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May is Asian Pacific American Heritage month, and it also marks the tenth season of **Pacific Heartbeat**, an anthology series that provides viewers a glimpse of the real Pacific—its people, cultures, and contemporary issues. From revealing exposés to rousing musical performances, the series features a diverse array of programs that will draw viewers into the heart and soul of Pacific Island culture. The series airs on Sundays at 1:00 p.m. beginning May 2, and will be available to stream the following day at video.pbsutah.org, or through the free PBS Video App.

This month we'll also look at the inspiring life and career of Amy Tan, in **Amy Tan: Unintended Memoir** from **American Masters**. Archival imagery, home movies, photographs, animation, and original interviews create a vivid and intimate portrait of the groundbreaking author of *The Joy Luck Club*.




James Davie
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Recent occurrences of hatred and violence toward the AAPI community have been appalling, but are sadly not a new development in our country. **The Chinese Exclusion Act** from **American Experience** looks at the history and impact of the 1882 law that made it illegal for Chinese workers to come to America and for Chinese nationals to ever become U.S. citizens. Shockingly, this law remained in force for 60 years.

Our May schedule has even more to offer, and we invite you to explore the wide range of shows within this guide. Please also check out the new pbsutah.org, recently redesigned and streamlined to help you find information about our schedule, events, children's programs, and more.



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Utah Cancer Specialists actively participates in clinical research into the latest advanced treatment options for different types of cancer. Patients benefit from these efforts by receiving not only the best treatments to minimize or eliminate their cancer, but those treatments that will give them the best chance at a high quality of life afterwards.

Thorough cancer treatment involves more than just medications and therapies. Besides the physical effects of cancer and treatment, there are also psychological and emotional effects that can be difficult for patients to manage. As a comprehensive cancer care provider, Utah Cancer Specialists offers support and educational programs to help patients deal with the emotional and physical effects of disease and prepare for a healthier life after treatment.

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Utah Cancer Specialists recognizes that cancer is a journey — and patients need a provider that will be with them every step of the way.

Utah Cancer Specialists has locations across the Wasatch Front, from Ogden to Provo to Tooele and works with most insurance providers as well as Medicare. For patients whose insurance coverage is inadequate, patient advocates can identify assistance programs that may offer help in meeting financial obligations. [Learn more at utahcancer.com](http://utahcancer.com)

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