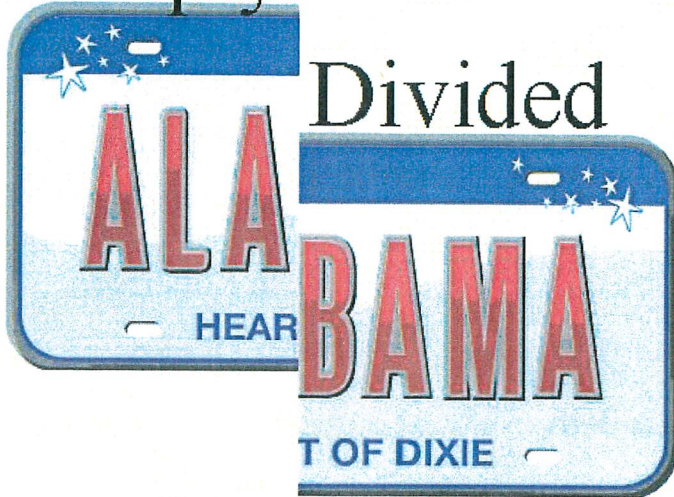


Theatre Guild Valdosta
presents

Simply



A comedy by Jeff Lovett

May 12-15, 19-21, 2011

at the

'Dosta Playhouse

Produced by special arrangement with the playwright.

CAST

Announcer	Jack Pruden
Sissy Mae	Mary Ann Green
D'Ellen	Karen Root
Ray	Ted Bilak
Charity	Michelle Gaines
Trish Ann	Amber Michelle Smith
Gabe	Josh Robertson
Carlotta	Mara Good
Sara Beth	Daileigh Fussell
Earl	Pete Ganas

SETTING

Simply Delicious Diner

Simply, Alabama

The Present

CREW

Director	Mary Helen Watson
Assistant Director	Butch Fussell
Assistant to the A.D.	Byron Vance
Set Design	Mary Helen Watson
Lighting Design	Clay Lee, Adrian Taylor, & Diane Marie Brunston
Lighting Technician	Clay Lee
Sound Design/Technician	Clay Lee
Stage Manager	Patti Cook
Stage Crew	Jessie Gaines, Mary Helen Taylor, and Pete Ganas
Costumes	Mara Good
Producer	Patti Cook
Publicity	Brenda Brunston and Joanne Griner

Set Construction

Mary Helen Watson, Butch Fussell, Byron Vance, Jerry Ellis, Clay Lee, Adrian Taylor, Karen Root, Amber Smith, Brenda Brunston, Diane Marie Brunston, Jack Pruden, Michelle Gaines, Jessie Gaines, Mary Ann Green, Ted Bilak, Patti Cook, and Mary Helen Taylor

DIRECTOR'S NOTES

"Simply Divided" has been in the 'works' at TGV for nearly two years. During that time my ideas about the play have evolved. This is a delightful southern comedy to be sure but it is also a study in self-image and how we see ourselves and how we all change as we live our lives. In that sense it is much more than a comedy, it is a little 'slice of life' that could take place anywhere, and that makes it truly special. I have a great cast and crew and without them this production would never happen. They bring the magic of theater to life. I bless them for their patience and generosity in giving their time and talent. Over the years I have worked with many casts and many crews and each time I say, these were the best people to work with and every time that is absolutely the truth! I believe you will enjoy your trip to Simply, Alabama for a short stay in the Simply Delicious diner. Welcome!

Mary Helen Watson, Director

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