

M & M Productions Acting Company presents

HAVING OUR SAY:

The Delany Sisters' First 100 Years

A Live Theater Production

Sunday, February 2
2:00 – 3:30 p.m.

Farioly Program Room

This simple story about the struggles of two women typifies the essential human condition - of struggle and achievement, universal in its appeal and in the messages it sends. It celebrates women and men, African-Americans, our country, and the indomitable human spirit. It is a celebration of America's people.

The play opens as 103-year-old Sadie and 101-year-old Bessie welcome us into their Mount Vernon, New York home. They take us on a remarkable journey through the last hundred years of our nation's history, recounting a fascinating series of events and anecdotes drawn from their rich family history and careers as pioneering African-American professionals.

Having Our Say: The Delany Sisters' First 100 Years is by Emily Mann, adapted from the book "Having Our Say" by Sarah L. Delany and A. Elizabeth Delany with Amy Hill Hearth.

The performance is approximately 90 minutes with no intermission.

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED online at danburylibrary.org, click on "Events" or call 203-797-4527.



The Delany sisters will be portrayed by actresses Donna D. James and Leslie Smithey, under the direction of Melinda O'Brien.

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The performance will be rescheduled if cancelled due to the weather.