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## **PRESS RELEASE**

What: Author Event with Alan Light When: 7 p.m. Thursday, August 20

Where: Ocean County Library, Toms River

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## Meet Author of Prince book "Let's Go Crazy"

**TOMS RIVER** - Acclaimed author Alan Light will discuss his new book "Let's Go Crazy: Prince and the making of Purple Rain" celebrating the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his iconic album and movie.

Light's book describes the behind-the-scenes story of the making of this cultural milestone. The program takes place 7 p.m. Thursday, August 20 at Ocean County Library's Toms River branch, 101 Washington St.

Light is the former editor-and-chief of "Rolling Stone" and "Spin" magazines, as well as author of the book, "The Holy or the Broken: Leonard Cohen, Jeff Buckley, and the Unlikely Ascent of Hallelujah".

The event comes during the Ocean County Library's tribute to the 1980's in August as it celebrates a decade each month as part of its 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration this year.

The program is free and open to the public. Registration is required. To register call the branch at 732-349-6200 or go to the library website: <a href="www.theoceancountylibrary.org">www.theoceancountylibrary.org</a>, click on the "Events & News" icon, then click on "Calendar of Events."