# VESPER SERVICE

The Department of Speech, Division of Theatre

presents

The Old English Morality Play

## EVERYMAN

DIRECTED BY ROBERT DOUGLAS HUME\*

LINDENWOOD COLLEGE CHAPEL St. Charles, Missouri Sunday, Nov. 5, 1961 6:20 P. M. CAST

Acolyte	RICKY McCullough
Doctor	DR. C. EUGENE CONOVER
Voice of God	JOSEPH BRISCOE
Death	JOHN DINKMEYER
Everyman	
Fellowship	Judith Hale;
Kindred	
Cousin	GUDRUN SCHOTTLER
Goods	Emily Smith;
Good Deeds	
Knowledge	ANNE BLOEBAUM†
Confession	Molly FLEETWOOD
Beauty	Lyn Redding
Strength	John Dinkmeyer
Discretion	JUDY MUNTZ
Five Wits	CADDY REILEY
	MOLLY FLEETWOOD
	JUDITH HALE
	EMILY SMITH
	MARTHA MCDONALD
Angel	GUDRUN SCHOTTLER

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#### STAFF

Stage Manager	JUDITH HALE
Assistant Stage Manager	JOHN DINKMEYER
Lights	
	JULIANN BOTTORFF*
	JOAN DYKEMA
	MARKAY TOLEN
Music	LINDA STREET
Make-up	ANDREA ELLISON
Properties	MARKAY TOLEN
House Manager	ELAINE IRTZ
Ushers	CATHY CARR
	MARY DALE JONES
	MARIANNE SAWYER
	SANDY YOUNG

### NOTE

*Everyman* is considered to be the greatest of the medieval dramas. It is a morality; who the author was, we do not know. There have been many adaptations, but we present the orginal fifteenth-century English version; it is the most powerful of them all. The story is of the coming of death to Everyman, his unwillingness to go alone, his struggle, resignation, and final triumph. As with all moralities, it has a didactic purpose; but it rises above mere teaching. The theology it presents is, of course, that of pre-Reformation universal Christianity.

Since it is presented in the chapel, as a chancel drama for vespers, there will be no curtain call. It is requested that there be no applause; this is appropriate to the place and to the mood of the play.

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- The Rev. William Tyte, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church, St. Charles; and Mr. Ricky McCullough, acolyte at Trinity.
- Mr. Joseph Briscoe.

Miss Linda Street, organist.

Mr. Charles Bushnell and Mr. William Hobelmann.

Costumes are from the departmental wardrobe and from Mickey O'Connor Costume Co., St. Louis.

This production introduces our new scholarship student, Mr. John Fred Dinkmeyer of St. Charles.