

# Coal Country

Midwest premier of the new documentary!

**Tuesday, August 18, 7:00**

**City Nights Theater**

Capital City Bar & Grill, 3149 S. Dirksen Pkwy, Springfield

Free Admission

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COAL COUNTRY is a dramatic look at modern coal mining. We get to know working miners along with activists who are battling coal companies in Appalachia. We hear from miners and coal company officials, who are concerned about jobs and the economy and believe they are acting responsibly in bringing power to the American people. Both sides in this conflict claim that history is on their side. Everyone shares a deep love for the land, but Mountain Top Removal mining, which has leveled over 500 Appalachian mountains, is tearing them apart. We need to understand the meaning behind promises of “cheap energy” and “clean coal.” Are they achievable? At what cost? Are there alternatives to our energy future?

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