



THE FOREIGNER

by

Larry Shue

THEATRE GUILD VALDOSTA
THE VALDOSTA PLAYHOUSE



Welcome Theatre Goer!

Tonight's show is the third production of the TGV 1993-1994 season. All of us involved in the show hope you enjoy what we believe to be an outrageously funny story. As I have said in earlier notes to you, we are proud to be in our new home and hope that your experience of live theatre is enhanced by the continued progress we are making on the renovations of the facility. Since our last show we have completed the walls separating the lobby from the auditorium and added doors. These additions should reduce street

and concession area noise to the benefit of audience and cast. Also new for this show are the radiant heaters. Although you will not think you are living in the Sahara, they will certainly help raise the temperature in the building to a livable level. Your continued support, both financial and moral, have made these additions possible. We at TGV are continually in need of your support. If you would like to help, please let us know. We will put you to work.

Mary Ann Green, President

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TGV Production

Produced by Joanne Griner

Directed by Hope Ince

Originally produced by the Milwaukee Repertory Theatre,
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

The Foreigner is produced by special arrangement with
Dramatists Play Service

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THE CAST

"Froggy" LeSueur Rick Patrick
 Charlie Baker Ricardo Ipina
 Betty Meeks Mary Ann Green
 Rev. David Marshall Lee Tim Smith
 Catherine Simms Jennifer Clark
 Owen Musser Jim Britt
 Ellard Simms Mark Daugherty
 Owen, Jr. Doug Britt
 Ray Earl Michael Fretti
 Bubba Ricky Pounds
 Billy Bob Mike Kinneman

The Setting
 Betty Meeks' Fishing Lodge Resort
 Tilghman County, Georgia, USA

The Time
 The Recent Past

ACT I

Scene 1: Evening
 Scene 2: The following morning

ACT II

Scene 1: Afternoon, two days later
 Scene 2: That evening

PRODUCTION STAFF

Producer	Joanne Griner
Director	Hope Ince
Technical Director	David L. Ince
Assistant Director/Stage Manager	Charles Green
Set Design	David L. Ince
Light Technician	Jerry Dickson
Sound Technician	David L. Ince
House Manager	Charles Green
Assistant	Brenda Carter
Publicity	Joanne Griner
Assistant	Sue Frysley
Prop Master	Jennifer Thibodeaux
Assistants	Debra Doster, Meredith Tart, Doug Britt
Wardrobe Mistress	Mary Helen Watson
Set Construction	Jerry Ellis, Charles Green, Mark Daugherty, Tim Smith, Jack Pruden, Jerry Jennett

and all those dedicated TGV members we failed, through our loss of memory, to mention.

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Cast Notes

Rick Patrick ("Froggy") is no stranger to the TGV stage, having appeared most recently as Elwood P. Dowd in HARVEY and as Capt. von Trapp in THE SOUND OF MUSIC. In 1980-1981 Rick toured the United States and Mexico with the international music group "Up With People". In 1985 he was selected as a State Finalist in the Florida Theatre Conference auditions and is a member of TGV's Ambassadors LIVE! When not appearing on stage, Rick is an Advertising Consultant with FM-96.

Ricardo R. Ipina ("Charlie") is employed as a teacher of music and drama at Valdosta High School. He first appeared with TGV in the role of "El Gallo" in THE FANTASTICKS but has also sung in the chorus of GUYS AND DOLLS and THE MIKADO among many others. He served as Musical Director/Pianist in the TGV Fall production of THE SOUND OF MUSIC and has "done it all" in tech theatre. He serves as Co-Director/Performer with TGV's Ambassadors LIVE!

Mary Ann Green ("Betty") is no stranger to TGV audiences having directed several past productions and being remembered for her outstanding performance as "Mama Rose" in GYPSY. She is the current President of the TGV Board and is Department Manager of the Blood Bank at SGM C. As outstanding "moments" on stage, she remembers her debut in the 1st grade as a Christmas tree and her role as "Madame Arcati" in BLITHE SPIRIT opposite her daughter, Lisa.

Jennifer Clark ("Catherine") is a newcomer to the TGV stage after an outstanding "career" with Off Broadway of Lowndes High School. Her roles at LHS included "Sarah" in CHILDREN OF A LESSER GOD, "Raja" in I NEVER SAW ANOTHER BUTTERFLY and "Weeser" in STEEL MAGNOLIAS. She is employed at Mackey Lumber Co. and TGV looks forward to seeing Jennifer on our stage in the future.

Tim Smith ("David"), a Senior at Valdosta High School, made his debut with TGV in the role of "Matt" in THE FANTASTICKS. Since that time, he has appeared in OKLAHOMA and in the role of "Freidrick" in THE SOUND OF MUSIC in addition to technical experience with the productions at VHS and is a performer with Ambassadors LIVE! Tim leaves Valdosta after graduation to attend college in Tennessee and study architecture--he will be sorely missed.

Mark Daugherty ("Ellard") is a Sophomore at Valdosta High School and has appeared in the roles of "Rolf" in THE SOUND OF MUSIC, "Slim" in OKLAHOMA, a young performer in GYPSY and is a member of the Ambassadors LIVE! troupe. He stage managed the award winning 1993 one-act play, THE AUTHOR'S VOICE, for VHS.

Jim Britt ("Owen") and his wife, Joyce, have three children, Doug, Rhonda, and Jennifer, and Jim is employed with Southern Bell. Never having appeared on stage before moving to Valdosta in 1990, Jim has given memorable performances to TGV audiences as "Martin" in SOCIAL SECURITY and "Wilson" in HARVEY.

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