

## About the University Players

The George Fox University Players continue a 30-year tradition of bringing thought-provoking drama to schools, churches and prisons. Through the years, this touring company of young men and women has presented a wide variety of music and drama to hundreds. Each program is designed to benefit a specific audience, whether it is for elementary-school children, a youth group, or an entire church congregation.

For booking, available dates and current and past season information, visit [georgefox.edu/players](http://georgefox.edu/players) or contact the student tour group coordinator at **503-554-2133** or [tourgroupp@georgefox.edu](mailto:tourgroupp@georgefox.edu).

## Director

**Bryan Boyd** is a theatre artist and professor at George Fox University where he directs the University Players and runs the design and technical theatre program. In addition to over 50 shows at George Fox University, Bryan has designed scenery and lighting for professional theatres in the northwest, including Artists Repertory Theatre, Sound Theatre Company, Seattle Music Theatre, Broadway Rose Theatre Company, and Northwest Children's Theatre. In addition, Bryan has toured nationwide as an actor with the one-man play *Damien* and been named a Celebrated Teaching Artist by the Kennedy Center. In the summer, Bryan runs the Theatre Design Institute, a series of graduate courses for high school theatre teachers.

## University Theatre Mission Statement

The University Theatre is dedicated to cultivating artistic integrity in its students and its programs as we explore the craft of theatre in a Christ-centered environment. Our mission is to offer a safe, disciplined, and nurturing theatre program that prepares artists to make meaningful contributions to our world.

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# A TOUCH OF YELLOW

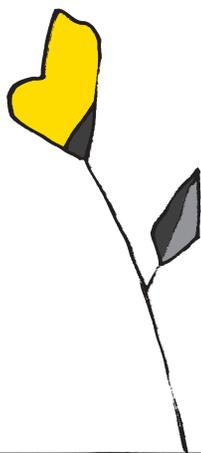


*A worship experience through story, drama,  
movement and song performed by the*

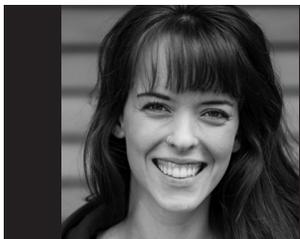
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The George Fox University Players explore the theme *A Touch of Yellow*, stories where we are surprised by hope and find beauty in the ordinary. Where things may not turn out as we expect but we catch a glimpse of light, however small.

Interwoven with music, we tell stories from our own lives that explore the places where God is shaping us into who we are.



**2017-18  
University Players**



Marlyss VandenHoek



Oliva Stuart



Cole Kneeland



Rebecca Miles



Travis Cox



JeanneAnn Faris

/// I FIND THE YELLOW IN THE FEELING OF A HUG. /// I FIND IT IN THE FIRST RAIN AFTER A LONG HOT SUMMER. /// DRIVING A CAR WITH ALL THE WINDOWS DOWN AND THE MUSIC UP AND THE SKY BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL STRETCHED OUT IN FRONT OF ME. THAT'S YELLOW FOR ME. /// FOR ME IT'S HOLDING BOOKS. /// SWINGING ON SWINGS. /// LONG TALKS IN THE FRONT PASSENGER SEAT OF MY BROTHER'S CAR. /// I FIND YELLOW IN MY BROTHER'S SMILE WHEN HE KNOWS THAT WHAT HE IS ABOUT TO SAY WILL MAKE US ALL SPIT OUT OUR DRINKS AND PEE OUR PANTS. /// I FIND IT IN THE THUMPING SOUND OF MY DOG'S TAIL AS I WAKE EACH MORNING. /// THE TASTE AND THE FLAVOR OF EVERYTHING. **HOW DO I FIND THE YELLOW IN THESE GREY DAYS?** YEAH, FOOD IS DEFINITELY YELLOW. /// THE SOUND OF MY GRANDMA SINGING EACH NOTE AS SHE TEACHES HER NEW STUDENTS HOW TO PLAY A PIANO SCALE. /// THE SUDDEN REALIZATION THAT EACH PASSERBY HAS A LIFE AS VIVID AND COMPLEX AS MY OWN. /// LAUGHING HARD AND TRUE WITH FRIENDS. ANY TIME, ANYWHERE, ANY FRIENDS. /// THE EXPERIENCE OF BEING COMPLETELY, UTTERLY, WHOLLY, LOST IN THOUGHT EVERY TIME I LOOK AT THE OCEAN. /// I FIND YELLOW IN SLEEP. DEEP, COMFORTING SLEEP. AND KNOWING THAT WHEN I WAKE UP THERE WILL BE A NEW DAY WHERE I CAN LOOK FOR MORE. ///