

WINNER
BEST NEW PLAY
OLIVIER AWARDS
2010



THE THEATRE
CHIPPING NORTON
HOMEGROWN

THE MOUNTAINTOP

BY KATORI HALL

TOURING SPRING/SUMMER 2022

THE MOUNTAIN TOP

The background of the entire poster is a photograph of a motel at night. A large, illuminated 'MOTEL' sign is visible on the right side, with the letters in a classic neon font. The building is dark, and there are some lights visible in the windows and on the sign. The sky is dark, and there are some blurred lights in the background, suggesting a street scene.

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Dr. Martin Luther King Jr, exhausted and self-doubting, returns alone to his Memphis motel room and orders up room service. The charismatic waitress who appears with his coffee takes the evening in unexpected directions, leading him to question the mission he has devoted his life to, and what he will leave behind.

Winner of the Olivier Award for Best New Play in 2010, this tender, stunningly theatrical play explores the conflict between heroism and humanity, and between the public image and the real person. Instead of the larger-than-life historical icon, this is an intimate side of Dr King, glimpsed in the last hours of his life.

Suitable for ages 14+

THE THEATRE CHIPPING NORTON

4TH – 14TH MAY 2022,
CHIPPINGNORTONTHEATRE.COM 01608 642350

THEATRE RORYAL WINCHESTER

9TH – 11TH JUNE 2022
PLAYTOTHECROWD.CO.UK 01962 840 440

OXFORD PLAYHOUSE

23RD – 25TH JUNE 2022
OXFORDPLAYHOUSE.COM 01865 305305

YVONNE ARNAUD THEATRE, GUILDFORD

17TH – 21ST MAY 2022
YVONNE-ARNAUD.CO.UK 01483 44 00 00

NOTTINGHAM PLAYHOUSE

14TH – 18TH JUNE 2022
NOTTINGHAMPLAYHOUSE.CO.UK 0115 941 9419