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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:****Missouri-filmed “Letters Home” to premiere at Tallgrass Film Festival’s 21st Edition in Downtown Wichita KS, at the Historic Orpheum Theatre**

Wichita, KS (September 10, 2023) – “Letters Home”, the first narrative feature from writer/director Scott Roberts, will have its World Premiere at the 21st annual Tallgrass Film Festival. The screening will be held October 7th at 12:30pm, at the historic Orpheum Theatre in downtown Wichita.

**About “Letters Home”:**

Originally filmed in the summer of 1998 in Scott’s hometown of Platte City, Missouri, “Letters Home” faced the financial challenges that befall many low budget movies. Although filming was successfully completed, the film’s modest budget was sacrificed in the process. The negatives went into storage, untouched for many years.

With a recent change of circumstances, Scott leapt at the chance to finally complete his film. After an intensive post-production period, “Letters Home” was finished in February of this year. It is currently exclusive to the film festival circuit, starting with its Tallgrass premiere.

**LETTERS HOME**

(Narrative, Comedy/Drama)

Director: Scott Roberts

Producers: Scott Roberts, Paul Roberts

Starring: Mark Vollrath, Carol Geesey, Greg Kirsch, Penny Porter

Running Time: 76 minutes

Synopsis: Newly arrived with his family in a small Midwestern town, a smart but hopelessly awkward boy despairs that he will never truly fit in.

**About Tallgrass Film Festival:**

The Tallgrass Film Festival’s 21 Edition will run October 5-8, in downtown Wichita. More information about the festival can be found here:

<https://tallgrassfilm.org/film-festival/film-festival-overview/>

**About Scott Roberts:**

A true son of the midwest, Scott was born in Harry Truman's hometown of Independence, Missouri and grew up in a small town on the outskirts of Kansas City (Platte City, Missouri - the same town featured in “Letters Home”). Upon graduation from high school, he moved west and earned a B.A. in Theater from UCLA. Past film projects include the narrative documentary “The Raven and the Gypsy” and music video “Heaven”. Scott currently resides in New York City.

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