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AWARD-WINNING TWO-MAN, 16-CHARACTER DRAMA  
SCHEDULED FOR SINGLE PERFORMANCE AT USD

"Riveting bare bones brilliant theater"  
- New Age Magazine

"Magnificent & Moving"  
- Pete Seeger

The award-winning play "A PEASANT OF EL SALVADOR" will be presented -- once only in San Diego -- at 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 27, in Camino Theatre at the University of San Diego.

Created and performed by East Coast actors Peter Gould and Stephen Stearns, the play is a stirring story of how one farmer and his family struggle to maintain their way of life amidst the recent turbulent events in El Salvador. The two actors create 16 different characters in the piece. Combining sensitivity with humor, the play is interspersed with mime and Latin American music.

PEASANT is the longest running play of its kind, winning the 1985 Denver Global Justice and Peace Award.

The performance at USD is co-sponsored by the USD Faculty Social Issues Committee, Associated Students and Campus Ministry.

Judy Rauner, USD director of volunteer resources, said the USD groups are sponsoring the event to "heighten the awareness of what's going on in El Salvador."

Tickets are \$5 and will be available at the door. For ticket information, call Judy Rauner at 260-4798. For further information, call John Nunes at 260-4682.

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