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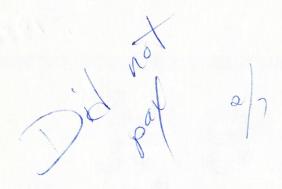
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CHARITY	JUDI EDWARDS
OSCAR	
NICKIE	
HELENE	MAUREEN GREW
CARMEN	
ROSIE	GINA MAE SIPE
HERMAN	
VITTORIO VIDAL	
URSULA	WENDY COHEN
DADDY BRUBECK	ED WALL

HOSTESSES

Ann Mitchell	Dianne Albright	Michelle Sou
Martha Levesque	Barbara Lukitsch	Liz Winters
Barbara Purnell	Caryl Salyers	

CHARACTER PARTS & CHORUS

Stephen Ciulla	Paul Cooper	Bob Santagata
Moe Coutu	Jim Freedman	Jim Stirling
Georgia Gancarz	Leith Garland	Pamela Smith
Dennis Hoare	Linnea McAllister	

SPECIALTY DANCERS

Charlene Bedell	Rose Siniscal	Cindy Hoffman
Vivian A. Highberg	Pam Eikelboom	they brough and states

VOICE

Ray Tackett

ORCHESTRA

Director Bob Edward	ds Trombo	ones Gordon Estabrook,
Woodwinds Felicia Sarte	11,	Steve Gasiorowsky
Claudia Bissett, Steve Ford	le Percuss	sion Fran Longo
Tom Crabtree, Lois Estabroo	k	Mary Gasiorowski
Trumpets Jim Matthew	s, Piano.	Ron Duvernay
Jim Flanders, David Baile	y	

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Sweet Charity is presented by the Actorsingers by arrangement with Tams-Witmark Music Library, Inc.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

JOHN GANCARZ Director

John has traveled all over the state to work in theater. He has worked in many capacities - set designer, producer, and actor. John's first appearance with Actorsingers was as Grobert in "Carnival." He returned to appear in "Pajama Game" and "Once Upon a Mattress". We're glad John is traveling to Nashua from his hometown of Manchester, to make his directing debut with our production of "Sweet Charity."



BOB EDWARDS Music Director

After his success as musical director for "Gypsy" we are delighted to have Bob with us again. He has played with many pit orchestras around the country, including those of original Broadway casts. His directing experience includes "Fiddler on the Roof", "The Music Man", "Anything Goes", and "The Boyfriend". He is currently the director of The Temple Band in his hometown, Temple, N.H. and performs with a Dixieland jazz band. He and his wife, Judi, own New England Frameworks.



ALEXANDRIA CARRAHER Choreographer

Alexandria is returning to choreograph her third show for the Actorsingers. Her own dance experience includes studying with the Boston Ballet and the American Dance Festival at Connecticut College. She has danced with the Radio City Rockettes. Her choreographic credits include "You're A Good Man Charlie Brown", "Peter Pan", "Pajama Game", and "Gypsy". Alexandria is the director of the Hudson Dance Workshop.



SHIRLEY COUTU Production Coordinator

A "behind the scenes" worker, Shirley's previous endeavors with Actorsingers include working with the backstage crew of several shows, doing the make-up for "Gypsy", "Once Upon A Mattress", "Damn Yankees", and "Here's Love". She also worked on costumes for "Carnival" and "Pajama Game". This is Shirley's first Production Coordinator assignment. It is expected that she will retire in early November!



PAUL SCHELLENBERG Stage Manager

As Stage Manager for "Sweet Charity" Paul has helped coin new Actorsingerisms that begin with "If he thinks we're gonna build that..." You fill in the blank. Paul has appeared on stage in "Gypsy" but most of his theater experience comes from working backstage. It is said he is best known for having attended the same college as New England Patriots' running back, Mark Van Eeghan.

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PRODUCTION STAFF

Production Coordinator Shirley Coutu
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Stage Wallager Faul Schellenberg
Assistant Stage Manager Kathy Valiere
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Music Director Bob Edwards
Choreographer Alexandria Carraher
Pianist Ron Duvernay
Set Design Crang Olsen
Set Construction Warren Tomasian, Rick Giguere
Set Painters George Bourbeau, Dave Vanier, Tom Scarpelli, Don Jeffrey,
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Lori Hebert, Mary Callahan, Rita Marchand, Linda Hill,
Ann Callahan, Karen Albini
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John Siegel, Mary Callahan, Ann Callahan Dianne Bonnette
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Properties Dan Pelletier, Mary Lou Tackett, Mimi Crowley
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Lighting Alan Viens, Jim Greenberg, Don Jeffrey, Karen Albini
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Costume Design & Wardrobe
Costume Committee Betty Badeau, Pauline Landrigan, Betsy Larchian,
Marge Thompson, Robin McDonald, Lois Dowd,
Raelene Liljeberg, Ann Mitchell
Hair Design Cathy Andruskevich, Stephen Keskinen, Stephen Marx Hair Salon
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IN THE SPOTLIGHT

JUDI EDWARDS Charity

Judi is appearing in her second Actorsingers show (remember her performance as Tessie Tura in "Gypsy"?) but her interest in theater began when she was eleven years old. Judi is a graduate of the Academy of Dramatic Art, an affiliate of the Royal Academy of London. She has been a professional photographic model, performed in national television commercials, and appeared in summer stock theater in Los Angeles and Detroit. She recently directed "The Boyfriend" for the Monadnock Theater Guild. Astute program readers will note that she shares a last name with Bob Edwards, music director (hint: they are married).



FRANK KAPLAN Oscar

Although this is Frank's first appearance with the Actorsingers, he is no stranger to the stage. His interest in theater began as he watched his children rehearse for and perform in plays. He decided to try his hand at acting and has performed in Andover Community Theater's productions of "A Christmas Carol," "Damn Yankees," and "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum." We're glad Frank decided to take a lesson from his children and hope that he will come back to Actorsingers for future shows.



LAYNE F. MENARD Nickie

This is Layne's first appearance with the Actorsingers. She has studied dance for fifteen years with Janet White Frazier and the Boston Ballet. While attending Adelphi University she was active in theater and dance. She has performed at the Cape Cod Melody Tent and with the Hudson Dance Workshop. Layne is currently employed at a local well-known restaurant.



MAUREEN GREW Helene

"Sweet Charity" is Maureen's Actorsingers debut. In fact, this is her first real stage appearance since her college days when she worked with "The Footlighters" at Salem State College. (The performing she does each day as a first grade teacher doesn't count!) She has had 13+ years of dance training, beginning at a very early age, of course.



Wendy Cohen Ursula Michael Homolo Vittorio Vidal



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Ed Wall				Daddy	Brubeck
Maggie Schellen	be	r	3		Carmen

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SYNOPSIS OF SCENES and MUSICAL NUMBERS **ACT ONE**

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Overture .	Orchestra
Scene 1:	The Park by the Lake "You Should See Yourself"
Scene 2:	Hostess Room of the Fan-Dango Ballroom
Scene 3:	Fan-Dango Ballroom "Big Spender" Nickie, Helene and girls "Charity's Soliloquy" Charity
Scene 4:	New York Street and Canopy in Front of the Pompeii Club
Scene 5:	Interior of the Pompeii Club "Rich Man's Frug"
	"If My Friends Could See Me Now"
Scene 6:	Vittorio Vidal's Apartment "Ciao Baby"
Scene 7:	The Hostess Room "There's Gotta Be Something Better Than This"
Scene 8:	The 92nd Street "Y" Information Booth and Elevator "Bravest Individual" Oscar and Charity

There will be a fifteen minute intermission

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ACT TWO

Overture Orchestra				
Scene	1:	The 92nd Street "Y" Elevator		
Scene	2:	Rhythm of Life Church "Rhythm of Life" Daddy Brubeck, two assistants & Chorus "Rhythm of Life Sermon"		
Scene	3:	Going Crosstown		
Scene	4:	Charity's Apartment "Baby Dream Your Dream"		
Scene	5:	Coney Island "Sweet Charity" Oscar and Chorus		
Scene	6:	Fan-Dango Ballroom "Reprise - Big Spender" Helene and girls		
Scene	7:	Times Square "Where Am I Going" Charity		
Scene	8:	Barney's Chile Hacienda		
Scene	9:	"I'm a Brass Band" "I'm a Brass Band" Charity and men		
Scene 1	10:	Fan-Dango Ballroom "I Love to Cry at Weddings"		
Scene 1	11:	The Park "Finale" Orchestra "See Me Now" Full Company		



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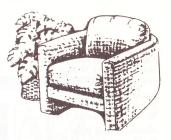


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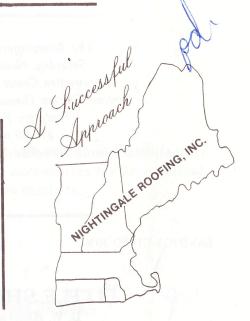
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