

## Roosevelt's America: History of Screenings and Awards:

Cleveland Film Festival 03/05  
Newport Beach Film festival 04/05  
Kansas City Jubilee 04/05\*  
Phoenix Film Festival 04/05  
Iowa City Docs Film Festival 04/05\*  
Arizona Film Festival 04/05\*  
Riverrun Film Festival 04/05\*  
Trenton Film Festival 04/05  
Fort Meyers Beach Film Festival 04/05  
WorldFest-Houston International Film Festival 4/05\*  
Maryland Film Festival 05/05  
DeadCENTER Film Festival 6/05\*  
San Francisco Black Film Festival 6/05  
Indiefest Chicago 07/05  
Philadelphia International Film Festival 07/05  
Woods Hole Film Festival 07/05  
CINE Golden Eagle Award 06/05

An uplifting portrait of dignity under duress.  
Jeannette Catsoulis, **The New York Times** 06/22/05

Weisberg's 26-minute doc about a refugee from war-torn Liberia, *ROSEVELT'S AMERICA* reminds us that some live under even more desperate circumstances. No matter how bad it gets here, the U.S. remains a beautiful dream for many Third World denizens.  
Raven Snook, **Time Out New York** 06/23/05

For heart-wrenching emotional intensity, little tops Roger Weisberg's and Tod Lending's *ROSEVELT'S AMERICA*... The American dream is more than just a cliché to Roosevelt, who perseveres through setbacks and disillusion. Don't be surprised if you find yourself fighting back tears while watching this study of a profoundly decent man.  
Robert W. Butler, **Kansas City Star**

Years of documentation produce profound revelations about hope and redemption, both personal and political, and the payoff is hefty.  
**Baltimore City Paper Online**

\* won top award