The Saint Louis Ambassadors in Association with The Saint Louis University Library Associates proudly present the

**American Masters**

Eero Saarinen

The Architect Who Saw the Future

St. Louis' favorite architect, Eero Saarinen, is honored in the above documentary from the award-winning Producer/Director Peter Rosen and co-Producer and Director of Photography, Eric Saarinen, ASC, whose mission was to commemorate his father's visionary genius. Eero Saarinen (1910-1961), was a Finnish-born American who designed such marvels as the Gateway Arch, the General Motors Technical Center in Michigan, the TWA Flight Center at JFK International Airport, Yale University’s Ingalls Rink, Virginia's Dulles Airport and famous, modernistic furniture including the Tulip Chair, and more. Eero died suddenly at age 51 of a brain tumor and was unable to see the completion of his most famous work…the St. Louis Gateway Arch.

Eric Saarinen recorded his travels on a historic journey visiting the sites of those structures which exemplify the creativity and timelessness of his father’s works. Using the latest 6K filming technology available, including drones, he has captured and recorded the essence of his father’s mastery. “American Masters” presents the film’s national broadcast premiere December 27, on PBS and in St. Louis at 7 p.m. on Nine PBS.

**TWA Building JFK Airport**

Join us for the premier of this wonderful film in St. Louis on Friday, December 16, 2016, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Meet Eric and hear what he has to say about his experiences and his father. A soft beverage and light snack reception follows the premier including an introduction of the one-hour film by Eric. Questions and Answers to follow.

**WHEN:** FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2016, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
**TICKETS:** $15 *(in advance) $20 (at the door)*

**WHERE:** BOILEAU HALL, SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY
38 N. Vandeventer Ave. (Just North of Laclede)

**PARKING:** Street parking; Laclede garage nearby

**North Christian Church**
Columbus, IN
Greg Hume

*CONTACT FRAN CAPRA – 314 579-9111 or fran0429@aol.com for tickets/reservations/information. Proceeds to be shared with Saint Louis University Library Associates.*

A Peter Rosen Productions, Inc. and Thirteen’s American Masters co-production in association with WTVS and YLE Finnish Television. Co-producer Sandra Vaughan; Editors Kris Liem, Adam Zucker; Associate Producer Robert L. Ziegelman; Research Josefina Rotman Lyon; Supervising Producer Junko Tsunashima; Series Producer Julie Sacks; Executive Producer Michael Kantor; Music by Moby; Co-Producer and Director of Photography Eric Saarinen, ASC. Produced and Directed by Peter Rosen.