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***Great Performances* Presents an Intimate Look at the Creative Journey of Ballet Star Tiler Peck on Friday, November 7 on PBS**

Features an inside look at Peck's choreography debut at New York City Ballet

Synopsis:

Great Performances – Tiler Peck: Suspending Time offers a deeply personal look at one of ballet's most celebrated artists as she faces a career crossroads. Following a series of life-altering events—including a major injury and a personal loss—New York City Ballet prima ballerina Tiler Peck is forced to reckon with the unknown and reimagine her relationship to dance, to her body, and to herself. Directed by Alex Ramsey, the film follows Peck over the course of six years of her life, capturing rehearsals, performances and quiet moments of reflection, as she fights to return stronger, not just as a prima ballerina, but also as a choreographer and creative force. After Peck returns to the stage, she takes on the toughest creative challenge of her career: A prestigious invitation to choreograph for the New York City Ballet, culminating in debut performances set to a concerto by Francis Poulenc. Featuring original work by Peck alongside choreography from Alonzo King, William Forsythe, George Balanchine and Christopher Wheeldon, the film blends vulnerability and resilience with artistic brilliance. ***Great Performances – Tiler Peck: Suspending Time*** premieres Friday, November 7 at 9/8c on PBS ([check local listings](#)), pbs.org/gperf and the [PBS app](#).

Series overview:

For more than 50 years on PBS, **Great Performances** has provided an unparalleled showcase of the best in all genres of the performing arts, serving as America's most prestigious and enduring broadcaster of cultural programming. Showcasing a diverse range of artists from around the world, the series has earned 67 Emmy Awards, a Tony Honor for Excellence in the Theatre and six Peabody Awards. The [Great Performances website](#) hosts exclusive videos, interviews, photos, full episodes and more. The series is produced by The WNET Group. **Great Performances** is available for streaming concurrent with broadcast on [PBS.org](#) and the [PBS App](#), available on iOS, Android, Roku streaming devices, Apple TV, Android TV, Amazon Fire TV, Samsung Smart TV, Chromecast and VIZIO.

Production credits:

A production of Late Autumn Productions, **Great Performances – Tiler Peck: Suspending Time** is directed by Alex Ramsey and produced by Eric Cook and Garen Scribner. Tiler Peck is executive producer. For **Great Performances**, Joan Hershey is senior producer, Bill O'Donnell is series producer and David Horn is executive producer.

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