John Proctor is the Villain

By Kimberly Bellflower

Directed by Mya Brown

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Director's Note

John Proctor is the Villain is one of my favorite plays. Kimberly Belflower's examination of Arthur Miller's The Crucible through the eyes of contemporary teenage minds makes for thought-provoking and entertaining theatre. What a ride this process has been! I am honored to share creative space with the wonderful humans that collaborated with me to realize the fullness of this riotous and essential piece of American art. Like the playwright, I was taught to revere John Proctor. Mr. Smith calls him "one of the greatest heroes of the American Theatre." But is he? You, the audience, must consider whether John Proctor was driven by genuine remorse and a desire for redemption, or if he was motivated by self-preservation. Our playwright has provided the parallel story of Mr. Carter Smith as a conduit for your interrogation of the original play. Our Abigail Williams, Shelby Holcomb, has faced the "slings and arrows of outrageous fortune." She must overcome the impacts of societal norms and public pressures that label her as crazy and antagonistic to reveal the true villain of our story. With the help of her friends, she might conquer the world, or at least this "one-stoplight town in Georgia." Enjoy and please discuss as you exit the theatre. Bravo to the cast and the entire production team. You are in for a treat! ~ Mya Brown

CAST

Carter Smith	Hunter McCoy
Mason	Logan Salas
Lee	Daniel McCollum
Shelby	Liana Morales
Beth	Cameron Flurry
Nell	Chelsea Rose
lvy	Julia Ott
Raelynn	Emma Kaczorowski
Bailey Gallagher	Kassandra Rubio

PRODUCTION TEAM

Director	Mya Brown
Production Stage Manager	Emma Carr
Intimacy Choreographer	
Lighting Designers	Jade Caric and Noah Welby
Board Op and Programmer	Jade Caric
Sound Designer/Engineer	Jared Bowman
Patrons Rep Production ElectricianEmma Perch and Isabel Egbert	
Patrons Rep Electricians	Jami Duncan, Max Humphrey,
Makaylah Scobee, Harrison Reid, Chris Mendell, Sara-Grace	
Walker, KD Borden, Sienn	a Bacon, Arthur Adcock-Vidouria
Production Coordinator	Chase Whitehurst

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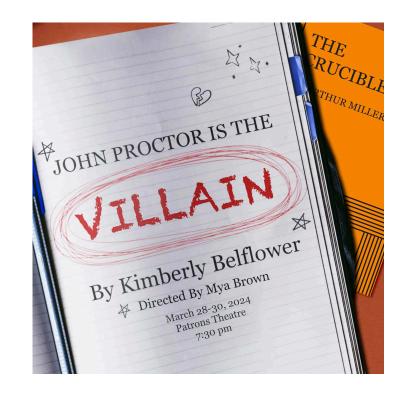
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