

## Judith Jamison To Be Celebrated During TARGET 20 NIGHT 12/3, All Seats \$20

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<u>Judith Jamison</u> will be celebrated as she begins her 20th year as Artistic Director of <u>Alvin Ailey</u> American Dance Theater with TARGET 20 Night - a special performance on December 3rd at 8pm with all tickets priced at \$20, sponsored by Target.

"We are proud of our partnership with <u>Alvin Ailey</u>, an organization that shares our views on the power and importance of the arts, and we are honored to support such a momentous milestone in <u>Judith Jamison</u>'s career," said Laysha Ward, president, community relations, Target. "At Target, we continually strive to make the arts more affordable and accessible for all by sponsoring events at local cultural institutions in communities across the country, where our guests live, work and play."

A 2009 TIME 100 Honoree, <u>Judith Jamison</u> is one of the most renowned figures in modern dance with an acclaimed career as a dancer, choreographer and director. A recipient of a primetime Emmy award, a National Medal of Arts and many of the nation's most prestigious honors, she has led the Ailey organization to new heights and into a permanent home - the nation's largest building for dance.

"I am thrilled that Target will be helping to launch our season with a special celebration that shares the magic of Ailey with new audiences," stated <u>Judith Jamison</u>. "It brings me great pride that each time the curtain goes up my dancers' extraordinary artistry and spirit continues to inspire audiences here at home and around the world."

The December 3rd Target 20 Night performance will include a short film tribute produced by Target, an excerpt of Divining, the first work that Mr. Ailey invited Ms. Jamison to choreograph for the Company, and the rousing masterpiece Revelations, an unforgettable signature work.

Target 20 Night specially-priced tickets will only be available at the New York <u>City Center</u> Box Office (131 West 55th Street between 6th and 7th Avenues) on October 3rd starting at 9am (available while supplies last). Special free activities include a treats truck, music, chair massages and other surprises. Arrive early for the best seats as tickets will be distributed on a first-come, first-served basis. Limit four per person. For further information, visit <a href="https://www.alvinailey.org/target20">www.alvinailey.org/target20</a>.