

OPERA @ AUGUSTANA

Presents

SELECTIONS FROM AMERICAN OPERAS

A Little Night Music, Stephen Sondheim
Now, Later, Soon - Jon, Michael, Rochelle

Old Maid and the Thief, Gian-Carlo Menotti
Steal Me, Sweet Thief – Angela
When the Air Sings of Summer – Brent

Ghost of Versailles, John Corigliano
Come, Now My Darling –
Angela, Linsy, Rochelle, Michael

The Ballad of Baby Doe, Douglas Moore
Willow Song - Rochelle
Warm as the Autumn Light - Jon

The Tender Land, Aaron Copland
Laurie's Song - River
Scene - Brent, Michael, River, Jon, Linsy

INTERMISSION

The Telephone, Gian-Carlo Menotti
Hello! Oh, Margaret, It's You - Angela

Street Scene, Kurt Weill
Lonely House - Michael

Susannah, Carlisle Floyd
The Trees on the Mountain - Catherine
Ain't it a Pretty Night - Rochelle

Candide, Leonard Bernstein
The Best of all Possible Worlds - all
Make Our Garden Grow - all

CAST:

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Angela Hand, soprano
Rochelle Eisenga Schrader, soprano
Catherine Lyon, soprano
River Stanford, soprano
Linsy DePooter, mezzo soprano
Michael Callahan, tenor
Brent Boyens, baritone
Jonathan Schrader, baritone

OPERA STAFF

Pianist Gail Baldwin
Coordinator John Pfautz

PRODUCTION STAFF

Theatre Manager Jacob Lyon
Stage Technician Andy Shearouse
Stage Technician Taylor Chappell
Light Operator Andy Shearouse
Program Cover Bill Hannan
Concessions Alyson Tschopp
Technical Director Michael King
Executive Director Doug Tschopp

Stage Assembly Crew

Jovon Eberhart, Clairra Hart, Michael King, Dan Kuhn, Joe Santucci,
Andy Shearouse, Earl Strupp, Alyson Tschopp, Doug Tschopp, Matt
Walsh

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2009 Summer Schedule

June 5, 6, 7

Ballet Under the Stars

Ballet Quad Cities

June 12, 13, 14

Selections from American Operas

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June 20, 21, 27, 28

Euripides: "Hecuba"

July 3, 4

Big River Brass Band

July 10, 11, 12 & 25

Shakespeare: "Henry VI - parts 1 & 2"

July 17, 18, 19 & 26

Shakespeare: "Henry VI - part 3"

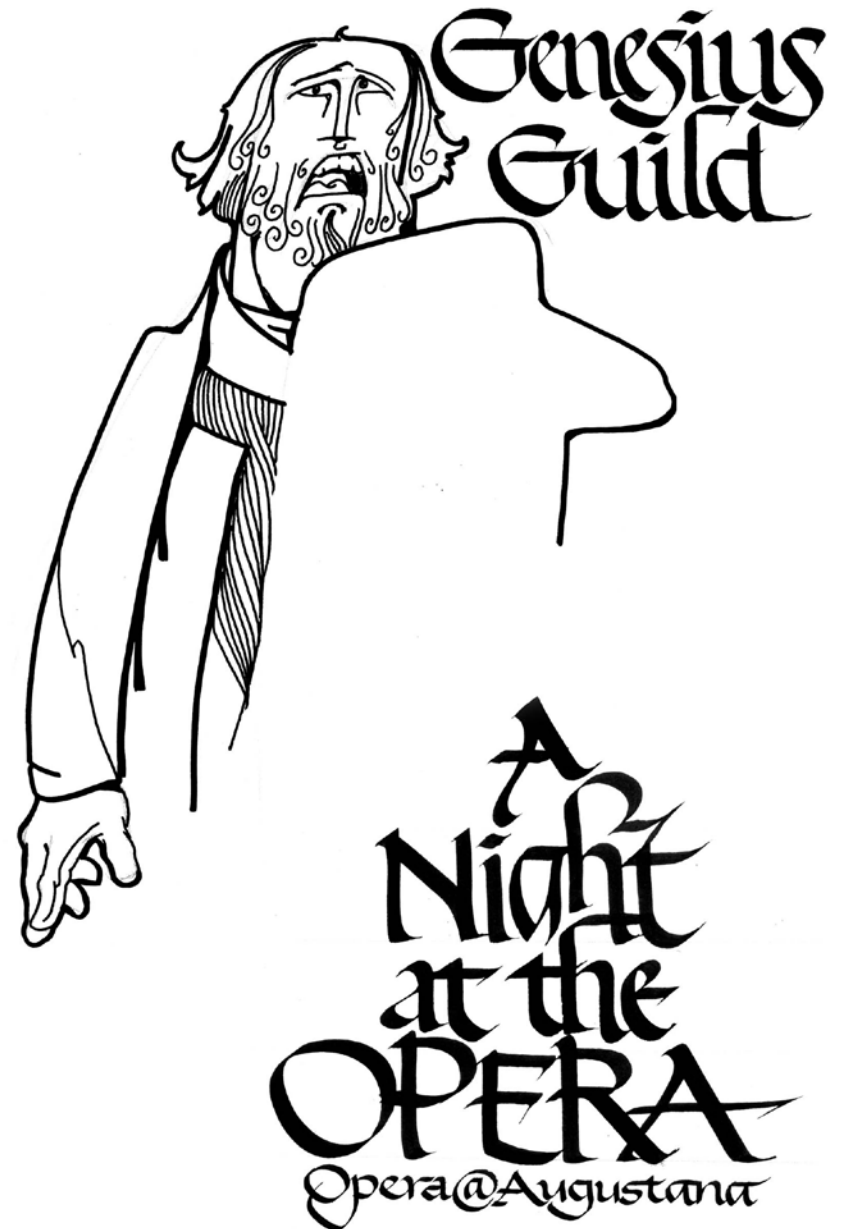
August 1, 2, 8, 9

Aristophanes: "Thesmophoriazusae"

All performances at 8:00 pm

Lincoln Park Classic Theatre, Rock Island

Admission Free



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