 and 23/03/97 at the Victoria Theatre in Dayton, Ohio, on 25/04/97 at the Arts Center of the College of DuPage, Glen Ellyn, Chicago, on 26/04/97 at the Krannert Center of the University of Illinois, Champaign, Chicago, on 15/02/97 at the Lisner Auditorium, George Washington University in Washington.
16/03/97	Judith Skelton Grant 92nd Street Y New York, USA	Canadian biographer Judith Skelton Grant talks about her book "Robertson Davies, Man of Myth", as part of the Y's popular "Biographers & Brunch" series.
19/03/97	Lyne Comtois in "La Colombe" L'Opera Français - Alice Tully Hall New York, USA	Mezzo-soprano Lyne Comtois, a Montreal native, is featured in L'Opera Français' "La Colombe" under the direction of Canadian native Yves Abel.
21/03/97	Kalamazoo Symphony	Guest pianist is Canadian Jon Kimura Parker. He will also