

# Falstaff

(in Italian)

Opera in three acts by Giuseppe Verdi  
Libretto by Arrigo Boito  
Based on plays by William Shakespeare

*Conductor*

Bruno Bartoletti

*Stage Directors*

Ghita Hager

Geraint Evans

*Chorus Director*

Francesco Prestia

*Musical Preparation*

Terry Lusk

*Costumers*

Goldstein & Co.

## CAST

<i>Dr. Caius</i>	Ragnar Ulfung
<i>Sir John Falstaff</i>	Geraint Evans
<i>Bardolfo</i>	Raymond Manton
<i>Pistola</i>	Ara Berberian
<i>Mistress Meg Page</i>	Sylvia Anderson
<i>Mistress Alice Ford</i>	Mary Costa
<i>Nannetta</i>	Margaret Price
<i>Mistress Quickly</i>	Lili Chookasian
<i>Ford</i>	Dan Richardson †
<i>Fenton</i>	Stuart Burrows
<i>Innkeeper</i>	Colin Harvey
<i>Innkeeper's wife</i>	Sally Winnington

\*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: Windsor, England, during the reign of Henry IV

Saturday, September 19 1970, at 8:00 PM

Friday, September 25 1970, at 8:00 PM

Tuesday, September 29 1970, at 8:30 PM

Wednesday, October 7 1970, at 8:00 PM

Act I, Scene 1 -- Garter Inn

Scene 2 -- Ford's House

Act II, Scene 1 -- Garter Inn

Scene 2 -- Ford's House

Act III, Scene 1 -- Garter Inn

Scene 2 -- Windsor Forest

**Sponsors:**

**Notes:**

San Francisco Opera Boys Chorus  
Madi Bacon, Director

Bradford Brennan  
Craig Brennan  
Robert Calvert  
Frederick Cohen  
David Englund  
David Green  
Randolph Haag  
Andrew Harris  
Leonard Kalm  
Richard Kehres  
Tad Laird  
Gary Levy  
Stuart Misfeldt  
Christopher Nowak  
Tyrone Po  
Geoffrey Reed  
Jeremy Renton  
Peter Rubardt  
Ted Schoenfeld  
David Sigal  
Scott Spiller  
Cyrian Tabuena  
Eugene Wang  
David Wolins  
Henry Wong

**DANCERS**

Christine Bennett  
Peggy Davis  
Mela Fleming  
Karen Hornschuch  
Carolyn Houser  
Judanna Lynn  
Leila Parelo  
Carla Sealander  
Allyson Segeler

Allen Barker  
Gardner Carlson  
Donald Eryck  
John Daniel Lordon  
Tony Ness  
Charles Perrier  
Edward Rumberger  
John Sullivan  
Sulpicio Wagner