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## INNER TEMPLE London EC4Y 7HL



Please join us for dinner and an evening of entertainment at The Inner Temple

*With Guest of Honour* Ambassador James D McGee (Ret), Former US Ambassador to Zimbabwe

*Guest Speaker* Christina Lamb OBE, Author and Foreign Correspondent

> *'Empty Nest' Cabaret by* Nicky Gayner

Art exhibition and sale of work by Zimbabwean artists

Thursday 12th November 2015 6.30pm - 9.45pm

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Dress Code: Lounge Suits

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6.30pm Arrive at the Main Hall of the Inner Temple Prosecco served on arrival

6.50pm

Welcome by Tom Benyon OBE

7pm James D McGee

Dinner

8pm Christina Lamb Obe

8.15pm Dessert and coffee

Performance by Nicky Gayner

> 9.45pm Carriages

Magic Circle Magician Johnny Oxford (aka John Hayns) will be showcasing some close-up magic during the evening



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Space is strictly limited to 220 people and tickets will be allocated on a first come first served basis



Ambassador James D McGee (Ret)

Over his 30-year Foreign Service career Ambassador McGee was Ambassador to the Kingdom of Swaziland 2002 - 2004, Madagascar and the Comoros Islands 2004 -2007 and Zimbabwe 2007 - 2009. He then returned to the staff of the National War College in Washington DC and later in Naples, Italy, opened the first political-military office to provide diplomatic advice and guidance to the Commander of US naval forces Europe, Africa and the 6th Fleet. Ambassador McGee was presented the Palmer Award for Diplomatic Excellence in 2011, the Diplomacy for Freedom Award in 2008 and numerous Presidential Pay and Superior

Honor Awards. He is a member of the American Academy of Diplomacy.



Christina Lamb OBE

Christina is a bestselling author and one of Britain's leading foreign correspondents. Since starting out in Peshawar where her despatches with the Afghan mujaheddin fighting the Russians saw her named Young Journalist of the Year in the British Press Awards in 1988, she has reported everywhere from Afghanistan to Zimbabwe and won Foreign Correspondent of the Year five times as well as the Prix Bayeux, Europe's most prestigious award for war correspondents. She has written seven books including *I am Malala* with Malala Yousafzai, *The Africa House* and *House of Stone* (on Zimbabwe) and was awarded an OBE by the Queen in 2013.



#### Nicky Gayner

Nicky is a ZANE Trustee and professional jazz and cabaret singer. In London she has performed at classic venues such as The Vortex, The Pheasantry and the Crazy Coqs. In August 2014, Nicky took her first solo show 'Empty Nest', to the Edinburgh Fringe Festival, where it played to packed houses. In 2014, she also made her American debut at the Metropolitan Room in New York. This year, Nicky has toured both Zimbabwe and Norway. Tonight she is delighted to perform the highlights from 'Empty Nest'. A CD of the full show will be available on the evening with all proceeds going to ZANE.

#### ZANE

ZANE is a UK registered charity working to help the most destitute, vulnerable and impoverished people in Zimbabwe. In addition to providing financial aid, food and comfort to around 2,600 destitute pensioners, ZANE funds a clubfoot correction programme, supports vulnerable women and children living in extreme poverty and provides prosthetic limbs for victims of land mine explosions.



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