



Gwendolyn Briley-Strand

Gwendolyn Briley-Strand holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Fordham University in New York City and has performed as a professional actor on stage, television and in film for over thirty years. She is a member of SAG-AFTRA (Screen Actors Guild - American Federation of Television and Radio Artist) and AEA (Actors Equity Association). She is also a proud member of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. Her television credits include National Commercials, HBO Productions, MGM pictures, NBC Television, Netflix Production House Of Cards, and PBS-TV. Her video *Harriet Tubman: The Chosen One* won the ITVA-DC 2003 Peer Award at the National Press Radio Club in Washington, D.C. for independent feature. She also won the Peer Gold Award in 2011 for her narration of "*Marian Anderson A Song Of Dignity And Grace*". Her one woman shows "*Harriet Tubman: The Chosen One*" and "*Rosa Parks Such A Time*" have been performed for hundreds of schools, and organizations throughout the United States and Canada. *Harriet Tubman: The Chosen One* has also been presented at the J.F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and The Smithsonian National Museum of American History in Washington DC. In 2004, *Harriet Tubman: The Chosen One* opened the Underground Railroad Museum in Cincinnati, Ohio. On September 24, 2016 Ms Briley-Strand was given the honor of introducing the President of The United States Barack Obama, First Lady Michelle Obama, President George W. Bush, former First Lady Laura Bush and all the dignitaries and celebrities at the Grand Opening of the African American Museum Of History And Culture in Washington DC.

Gwendolyn Briley-Strand in full costume and her phenomenal acting skills bring the courageous Harriet Tubman and multiple other characters to life. This awe-inspiring and dynamic one-woman show celebrates the life of that great American. *Harriet Tubman: The Chosen One* is unlike any other Harriet Tubman presentation because it was written from the pure facts of Tubman's life and molded into a theatrical show performed by a well-honed actress. The audience follows Ms. Tubman through one of her many journeys through the Underground Railroad. The performance leaves it's audiences more knowledgeable about American History and inspired to learn even more.