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	Event: The Underground Series presents: Comedian and mind reader Christopher Carter
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	Date: Feb. 17 (Saturday)
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	Time: 9 p.m.
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	Location: The Memorial Student Center Main Lounge, 104 E. University St., Bloomington
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	Admission: Free, open to the public
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Background: Christopher Carter combines fast-paced humor with psychic stunts. He correctly guesses telephone numbers, social security numbers and pocket change of members of the audience as he leads them on a tour through the mysteries of the mind.

Carter first realized that people can subconsciously broadcast their thoughts using means other than words at the age of eight years old. He observed an uncle's late night poker game and observed the players' body language. This was the start of Carter becoming intrigued with "people reading." As a graduate student in theater, he realized he could turn this interest into a performance and developed the act, "Theatre of Thoughts."

Carter has performed throughout the United States and, according to publicity materials, is quickly being recognized as one of the nation's foremost mind readers. Not only will he guess serial numbers on a dollar bill in your pocket, he also will duplicate an audience member's signature with his eyes sealed.

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