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Running Scared Productions presents

**“Roy Orbison Returns”
Tribute Concert at the Lobero Theatre**

Friday, April 14, 2023 at 7:30 PM

Santa Barbara, March 28, 2023 – Running Scared Productions presents *Roy Orbison Returns*, a dynamic musical evening at Santa Barbara’s Lobero Theatre on Friday, April 14, 2023 at 7:30 PM.

Featuring popular national touring group, **Wiley Ray & The Big O Band**, this sweeping multimedia concert will delve into the hit songs (“Crying,” “Pretty Woman,” “Only the Lonely” and more), real-life moments, and career achievement highlights of the legendary country singer/songwriter, Roy Orbison.

Backed by his 5-piece band, frontman and bandleader Wiley Ray is committed to paying high tribute to Roy Orbison, keeping him alive in the memories of all those who had loved his music for decades, while introducing a new generation to Orbison’s magic and music.

Roy Orbison Returns is a fully-scripted musical theater re-creation of Roy Orbison’s ‘60s – ‘80s concert years, complete with lively stories, humor, costumes, dramatic lighting, and staging – all the while being faithful to Orbison’s set lists and musical arrangements.

Artist Website: <http://www.royorbisonreturns.com>

Band Promo Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LYGPdgQr0wk>

Band Promo with Orbison History Overview: [Anthony Powell Voice-over: “Wiley Ray and The Big O Band.”](#)

Tickets for *Roy Orbison Returns*, are on sale now at Lobero.org and at the Lobero Box Office 805.963.0761. Section A - \$56, Section B - \$46, Section C - \$36. (Ticket prices include a per ticket Lobero Facility Fee; other fees may also apply.)

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<https://www.lobero.org/events/roy-orbison-returns-3/>

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