

Gianni Schicchi (Los Angeles)

(in Italian)

Opera in one act by Giacomo Puccini

Libretto by Giovacchino Forzano

Part I of a double bill, with "Carmina Burana"

Conductor

Ferdinand Leitner

Stage director

Lotfi Mansouri

Costumers

Goldstein & Co.

CAST

<i>Zita, Buoso's cousin</i>	Erika Wien
<i>Rinuccio, her nephew</i>	Glade Peterson
<i>Gherardo, Buoso's nephew</i>	Howard Fried
<i>Nella, his wife</i>	Carol Todd
<i>Gherardino, their son</i>	Brad Waddell
<i>Betto, Buoso's cousin</i>	Daniel McCaughna
<i>Simone, Buoso's cousin</i>	Andrew Foldi
<i>Marco, their son</i>	Pietro Menci
<i>La Ciesca, Marco's wife</i>	Janis Martin
<i>Gianni Schicchi</i>	Tito Gobbi
<i>Lauretta, his daughter</i>	Lee Venora
<i>Spinelloccio, a physician</i>	David Giosso
<i>Amantio di Nicolao, a notary</i>	John West
<i>Pinellino, a shoemaker</i>	Colin Harvey
<i>Guccio, a dyer</i>	Winther Andersen

*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: 1299; the bedchamber of Buoso Donati in Florence,
Italy

Friday, November 20 1964, at 8:00 PM

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