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May 12, 2012 | 8:00 PM

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# A Streetcar Named Desire



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#### By: Tennessee Williams

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#### CAST

#### PROTEIN THUS TEAM

DIRECTOR
ASST. DIRECTOR
STAGE MANAGER
ASST. STAGE MANAGER
TECHNICAL DIRECTOR
SET DESIGN Donnell Walsh
ASST. SET DESIGN Don Krull
LIGHT DESIGN Kylor Greene and Courtney McDaniel
SOUND DESIGN Daniel Sukup
ASST. SOUND DESIGN Jaiymz Hawkins
COSTUME DESIGN Craig Jones
WARDROBE HEAD
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#### CHICA

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# SCENE SYNOPSIS

All acts take place in the Kowalski apartment in the French Quarter of New Orleans in 1947. The apartment is a small two room flat with a connecting staircase leading up to the Hubble residence.

#### ACT I

Scene 1
Opens onto the Kowalski's apartment on a late spring afternoon

Scene 2 Six o'clock that following evening

Scene 3 Later that night (the men's poker night)

> Scene 4 Early the following morning

#### INTERMISSION -

#### ACT 2

Scene 1 A late summer afternoon some weeks later

> Scene 2 Later at about 2 a.m.

#### ACT 3

Scene 1 Early fall afternoon some weeks later

Scene 2 Three quarters of an hour later

Scene 3 A while later that evening

Scene 4 A few hours later that same night

> Scene 5 Some days later

# **DIRECTOR'S NOTES**

O.K. I will finally admit it. I am a big Tennessee Williams fan. If you would have asked me 10 years ago I would have said I'm not. Even though my first college experience in theatre was portraying Kilroy in Williams' bizarre and barely understood piece Camino Real way back in 1980, I never really did think of his plays that much. But in the last five years I have directed Cat on a Hot Tin Roof and now A Streetcar Named Desire as well as analyzed Suddenly Last Summer and a number of his one act plays and have come to realize that he was a beautiful storyteller. His characters are sad and tragic at times but are full and enriching. The tales of the characters lives become enthralling, and we as the audience can't turn away. We ask the questions... "Who is Sebastian?" "Will Brick and Maggie be all right?" "Will Laura and her gentleman caller hit it off?" and of course "What kind of climatic confrontation will happen between Blanche Dubois, a fading southern bell with a troubled past, and Stanley Kowalski, the epitome of the blue collared man?"

A Streetcar Named Desire is a compelling story on many levels to me. The relationship between Stanley and Stella that is so tragic, yet so beautiful. The man named Mitch who just wants to find someone to love. The turbulent relationship Steve and Eunice endure. And of course Blanche Dubois, one of the most tragic characters in dramatic literature that has ever graced the stage. I must also say that I was blessed with having Andrea Grey return from California to portray Blanche for her thesis. It was like having Blanche herself show up.

So come with me now to a section of The French Quarter in New Orleans and enter the world of Tennessee Williams.

And by the way... I am a big Tennessee Williams fan!

Excelsior! Larry D. Quiggins

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Her early comedic talents first came to light when she auditioned for dramatic roles in school plays and found everyone laughing at her "serious" readings. Failing at that, she had to content herself with doing "everything from the machine to the thunder and lightning offstage," but she never monstage appearance.

Despite her humble beginnings, through the year actress has won her the respect of her coll audiences who know her from her countless of e, and TV. She is best remembered for her role or her Oscar-nominated eously, Reynolds has appeared portrayal of The Unsink in numerous TV rerry Mason, and The Love Boat. Her n shows as The Hollywood Squares and The personalit carson and Jack Paar. Stage credits include Irene, now, Annie Get Your Gun, Woman of the Year, and The brown.

She is, and will always truly be, America's sweet heart.

Debbie Reynolds is warm, vital, dazzling, dynamic and delectably exuberant...a super production jam-packed with sparking wit, great music, and outrageous fun."

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SHOWS DATES

 Spring Dance Concert
 April 20 | 7:30 PM

 April 21 | 2:00 PM

The Bezemes Family Theater

May Music Series

Student Conductor Concert

May 1 | 7:30 PM The Bezemes Family Theater

Voices Only Concert

May 2, 4 | 7:30 PM The Emerson Black Box Theater

Chamber Concert

May 3 | 7:30 PM The Emerson Black Box Theater



# 2012 ART EXHIBITS

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DATES

LU Juried Student Exhibition

Opening Reception, April 15 | 2:00 PM The Boyle Family Gallery

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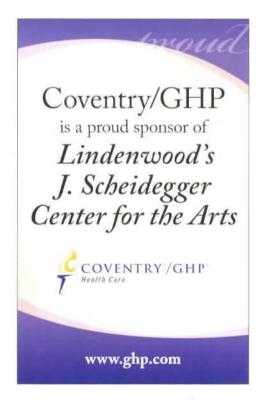
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