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MATRIMONY, MAYHEM AND MEDIEVAL COMEDY!

Chilliwack, BC - King Henry VIII's infamous marriage record is the stuff of legend - "divorced, beheaded, died, divorced, beheaded, survived!", but where his unlucky lovers ended up has remained undisclosed - until now! A one-woman theatrical tour-de-force, *Til Death* brings each of Henry's six wives into the most bizarre waiting room imaginable to hectic and hilarious results. *Til Death* is a unique and hysterical glimpse into a meeting of these ill-fated women, and is coming to the Cultural Centre on **March 21, 2014!**

It all begins in the afterlife, as one by one each of Henry's wives appears - much to the shock and dismay of the expanding assortment of the King's spurned spouses! As this ex-wives club grows, and 'The Betrayed Wife', 'The Scheming Wife', 'The Peacemaker', 'The Ugly German', 'The Slutty One', and 'The One in Love with Someone Else' arrive in turn, the heated heckling

and domestic drama unfolds in a quirky and comical fight as each tries to be acknowledged as Henry's true bride and eternal partner. The wives swap stories, toss Ann Boleyn's head around, pick on the ugly German one, and chaos naturally ensues until the lustful King Henry himself appears... and everything changes.

This brilliantly ludicrous and uproarious tale of six wives, six queens, six deaths, and one perpetually picky King is a feast of hilarious expressions, accents, and tales, and is brought to you by just one incredibly versatile actress! **Tara Travis** has played over 50 characters in *Mini Masterpieces*, the entire company of actors and 15 other characters in *The Shakespeare Show*, and a giant girl in *Lavinia: A Modern Fairy Tale of Gigantic Proportions*, so you know this unbelievable performer has enough personality to fill the shoes of these six spouses and the King all on her own! Tara's ability to transform into each of these characters earned her performance of *Til Death* a five star rating at Winnipeg Fringe Theatre Festival, and praise as "the most impressive acting feat in the festival" by the Winnipeg Free Press. Simultaneously carrying the huge personalities of these eclectic characters, and seamlessly bounding from energetic conversations to frantic disputes with herself with incredible skill and verbal virtuosity, **Tara Travis** is guaranteed to have you howling with laughter!

"**Tara Travis** is an immense talent. Go see this show and you will find yourself in heaven: comedy heaven that is!"

University of Manitoba Radio - www.umfm.com

With rave reviews from audiences and critics alike, and a touring schedule that has taken *Til Death* to festivals and theatres all over Canada, this ingeniously original and lively piece of theatre is going to bring huge laughs at Chilliwack Cultural Centre. For an extravaganza of

love, death, desire, and over the top historical hilarity, make sure you're there to enjoy the show!

Call the Centre Box Office at 604-391-SHOW(7469) or visit www.chilliwackculturalcentre.ca to book tickets!

Beware though, with six unruly lovers and an insatiable King involved, this tale features adult situations and material in abundance, and so may not be suitable for all audiences.

Til Death is generously sponsored by D W King Carpet and Upholstery Cleaning, Myriad Information Technology, Chilliwack Times, Department of Canadian Heritage, British Columbia Arts Council, Province of British Columbia.

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Additional Information

[Monster Theatre website](#)

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Chilliwack Cultural Centre

Owned by the City of Chilliwack, the Cultural Centre houses two unique performance venues, an art gallery, music instruction studios, arts and crafts studios, meeting rooms, offices, and is home to the Chilliwack Academy of Music and the Chilliwack Art Gallery. Since opening in 2010, over 150,000 tickets have been sold through the

Centre Box Office, with a value exceeding 2,000,000. The Centre is overseen by The Chilliwack Arts & Cultural Centre Society on behalf of the City, and boasts The Chilliwack Academy of Music, The Chilliwack Visual Artists Association and The Chilliwack Players Guild as partners.

Chilliwack Cultural Centre highlights:

- 597 seat performance theatre
- 168 seat recital hall / rehearsal space / dance studio / meeting space
- Chilliwack Art gallery (22-foot high display area)
- 21 music instructional rooms
- Arts and crafts studios
- Storage and Archival Resource Room

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