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## Lett Stars in Coveted Roles, Lifts Aspiring Actresses to New Heights



DALLAS (March 12, 2008) - Fox and Lifetime Network actress Naima Imani Lett kicked off Women's History Month with powerful portrayals of two dynamic women both on screen and on stage. In the top rated BBC America crime series "Wire in the Blood," Lett will star alongside award-winning actor, Robson Green, as the no-nonsense defense attorney, Anita Addison. Lett will also portray the painfully shy and lame daughter, Laura, in the Tennessee Williams' classic, "The Glass Menagerie" debuting on Friday March 14, 2008 at the Art Centre Theatre located in Plano. Presented by Teatro delle Muse and directed by William (Bill) Earl Ray, "The Glass Menagerie" is a semi-autobiographical 'memory' play in which Lett portrays Tennessee Williams' fragile sister who has retreated in a world of glass animals as a way to elude her pain. Drama ensues as the family's dreams collide with reality in this explosive production.

"I am honored to be portraying the roles of such dynamic women and believe that many women will be able to relate to the complexity of these characters' lives," Lett said.

In addition to playing the roles of dynamic women, Lett is busy impacting the lives of aspiring young actresses throughout North Texas. Through her Lett's Rise! Starlet Award, aspiring actresses have the opportunity to earn this \$700 award which helps with establishing an acting career. The Lett's Rise! Starlet Award includes a photo shoot, a professional makeup session with Makeup Maven Donatelle Mascari, an acting career consultation and photo shoot coaching from veteran actress Lar Park Lincoln (Knots Landing, Friday the 13th VII) and a full-year associate membership to the Women in Film Dallas. Local actress, Kristen Carroll received the 2007 Lett's Rise! Starlet Award.

"Throughout my career, I have been extremely blessed to receive awesome guidance and support from phenomenal women," Lett said. "It is my hearts' desire to pass that spirit of giving on to aspiring actresses."

Lett is known for her recurring role of Jackie Ormond in Lifetime's original series "Inspector Mom" opposite Danica McKellar of "The Wonder Years" fame. In addition to a recent television roles on Fox's "Prison Break," Lett has been inspiring audiences across the nation with her one-woman play, "Shattered Silhouettes," a powerful and moving drama based on the stories of five women from the Bible--Eve, Jezebel, Leah, Tamar, and Mary--and how they deal with hope, tragedy, love, power, and abuse.

"The Glass Menagerie" opens Friday, March 14, 2008 and performs through Sunday, March 30, 2008. Ticket prices for performances are \$20. For additional information, please visit [www.glassmenagerietickets.com](http://www.glassmenagerietickets.com) or call 972-.424-MUSE (6873). Lett is also set to appear on screen as the no-nonsense defense attorney Anita Addison, in the top rated BBC America crime series "Wire in the Blood" episode "Prayer of the Bone" which was filmed in Texas and recently aired in the United Kingdom. The episode is set to air nationally in the United States on April 6, 2008. For information about Naima Imani Lett and Lett's Rise! Productions, visit [www.NaimaLett.com](http://www.NaimaLett.com).