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Tosca II

(in Italian)

Opera in three acts by Giacomo Puccini

Libretto by Luigi Illica and Giuseppe Giacosa

Based on the drama "La Tosca" by Victorien Sardou

Conductor

Marco Armiliato†

Production

Lotfi Mansouri

Stage Director

Sandra Bernhard

Set and costume design (see notes)

Thierry Bosquet

Lighting Designer

Thomas J. Munn

Sound Designer

Roger Gans

Chorus Director

Ian Robertson

Musical Preparation

Carol Isaac

Monica Vanderveen

Judith Yan

Bryndon Hassman

Ernest Fredric Knell

Jonathan Khuner

Prompter

Jonathan Khuner

Supertitles

Christopher Bergen

Assistant Stage Director

Kathleen Smith

Stage Manager

Kathleen Edwards

Saturday, January 12 2002, at 8:00 PM

Wednesday, January 16 2002, at 7:30 PM

Friday, January 18 2002, at 8:00 PM

Sunday, January 20 2002, at 2:00 PM

CAST

Cesare Angelotti Stanislaw Schwets

A sacristan Peter Strummer

Mario Cavaradossi Walter Fraccaro

Floria Tosca Elizabeth Whitehouse

Baron Scarpia Greer Grimsley

Spoletta Joseph Frank

Sciarrone Kwang Shik Pang

A shepherd boy Michael Barnett (1/12, 18)

Bryan Jolly (1/16, 20)

A jailer Kyu Won Han

*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: Rome in June of 1800

Act I -- Interior of the church of Sant' Andrea della Valle
Act II -- A room in Scarpia's apartments in the Farnese Palace
Act III -- A terrace of Castel Sant' Angelo, outside the prison

Sponsors:

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Notes:

Design based upon the Company's original 1932 production

Scenery, props, costumes and wigs constructed in the San Francisco Opera workshops

Supernumeraries:

Sharon Castle
Annette Clark
Barbara Edwards
Joan Imbeau
Andrea Kohlruss
Susan Mead
Stephanie Salter

Trey Alonso
Keith Bartel
Dieter Bluhm
Jim Bowes
Stephen Camera-Murray
Tom Carlisle
Gary Cramer
Marcel Delgado
Jim Downey
Bjon Farber
Joe Giammarco
Eddy Gordillo
Tom Hadfield
Sami Hussain
Kevin Johnson
William Klaproth
Al Knoll
Jeff Kohler
Steve Lavezzoli
Charlie Lichtman
Rick Malher
Albert Malkin
John F. Martin
Fred Masson
Bruce McNaughton
Paul Newman
David Norton
Oliver Pollard
Lucas Rebston
Louis Schilling
Larry Severino
Frank Sommers
Ralph Stevenson
Don Stoddard
Colin Torkelsen
Evan Torkelsen
Marvin Tom
Rich Vaughn