

# La Forza del Destino (San Diego)

(in Italian)

Opera in four acts by Giuseppe Verdi  
Libretto by Francesco Maria Piave

*Conductor*  
Georges Sebastian  
*Stage director*  
Enrico Frigerio  
*Chorus Director*  
Gianni Lazzari  
*Choreographer*  
Eugene Loring  
*Costumers*  
Goldstein & Co.

## CAST

<i>Marquis of Calatrava</i>	Mark Elyn
<i>Donna Leonora</i>	Leonie Rysanek
<i>Don Carlo</i>	Robert Weede
<i>Don Alvaro</i>	Piero Miranda Ferraro
<i>Padre Guardiano</i>	Arnold van Mill
<i>Fra Melitone</i>	Richard Wentworth
<i>Preziosilla</i>	Cecilia Ward
<i>Curra</i>	Katherine Hilgenberg
<i>Trabuco</i>	Virginio Assandri
<i>The surgeon</i>	Colin Harvey
<i>Alcalde</i>	Harold Enns
<i>An Old Woman</i>	Sybil Knapp
<i>Solo dancer</i>	Tony Weber
	Jim Penrod
	Jerry Hemdon

\*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: About the middle of the eighteenth century; Spain  
and Italy

Thursday, November 6 1958, at 8:00 PM

Act I, Scene 1 -- Room in the house of the Marquis of Calatrava  
Scene 2 -- Inn at Hornachuelos  
Act II -- Courtyard of the Monastery of Hornachuelos  
Act III, Scene 1 -- Ruins of a house near Velletri, Italy  
Scene 2 -- Soldiers' camp at Velletri  
Act IV, Scene 1 -- Cloister of the Monastery of Hornachuelos  
Scene 2 -- Solitary spot near the Monastery

**Sponsors:**

**Notes:**

Presented by the San Diego Opera Guild

Corps de Ballet

Major intermission after Act II