

Little Satchmo film on Louis Armstrong's secret daughter debuts in North America

[Los Angeles, CA] - Louis Armstrong's secret daughter Sharon Preston-Folta comes forward in the 2021 feature documentary *Little Satchmo*, after living closely in the shadows of her father, arguably the most famous American jazz musician, while keeping their relationship hidden and being rendered invisible.



The film, directed by John Alexander (This Is Love) made a sold out world premiere at Oscar-qualifying Thessaloniki Documentary Festival in Greece and announces its N America Premiere at the American Black Film Festival November 3-7 in Miami.

Hot Docs' Doc Soup Film Series will showcase the film live with a Q&A in Toronto December 15 and AARP will feature *Little Satchmo* in the Movies For Grownups series November 12 until the new year.

Little Satchmo's debut coincides with the 50th anniversary of Armstrong's death. It reveals a side of an American icon often left eclipsed by stereotype and caricature and resonates with countless single-parent families.

The film, produced by JC Guest and Lea Umberger, is executive produced by Sharon Preston-Folta, Emily Bonavia and Susan Houston, and features original music with Wycliffe Gordon from Emmy/Grammy winner and nominee, composer Eddie Korvin.

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