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AZ Fathers & Families adopts “Little Girl” for Father’s Day

Arizona Fathers & Families Coalition (AZFFC) is celebrates Father’s Day with E. Walter Smith’s hit song, “Little Girl,” featuring 16 year old, Star Search Finalist, Tatiana McConnico.

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*“Well E, the first person you have to call is James Rodriguez,” said David Miller, M.Ed., CVO of The **Urban Leadership Institute** <http://www.UrbanYouth.org>. “James is the man on the west coast and he knows everybody!”*

Dr. Miller was right. **Arizona Fathers & Families Coalition (AZFFC)** <http://www.azffc.org> CEO /President, **James Rodriguez**, has an incredible passion to promote the advancement of developing healthy family relationships and increasing the involvement of responsible fatherhood. His national agency is committed through effective services, education, training, and advocacy to make a difference in the lives of fathers, mothers, children and communities.

Celebrating Father’s Day by sharing “Little Girl” with friends and supporters of AZFFC was only natural for the former DJ and music enthusiast. *“Maybe E and some of my friends in the business can collaborate and do a special concert out here,” says Rodriguez. “We’ve got a major conference here in February and it would be great to pull in some sponsors to make that event special, too.”*

“When I spoke with James and invited AZFFC to participate in the Father’s Day promotion the conversation went from discussing the lyrical content of the song to how music can impact people’s lives. The body of the AZFFC membership is culturally diverse and it’s exciting to know that my song will be introduced to so many different types of celebrations. I’m looking forward to being to be part of the convention in Tucson next February. I’ve spent a lot of time in Phoenix, but have never been to Tucson. Growing up in Cleveland I always heard about Tucson because the Cleveland Indians would have spring training out there, and I’ve always wanted to visit that city. Plus, that’s around Mid Winter Break so Tati (Tatiana McConnico) and DeAnna (DeAnna Jones – ballerina) might be able to perform, too!”

To find out more about Arizona Fathers & Families Coalition (AZFFC) go to <http://www.azffc.org>

David Miller, M.Ed. new book is **Daddy’s Girl: Remembering Advice From My Father** <http://www.countyvibe.com/Culture/CUArticles/Booksigning.htm>

Get our FREE copy of “Little Girl” at <http://www.TheLittleGirlSong.com>
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