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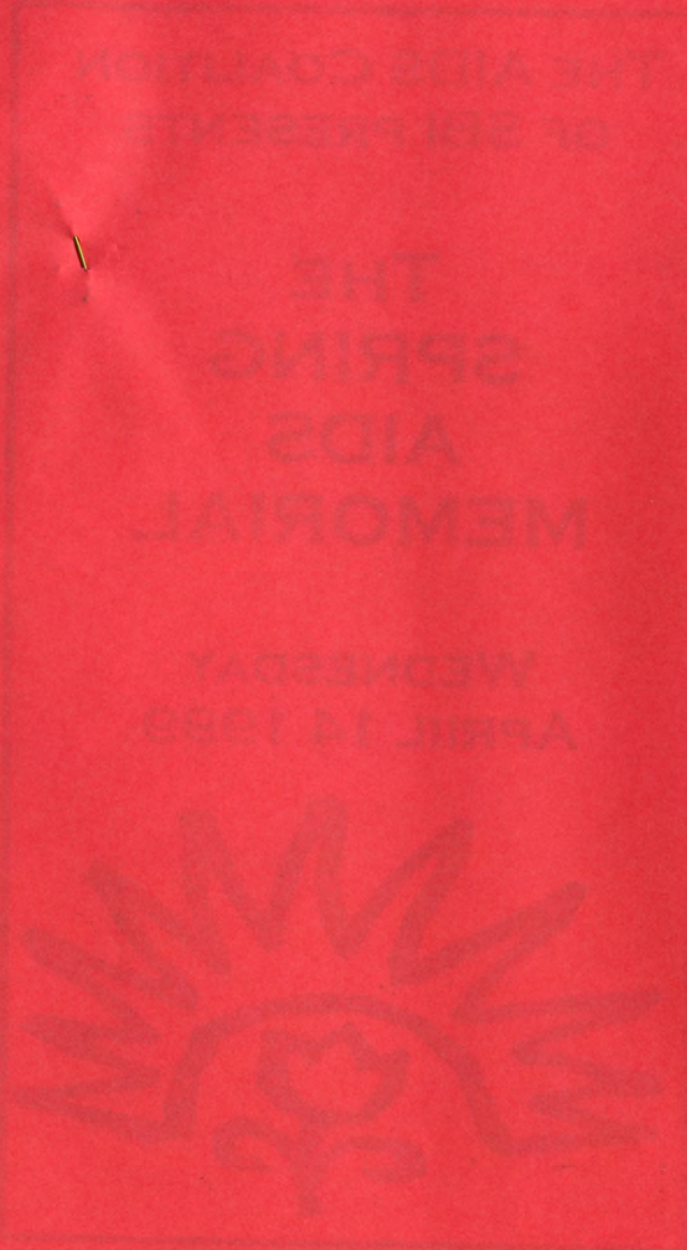
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THE AIDS COALITION
OF SBI PRESENTS

THE
SPRING
AIDS
MEMORIAL

WEDNESDAY
APRIL 14 1999





Prayer Service

Welcome

Heather Ligouri

Listening to Young Voices Sean Hewitt
- An anthology from the "AIDS Poetry Project"

Poem 1 - by Frankie Keller, 9 years old
Read by Jen Boyle

Poem 2 - by Sam Wiehoff, 9 years old
Read by Helen Sckalor

I Felt - by Etan Rand, 11 years old
Read by Maggie Zak

Poem 4 - by Sophie Holman, 11 years old
Read by Heather Ward

You Can't Stop Me - by Takesha La'Shawn Rogers,
17 years old
Read by Lilian Adesheila

I Feel The Pain - by Andrew Zinaman, 12 years old
Read by Chris George

Poem 7 - by Rachel Peters, 14 years old
Read by Donnie Sandberg


Poem 8 - by Georgia Elrod, 15 years old
Read by Jeannie Lau

Reading of the Names Jillian Eng
To My Mom in Heaven
-by Jovany, age 13

Keynote Speaker Sean Sasser

What you can do Brenda Stamos

Closing Heather Ligouri



Sean Sasser

In 1994, Sean and his now deceased partner, Pedro Zamora, gave the entire world a glimpse of their commitment to HIV prevention education while living day-to-day with the virus themselves. Pedro and Sean were the focus of several episodes of *The Real World III* that made them well-respected and admired as activists and people. Some of his activities include:

- Atlanta Media Resource Center Manager of the Gay Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation (GLAAD).


- Board member of the AIDS Policy Center for Children Youth and Families.

- Serves on the Presidential council of HIV/AIDS.

Sean is 28 and has been living with HIV the entirety of his adult life. As an AIDS activist and trainer, he has been educating young people at high schools, universities and youth conferences across the country about HIV and AIDS since 1991. He strongly believes that young people are the most effective educators and advocates for themselves and their peers when discussing risk behaviors and transmission of HIV.

Brenda Stamos

Brenda is the research coordinator for the AIDS Clinical Trials Unit. She oversees and assists with implementing 22 research protocols (through the University at Buffalo) at the Erie Country Medical Center. She is also a psychotherapist and has a broad range of interests including women's issues and gay rights.



"KNOWLEDGE IS POWER"

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AIDS CLINICAL TRIALS UNIT
AT ERIE COUNTY MEDICAL
CENTER**



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Hebrews 13:1-2



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