

THE STEVEN STOLI
PLAYHOUSE
PERFORMING ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT CENTER
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A Beauty Salon Comedy

WRITTEN BY CRAIG SODARO

DIRECTED BY LARRY SCHWARTZ

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The Steven Stoli Entertainment Group

proudly presents

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PLACE: Sleeping Beauty Hair Salon TIME: The Present

ACT I

Jasper Corners Ark.

ACT II

Scene 1 - Mama Mae's Office
Ernestina's Home - afternoon
Scene 2 - The Sleeping Beauty Salon -
late afternoon.
Scene 3 - Several days later.
Scene 4 - Later that night.

Scene 1 - The following morning
Scene 2 - Late that night.

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CAST: in order of appearance

Ernestina Climpet	Kristina C. Smiley	Ronnie Harper	Erick Romero
Mama Mae	Sandy Schwartz	Dolly Devaine aka	
Etta Gerrel	Keisha L. McFerrin	Georgia St. Edmund	Jackie Welch
Charlotte O'Hara	Marcella Huff	Herman Devaine aka	
Rhoda Raines	Nina K. Davis	Giles St. Edmunds	Christopher Dean
Lois Laine	Missy Perry	Vinnie Bambino	Tony L. Boulton
Maisie	Elizabeth Ingalls	Uriah Beaman	Les Steubing
Penny Raines	Kathleen O'Neal	Wilbur Sneed	Patrick Cardenas
Olive Raines	Nikki Young	Larry aka	
Mr. Quirk	Stephen Weser	Baron Dirk Von Duck	Ryan Ripley

TECHNICAL CREDITS

Assistant Director	Keisha L. McFerrin	Set Design	Early Martha Stewart
Stage Manager	Gwen Alonzo	Lighting Design	Bob, Jr.
Sound/Lights	Chris Manley	Sound Design	Larry Schwartz

BIOGRAPHIES

KEISHA MCFERRIN – ETTA GERREL – nuptialknots marks Keisha's return to The Playhouse after a year-long absence (she was in *Little Ladies on the Lamb*, *Divorce*, *Southern Style*, and *War of the Worlds*). Since last appearing here, she was on-stage in *The Rainmaker* at Boerne Community Theatre and worked behind the scenes on *The Odd Couple* (female version) and *What I Did Last Summer*. Keisha would like to thank Mr. Stoli for his commitment to both history and entertainment, for maintaining a place for both. Extra-special thanks go to Larry for his patience, his direction, and the opportunity to get under the lights again with such marvelous people. She also thanks her castmates for their support and for filling every rehearsal with so much laughter. Keisha is most grateful to her mother who is always there to provide unconditional love and kitty-sitting. She is a teammate at Benefit Planners, a Texas Exes life member (Hook 'em Horns) & serves on the Boerne Community Theatre governing board.

PATRICK CARDENAS - WILBUR SNEED - Patrick is no stranger to San Antonio stages; he has been in shows produced by The Renaissance Guild and StarShock Productions. He is returning to The Playhouse for the 3rd time after well received roles in both SAT PlayFests. He is a working actor who has appeared in many commercials and films; he can be seen in the current feature film, *Man of the House*, starring Tommy Lee Jones. Patrick teaches music, specifically drumming, to area high school and junior high students; is a production assistant at PrimaDonna Productions; and is a drummer for the metal band *Darkest Room*. He sends out many thank you's to Mr. Stoli, Larry, and the awesome cast of *nuptialknots.com* for allowing him to be part of such a wonderful show.

NIKKI YOUNG - OLIVE RAINES - Nikki received her B.F.A. in Theatre from Southwest Texas State University and is represented by Calliope Talent. Her acting credits include work on stage, in commercials, music videos, industrials, and film; you may also recognize her from National print ads for *EyeMasters*. In addition to being the Vice-Chair of Quad III for TNT, she serves as a Board Member for SATCo. She is the Manager of Marketing Services for SurveySA, a residential and commercial land surveying company and is President of PrimaDonna Productions, a business development firm for the Arts. She would like to send a huge thank you to Mr. Stoli for his continual mentorship, to Larry for such a great opportunity to return to the stage, and to the rest of the cast for having such a fun time doing this show! She also sends out many hugs and kisses to her family and friends, especially to her Mom for always loving and supporting her no matter what!

NINA DAVIS - RHODA RAINES - Normally seen lurking around Boerne, Nina is thrilled to be a part of this production. Her latest performance was in *The Case of Humanity vs. Pontius Pilate* here at The Playhouse. Other plays she has acted in include *The Odd Couple: Female Version*, *Sylvia*, and *Harvey*. An R.N. for longer than she cares to admit, Nina owns and operates a medical billing review company, ChartCheck. She'd like to thank the entire cast and crew for making every rehearsal fun, with special thanks to Larry, whose gentle humor and wit makes honing the art a special experience. A huge thank-you also goes to her great family for their love and support.

MARCELLA HUFF - CHARLOTTE O'HARA- Marcella entered the world singing and dancing. Well, not really but she tried her best to take center stage in family home movies! Her dream of being a Mouseketeer on the original Mickey Mouse Club never became a reality. But, she has had the opportunity to play several different types of "creatures", including a mouse (!) at The Backyard Theater for Kids. Marcella most recently appeared in The Playhouse production of *The Case of Humanity vs. Pontius Pilate*. She feels privileged to be a cast member in this current production. She is grateful to everyone at The Playhouse for giving her a chance to be a part of "the magic that is theater". Marcella wishes to acknowledge the encouragement and support of her family and friends and most especially her husband, John.

LES STEUBING - PROFESSOR URIAH BEAMAN - Les has appeared in several shows at The Playhouse including *His Girl Friday*, *Horowitz & Mrs. Washington*, *Little Ladies on the Lamb*, & most recently in *Hang 'Em High in the Selma Sky*. His love & special thanks go to Joann, his bride of almost twenty years for her understanding of his passion for theatre...they live in Kendall County surrounded by a menagerie of farm critters.

STEPHEN WESER - MR. QUIRK - Stephen was last seen on stage in *Hamlet* at St Phillips college and previously at The Playhouse in *War of the Worlds*. He has also been in *Seven Nuns South of the Border* and *Those Little Old Ladies in the House on the Corner*, as well as other productions here at The Playhouse and around town. He thanks Larry Schwartz and Mr. Stoli for this opportunity and the cast for being a great ensemble.

CHRISTOPHER DEAN - GILES ST. EDMUNDS - Chris recently performed in the SAT PlayFest here at The Playhouse. His starting point in acting originated at Sul Ross State University were he studied theatre arts. There he performed in many plays, but one special one that will always haunt him forever: *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*. He works as an average Joe during the day staring at a computer and punches keys to give the appearance that he is busy. His family is too large to get started on, but if you want the info just ask him. He spends his free time with a very gorgeous young lady, for whom he has stolen his heart. One quote that has always pushed him, and that he lives by is " You might be disappointed if you fail, but you are doomed if you never even try."

ELIZABETH INGALLS - MAISIE - Elizabeth has had the privilege of the being a part of The Steven Stoli Entertainment group for the past 3 years. While at The Playhouse she has appeared in *Waiting for MacArthur* as well as many of The Backyard Theater productions. Her acting career began long ago in Elgin, TX (where she was born and raised). Although she enjoined growing up in Elgin, it is a town not known for its appreciation of the arts but for its main export... sausage. She is currently a student at the UTSA studying foreign languages while running her own business. Elizabeth would like to thank her close family and friends without which she would not have the sanity to do so much.

TONY BOULT - VINNIE BAMBINO - Tony is making his theatrical debut as an adult actor here at The Playhouse. Before *nuptialknots.com*, his credits were mostly from junior high and high school theatre, including his favorite role in *Death of a Salesman*. While attending school and after, real life got in the way from his true passion of being an actor, but he is happy to be returning to the stage and looks forward to future opportunities both on stage and film. He would like to thank Jackie Welch for introducing him to everyone at The Playhouse, to Larry for casting him, his parents and sister for their love and support, and to his beloved Dawn for being his everything!