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Quite often, tales written for children are the most insightful about adult life and life in general. One such example is *The Little Prince*. Penned by French author Antoine de Saint-Exupéry in 1943, one year before his death, *The Little Prince* is a profound and deeply moving tale rife with metaphor and poetics—perfect for theatre. And who better to tackle the task of staging this classic tale than **Bas Bleu**, who debuts an adaptation by David Zucker tonight. Returning is director John Hill, whom Bas Bleu regulars will recognize from last year's successful presentation of *Lives of the Saints*.

In addition, Hill has presented a production of *Ill Seen, Ill Said* in Catebury, England, and *Trifles* in Tel Aviv, Israel. But pedigree of director aside, *The Little Prince's* tale of traveling the galaxy by catching shooting stars, ultimately learning that "it is only with the heart that one can see rightly," can carry itself. See for yourself tonight when the play debuts at 7:30 p.m. at 401 Pine Street, Fort Collins. The play will run through January 15. Tonight's tickets cost \$25, including a reception, and regular performances are \$17 for adults, \$12 for seniors and \$10 for students, available at 970/498-8949.

