

### Inspire or Illuminate #3

**Abraham and Mary Lincoln** - 973.7 ABR - Narrator, David McCullough ; Voice of Abraham Lincoln is David Morse and the voice of Mary Lincoln is Holly Hunter. This film discusses the lives and the relationship of Mary Todd Lincoln and Abraham Lincoln. Closed-captioned for the hearing impaired.

**Big Miracle** - *Drama* - Drew Barrymore, John Krasinski, Kristen Bell, Dermot Mulroney, Tim Blake Nelson, Vinessa Shaw, Ted Danson. Inspired by the true story, tells the the story of a news reporter from a small town with a Greenpeace volunteer who, in combination with competing superpowers work to save some majestic gray whales. "PG" for language.

**Black Girl - with short Borom Sarret** - *Foreign* - In a New Wave style, this is a story of exile and despair. Decolonization has never happened.

**Consider The Conversation: a Documentary on a Taboo Subject** - 306.9 CON - "Motivated by their personal experiences with loss, two long-time friends -- one a hospice worker and the other a State Teacher of the Year -- present a powerful and inspiring film on the American struggle with communication and preparation at the end-of-life. "Consider the Conversation" examines multiple perspectives on end-of-life care and includes interviews with patients, family members, doctors, nurses, clergy, social workers, and national experts from across the country"--Container.

**DNA, The Secret of Life** - 576.5 DOA - #1 in series. Narrated by Jeff Goldblum. Watson and Crick discovered DNA. This is a look back at the beginning of a new era for the science of biology and the course of human life.

**{The} Fire Next Time, A Town Divided by Conflict** - 307.76 FIR - An area in Montana has been under great stress from conflict between groups of people who can't cope with the economic and other changes in their area. So, the blame game starts and people are name-calling and threatening. The future of the community is threatened by discord and lack of respect among members of the community. So, was a death in the area from one of those who threatened? Are children in the community safe? What happens next?

**I Will Fight No More Forever** - *Western* - Sam Elliot, James Whitmore, Ned Romero. This is a reenactment of the true story of Chief Joseph of the Nez Perce Indians. Showing both their heroic and tragic events while they relocate to the Lapwai Reservation. That is how long they had to travel 1,700 miles. This tells so much more of the story.

**Marie Antoinette** - *Drama* - Kirsten Dunst, Marianne Faithfull, Steve Coogan, Judy Davis, Jason Schwartzman, Rose Byrne, Al Weaver, Shirley Henderson, Molly Shannon, Rip Torn. Tells the story of the 14-year-old ill-fated Archduchess of Austria and later Queen of France. Marie Antoinette has become one of the most

misunderstood and abused women in history, from her birth in Imperial Austria. And how the young woman must grow up in front of the entire country of France. MPAA rating: PG-13. Closed-captioned.

**{The} Overnighers, We Are The American Dream** - 650 OVE - Migrants come to Williston, ND, in order to get a job with the oil company and earn a paycheck. The town cannot deal with the numbers who come. From the DVD info: "The Overnighers" engages and dramatizes a set of universal societal and economic themes: the promise and limits of reinvention, redemption and compassion as well as the tension between the moral imperative to "love thy neighbor" and the resistance that one small community feels when confronted by a surging river of desperate, job-seeking strangers".

**Separate But Equal** - *Classics* - Sidney Poitier, Burt Lancaster, Richard Kiley. "Based on the ground-breaking Brown vs. the Board of Education case in 1954; viewers follow a young Thurgood Marshall, the lawyer who argued the racially-charged lawsuit before the Supreme Court. When the black students of Clarendon County, South Carolina are denied their request for a single school bus, a bitter and courageous battle for justice and equality begins." Rating PG.

**{The} T.A.M.I. Show** - 781.66 TAM - Hosted by Jan & Dean. Chuck Berry, James Brown, Ray Charles, Bo Diddley, Marvin Gaye, Gerry & the Pacemakers, Lesley Gore, Jan & Dean, Smokey Robinson & the Miracles, The Rolling Stones, The Ronettes, The Supremes, Ike & Tina Turner. "In 1965, thirteen of the world's top teenage recording acts were assembled for a spectacular show. The TAMI Show was one of the greatest dance concerts ever filmed. Jan & Dean introduces all 13 artists, whose exceptional vintage performances make it clear why these groups influenced an entire generation and are still making the top ten twenty years later."

**{The} World's Greatest Geological Wonders** and Course Guidebook - 550 GRE - This speaks about thirty-six spectacular world wonders. Professor Michael E. Wysession of the Washington University in St. Louis is the presenter. The sites are not limited to but include: Santorini, Mount Fuji, Galapagos Rift, African Rift Valley, Erta Ale, Burgess, Shale, Grand Canyon, Hmalayas, Granges Delta, Amazon Basin, Iguazu Falls, Mammoth Cave, Auroras, along with 23 others. The Great Courses.