

# Das Rheingold (Los Angeles)

(in German)

Opera in one act by Richard Wagner

Libretto by Richard Wagner

*Conductor*

Horst Stein

*Production*

Paul Hager

*Assisted by*

Ghita Hager

*Designer*

Wolfram Skalicki

Davis L. West (resident designer)

*Costumers*

Goldstein & Co.

## CAST

<i>Woglinde</i>	Sheila Marks
<i>Wellgunde</i>	Sylvia Anderson
<i>Flosshilde</i>	Sheila Nadler
<i>Alberich</i>	Rudolf Knoll
<i>Fricka</i>	Sona Cervena
<i>Wotan</i>	Franz Mazura
<i>Freia</i>	Jeanne Cook †
<i>Fasolt</i>	William Wildermann
<i>Fafner</i>	Ara Berberian
<i>Froh</i>	William Cochran
<i>Donner</i>	Delme Bryn-Jones
<i>Loge</i>	Glade Peterson
<i>Mime</i>	Robert Glover
<i>Erda</i>	Margarita Lilova

\*Role debut †U.S. opera debut

PLACE AND TIME: Legendary

Scene 1 -- The pristine waters of the Rhine

Scene 2 -- Beyond the terrestrial sphere near Valhalla

Scene 3 -- The subterranean depths of Nibelheim

Scene 4 -- Beyond the terrestrial sphere near Valhalla

Friday, March 28 1969, at 8:00 PM

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