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**SYNOPSIS:**

*A Heart's Cry is a compelling poetic compilation of King David's heartfelt petitions to God in times of triumph and in times of trial. This production of A Heart's Cry is being presented as a staged play reading, and will thread together some of the most compelling Psalms written; presenting those writings in a palpable modern day plot.*

**AUDITION CRITERIA**

- Dramatic Monologue preferred (no profane language please) 2 mins max
- Prepare for Cold Reading
- Be prepared to sing 16 bars acapella traditional gospel/spiritual song, if requested

- Dancer  Needed (please prepare ORIGINAL choreography to Psalms 140:1-5, KJV on Pointe)

- Headshot/Current Picture (with resume, if available)

**\*All roles are volunteer**

**AUDITION LOCATION/DATES:**

Cleveland Park Library (3310 Connecticut Avenue, NW, 20008)

Saturday, September 22nd 1pm-4pm (ages 16+ only)

Sunday, September 23rd 1:30-4:30pm (ages 5-15 only)

\*appointments encouraged by emailing [FulfillmentTC@gmail.com](mailto:FulfillmentTC@gmail.com)

**REHEARSALS/PRODUCTION DATE:**

October 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th / **Friday, Nov. 2nd, 2018 @ Silver Spring Black Box Theatre**

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# CASTING CALL

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CLEVELAND PARK LIBRARY  
3310 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, NW  
WASHINGTON, DC 20008

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# Character Breakdown

## *A Heart's Cry*

**Narrator:** *Man or Woman. Ties the action and scenes together. Must be able to handle strong emotion and text. S/he presents, but is also as a Shepherd of the audience.*

**Dennis:** *AKA "Den". Husband to "Jen." Having a hard time living up to the manhood of the world. Tries to be stronger than he is for his wife Jen and all those around him. Cares a lot about what other people think and in turn misses a lot of opportunities to be happy in life. Battles with casting His cares unto The Lord.*

**Reggie:** *Loves trusts and obeys God. Has been falsely accused for a crime yet has been sentenced to serve time in jail for the crime. Everyone has abandoned him because of it. He has no ally.*

**Evelyn:** *Mother to Andy. Enduring quiet heartbreak from her marriage.*

**Jimmy:** *Is angry. Has been hurt by a lot of people close to him; people he has really loved. Battles with knowing God, but not fully trusting Him. Has been appropriately jailed, but blames others for his current state. He is the leader of the pack.*

**Jenet:** *AKA "Jen". Strong-willed, working woman. Has great respect for her husband Dennis. Very loving and silly.*

**Andy:** *Girl or Boy, no older than 12yrs. Child of Evelyn. A prayer warrior. Loving. Obedient. Has a lot of questions about life. Knows God very well.*

**Facilitator:** *understanding, compassionate, calm, has layers, keeps the order and the dialogue moving along during an encounter reminiscent of an A.A. meeting.*

**Villain #1-3:** *jailhouse bullies working for Jimmy.*

**Voice #1-7:** *are the voices of the characters in melodic tandem.*

**Scene:** Various locations.

**Time:** Present day