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Directed by Cindy Dame

Production Crew:

Producer.....Dennis Dale
Assistant Director.....Dennis Dale
Lights & Sound.....Andrew Earl
Publicity.....Brock Gilliard
Set Construction.....Carl Glasscock

Special Thanks

Dean Poling and the Valdosta Daily Times

Colson Business Systems

First Baptist Church

New Life Church Lake Park

The Cast

Knight School:

Narrator.....Michael Wetherington
Tim.....Carl Glasscock
Alan.....Aidan Williams
Jerry.....Zachary Lammons
Ralphie.....Levi Brown
Lester.....Ashton Williams
Monk.....Ken Kinard
Student.....Layla Heikell
Teacher.....Jose' Santos

That's The Spirit:

Jack Kingman.....Dennis Dale
Michelle.....Cindy Dame
Meredith.....Mary Ann Green
Phil.....Aylin Alvarado
Mary.....Betty Moon
Perry.....Ken Kinard
Amanda.....Melissa Dame Glasscock
Waldo.....Jose Santos
Mrs. Banks.....Karen Root
Gospel Singer.....Kim Blanton
Understudy.....Keltrice Hardin



Aylin Alvarado is thrilled to be making her theatrical debut at TGV, a check off of her "30 things to do before I turn 30" list! She says, "The role of Phil in *"That's the Spirit"* has been an incredible, once-in-a-lifetime experience." She would like to send her thanks to Cindy Dame and her high-energy cast members for their support. She is honored to work with such talented individuals and hopes to be at their level of awesomeness.

Kim Blanton is excited to share her first theatre performance with this cast! You can hear her sing at The Gathering every other Sunday along with an awesome praise team. God has blessed her beyond belief with beautiful grandchildren that have her heart. God bless!!



Levi Slater Brown is 7 years old and in second grade, loves theatre; he has been in *Jungle Book* and is looking forward to *Knight School*. Outside of the theatre he enjoys playing sports with his brothers, especially basketball. He is a very outgoing boy loves everyone!

Ashton Charles Williams is 10 years old and in fourth grade, he was last seen in the Gingerbread Players production of *The Wizard of Oz*. He enjoys many sports, especially soccer and football. Ashton spends his time, when not in school, outside playing sports with his brothers. He looks forward to performing in *Knight School* with all of his brothers!



Betty Moon is happy to be on the stage again as Mary in *"That's the Spirit"*. She was last seen in *"Suite Surrender"* as Mrs. Osgood. Past performances at the 'Dosta include *"Broadway On Ashley"*, *"A Murder is Announced"*, and *"Laffalot"*. Thanks to her husband, Bob, for his support as she's taken to the stage and to everyone at TGV for their encouragement.



Aidan Carter Williams is 11 years old and in 6th grade. You may recognize him from *Stuart Little*, *The Wizard of Oz*, or more recently *The Jungle Book*. In his free time he enjoys video games, reading, singing, and basketball. He looks forward to *Knight School*!

Dennis Dale is a former US Army Military Policeman and the worst dancer on earth. He wrote two movie scripts that were bought but never filmed, and half a dozen television pilots that did not become hit series – among them, *"Knight School"* and *"That's the Spirit!"* He has been seen at the 'Dosta previously, and police have been notified.



This is Cindy Dame's directorial debut. Taking on roles as director and actor in *"That's The Spirit"* has been an experience to remember. Since her last TGV performance in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, (2010) she has been assisting backstage. From being assistant director to photographing most of the shows, her love for the theatre has surely grown. Cindy would like to thank the playwright, Dennis Dale, for trusting her with his creation and her family for their patience.

The epitome of a starving artist, Michael Wetherington has dedicated his life to drinking porto and the joy of performing the spoken word. He is honored to be featured at the 'Dosta Playhouse once again.



After a brief respite Carl Glasscock returns to the stage as Tim Shays the loving father of two young boys in a time of turmoil. Carl is a veteran of the stage and continued his love of the theatre from childhood all the way to a college degree in theatre from Valdosta State University. You may remember him from *Musical Comedy Murders of 1940*, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* and many other great shows at the 'Dosta. Carl is very thankful for this opportunity to tread the boards again with a wonderful cast and hopes you enjoy the show.



Zachary Lammons is nine years old and a fourth grade student. He is an avid reader. He likes creating things with Legos. He appreciates the opportunity to play this role. Zachary and the rest of the cast hope you enjoy the show.

Ken Kinard First, I would like to thank Cindy And Dennis for giving him the opportunity to return to the TGV stage. Some of his most memorable plays are: The Odd Couple, Of Mice And Men, Trip to Bountiful, Moon Over Buffalo and My Fair Lady. Ken has served on the Board and been a member of TGV for years. "It has been a pleasure meeting new folks in these One Acts. Break a leg and enjoy".



Layla Heikell is proud to be joining the cast of *Acts of Love* in for her theatrical debut. In addition to acting she loves reading, running, hunting, photography and learning to bake. She is an Honor Roll student at Lake Park Elementary and has a big heart for Jesus, family & friends. She would like to thank her mom, dad, little sisters and all of her family for their love and support. She also thanks Cindy Dame for this valuable experience as well as the love she has shown her throughout her life.

Jose' Santos has a bachelors degree in Advertising and over 20 years experience producing and filming TV ads back home in the Dominican Republic, both in front and behind the camera. Cindy and Dennis have made his crossover to theatre mirthful and seamless. Jose' is grateful not only for the opportunity that Cindy and Dennis have given him to embody these characters but also for bestowing upon me the privilege of sharing the stage with this incredibly talented and endearing cast.



Mary Ann Green is a 27 year veteran of Theatre Guild Valdosta. She has been seen in countless productions on stage as well as serving in every conceivable role backstage and in pre-production. She has also directed many of TGV's productions, including "Little Shop of Horrors", "Harvey", "Kiss Me, Kate", "Sherlock's Last Case", and "Caught in the Net", to name a few. She has also served the organization administratively from President to House Manager. "I am thrilled to be able to participate in this production with so much new and returning talent."



Melissa Glasscock, recently Married to Carl Glasscock, are expecting their 1st child this August. You may recognize her from *Broadway on Ashley* or *She Loves Me*. When Melissa is not at the theatre you may catch her singing on the worship team at The Gathering, or spending time with her loving husband. She hopes you enjoy the show and laugh each chance you get!

Karen Root is having so much fun with dear friends and is delighted to appear as the incredibly ridiculous Mrs. Banks. Thanks Cindy and Dennis for the play time. A big thank you to First Baptist Church who graciously gave us rehearsal space. Enjoy the show!



Keltrice Hardin is back with her TGV Family for *Acts of Love*. She is understudying the role of "Amanda" in *That's the Spirit*. Keltrice is happy to work with the theatre in any way possible. She is happy to be working with a great cast! She wants to thank Cindy Dame for the opportunity to work with her in her directing debut.

From the Director,

About a year ago, while assistant directing "See How They Run", I met Dennis Dale, who played the Vicar. I knew right away that our theatre was lucky to have this former Hollywood screenwriter in our midst. Dennis is also a fearless, at times outrageous, actor, but personally he is more reserved. Over time, he began to open up, with stories about working in Hollywood and more personal tales of his wife, Nelva Sandefur, a beautiful songstress, whom he tragically lost to illness in 2014. When he told me about some unproduced screenplays he had written, we began to talk about bringing them to the stage for the very first time. Nelva is the muse behind these stories. She inspired Dennis to write them, her spirit and her name are woven into them. It is her beloved memory that we dedicate them. I am blessed to have this opportunity and to work with a magnificent writer and extremely talented cast. Their dedication and craft never fails to amaze me. A very heartfelt thank you to them for working so diligently with me!

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