LYSISTRATA A COMEDY OF SEXUAL POLITICS

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LYSISTRATA

Setting: Athens, Greece Time: The Distant Future

There will be one 15 minute intermission.

Please Note: This productions contains adult content including graphic language and nudity.

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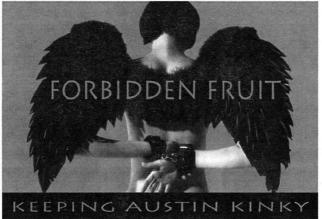


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Director's Notes -

In Ancient Greece, sex was a cornerstone of society. Prostitution was deemed necessary. Men would often take many lovers, both male and female. Women were only educated enough to manage household expenses. The image of the male phallus was worshipped as a symbol of fertility. Orgies and public sex was commonplace.

This world of unbridled sexuality and sexism may seem shocking to us. However, if we look around us, it seems believable that we are already headed in that direction. Sex is everywhere in our society. From the pages of magazines, to the screens at your multiplex, and even in the political scandals on your nightly news. Advertisements rely heavily on sexual content to sell everything from bikinis to soft drinks. So I think its only a matter of time before history repeats itself once again.

I feel that it is not the amount of sexual content that is the problem. I believe the problem is that our society exploits sexuality instead of respecting it. Is it possible that the oversaturation of sex in the media could lead to a society where sex is our number one concern? Could sex eventually determine the outcome of war? What effect does the media's portrayl of sexuality have on us? These are all questions that I attempt to address in this production.

I sincerely hope that you enjoy this production. I hope you laugh, but I also hope that you will think about the state of sex in our society. This production has been a labor of love for all of us involved and we are very excited to share it with you.

-Michael Floyd, Director

Director: Michael Floyd Stage Manager: Kris Newby

Assistant Stage Manager: Lindsey Schroeder

Scene Designer: Kris Newby

Light Designer: Ray Oppenheimer

Costume Designer: Sally Martin Hair/Make-up Designer: Hailey Trifiro

Voice Over: Brandi Dillon

Lysistrata: Hannah Gourgey

Cleonice: Jenny Lavery Myrrhine: Aja McMillan

Lampito: Gail Hebert

Magistrate: Andrew Black

Cinesias: Donovan McCallum

Neodice: Laura Toporcer

Stratyllis: Elexia Lowe

Strymodorus: Ronis Alvarenga

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