

Lemn Sissay: Let the Light Pour in Live

We see a dark room with the outline of a man.

Soft music plays throughout.

White text appears above it saying "Lemn Sissay let the light pour in".

[Audio: Please welcome onto the stage, Mr Lemn Sissay.]

We hear a round of applause as the screen cuts to a view of an audience clapping. Shots cut between an audience and Lemn Sissay on stage with an arm in the arm, as he reads an excerpt from a poem.

[Audio: A stunning storm coming, thickening ink spills and swills on a bleating paper sky. A crowd of rain on the horizon staggers nearer. I sway so, I know so, I slip a little more.]

We see a man and woman, wearing knitted hats and scarves, speaking into a mic. As the woman speaks, we see more shots of Lemn on stage and audience members laughing and wiping away tears.

[Audio: There's really few things where you think, oh my goodness, I'm like you know, feeling so moved and then like, immediately laughing in a comfortable way. It's really rare.]

You then hear her laughter as you see a long row of audience members smiling at the stage.

As more shots of audience members laughing and smiling appear, another female voice begins speaking before you see two women stood next to each other, with one in a camel-coloured cardigan speaking to the mic.

[Audio: That ability to be so vulnerable in front of an audience and just offer himself. It's just fantastic.]

Shots continue to cut between audience members, Lemn and another couple speaking to the camera. This time a man speaks. There are also shots of Lemn book signing and speaking to audience members.

[Audio: Why the hell would you not venture out and do something as amazing as this?]

As more shots of people smiling, laughing and speaking with Lemn appear, a female voice starts speaking before she appears.

[Audio: Get a ticket. (Laughter) Get there early, get the front seat. I mean, he brings his words to life. You can read them in the book, but to actually see him perform them, it takes it to the next dimension.]

The camera then cuts to a view of the audience, who are all speaking as one saying: [Audio: "I keep it simple said light. One day at a time."]

We then see the audience standing, clapping as white text appears on screen, which reads "Presented by FANE".

As applause continues to be heard, there are more shots of Lemn smiling at the audience.

While the applause quietens, a yellow background featuring a painting of a darker yellow sun, a photo of Lemn Sissay sat on a chair and the text 'Lemn Sissay Let the light pour in LIVE' appears on screen. In the right hand corner in black text, 'Presented by FANE' appears again.

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