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May 2021 BBC'S THE ARTS HOUR: <u>Nikki Bedi talks to American</u> <u>filmmaker Luchina Fisher about her feature documentary</u> <u>Mama Gloria</u>

SCALAWAG: In the Face of Anti-Trans Bills, 'Mama Gloria' Is a Blessing

AMERICAN SONGWRITER: <u>Shea Diamond Honors</u> <u>Transgender Icon Gloria Allen with 'Presence of a</u> <u>Legend'</u>

April 2021

HARTFORD COURANT: <u>Connecticut documentarian's</u> <u>'Mama Gloria,' about a legendary Chicago trans</u> <u>activist, is now streaming</u>

ESSENCE.COM<u>: Chicago's Own Mama Gloria, The Subject</u> Of A Bold New Documentary, Is Proud And Trans Even In <u>Her 70s</u>

PRESS April 2021	MADAME NOIRE: <u>Doc Film Mama Gloria Follows The Life</u> <u>And Legacy Of A Black Trans Pioneer</u> NEW YORK AMSTERDAM NEWS: <u>'Mama Gloria' charts</u> <u>life of mentor, icon of trans community</u>
	CHICAGO TRIBUNE: <u>What to Watch: 'Mama Gloria':</u> <u>Gloria Allen on love, resiliency, and her legendary</u> <u>status in Chicago's transgender community</u>
March 2021	MAMADE NOIRE: <u>Luchina Fisher, Director &amp; Mother Of A</u> <u>Trans Daughter, Reacts To Celebs Speaking On Trans</u> <u>Children</u>
	CHERRY PICKS: <u>"Mama Gloria" Has Charm: The Story of</u> <u>Gloria Allen's Life and Work with Trans Youth</u>
	TIME OUT LONDON: <u>BFI Flare: Five Films to Stream</u>
	DIVA: <u>DIVA Does Flare: Mama Gloria</u> COLUMBIA DAILY SPECTATOR: <u>Director Luchina Fisher</u> <u>presents the resilience and joyfulness of a Black</u> <u>transgender woman in 'Mama Gloria'</u>
February 2021	THE HOLLYWOOD REPORTER: <u>thena Film Festival Sets</u> <u>Curated Sections Centered Around Women' s Health,</u> <u>Dismantling White Supremacy, Other Issues (Exclusive)</u>

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#### December 2020

THE JAM ON THE CW: <u>Director Proves Black Trans</u> <u>Women Do Rock</u>

NBCNEWS.COM: <u>'Mama Gloria' celebrates a Black</u> <u>transgender elder's resilience and joy</u>

<u>Dreamers Unite with Sherri Pullum: Filmmaker Luchina</u> <u>Fisher Profiles Trans Activist & Trans Icon Gloria Allen in</u> <u>'Mama Gloria' at TIFF</u>

QUEER FORTY: <u>'Mama' Gloria Allen's legacy shines</u> brightly this Transgender Awareness Week

GIRL TALK HQ: <u>Celebrating Transgender Awareness</u> <u>Week with 'Mama Gloria' - a film about Chicago's</u> <u>Trailblazing Black Trans Icon & Activist</u>

19TH NEWS: <u>As transgender people mark deadliest year</u> <u>on record, one elder fights for the living</u>

FORBES: <u>Mama Gloria is the story of transgender</u> <u>trailblazer, Gloria Allen</u>

THE ROOT: <u>railer Roundup: The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air</u> <u>Reunion is Near and it will be all the way Black</u>

CINEMA FEMME: <u>Luchina Fisher's 'Mama Gloria' brings a</u> <u>hopeful outlook to the young trans community</u>

NBC-5 CHICAGO: <u>New Movie Documents Life of Black</u> <u>Transgender Icon Mama Gloria</u>

WASHINGTON BLADE: <u>Trans Awareness Week Goes</u> <u>Virtual</u>

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### November 2020

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OUT IN NEW JERSEY: <u>Teaneck International Festival</u> <u>Includes LGBTQ Themes</u>

DOCTOR FRIEDA SHOW: <u>Transgender, Racism and</u> <u>Politics: The Life of Luchina Fisher</u>

QCITY METRO: <u>CineOdyssey Film Festival goes virtual</u>, <u>adds drive-in experience</u>

<u>CHARLOTTE OBSERVER:Your Five-Minute Guide to the</u> best things to do in Charlotte

CHARLOTTE OBSERVER: <u>This Charlotte film festival</u> <u>explores diverse themes and common ground</u>

CINEMA FEMME: <u>Luchina Fisher's "Mama Gloria" brings</u> <u>a hopeful outlook to the young trans community</u>

XTRA: <u>What to watch: the 56th Chicago International Film</u> <u>Festival</u>

October 2020

REEL CHICAGO: <u>Chicago International Film Festival</u> <u>Streaming Q&As</u>

FOX 23: 'Mama Gloria' documents the life of a Chicago trans icon

MS MAGAZINE: Q&A: Luchina Fisher on Her Trans Inclusive Documentary, Parenting and LGBTQ Allyship

INTERLUDES: Host Valarie Johnson speaks with filmmaker Luchina Fisher

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