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Taylor Theatre Presents

Mark Medoff's

Stefanie Hero



November 8, 9, 14, 15, & 16, 1996 Mitchell Theatre Taylor University

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About the playwright:

Mark Medoff was born in Mount Carmel, Illinois, to Lawrence R. Medoff, a physician and Thelma Butt Medoff, a psychologist. He received a B.A. from the University of Miami in 1962 and completed a Master's degree in English at Stanford University in 1966. Since then he has been associated with New Mexico State University as professor of English, Drama Department chairman and dramatist-in-residence.

In his Stefanie Hero author's notes Medoff writes: "When I began writing Stefanie I wanted to write something that would be just great fun for me and which would challenge our designers, their staffs, our students, the very physical structure of our building. From the moment I first started talking about a huge dragon and people flying and the visage of one of the characters appearing ethereally in the foliage, my colleagues met me with outrageous enthusiasm and staggeringly inventive ideas. I remind myself each day that it's a privilege to make my life in the arts, to exorcise my demons through my imagination and to feel the warmth of caring people all around me. I hope you enjoy the journey of this play. ..."

Our Next Production

ANTIGONE

February 21, 22, 27-March 1

Taylor University Theatre is a co-curricular educational program supporting the liberal arts mission of the university by providing a broad range of theatre experiences that span most theatrical periods, genres, and styles. Plays that probe the human condition and reveal human action with integrity, authenticity, and a sense of "Grace," provide us the opportunity to understand better what is true about ourselves and others. While individual plays may not necessarily reflect the ethos of the Taylor community, we believe that this theatrical pursuit of truth resides at the heart of a Christian liberal arts eduction.

As a courtesy to the actors, please do not use cameras during the performance.

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Stefanie Hero

Directed and Designed by Dr. Oliver Hubbard

THE CAST

Princess Stefanie	Sally Evans
Prince Ian.	Cameron Gaither
Prince Zachary	Andy Jeffrey
Princess Matilda	*Laura Force
Queen Harriet Ann	Lindsay Kostelny
The Scarlet Knight	Clifton Johnson
Debra	Sarah Cooper
Leopold T. Bosco	*Luke Breneman
Horace	Cory Rodeheaver
	Jennifer Pletcher
	Amy Corbett
	Josh Sandoz
	David Cruse
Stagehands Je	eniffer Dake, Sarah Gamble
Jason Gardner	, Isaac Kellogg, Ben Oldham
A	licia Palmer, Carrie Wheeler
	Joanna Cicero, Andrew Lee
The Swanlet	Katie Pridemore

ACT I

Scene 1:	Princess Stefanie's Kingdom
Scene 2:	Leopold's Lair
Scene 3:	Queen Harriet Ann's Boudoir
Scene 4:	The Pond
Scene 5:	The Dungeon
Scene 6:	King Andrew's Kingdom
Scene 7:	The Wood
Scene 8:	Another Pond
	The Kingdom of the Stars

There will be a 15-minute intermission between acts

During intermission we invite you to visit our concession stand located on the East end of the upper lobby. Please do not bring refreshments into the theatre.

ACT II

Scene 1:	The Kingdom of the Stars
Scene 2:	King Andrew's Kingdom
Scene 3:	The Dungeon
Scene 4:	Between Kingdoms
Scene 5:	King Andrew's Kingdom
Scene 6:	The Finale

IMPORTANT NOTE: CAUTION!!

<u>Please remain in your seats during Act II, Scene 5 as</u> the actors will be using the aisles.

PRODUCTION STAFF

Technical Director	Dr. Oliver Hubbard	
Assistant Directors	Dan Buck Matt Ohime Matt Storz	
Special Effects	*Luke Breneman Cory Rodeheaver Matt Storz	
Dragon/Mountain	Brian Armes Justin Burdine	
Banners		
Set Crew. Danielle Lugbill Keren McPhearso Amy Moore Matt Ohime Ben Oldham Alicia Palmer Jennifer Pletcher Josh Sandoz Matt Storz	Brian Armes	
Lights	ADAM NEVIN	
Lights Tze Wei Ong Andrew Smith Everette Webber	Rob Allen Megan Linton *Rob Olson	
Sound	RANDY BECKER Nathan Loutrel Jeremy Waterfall Kathy Wierenga	
Makeup Crew. Keren McPhearso Jennifer Pletcher Jena Sommer		
Properties. Lynette Miller Eric Wallace *Zach Welsheimer	*ANGELA HOKE Elizabeth Fulks Elizabeth Germann Wendy Kyzer	
Costumes. Melinda Horsey Lindsay Kostelny Marisa Kostelny Lori Shanabrook Ronda Vanest	ALICE ROUSE David Baldwin Lisa Bowen Jeniffer Dake Julie Gonnering Joe Ann Hervey	
House. Jill McNary Colleen Miller Steve Olsen Stephanie Seawel Nathaniel Stone Jamie Warrick Stephanie White Jody Wiley	JOSH STONE Rich Bell Erin Carter Laura Fortner Julie Gonnering Tiffany Heimbaugh Sandy Hess *Rachael Kellogg Cori Koehn Christa Lee	
Program Cover Design	Holly Hines	
*Alpha Psi Omega Members		

A Communication Arts Department Production