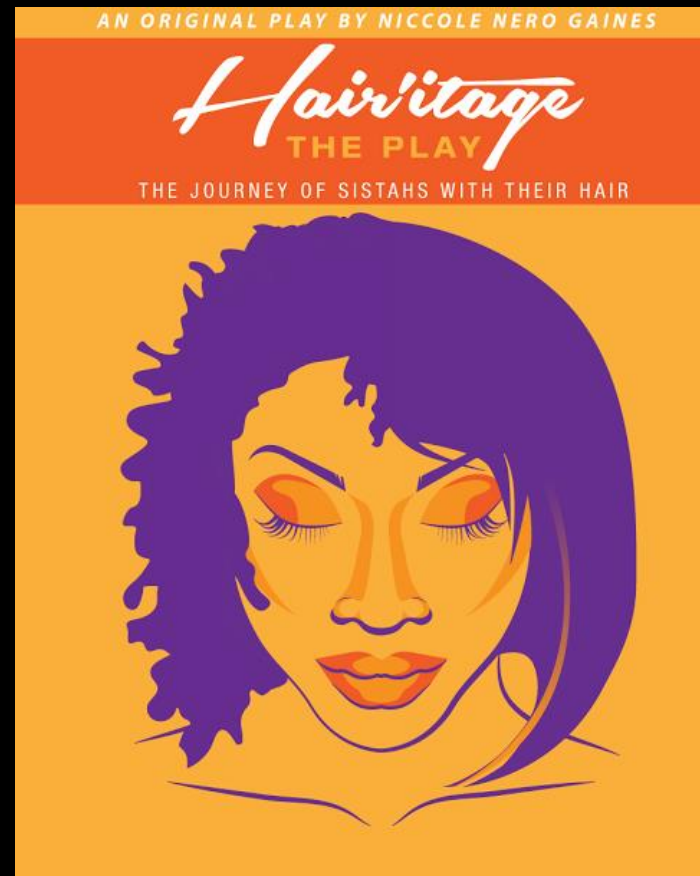


HAIRitage The Play



Show Summary

Plot Synopsis

HAIritage is a play about the trials and triumphs Black women face when dealing with their “crowning glory”. Through six relatable “Hair Sistahs” the audience experiences how the women feel and how they are perceived by how they choose to wear their hair. The show is highly entertaining and is enjoyed by Men as well as Women. One recent Male audience member remarked “I saw my sister, my mother and my wife in the characters, I never knew how much you ladies go through with your hairstyles” HAIritage provides a lot of laughs, but is also a moving piece that looks into the deeper issues of hair identity. In one particular scene a woman finds out she has cancer and her first thought is “I don’t want to lose my hair.” The show is truly a powerful piece and at the end, people walk away not only having been entertained, but enlightened as well.

Cast Information

The cast includes 6 Actresses. Each actress plays different versions of her “Hair Type.”

Afro Hair Sistah – A militant, afro-centric woman

Good Hair Sistah – A insecure woman with slight identify issues

Straight Hair Sistah – A bourgeois woman

Braided Hair Sistah – An African woman

Colored Hair Weave Sistah – A modern girl

Loc Hair Sistah – A West Indian, no nonsense woman

Reviews and Media Coverage



"Gaines' impeccable writing and the talent of the actresses more than exceeded expectations"



"A very refreshing and realistic look into the world of Black women and hair" and "Absolutely unlike anything you'd expect"
"A MUST SEE"



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