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Amelia Earhart: First Lady of Flight

By Ric Averill

The Seem-To-Be Players are coming to town to present Ric Averill's 'you were there' approach to the story of America's premiere aviatrix. This one hour play with music tells the exciting story of one woman's quest to explore the unknown, face the unbelievable risks and have great adventures. A live cellist completes the cast to recreate the sound of the airplanes which appear both onstage and as hand-held puppet props. Bluegrass music, lively characterization and period costumes bring history to life in this entertaining and education production.

"This play is performed as a fun old-time radio show and delights in sharing the lifetime adventures of America's premiere female pilots" says writer and director Averill. Averill has headed up the Seem-To-Be Players for more than 30 years and has published many of the plays developed by the company. Based in Lawrence, Kansas the company tours the entire nation from Florida to Washington State. Actors are drawn for not only the greater Kansas City area but also from across the country. Former actors from the company have appeared on television and in movies and can be found on both coasts.

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