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SEEING



DOUBLE

CREATED BY THE SAN FRANCISCO MIME TROUPE

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School of Drama Glenn Hughes Playhouse 25th Season 165th Production February 26-March 9

SEEING

Directed By HANNA EADY

Costume Designer
NANCY LEE

Set Designer
BRUCE PRITCHARD

Lighting Designer
MARK LANGLEY

Sound Designer
MIKE RHOADES

Musical Director FEZA TANSUG

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Stage Manager
CHRISTY ALLEN

THE CAST

(in order of appearance)

KAREN GLOEGE

Sitti Razali, Felicia, Miriam, Anwar Razali TONIA STEED

Nadia Razali, Ashley Goldberg, Stewardess, Nava, Yussuf, Suha, Razali, Military Commander

JON CURRY

Said Razali, Smokers Liberation Army Terrorist, Ami, Walid, Rabbi Bar Kochba

CURT BOLAR

Newscaster, Gilbert, Amnon

DAVID NATALE

Salim Razali, David Goldberg

KREGG FOOTE

Moshe Goldberg, Israeli Officer, Chaim, Messenger

ANNMARIE HEHIR

Gloria Goldberg, Tami, Bella, Zarifeh Razali HUSSEIN ALI

Elliott Goldberg, Moussa Razali, Mutzi

THE BAND

PETER SCHMALZER

Bass and Guitar

DAVID MULTER Bass, Flute, Keyboards

DOUBLE

Created By The San Francisco Mime Troupe

Script

Sinai Peter, Joan Holden, Emily Shihadeh, Jody Hirsh, Henri Picciotto, Nabil Al-Hadithy and Isa Nidal Totah, with Harvey Varga, Arthur Holden and Nidal Nazzal

Composers

Rando Craig and D

Bruce Barthol, Randy Craig and Dan Hart

Lyrics

Bruce Barthol with Randy Craig & Isa Nidal Totah

Director's Notes

We began rehearsing this play about the Middle East conflict on the night before the war was launched against Iraq. Because the Scud missile attacks against Israel usually began at the same time we did, each night I had to cancel rehearsals and try again and again to phone my family and friends near Tel Aviv and Jerusalem to find out if they had all survived. Some of the actors went downtown to participate in peace marches. On the fourth night, I met with the cast intending to cancel rehearsal again, but all of our frustrations with our own power-lessness flooded out in a discussion which lasted into the night and ultimately fed our desire to get back to work on *Seeing Double*. We alized that for us, this play held the most hope for taking a positive toward working through the conflict: a handful of Jews, Arabs and Americans in a small rehearsal room, grappling with the same issues as our human kin half a world away.

The San Francisco Mime Troupe had created the play under similar circumstances. Based on an idea by an Israeli, their company of actors, writers and composers--which included Jews and Arabs-improvised in the commedia dell'arte tradition to explore and explode stereotypes on both sides. If audiences can laugh as much as we have during the rehearsal process at farcical images of each other, then at least for a moment that laughter and that sharing will have forged the essential human connection from which the struggle to find a solution derives its strength and urgency.

-- There will be no intermission. --

Seeing Double was premiered by The San Francisco Mime Troupe in 1989.

Production Credits

Faculty Advisor
Production Advisor
Assistant Stage Manager
Assistant Costume Designer
Dramaturg
Consulting Playwright

Propmaster

Running Crew

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Jenifer Curtin

Set Construction Crew

Drama 101 and 210 Students

Costume Construction Crew

Drama 101 Students

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Lily & Kamal Boullate

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Tom Rowan

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Bob Dahlstrom, Michael Nixon, Mark Seales, Bill Scott, The Goliath Project, Seattle Repertory Theatre, The Empty Space Theatre, The Seattle Opera, Seattle Children's Theatre, The Bathhouse Theatre.

Glossary

Zionism: A plan or movement of the Jewish people to return from Diaspora (the scattering of Jews among the Gentiles after the Babylonian captivity) to Palestine; or, a movement originally aimed at the reestablishment of a Jewish national homeland and state in Palestine and now concerned with the development and support of Israel.

Intifada: Literally, the "shaking off," as in shaking oneself free or awake--the way a bird which has gotten wet shakes off the water so he can fly; refers to the Palestinian uprising which continues to this day.

Compromise: The settlement of a dispute in which each side gives up some demands or makes concessions.

Please note: The taking of photographs during the performance is strictly prohibited. Please leave all beepers and paging devices and your name with the house manager. Also, in consideration of the performers and other audience members, we discourage the attendance of children under the age of four.

