

### Act I - Elementary School

Scene 1:	St. Bastion's School: The Present <i>Get Ready, Eddie</i> .....	The Company
Scene 2:	Second Grade at St. Bastion's <i>The Greatest Gift</i> .....	Sister Helen & Kids
Scene 3:	Confession at St. Bastion's Church	
Scene 4:	The Playground: Fifth Grade <i>It's the Nuns</i> .....	The Kids & the Nuns
Scene 5:	<i>Little Fat Girls</i> .....	Becky & Eddie
Scene 6:	Fifth Grade at St. Bastion's <i>Cookie Cutters</i> .....	Sister Lee & Becky
Scene 7:	Confession at St. Bastion's Church <i>Patron Saints</i> .....	Father O'Reilly, Eddie, Kids & Nuns
Scene 8:	Eighth Grade at St. Bastion's <i>How Far Is Too Far?</i> .....	Nancy, Girls & Boys
FINALE:	ACT I.....	The Company

### Act II - High School

Scene 1:	The Freshman Mixer in the Gym of St. Patrick Bremmer High School for Boys <i>Doo-Wah, Doo-Wee</i> .....	Louie & Company
Scene 2:	The Front Yard of Becky's House - A Year Later <i>Friends, The Best Of</i> .....	Becky & Eddie
Scene 3:	Confession at St. Bastion's Church	
Scene 4:	The Parish Bazaar, Senior Year <i>Mad Bomber</i> .....	Felix, Virginia & Kids
Scene 5:	The Night of the Senior Prom <i>Late Bloomer &amp; Prom Montage</i> .....	Eddie & Kids
Scene 6:	Becky's Hospital Room <i>Friends, The Best Of (Reprise)</i> .....	Becky & Eddie
Scene 7:	The Present <i>Thank God</i> .....	The Company

#### DLO Officers & Board of Directors

President - Kathleen L. Spain      Vice-President - Daniel J. Miller  
Secretary - Ann McCurdy      Treasurer - Linda Pusey

Ruth Bryant, Chris Dunn, Jackie Feingold, Ron McDaniel, Sandy Parker, Duane H. Prentice,  
Rebecca Majors Quetone, Karen Reed

#### Friends

Bohn Heat Transfer, Mervis Industries, Mary Lou Spain

#### Sponsor

Quaker Oats

Danville Light Opera's productions are supported in part by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency; the National Endowment for the Arts; and the Danville Area Arts Council.

Danville Light Opera is a member of the Danville Area Arts Council  
and the Illinois Theatre Association.



## Danville Light Opera PRESENTS



Book by  
John R. Powers

Music and Lyrics by  
James Quinn and Alaric Jans

Based on a novel by John R. Powers

May 5 & 6, 1989  
DACC Theatre, 8:00 p.m.



## "Do Black Patent Leather Shoes Really Reflect Up?"

CAST  
In Order of Appearance

Eddie Ryan.....	Justin Vickers
Secretary.....	Karen Vickers
Becky Bakowski.....	Rebecca Majors Quetone
Sister Lee.....	Jan Marken
Sister Melanie.....	Sherie Hittinger
Father O'Reilly.....	Terry Walters
Virginia Lear.....	Beth Cunningham
Felix Lindor.....	William "Bill" Little
Mike Depki.....	Max Grilly
Nancy Ralansky.....	Ann McCurdy
Mary Kenny.....	Sandy Parker
Louie Schlang.....	Dean Cauley
Sister Helen.....	Joan Sampson
Sister Monica Marie.....	Karen Vickers

### Orchestra

Rehearsal & Show Pianist.....	Mary Lou Mauck
Trumpets.....	Brad Clem, Dale Carlton
Trombone.....	Dick Parke
Reed 1.....	Earl Walters
Reed 2.....	Everett Oliver
Bass.....	Don Parker
Drums.....	John Bromley

Producer.....Daniel J. Miller  
Drama/Music Director.....Kathleen L. Spain  
Choreographer.....Marilyn Nelson Hansgen  
Stage Manager.....Linda Pusey  
Props.....Karen Reed, Ruth Bryant  
Costumes.....Melody Klink, Nancy Henderson  
Tickets.....Karen Reed  
Publicity.....Mary Lou Spain, Ruth Bryant,  
Sandy Parker

Lights.....Clif Wygant  
Makeup.....Pat Cunningham, Suzy Brooks  
Hair.....Gene Young (J.C. Penney's)  
Programs.....Ron McDaniel  
Set Design.....Tucker Quetone  
Set Construction.....Tucker Quetone,  
Daniel J. Miller, Ron Soderstrom,  
Bill Clutter

**Daniel J. Miller** (Producer) - Dan has been involved with DLO since 1974 and served three terms as president. Away from DLO, he is a performer with the Danville Municipal Band, the Danville Woodwind Quintet, and the Danville Symphony Orchestra and is a member of the Illinois Arts Council. Dan is the Coordinator of Information and Referral Services at DACC.

**Kathleen L. Spain** (Drama/Music Director) - *Black Patent Leather* marks Kathleen's 21st show with DLO. Her credits include performing, producing, choreographing, and music directing. Some of her favorite roles include Guinevere in *Camelot* (DLO), Ruth in *The Pirates of Penzance* (DLO), Beverly in *Shadow Box* (WRT), and Aldonza in *Man of La Mancha* (Sunshine II). She is currently president of DLO, president of Vermilion Festival Chorus, a Chapter I math teacher for District #118, and a free-lance calligrapher.

**Marilyn Nelson Hansgen** (Choreographer) - DLO is pleased that Marilyn could find time in her busy schedule to lend her talents to this production. The owner of Marilyn's Danceworks, she choreographed DLO's *West Side Story* and *Annie* and danced the part of Julie in the ballet sequence of DLO's *Carousel*.



## First National Bank of Danville

Member FDIC

One Towne Centre • West Main at Walnut • Fairchild at Gilbert  
Danville, IL 61832 • 217-442-0362

## RAMADA INN

Interstate 74 and Lynch Road  
(Exit 220)  
Danville, Illinois  
217/446-2400

**David M. Dillman, M.D.**  
Surgical eye doctor specializing in cataract care.

**James B. Kelley, O.D.**  
Specializing in  
contact lenses  
and eye exams.



(217) 443-2244

Participating with Medicare  
600 N. Logan, Danville, IL



## Funeral Home, Memorial Park And Crematorium

3940 N. Vermilion Telephone  
Danville, IL 61832 (217) 442-2874

## IROQUOIS FEDERAL SAVINGS and loan association



619 N. Gilbert DANVILLE, ILLINOIS 61832  
(217) 446-0184

Full Service Banking At All Locations  
Watseka • Danville  
Hoopeston • Clifton • Sheldon



Affiliate of Consumers Water Company

## Advantage Financial Group

- Stocks, Bonds, Mutual Funds
- Stock Options
- Insurance-Life, Health, Disability
- Annuities
- Certificates of Deposit
- Precious Metals and Coins
- Tax and Retirement Planning
- Limited Partnerships
- Other Exclusive Investment Opportunities



Bob Bookwalter

Towne Center Danville, IL 61832 (217) 446-2254

Security Transactions through  
Hibbard Brown & Co., Inc.  
Member NASD/SIPC

Best Wishes For  
A Successful  
Season



**Clifton,  
Gunderson & Co.**  
Certified Public Accountants & Consultants

317 N. Vermillion • Danville • 442-1643

### Buchanan's Chittick Optical Service Ltd.

- Hard & Soft Contact Lens in Colors
- Glass or Plastic
- Most Lens Within 2 Hours

MON-FRI 9 TO 5 **442-2631**  
SATURDAY 9 TO 4 159 N. Vermillion  
Danville



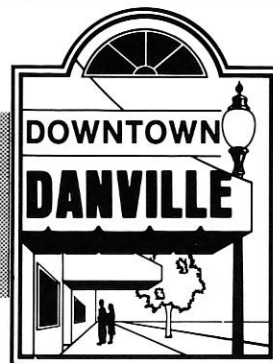
13 N. Vermillion  
Danville, Illinois 61832  
(217) 442-0510

STATE FARM



INSURANCE

MARVIN BLANTON  
15 E. Liberty Ln., Danville



**DANVILLE  
CASH AND CARRY  
LUMBER CO.**

508 W. Williams Street • P.O. Box 154  
Danville, Illinois 61834-0154 • (217) 446-6120

# Gloria's

Gifts, Floral Design  
and Wall Accessories

1013 W. Williams • Danville, IL 61832 • (217) 446-4727

Office Products  
Art & School Supplies  
Drafting Materials  
Gifts  
Craft Supplies  
Cards & Social Stationery



(217) 446-9158

M-F 9-5:30  
SAT 9-5:00

"A Danville Business Tradition"

Woodbury's, Inc. 125 N. Vermillion St., Danville, IL 61832

Compliments of



QUAKER

1703 Voorhees • Danville, IL

Compliments of

**Greene, Lowenstein  
and Hren**

446-7950

1006 N. Vermillion • Danville



34 No. Vermillion  
Danville, IL 61832  
Phone 217-446-DELI

Daily Luncheons 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Mon. - Fri.



Full-Service Catering  
New! Gourmet-to-Go  
Express Lunch

Breakfast Served 7-10 M-F

After-the-Showstopper:

**McDonalds<sup>®</sup>**

Where the munchies meet their match.

## Special Thanks

Danville Municipal Band, Holy Family Church, St. Paul's Catholic Church, Schlarman High School, Schomberg & Schomberg Construction, Inc., Danville Lutheran School, Mary Jo Hendricks, Ruth Young, J.C. Penney's Styling Salon, Carol Smith Associates, Marilyn's Danceworks, Bob Schifo Photography, Cunningham Photo, Gary Romoser Family, Bill and Mary Walthall

### DANVILLE EYE CLINIC & CATARACT CENTER

1104 N. Vermilion St.  
Danville, IL 61832  
446-EYES  
In Indiana 1-800/544-EYES

### Cunningham Photo

Exclusive Photo to  
Video Transfer Service

607 Williams • 442-4707 • Danville, Illinois



Since 1888

714 NORTH VERMILION STREET  
DANVILLE, ILLINOIS 61832



Photography  
By  
John

HIDDEN IN THE VILLAGE OF TILTON

JOHN MILEWSKI  
409 Atwood Avenue  
Tilton, Illinois 61832  
(217) 446-6928

406 N. SHERIDAN  
DANVILLE, IL 61832  
217/446-4477

*Carol Smith*  
ASSOCIATES

ADVERTISING AND PUBLIC RELATIONS



First  
Midwest  
Bank  
Danville

27 N. Vermilion 1000 E. Voorhees  
300 N. Vermilion 100 N. Gilbert

**We take time to help.**

Member First Midwest Bancorp and F.D.I.C.

**Dean Cauley** (Louie Schlang) - This is Dean's sixth DLO production and his third this season. He recently played the lead in the DHS Theatre Guild's *Macbeth Did It*. Dean is a senior at Danville High School and looks forward to attending Illinois Wesleyan University, where his major will be a thrilling "undecided."

**Beth Cunningham** (Virginia Lear) - Beth has performed on the DLO stage for two seasons. She was last seen in *Sugar Babies*, for which she was also stage manager. Beth is a teacher at Edison and Liberty schools and, in her spare time (when she can find it), enjoys reading and the outdoors.

**Max Grilly** (Mike Depki) - This is Max's first production with DLO. Hailing from Rogers Park, Chicago, he is a DJ at V-103 and is majoring in theatre at DACC. He hopes to transfer to Columbia College in Chicago to work on his concentration studies and become successful in drama and stand-up comedy.

**Sherie Hittinger** (Sister Melanie) - This is Sherie's first appearance with DLO. She has performed with Sunshine II in *The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas*--yes, as a "you know what"! Quite different from her role now as a nun. She is a financial counselor at Credithrift of America. She and her husband, Dan, have two children.

**William "Bill" Little** (Felix Lindor) - This is Bill's first role in a musical. A Student Senate representative at DACC, he is majoring in business law and plans to continue his education at either Southern Illinois University or the University of Illinois at Chicago. He enjoys jazz and basketball.

**Jan Marken** (Sister Lee) - Jan is enjoying her 12th season with DLO. She was last seen as Ginger Brooks in *The 1940's Radio Hour*. She has also performed with Red Mask and Sunshine II. Jan is employed by Teepak, Inc., and would like to thank her husband, Dave, daughter, Michele, 13, and son, Nathan, 8, for their support.

**Ann McCurdy** (Nancy Ralansky) - This is Ann's fourth year with DLO. This season she was music director for *Sugar Babies* and appeared as Connie Miller in *The 1940's Radio Hour*. Employed in the marketing department at Valmont Electric, Ann loves spending time with her little sister Pam from the Big Brothers/Big Sisters program.

**Sandy Parker** (Mary Kenny) - This could be Sandy's finale on the DLO stage, as husband Don (playing bass again) has been promoted to northern Indiana. However, for now, she's staying with her job at Big Brothers/Big Sisters and continues to keep busy with Lions Club, Altrusa, and church-related activities.

**Rebecca Majors Quetone** (Becky Bakowski) - Becky Quetone studied opera and musical theatre at both the University of Northern Iowa and the University of Oklahoma. She sang in specialty choirs in Jerusalem and Atlanta and has continued to perform on stage. She lives "back on the farm" in Ridge Farm (where she grew up) with her husband, Tucker, and five children.

**Joan Sampson** (Sister Helen) - Joan is making her first appearance with DLO in nearly 15 years. For Sunshine II, she played Dolly in *Hello, Dolly!* and sang in *Side-by-Side-by-Sondheim*. More recently she played the mother in WRT's production of *The Glass Menagerie*. Joan teaches elementary music in District #118.

**Justin Vickers** (Eddie Ryan) - Justin is doing his second DLO show. He previously played Randolph McAfee in *Bye Bye Birdie*. Justin is very enthusiastic when it comes to music but is planning on entering the field of architecture/engineering. At DHS, he has made Contemporaire and Singing Vikings for the 1989-90 school year.

**Karen Vickers** (Sister Monica Marie / Secretary) - Karen is a member of the Vermilion Festival Chorus and the Trinity Lutheran Family Choir. A national account supervisor at Teepak, Inc., Karen lives in Danville with her husband, John, and 15-year-old son, Justin, who is also a member of tonight's cast.

**Terry Walters** (Father O'Reilly) - It's been a number of years since Terry last appeared with DLO in *How to Succeed in Business*, *Camelot*, *The Pajama Game*, and *Oliver*. Children Danielle and Lee are glad he's back because they enjoy rehearsals.



*Act I - Elementary School*

ool: The Present

St. Bastion's ..... The Company

Bastion's Church ..... Sister Helen & Kids

ifth Grade ..... The Kids & the Nuns

Bastion's ..... Becky & Eddie

stion's Church ..... Sister Lee & Becky

Bastion's ..... Father O'Reilly, Eddie, Kids & Nuns

..... Nancy, Girls & Boys

..... The Company