

The Living History Museum of Early 20th Century Popular Entertainment

# A Vaudeville Retrospective

An Illustrated Lecture, Performance, ... & Exhibition



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**A Literate & Lively Interpretation of American Vaudeville 1880 - 1930**

Historical Insights & Cultural Connections by a Veteran Performing Artist, Author, & Historian

Artifacts – Audio – Video PLUS Scintillating Selections from the Repertoire!



**Circus**  
**Gender, Race, & Class**  
**Radio**  
**Labor & Management**  
**Communication**  
**Motion Pictures**  
**Immigration**  
**Leisure**  
**Ragtime & Jazz**  
**Big Business**  
**1950s TV**  
**21st Century Influences**  
**Transportation**  
**Population Shift**  
**Giant Theatres**

— WITH YOUR PRESENTER —

**R.W. BACON** — AS — **“The Last Living Vaudevillian”**