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the late James D. Robertson.

Manon

(in French)

Opera in three acts by Jules Massenet
Libretto by Henri Meilhac and Philippe Gille
Based on a novel by the Abbé Prévost

Supertitles provided by a generous and most appreciated gift from William and Eloise Rollnick.

Conductor

Jean Fournet

Stage director

Lotfi Mansouri

Set designer

David Mitchell

Costume Designer

Hal George

Lighting Designer

Thomas J. Munn

Lighting Supervisor

Joan Arhelger

Chorus Director

Richard Bradshaw

Chorus Preparation

Ernest Fredric Knell

Choreographer

Val Caniparoli

Musical Preparation

Jeffrey Goldberg

Jonathan Khuner

Svetlana Gorzhevskaya

Philip Eisenberg

Mark Haffner

Prompter

Philip Eisenberg

Assistant Stage Director

Sharon Thomas

Supertitles

Christopher Bergen

Stage Manager

Darlene Durant

Friday, November 14 1986, at 8:00 PM
Thursday, November 20 1986, at 7:30 PM
Sunday, November 23 1986, at 2:00 PM
Friday, November 28 1986, at 8:00 PM
Sunday, November 30 1986, at 8:00 PM
Wednesday, December 3 1986, at 8:00 PM
Saturday, December 6 1986, at 8:00 PM

CAST

Guillot de Morfontaine Rémy Corazza

De Brétigny David Malis

Poussette Li-Chan Chen

Javotte Susan Patterson

Rosette Kathryn Cowdrick

An innkeeper Monte Pederson

Lescaut, Manon's cousin Gino Quilico

Lescaut's friends John Maxham

Mark Delavan

Manon Lescaut Sheri Greenawald

Chevalier des Grioux Francisco Araiza

A servant Christina Jaqua

Comte des Grioux, the Chevalier's father Thomas Paul

An attendant at St. Sulpice Raymond Murcell

*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: 1721; Amiens, Paris, Le Havre

Act I, Scene 1 -- The courtyard of an inn at Amiens

Scene 2 -- The apartment of des Grioux and Manon

INTERMISSION

Act II, Scene 1 -- Cours-la-Reine, Paris

Scene 2 -- The seminary of St. Sulpice

INTERMISSION

Act III, Scene 1 -- A gambling salon, the Hôtel de Transylvanie

Scene 2 -- The road to Le Havre

Sponsors:

Notes:

Scenery constructed in San Francisco Opera Scenic Studios

Baldwin organ courtesy of Treber Music Company

DANCERS

Jill Albertson
Marina Hotchkiss
Robin Peluso
Debra Rose
Kathryn Roszak
Katherine Warner

Bobby Ames
Peter Childers
Jon Konetski
Gregory Lara
Alfredo Marengo
Daniel Ray

SUPERNUMERARIES (listed for the entire season)

Gertraud Albert
Hetty Alvarez
Susan Anderson
Pat Angell
Karen Bailey
Joyce Barnett
Dorothy Baune
Irene Bechtel
Janet Birnie
Phyllis Blair
Layeh Bock
Katherine Brazaitis
Lorna Bridges
Dorothy C. Brown
Barbara Bruser
Madeline Chase
Phoebe Ciaffi
Annette Clark
Huguette Combs
Renée DeJarnatt
Carol Dunlap
Carolyn Ekstedt
Linda L. Hargrove-Teets
Jennifer Hayasaka
Pamela E. Hughes
Joan Imbeau
Pierrette Jeanmonod
Esther Jennings
Mary Joyce
Candace Kahn
Valerie Klingenberg
Michelle Priest Kotschnig
Joan Kwansa
Hedy Anita Langford
Francesca Leo
Betty MacDonald
Sandra Marsh
Donna L. Martin
Patrizia R. Medicina
Edith Modie
Alta Moody
Liska Janelle Moody
Thelma Morris
Holly Morrison
Janet Morse
Gabrielle Motarjemi
Ellen Nelson
Claire Nice

Marta Osterloh
Dorothy Papo
Virginia M. Persson
Nancy Petrisko
Marianne Petroni
Miriam Preece
Camille Reich
Julia Reisz
Gwen Reynolds
Francesca Roveda
Louise Russo
Ellen Sanchez
Suzanne Scott
Burgess Shiu
Stella Tatro
Beverly Terry
Karen Topp
Marcia Tusting
Sally Warren
Elisabeth Waters
Carolyn Waugh
Susan Weiss
Susan Wendt-Bogear
Ann Williamson
Layrel Ann Winzler

Andrew Vincent Alder
Zoltan Andahazy
Gene Angell
Richard Ares
Sky Bamford
Victor Banis
Stephen Bartlett-Re
Mark Bathke
Franklin Bauer
Steve Bauman
Douglas Beardslee
Donald Bechtel
Vincent Brooks
Bruce Brown
William Burns
Richard Campbell
Tom Carlisle
Roy Castellini
Gene Cikota
Stewart Clark
Derek Claudius
David Clover
William Colligan
Rudy Cook
Burton Covel
Roger Davidson
Daniel DeJarnatt
Alan Dettmering
Dick Duker
David Duncan
Hilbert Duperroir
Kermit duVal
Bill Easley
Pedro Echeandia
David Elkind
Rick Emmons
Peter Felleman
Peter Fodor
Joel Fort
Ted Foster
Kurt Frank
Raymond C. Franke
Mickey Frettoloso
Phillip Gibson
Albert Goodwyn
Paul Grosvenor
Louis Handler
Kent Harvey
Joe Hay
Ron Hazen
Philippe Henry

William Higgins
Willard Holden
Mark Huelsmann
Stephen Jacobs
John Janonis
Clinton Jennings
Paul Johansson
Dean Johnson
Richard Jones
Bill Joyce
Chris Judge
Keith Kamrath
Julius Karoblis
Joseph Kelley
Patrick Kelson
Ken Korpi
Michael Kurtz
Dan Kyte
George LaLumiere
Greg Lawrance
Jay Lenahan
Bob Leonard
Derrill Loberg
Ralph Ludascher
David Marcus
Roger Marquardt
Donald Martin
Ramon Martinez
Eugene Masciarelli
Berri McBride
Rod McCoy
Richard McGeary
Arnold McGilbray, Jr.
Alan Miller
Matt Miller
Larry Millner
John Howard Moore
Ed Morse
Malcolm Mosher
Daniel Moya
James Muth
Paul Newman
Chris Noll
Richard Pallowick
Ted Pappas
Malcolm Parkman
Joseph Peerenboom
Mike Pesavento
David Peters
Harrison Pierce
Tom Purcell
William Randol
Paul Ricks
James Robinson
Steven Rosen
Ken Schlobohm
Steve Schneider
Chris Sheffield
Arthur B. Simon
Geoff Skidmore
Bill Sommer
Ray Souza
Jonathan Spieler
Gary Sprague
Robert Squeri
Scott Squires
Jerry Steimle
Jim Stranberg
Don Studebaker
Max Subervi
Tom Taffel
Alvin Taylor
Allen Tusting
John Varvarousis
Paul Vuksich
Rick Weil
Gary Wendt-Bogear

Joe Willis
Art Zigas