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Die Zauberflöte

(in English)

Opera in two acts by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Libretto by Emanuel Schikaneder

Translation by ANDREW PORTER

Conductor

Ulrich Weder †

Stage Director

Bliss Hebert

Set and costume designer

Marc Chagall

Lighting Designer

Thomas J. Munn

Chorus Director

Richard Bradshaw

Musical Preparation

James Johnson

Prompter

Randall Behr

CAST

<i>Tamino</i>	Perry Price
<i>First Lady</i>	Rebecca Cook
<i>Second Lady</i>	Gwendolyn Jones
<i>Third Lady</i>	Fredda Rakusin
<i>Papageno</i>	Dale Duesing
<i>Queen of the Night</i>	Barbara Carter
<i>Monostatos</i>	Steven Cole
<i>Pamina</i>	Sheri Greenawald
<i>First spirit</i>	Amy Sharp
<i>Third spirit</i>	Timothy Genis
<i>Second spirit</i>	David Kersnar
<i>High Priest</i>	Willard White
<i>Sarastro</i>	Ulrik Cold †
<i>First Priest</i>	Jonathan Green
<i>Second Priest</i>	Stanley Wexler
<i>Papagena</i>	Claudette Peterson
<i>First Man in Armor</i>	Michael Ballam
<i>Second Man in Armor</i>	Gregory Stapp

*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: (not specified)

Saturday, October 11 1980, at 8:00 PM
Wednesday, October 15 1980, at 7:30 PM
Saturday, October 18 1980, at 8:00 PM
Tuesday, October 21 1980, at 8:00 PM
Friday, October 24 1980, at 8:00 PM
Sunday, October 26 1980, at 2:00 PM
Friday, October 31 1980, at 8:00 PM

Act I, Scene 1 -- A wild, rocky pass
Scene 2 -- The sky
Scene 3 -- A wild, rocky pass
Scene 4 -- Near Sarastro's palace
Scene 5 -- In front of the temple
Act II, Scene 1 -- Near the temple
Scene 2 -- A place of temptation
Scene 3 -- The temple garden
Scene 4 -- Another place of temptation
Scene 5 -- In front of the temple
Scene 6 -- Garden beyond the temple
Scene 7 -- Caverns of fire and water
Scene 8 -- A garden
Scene 9 -- Behind the temple
Scene 10 -- Temple of the Sun

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Notes:

Live broadcast -- October 31

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