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**Suggested Readings**

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“Butterfly in the Wind” by Dina Stein, *The City College Alumnus*, Vol. 85 No. 3, Summer 1990, pp 14 -15

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Butterfly McQueen

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Butterfly McQueen in musical *Curly McDimple*, 1968  
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Butterfly McQueen, 1980  
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Butterfly McQueen, 1969  
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Butterfly McQueen, 1974, *Amazing Grace*  
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Butterfly McQueen, 1978  
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Special award given to Butterfly McQueen

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Stage performance of *Swingin' the Dream*, 1939

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Theaters, Broadway north from 38th St, New York City, ca 1920

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