

# The Folklore Society

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FOLKLORE EVENTS IN NOVEMBER (The first two listed are FSGW events)  
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**FILM PROGRAM**, Friday 12 at 8:30 p. m.  
in the Washington Gas Light Auditorium, 1100 H Street, N. W., Washington D. C.  
The following motion pictures will be shown: 1. **FESTIVAL IN WASHINGTON**, the 1968 Folklore Festival, presented by the Smithsonian Institution, featuring Doc Watson, Gene Ritchie, Muddy Waters, Skip Jones, Mance Lipscomb, Norman Kennedy, Ed and Lonnie Young, Russell Fluharty, Dewey Shepherd and numerous craftsmen. 2. **POTTER FROM NORTH GEORGIA**, narrated by Ralph Rinzler of the Smithsonian. 3. **TRAVELING FOR A LIVING**, a BBC film about the Watersons, a British folksinging group: how they research and perform in traditional-based harmony. Lou Killen also appears in this picture. The last two pictures will feature **LIGHTNIN' HOPKINS**, country blues guitar player and singer from Houston, Texas. Free to members; \$1.00 to nonmembers; children, 50¢.

**OPEN SING**, Saturday 20 at 8:00 p. m.  
Christmas carols: Singers will assemble at the Alexandria Folklore Centre, 207 Ramsey Alley.

**JOE GLAZER**, Thursday 11 at 11 a. m. in Room 6, Francis Scott Key Hall, University of Maryland, "Woody Guthrie, His Life, Times and Songs," a lecture with songs and music. Joe Glazer has been specializing in the songs of working people for the past 30 years and has made a dozen or so recordings, including **SONGS OF WORK AND FREEDOM**, **SONGS OF THE WOBBLIES** and **SONGS OF COAL**.

**PETE SEEGER'S RAINBOW QUEST** is being broadcast on Channel 26 every Saturday at 9:00 p. m.  
The December broadcasts will be: 6, Steve Addiss and Bill Crofut, with Pham Duy, the "Woody Guthrie of Vietnam." 13, The Greenbriar Boys. 20, Len Chandler, Jr. 27, Bernice Reagon and Jean Ritchie.

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Membership gives you a \$19.70 value for only \$5.00. It includes 9 programs per year, a discount on several special events, a 25% discount on famous folk singers featured at Lisner Auditorium, discounts on purchases at the Guitar Shop and similar establishments, the regular monthly newsletter and the 3 issues of the JOURNAL per year.

**LOST:** a five-string Belton banjo with Racelite 5th-string capo. If found, phone Frank Daspit: 832 4078

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