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Cavalleria Rusticana

(in Italian)

Opera in one act by Pietro Mascagni
Libretto by Giovanni Targioni-Tozzetti and Guido Menasci
Based on the play by Giovanni Verga

Supertitles provided through a grant from American Express Company via the San Francisco Opera Guild.

Conductor

Anton Guadagno
Carlo Felice Cillario (6/22)

Production

Jean-Pierre Ponnelle

Stage director

Vera Lúcia Calábria

Designer

Jean-Pierre Ponnelle

Lighting Designer

Thomas J. Munn

Lighting Supervisor

Joan Arhelger

Chorus Director

Richard Bradshaw

Associate chorus director

Ernest Fredric Knell

Musical Preparation

Robert Morrison
James Johnson
Joseph De Rugeris
Philip Eisenberg
Susanna Lemberskaya

Prompter

Philip Eisenberg

Assistant Stage Director

Paula Williams

Supertitles

Paul Moor

Stage Manager

Jerry Sherk

CAST

<i>Turiddu</i>	Ermanno Mauro
<i>Santuzza</i>	Fiorenza Cossotto
<i>Mamma Lucia</i>	Cristiane Young
<i>Alfio</i>	Piero Cappuccilli
<i>Lola</i>	Kathryn Cowdrick

*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: Easter Sunday, around 1930; a village in Southern Italy

Sunday, June 1 1986, at 2:00 PM
Wednesday, June 4 1986, at 7:30 PM
Saturday, June 7 1986, at 8:00 PM
Tuesday, June 10 1986, at 8:00 PM
Friday, June 13 1986, at 8:00 PM
Tuesday, June 17 1986, at 7:30 PM
Sunday, June 22 1986, at 1:00 PM

N/A

Sponsors:

Notes:

First part of a double bill, with "Pagliacci"

Scenery constructed in San Francisco Opera Scenic Studios

Costumes executed by Günter Berger, Director, and Sylvia Strahammer; Costume Department, Bavarian State Opera

San Francisco Boys Chorus
Louis Magor, Director

Girls Chorus San Francisco
Elizabeth Appling, Director

Following listings are for the entire summer season:

GIRLS CHORUS

Liza Cohen
Irma de los Santos
Cathleen Ellis
Jocelyn Enriquez
Mihoko Ito
Kristin Kane
Sarah Malan
Maren Montalbano
Rachel Plotinsky
Miriam Ritter
Mirabai Weismehl

BOYS CHORUS

Philip Beverley
Brendan Bosch
Adam Brown
Gabriel Brown
Conal Byrne
Jason Duty
Richard Harper
Ross Jensen
David La May
David Liu
Ryan Massey
Dan Raznick
Jonathan Ricafrente
Jeff Rice
Floyd Rollins
Joel Ryan
Caen Thomason-Redus

SUPERNUMERARIES

Victor Banis
Stephen Bartlett-Re
Stephen Bauman
Bruce Brown
Richard Campbell
Stewart Clark
David Clover
Jared Danielson
Roger Davidson
Tom Dewan
Kermit duVal
Peter Felleman
Ted Foster
Courtney Fowler
Raymond Franke
Mickey Frettoloso
Phillip Gibson
Albert Goodwyn
Steven Harper
Ron Hazen
Bill Higgins

Mark Huelsmann
John Janonis
Clinton Jennings
Dean Johnson
Dan Kyte
Greg Lawrance
Alex Lesser
David Lesser
Sarah MacClellan
Donald Martin
Ramon Martinez
Andrea Massey
Alan Miller
Larry Millner
Malcolm Parkman
Jonathen Poli
Tom Purcell
Bill Randol
Paul Ricks
Steven Rosen
Arthur Simon
Geoff Skidmore
Ray Souza
Jonathen Spieler
Jerry Steimle
John Varvarousis
Gary Wendt-Bogear