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Cass County Film Could Put Local Man On Hollywood Map

## 'For Love Of Amy' Directed By 'Love Boat' Star

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**PLATTSMOUTH, Neb.** -- A Nebraska resident is following in the footsteps of movie stars, such as Matt Damon and Ben Affleck as he uses his writing skills to reach his goal of appearing on the big creen.

Vince Alston has turned the Cass County Courthouse into a movie set. The Nebraska native wrote the screenplay "For Love of Amy." He is starring in the independent film.

"It felt natural," Alston said. "It felt like that's what I was supposed to be doing."

The project has become reality with the help of a core group of people who believe in Alston and his project, including former "Love Boat" star Ted Lange. Lange is directing Alston's film.

"I think anybody that's a storyteller wants a good story," Lange said. "Vince Alston sent me this script, and it was a great story, so the thing that drew me as an artist is the story."

Lange said he has high hopes for the local project.

"I have a wonderful feeling about this film. I feel like Vince and I are on the same page as far as the vision is concerned," he said.

The vision will create a film that could take Alston's career to a whole new level, but for now, Alston said it's enough just to think about the project before him.

"You can't be thinking about money, fame or any of that stuff, because that may happen, it may not," he said. "I think if you put the craft and you put the art and your passion first, and just follow that, then you know? Sometimes stuff happens for you."

Parts of the film will also be shot in Omaha.

"For Love of Amy" is scheduled to be released in 2009.

Watch the trailer: [ForLoveOfAmy.com](http://ForLoveOfAmy.com)

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