

# Juilliard | Drama

The Beast of Hungary

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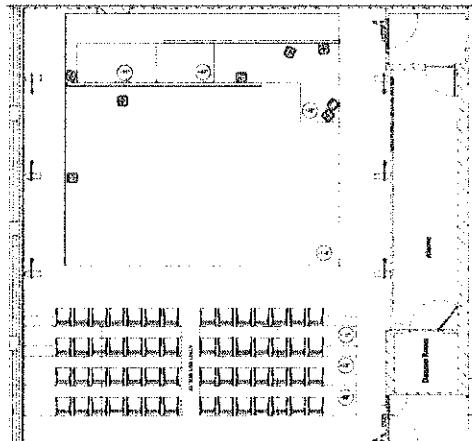
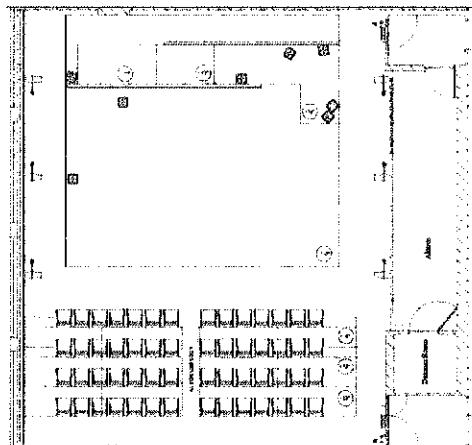
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7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. EF x DS
11. EF back up → C
12. EF L> C JC
13. EF ↑ spear, point it C JC
14. \_\_\_\_\_
15. \_\_\_\_\_
16. EF disarm spear, ↑ VL
17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_

↶- Turn	↑- Climb Up	↓- Kneel
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↓-	↑- Pick Up	
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Props: Spear (EF)

Costumes:

General:

It made the beasts lie  
tame and humble at my feet,  
fawning over me  
and comforting me in my sorrows.

I gathered my courage  
and followed the beasts to their caves,  
where they fed me the fruits of the forest.

Later, they brought me the hides of sheep, goats,  
and other animals from the village  
to make these clothes.

Then I went down the mountain 10  
to find people and ask for bread.

The shepherds ran away in fear,

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They had never seen a beast like me 11

One afternoon, I surprised a villager 12  
by the banks of the stream  
which waters this grove.

I forced him to tell me the news: 13

my husband, the king, had married my sister.

Forgive me, I can't go on. 14

My tears get in the way.

LAURO

Your eyes have good reason  
to shed those beautiful pearls  
amid such a sea of sorrows.  
But go on with your story...

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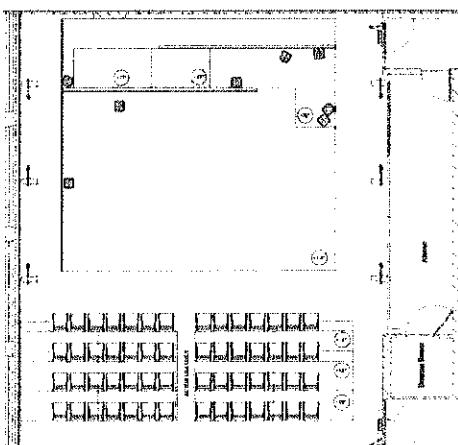
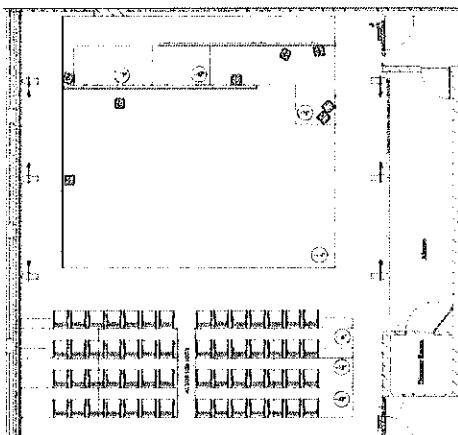
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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. EF x VR
3. JC x DL
4. JC Ex DL
5. FF C DSW, Ex SR ↓ P3
6. AB En UL w/ Harana, S1 b | + T1 1/2 T2
7. AM En L1 w/ 1/4, S1 C
8. BW En L1 w/ 1/4 (Set @ C)
9. BW x → SR, 1/2 1/2 (Set @ SR)
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. AR En L1 w/ 2/4, S1 SL P 2/4
14. AB Ex UL w/ Harana
15. AR S 2/4
16. AM x SL of 1/4
17. AM reveal 4/4, g → BW
18. BW take 4/4, place on rear
19. BW S on 4/4

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Props: Ledger & Quill (AM)  
Small Notebook (BW)  
Harana (AB)

Costumes:

General: Stool #1: Dark Brown  
Stool #2: Dark Brown (S1)  
Stool #3: Light Brown (SR)  
Stool #4: Small Stool (BW)

You follow this stream to safety,  
and I'll lead them away through the fields. 213

TEODOSIA May heaven keep you, Lauro.

LAURO Teodosia, may heaven return  
your husband to your arms,  
and your crown to your head. 4

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TEODOSIA I leave vengeance up to God  
and live in hope. No good comes to  
those who seek revenge.

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*Exit LAURO and TEODOSIA*

*Enter SELVAGIO and BARTOLO, town officials, and LLORENTE and BENITO,  
villagers*

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SELVAGIO Everyone take a seat  
so we can start the council meeting.

BARTOLO The Court has nothing on us—  
we know how to run a meeting properly  
and serve the interests of the people. 15

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SELVAGIO Llorente, take this seat

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LLORENTE I take that as an honor

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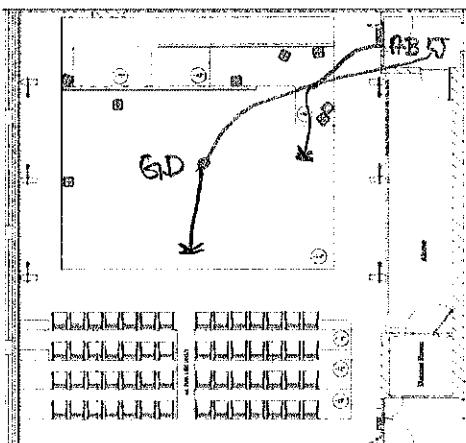
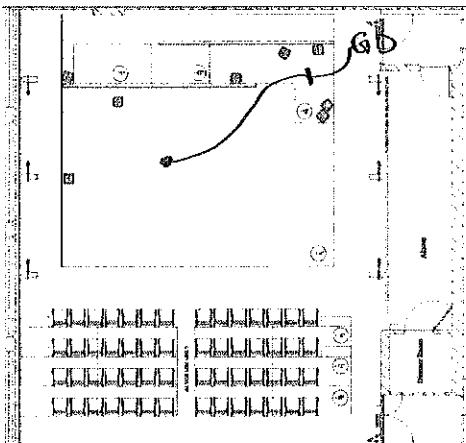
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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. GD En UL
3. GD blow horn then x SR
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. AB En UL
6. LJ En UL
7. AB x i/f P1
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. LJ x C
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_
15. LJ x DC
16. LJ (examining)
17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. LJ gesture → AB
19. \_\_\_\_\_

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Props: Bow & Arrow (GD)  
Horn (GD)  
Picnic Blanket (GD)  
Hand Fan (AB)

Costumes: GD - Huntsman

General: "Lane of willows" is C vom (eyeline)

HUNTSMAN

These sweet and pleasant airs

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will give respite to weary travelers.

The wind stirs the clear waters of a spring

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so lovely it would beguile Narcissus

framed by juniper and chestnut trees.

FAUSTINA

This whole meadow is a paradise,

7

a canvas where nature shows its artful hand.

KING

My love, Before you venture further up

9

this steep mountain, my love,

rest here in its verdant lap

and let its meadow honor your beauty.

Behold its crown of silver snow above,

melting into emerald pastures below.

Behold the shade of a thousand lofty trees,

and springs that long to mirror your beauty.

While the birds sing in unison

a sweet harmony of love,

the waters, envious of their melody,

babble their own song.

And Then the valley echoes in response.

Behold this lovely lane of willows

15

and this meadow, where every flower can be found:

16

here the lilies release their divine aroma;

there grows the hyacinth, the violet, the jasmine,

and the blood-red rose.

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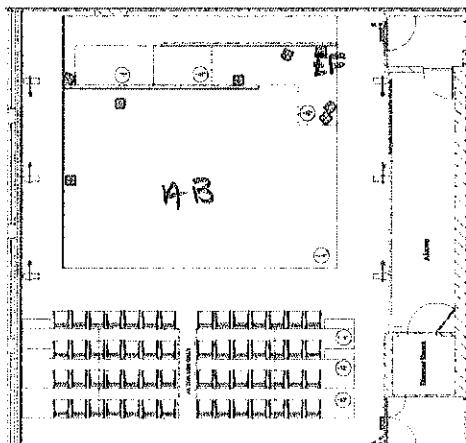
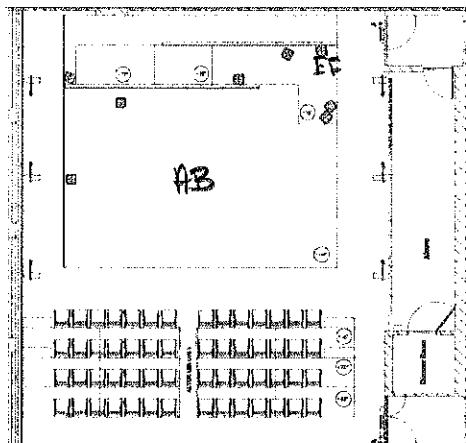
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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. AB reveal baby in dress, lift to chest
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. ABR
8. AB wrap baby in blanket
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. AB try to S, wimper & fall
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. EF lean away from T2
15. \_\_\_\_\_
16. EF S, T2, crouch on P1
17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. EF Creep toward AB
19. \_\_\_\_\_

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Props: Baby (AB) Blanket (AB)	Costumes:	General:
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—oh scourge of Hungary!—

I was struck to the heart.

Once alone, I fell into a dead faint  
on the grassy meadow.

I awoke to find

the fruit of my suffering

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amid the reeds and the cattails,

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this poor cursèd child.

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I must swaddle it as best I can, lest the  
beast come down to the water, as they  
say it often does.

\* 8

I must find my husband now,  
or the beast will take the babe

from my belly into its own

10

Yet I do not dare call out for help, since I  
fear that would attract  
that cruel monster.

TEODOSIA

(Aside) That is my enemy, my sister!

\* 14

It's Faustina! Can this be?

Heaven must have brought you here  
so I can take revenge

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Since you once denied me,  
your own flesh and blood,  
may you never enjoy the babe born unto you.

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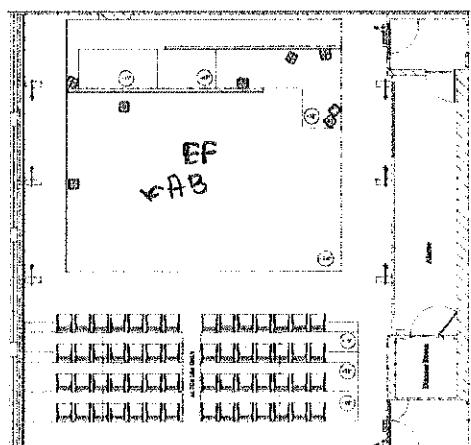
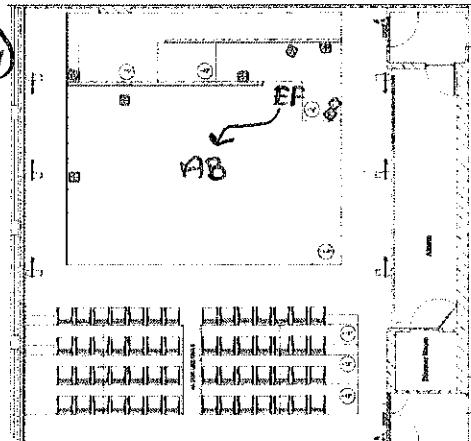
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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. EF hide face w/ hair & crouch
5. EF howl then ♂
6. EF return to crawling
7. AB L ➤ OUT
8. AB "faint" SR of C (roll away from baby)
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. EF draw dagger
14. EF hold dagger w/ both hands,  
draw over head above baby
15. \_\_\_\_\_
16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. EF lower dagger
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_

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Props: Baby (AB) Blanket (AB) Dagger w/leg sheath (EF)
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Costumes: Bloody dress (AB)
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General:
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Not in vain did Heaven bring you  
to this harsh place in which I live.

You betrayed me once,  
and now seeing your suffering  
lessens my own.

She may recognize me—

I will hide my face with my hair.

(Aloud) Behold, I am here!

FAUSTINA

Oh heavens!

This is the end!

Oh my king, my lord,  
will no one protect me?

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FAUSTINA faints

TEODOSIA

Did she faint at the sight of me,  
or has Heaven finally made her confront  
how she took my life from me,  
along with my kingdom and my honor?

A perfect opportunity for revenge,  
If they have made a beast of me,

then a fierce beast I shall be.

But no, I am a woman,  
and must be as I once was.

My only revenge,

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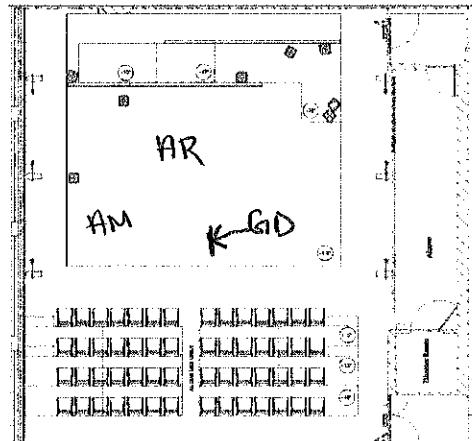
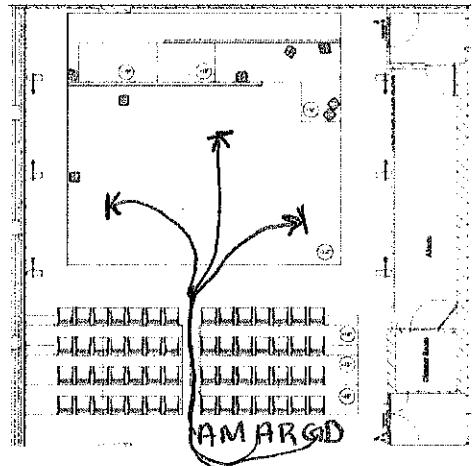
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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. AM En CVom
3. AR En CVom
4. GD En CVom
5. AM Step over PE, X → CR
6. AR Step over PE, X → UC
7. AM Land CR
8. AR Land UC
9. GD Land DL, T → L @ AM
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. GD X → C
14. \_\_\_\_\_
15. GD begin X → CVom
16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. GD St
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_

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Props: Walking sticks (3)

-AR, AM, GD

Food cloth (GD)

Costumes:

Spainards!

General:

FULGENCIO Bring the boat ashore!

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*Enter three gentlemen, PLÁCIDO, FULGENCIO, and ARFINDO, with FELIPE, a young boy, as though alighting from a boat*

ARFINDO What island is this?

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PLÁCIDO Truth be told,

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I do not know if it is an island at all.

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FULGENCIO We are so far from España in any case,  
what difference does it make?

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ARFINDO It might make a difference to know  
where we are leaving this innocent child.

FULGENCIO It makes little difference, Arfindo.

13

He will be a morsel for the beasts  
and vultures in this deserted place.

Let us leave him, then

15

and may Heaven forgive our grave sin.

ARFINDO Fulgencio, I only do as the Count commands,  
for he is my master.  
His daughter was disobedient and insolent,  
guilty of marrying her own cousin in secret.

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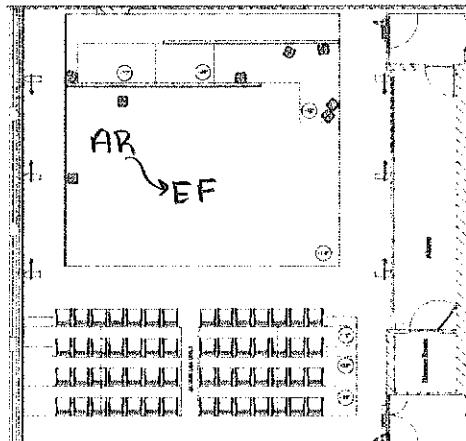
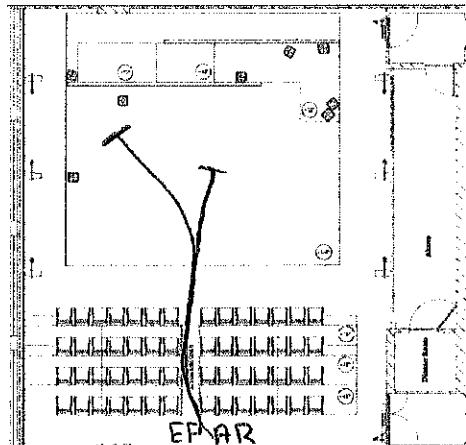
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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. EF/AR En C vom, EF pull AR by hair
3. AR roll on ground vs, L@C EF
4. EF S@C, L@AR
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. AR Lay flat
7. \_\_\_\_\_
8. AR sit ↑
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. AR walk on Knees
15. AR S
16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. AR L↑T@ sky, lay on back
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. EF L↑T@ sky

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Props: Spear (EF)	Costumes:	General:

## ACT II

Twenty years later...

TEODOSIA

Rosaura, must I always scold you  
and remind you of the dangers you'll encounter  
if you dare to leave this place?  
Can't you see that I'm trying to protect you?  
Why am I always finding you  
in such thorny situations?  
Remember —we are two animals,  
hunted by men with their hidden weapons.  
If you leave, they will take us  
as prey or kill us.  
How could you think  
it is safe to leave  
when there might be no way back?

ROSAURA

Mother, who could possibly resist  
the desire to know?  
When I was a little girl,  
I would heed your lessons,  
and understood why you warned me off.  
Now that I am older,  
my own nature rebels against their harshness,  
and I no longer wish to obey.  
Tell me what's that we see up there?

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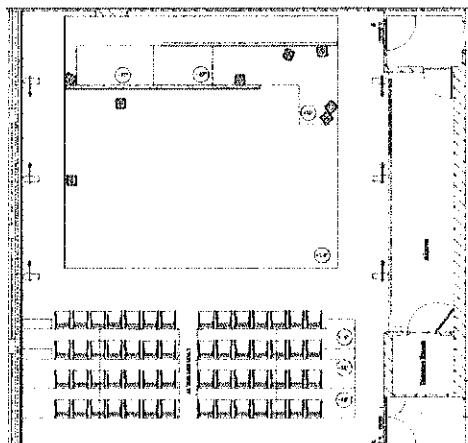
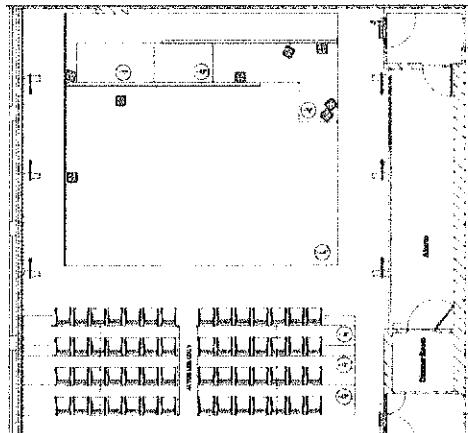
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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. LL L→@AR
3. AR Step →C, make "cross" w. fingers
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. LL Step back
6. \_\_\_\_\_
7. LL L→ out
8. \_\_\_\_\_
9. \_\_\_\_\_
10. \_\_\_\_\_
11. \_\_\_\_\_
12. LL L→@AR, unsheathe dagger
13. LL L→ out
14. LL L→@AR
15. AR make "cross" w/fingers
16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. \_\_\_\_\_
18. AR L→ out
19. \_\_\_\_\_

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Props: Dagger (LL)

Costumes:

General:

(Aloud to FELIPE) Hello, hello!

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FELIPE Who is that?

ROSAURA Behold the cross!

3

FELIPE Holy God preserve me!

5

ROSAURA Are you running away?

So you are a demon.

FELIPE (Aside) But what am I doing?

7

The very flowers will blush

to see such cowardice in me.

I will unsheathe my blade instead.

\*

(Aloud) Here I am, fierce monster!

12

(Aside) I am terrified.

13

but I'll either kill it

or die in the attempt!

14

ROSAURA Behold the cross!

15

FELIPE (Aloud) I should say the same to you.

Why are you saying this to me, you demon?

ROSAURA (Aside) An angel, then, since he stands there.

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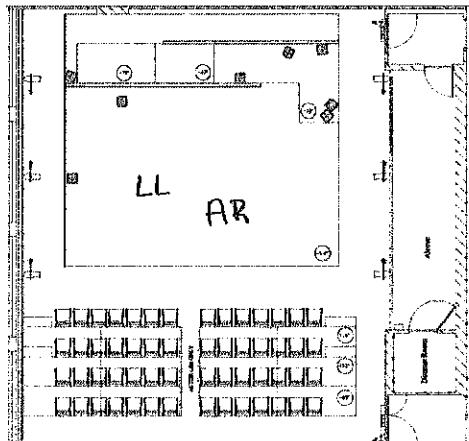
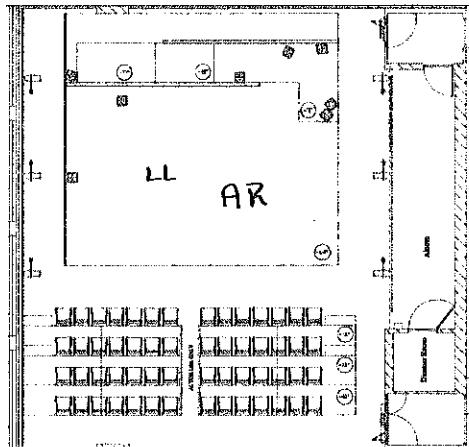
Names: AB- Anaid AM- Abbie AR- Agatha BW- Baxter EF- Empress GD-Georgie JC- Josh LJ- Lucas LL- Langston

Staging: DL/C/R- Down Left/Center/Right, UL/C/R- Up Left/Center/Right, T1 etc.- Truss 1, P1- 3 1/4" Platform, P2- 4'1"

Platform, P3- 6'5" Platform, PE- Paint Elevation, DSW- DS Wall

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. AR L→@LL
3. LL lower dagger
4. AR lower arms
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. AR L→out
7. AR L→@LL
8. LL L→out
9. LL L→CAR
10. AR L→out
11. AR L→@LL
12. LL L→out
13. \_\_\_\_\_
14. LL L→@AR
15. \_\_\_\_\_
16. \_\_\_\_\_
17. AR L→out
18. \_\_\_\_\_
19. \_\_\_\_\_

<b>C- Turn</b>	<b>↑ C- Climb Up</b>	<b>↓ k- Kneel</b>
<b>L→- Look</b>	<b>↓ C- Climb Down</b>	<b>b/t- Between</b>
<b>→- To</b>	<b>↗- Chair</b>	
<b>X- Cross</b>	<b>↖- Stool</b>	
<b>↑ S- Stand</b>	<b>S-/- Stop</b>	
<b>S- Sit</b>	<b>@- At</b>	
<b>↓ b- Behind</b>	<b>↑ P- Pick Up</b>	
<b>i/f- In Front</b>	<b>↓ P- Put Down</b>	



Props: Dagger (L)	Costumes:	General:
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FELIPE

Who are you, beautiful beast,

2

whose face stills my hand?

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Are you a demon or a woman?

4

Your rare beauty could be either.

ROSAURA

I (Aside) At least he speaks like me

6

and I can understand him.

7

FELIPE

I (Aside) If this is the horrible beast,

8

then fear has tricked us all.

Nature, in all its wisdom,

9

would never form a monster of such beauty.

ROSAURA

I (Aside) I have looked upon the sun

10

and my fire has been tempered in his beauty.

11

FELIPE

I (Aside) They call this a beast in Hungary?

12

They must be the beasts instead!

I (Aloud) You are a creature of the sky,

13

like a constellation above.

Your eyes are like stars,

o celestial creature.

ROSAURA

I (Aside) I feel something stir within me,

14

now fire, now ice, but so gently.

If he were to leave now,

losing sight of his beauty would kill me.