

Madama Butterfly

(in Italian)

Opera in three acts by Giacomo Puccini
Libretto by Luigi Illica and Giuseppe Giacosa
Based on John L. Long and David Belasco

Conductor

Pietro Cimini

Chorus Master

Antonio Dell'Orefice

Stage and technical director

Armando Agnini

CAST

Cio Cio San Elisabeth Rethberg

Suzuki Marion Telva

Pinkerton Gennaro Barra

Sharpless Millo Picco

Goro Lodovico Oliviero

Prince Yamadori Pompilio Malatesta

The Bonze Louis D'Angelo

Commissario Austin W. Sperry

Kate May Sewall

*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: Nagasaki

Friday, September 21 1928, at 8:00 PM

Act I -- A Japanese house, terrace and garden. In the background, the town of Nagasaki.

Act II -- Inside Butterfly's House

Act III -- Same as Act II

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