

Garrison Keillor tells tales from Lake Wobegon at the Granada

STAFF REPORT

Garrison Keillor will be live at the Granada Theatre on at 3 p.m. Jan. 22 in a UCSB Arts & Lectures presentation.

Known for his unique blend of comedy, charisma and wisdom, the writer and humorist will deliver insight and stories from his journey as one of America's greatest storytellers. Keillor is best-known for his popular live radio variety show, "A Prairie Home Companion," which attracted more than 4 million listeners each week before he stepped down as host in June. The program's staunch admirers included filmmaker Robert Altman, whose critically-acclaimed film adaptation featured Keillor playing himself, alongside a cast that included Meryl Streep, Lily Tomlin and Kevin Kline. He is the author of more than two dozen books, including "Lake Wobegon Days," "The Book of Guys," "Pilgrims," and "Homegrown Democrat."

Keillor will share hi-



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Writer/humorist and "A Prairie Home Companion" host Garrison Keillor will be at the Granada Theatre on Jan. 22.

larious anecdotes about growing up in the American Midwest, the people of Lake Wobegon and late-life fatherhood.

Keillor is the recipient of

Grammy, ACE and George Foster Peabody awards, the National Humanities Medal and has been elected to the American Academy of Arts and Letters.

Presigned books will be available for purchase.

For more information and tickets, call 805-893-3535 or visit artsandlectures.ucsb.edu.