





IN HONOR OF  
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II  
AND  
HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE PHILIP  
DUKE OF EDINBURGH

THE WHITE HOUSE  
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BOB HOPE, the master entertainer who has become a legend in his own lifetime, is a native of England, a national monument in the United States, and a citizen of the world. Hailed as "the only performer who has triumphed in all five show business media: vaudeville, stage, radio, motion pictures and television," he has "become a charter member of the American family, a welcome guest in every living room." His name on any billboard spells "Entertainment!"

It's entertainment for television audiences. Bob has been on more than 270 shows, with his specials consistently receiving top ratings. It's entertainment for record-breaking concert audiences as well as for fund-raising benefits, of which Bob averages two each week. It's entertainment for movie audiences. Bob has starred in more than 50 feature films, beginning with *Big Broadcast of 1938*, which catapulted him to fame along with his Academy Award-winning theme song, "Thanks for the Memory." It's entertainment for heads of states, with four command performances for Britain's Royal Family and one for the King and Queen of Thailand. It's entertainment for American Armed Forces men and women, over ten million of whom he has entertained all over the world since 1941. And, it's entertainment for reading audiences who have enjoyed his seven books and await the eighth, *The Road to Hollywood*.

After traveling more than seven million miles, and spending nearly five decades dispensing fast, wry humor, it can easily be said that no institution, no public figure, no tradition, no bureaucrat, has been beyond the reach of his light-hearted, jaunty irreverence.

As an entertainer—and a humanitarian—Bob Hope has been heralded as an individual "whose credo is the lifting of the human spirit." In recognition of this, he has been given more than a thousand awards and citations, including America's highest award, the Congressional Medal of Honor, and has been presented with 35 honorary degrees.

## BOB HOPE

Geoffrey Clarkson, PIANIST

## CAPTAIN & TENNILLE

Jack Conrad, BASSIST

Michael Mathis, DRUMMER

SINGERS

Andy Boettner

Melissa Tennille

Louisa Tennille

Jubilant Sykes

*"Audiences love Bob because he provides situations for him to laugh at himself. This is the basis of true American humor. He's got the energy of ten men, the talent of twenty, and the love of millions."*

*Stan Freberg*

TOUR MANAGER

Pat Barso

PERSONAL MANAGERS

Budd Carr

Alan Bernard

AUDIO ENGINEER

Roger Young

EQUIPMENT HANDLERS

Norman Duerden

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