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# DAVID BLAINE TAKES HIS MAGIC ON THE ROAD

# FOR HIS FIRST-EVER NORTH AMERICAN TOUR*– Performance will Evolve Throughout 40-City Tour Beginning May 30 –*

**LOS ANGELES (Mar. 27, 2017)** – Having revolutionized modern magic and mesmerized audiences unlike any performer in history, magician, illusionist, and stunt artist David Blaine will embark on his first-ever North American tour, announced today. Produced by Live Nation, the 40-city tour launches on May 30 in San Diego, CA and will include shows throughout North America with stops in New Orleans, Santa Barbara, Colorado Springs, Milwaukee, culminating on July 23 in Albuquerque, NM – full itinerary below.

Blaine’s one-man show brings his unique brand of entertainment, promising to be an unforgettable interactive experience that both shocks and amuses. An experiment in and of itself, the tour will evolve as it moves across the country as Blaine continues to push the limits and attempt new feats for the first time live in front of his audiences. No two shows will be exactly the same, and tickets go on sale Friday, March 31st at LiveNation.com and on the Live Nation app.

Described by Howard Stern as the greatest magician that ever lived, David Blaine single-handedly redefined magic after producing and directing his original television special *Street Magic* when he was just twenty-three, which Penn Jillette of Penn & Teller called “the best TV magic special ever done.” *The New York Times* noted that Blaine has “taken a craft that’s been around for hundreds of years and done something unique and fresh with it,” whilst *The New Yorker* claimed “he saved magic.”

Over the last two decades, Blaine’s nine primetime specials have seen him being buried alive in New York City for a week, encased inside a six-ton block of ice for three days, survived standing atop a 100ft tall pillar in Bryant Park for 36 hours without a safety net, endured 44 days inside a transparent box in London on nothing but water, and had over one million volts discharged at him continuously for 72 hours from seven Tesla coils. Blaine also spent one week submerged in a sphere-shaped aquarium at Lincoln Center, before breaking the world record for breath holding live on the Oprah Winfrey show where he held his breath for over 17 minutes. As well as performing to audiences of over 20,000 in arenas around the world, since graduating high school he has performed intimately for every sitting U.S President including Barack Obama, Bill Clinton and George W. Bush, as well as other international leaders and prominent figures such as Bill Gates, Henry Kissinger, Michael Bloomberg, Stephen Hawking and Muhammad Ali, among others. For more information visit [www.davidblaine.com](http://www.davidblaine.com).

**David Blaine Live**

Tue May 30       San Diego, CA              Balboa Theatre

Wed May 31      Riverside, CA                Fox Performing Arts Center

Fri Jun 2           Santa Barbara, CA         Granada Theatre

Sat Jun 3          Stockton, CA               Bob Hope Theatre

Sun Jun 4         Sacramento, CA            Sacramento Community Center Theater

Tue Jun 6          Eugene, OR                  Hult Center for Performing Arts

Wed Jun 7        Spokane, WA               Martin Woldson Theatre at The Fox

Fri Jun 9           Kamas, UT                    DeJoria Center

Fri Jun 10          Colorado Springs, CO   Pikes Peak Center

Mon Jun 12       Wichita, KS                  Orpheum Theatre

Tue, Jun 13       Manhattan, KS              McCain Auditorium

Wed, Jun 14      Omaha, NE                   Holland Performing Arts Center

Fri Jun 16          Saginaw, MI                  Dow Event Center Theater

Sat Jun 17        Peoria, IL                      Peoria Civic Center Theatre

Mon Jun 19       Milwaukee, WI               Riverside Theater

Tue Jun 20        Grand Rapids, MI          20 Monroe Live

Wed Jun 21      Indianapolis, IN             Murat Theatre at Old National Centre

Fri Jun 23          Northfield, OH              Hard Rock Live

Sat Jun 24        Cincinnati, OH               Taft Theatre

Sun Jun 25        Pittsburgh, PA             Byham Theater

Tue Jun 27        Syracuse, NY                The Oncenter Crouse Hinds Theater

Wed Jun 28       Worcester, MA             Hanover Theatre for the Performing Arts

Fri Jun 30          Portland, ME                 Merrill Auditorium

Sat Jul 1           Burlington, VT               Flynn Center for the Performing Arts

Sun Jul 2          Concord, NH                 Capitol Center for the Arts

Tue Jul 4           Kitchener, ON                Centre in the Square

Wed Jul 5         Hamilton, ON                FirstOntario Concert Hall

Fri Jul 7            Bethlehem, PA              Sands Bethlehem Event Center

Sat Jul 8           Baltimore, MD               Hippodrome Theatre

Sun Jul 9          Norfolk, VA                   Chrysler Hall

Tue Jul 11         Charlotte, NC                Ovens Auditorium

Wed Jul 12        Louisville, KY                Louisville Palace Theatre

Fri Jul 14           Nashville, TN                 Ryman Auditorium

Sat Jul 15         Birmingham, AL             BJCC Concert Hall

Sun Jul 16         New Orleans, LA            Saenger Theatre

Tue Jul 18         Austin, TX                     ACL Live at The Moody Theater

Wed Jul 19        San Antonio, TX            Majestic Theatre

Fri Jul 21           El Paso, TX                  The Plaza Theatre

Sat Jul 22         Tucson, AZ                   Fox Tucson Theatre

Sun Jul 23         Albuquerque, NM          Kiva Auditorium

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