

# Manon Lescaut (Los Angeles)

(in Italian)

Opera in four acts by Giacomo Puccini  
Libretto by Giacomo Puccini and a committee of friends  
Based on the novel by Abbé Prévost

*Conductor*

Fausto Cleva

*Stage director*

Armando Agnini

*Chorus Director*

Kurt Herbert Adler

## CAST

<i>Manon Lescaut</i>	Licia Albanese
<i>Chevalier Des Grieux</i>	Mario Del Monaco
<i>Lescaut</i>	Giuseppe Valdengo
<i>Geronte de Ravoir</i>	Ralph Herbert
<i>Edmund, a Student</i>	Caesar Curzi
<i>A Dancing Master</i>	Alessio De Paolis
<i>A Captain</i>	John Ford
<i>A Musician</i>	Herta Glaz
<i>A Lamplighter</i>	Herbert Norville
<i>Innkeeper</i>	Colin Harvey
<i>A Sergeant</i>	Patrick McVey

\*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: 1721; Amiens, Paris, Havre, Louisiana

Saturday, November 4 1950, at 8:00 PM

Act I -- Courtyard of an Inn, Amiens  
Act II -- Apartment in Geronte's Home  
Act III -- Harbor of Havre  
Act IV -- Desolate Spot in Louisiana Territory

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**Notes:**