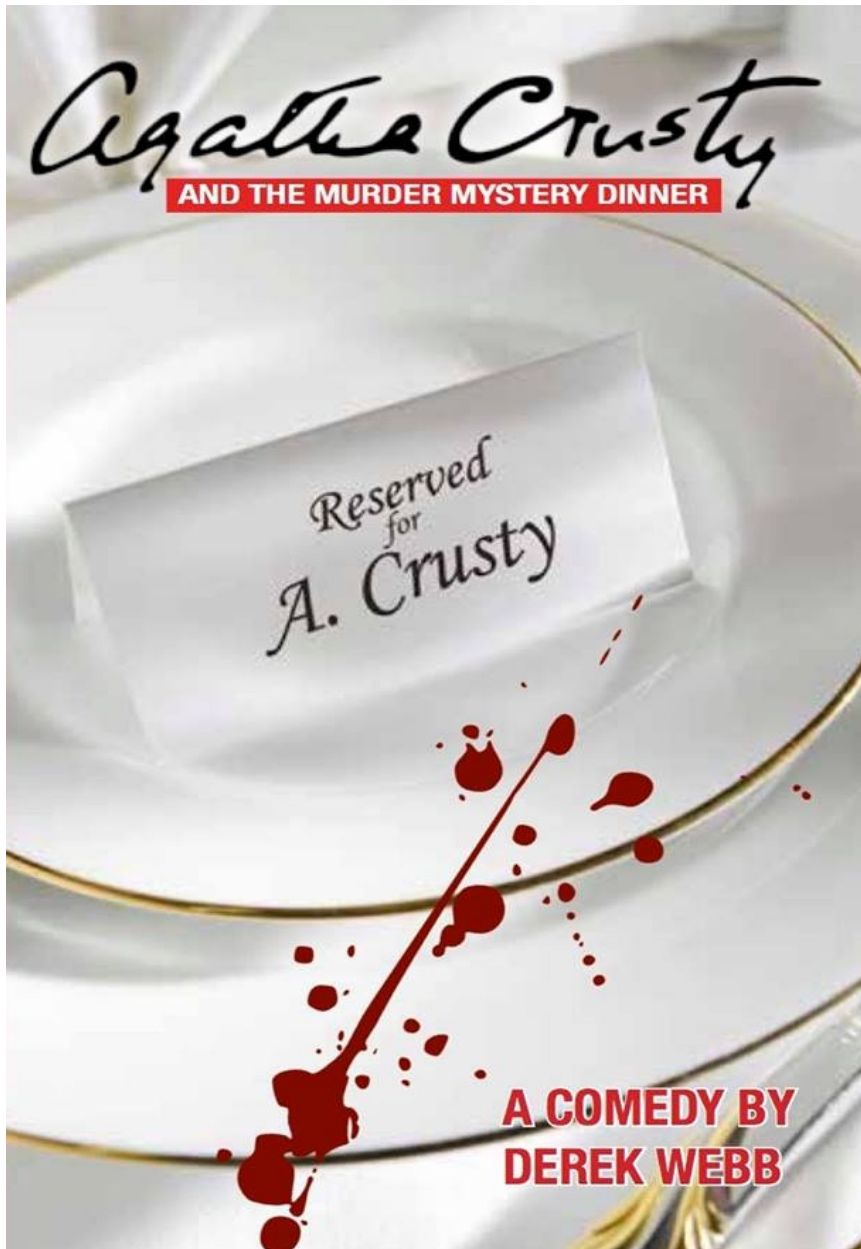


Santa Clara Players



October 23 - November 14, 2015

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Director Sara Doeltz
Stage Manager Sara Doeltz
Set Design George Doeltz
Lighting Design George Doeltz
Costumes Amy Conners
Set Construction and Decoration George Doeltz, Craig Leventon
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Technical Operator Sara Doeltz
Photography Steve Stubbs
Box Office George Doeltz
Opening Night Reception Debbie Doeltz, SCP Board

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Cast of Characters

Geoffrey Steve Corelis
Caroline Marian Narveson
Nigel. Bob Siegmann
Nicola. Sarah Kishler
Tim. Stephen Moore
Anna. Julie Masterson
Martin. Ian Douglas
Lydia Sarah Liz Amoroso
Duncan. Tom Dragt
Tanya Dolores Medeiros
Agatha Crusty. Helena G. Clarkson

The action of the play takes place in an old Victorian house on the
moor

There will be one fifteen minute intermission. During the intermission
you are invited to the lobby for refreshments as the guest of the Santa
Clara Players. If you must smoke, please do so off the wooden deck.

About the Players

The *Santa Clara Players* is a non-profit community theater group
dedicated to wholesome entertainment. We provide an opportunity for
anyone with dramatic or stagecraft aspirations to work with experienced
directors and producers. We provide high quality, family theater for the
enjoyment of the citizens of Santa Clara and the surrounding areas.

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www.scplayers.org and click the link on the home page to sign up.
For snail mail there is a form in the lobby.

The Cast

Helena G. Clarkson (Agatha Crusty) - Helena has been
performing all over the Bay Area for years and was recently seen as
Trudy in *Social Security* at Broadway West in Fremont. This past
year she performed in *The Libation Bearers* at the Dragon in
Redwood City, as Mrs. Dafner for RTE in their World Premier
production of *Perishable, Keep Refrigerated*, and in *Pygmalion* at
The Pear in Mountain View, in addition to doing two staged
readings at City Lights in San Jose. She was seen here at Santa
Clara Players as the title role in *Agatha Crusty and the Village Hall
Murders*, and as Sandy in *4 Weddings and an Elvis* and, most
recently in *You Can't Get There From Here*. Helena received a BA
from Santa Clara University in 2007 (with a double major in Theater
and English), after she completed two AA's at Foothill College
(Theater Arts and Human Performance). Helena would like to thank
her son for supporting her every endeavor and everyone here for
supporting live theater!!

Stephen Moore (Tim) - They say the third time's the charm. This
is the third character for Stephen at Santa Clara Players. The other
two being in same play: *Arsenic and Old Lace*. He has very much
benefitted from that experience, and takes pleasure in the being with
all the talented people here at Santa Clara Players, especially all the
people associated with tonight's presentation. Hope you enjoy His
performance, and that you laugh at him a bit tonight.

Tom Dragt (Duncan) - This production marks Tom's return to
Santa Clara Players. He was last seen here in *The Drunkard* in 2012.
He had not been active on the stage since then and missed it terribly.
If one were to get up early of a Monday morning and tune their
radio to 91.5 KKUP, the first three Mondays of the month from
6AM to 9AM, they could hear his radio show, *There's No Biz Like
Show Biz*. Tom is also a full time massage therapist and a part time
fool. Believe it or not he is a classically trained actor who attended
Pacific Conservatory of Performing Arts in Santa Maria. He has also

co-written two melodramas and wrote many comedy sketches for a short-lived local TV show.

Dolores Medeiros (Tanya) - Dolores has performed with the Santa Clara Players in several productions, most recently as Mrs Chumley in *Harvey*. She has also performed at the original Opry House and the Gaslighter Theater in their melodramas and vaudeville shows as well as various musical productions with the Sunnyvale Community Players, most recently in *Grand Hotel*. She has also served as a volunteer host and performer in the *Sgt. Pepper Review* to promote United Way contributions. Dolores describes herself as passionate about performing and is convinced she will be on stage at the ripe old age of 100. She is dedicating this show, once again, to her beloved daughter, Emily.

Ian Douglas (Martin) - is making his fourth appearance with Santa Clara Players after performing in all three shows last season. Ian saw the original *Agatha Crusty and the Village Hall Murders* two seasons ago and found it so hilarious that he just had to audition for the sequel. In addition to Santa Clara Players Ian often performs with Sunnyvale Community Players, West Valley Light Opera and Actors Theatre Center among other groups. When he's not on stage he can often be found working on his cast album collection, rollerskating and trying to win the lottery. Enjoy the show!

Sarah Liz Amoroso (Lydia) - Sarah Liz Amoroso is delighted to be making her debut with the Santa Clara Players. She was last seen performing in *Spamalot* at Theatre in the Mountains and prior to that, appeared in Notre Dame High School's productions of *Carnival*, *Once On This Island*, and *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*. By day, she works full time as a Registered Nurse. She would like to thank her family and friends that came out to support her, the talented cast she shared the stage with, and SCP for the opportunity and for giving her permission to be "decidedly horsey and opinionated."

Marian Narveson (Caroline) - Marian is happy to be back on the stage in another Agatha Crusty production. Over the years she has appeared in many roles, most recently *Bull in a China Shop*, *Nana's Naughty Knickers*, *Arsenic and Old Lace*, and *Agatha Crusty and the Village Hall Murders*. When not working on a production, Marian enjoys sewing, singing with The Goldentones, working in the yard and being with the family. Hope you enjoy the show!

Steve Corelis (Geoffrey) - Steve is delighted to again be invited to perform with the Santa Clara Players and a wonderful cast of old and new friends. The most important update since the last play is the arrival of his ninth grandchild, Charles STEVEN Bowdish! And the kids just keep comin'! He sincerely hopes you enjoy tonight's performance and thank you for joining us!

Bob Siegmann (Nigel) - Robert Dunsmuir Smythe-Pitcairn Siegmann has used a British accent in many plays with the Santa Clara Players. As Bernard Kersal in *The Constant Wife*, as Bobby in *Run For Your Wife*, as Joseph in *My Three Angels*, and last year, as Canon Chasuble in *The Importance of Being Earnest*. Although Mr Smythe-Pitcairn Siegmann has done many roles with a strange non-British accent (such as The Boy in *The Death And Life of Larry Benson* and Walter Franz in *The Price*), rumor has it that he will be elevated to Knighthood in the next Queen's honour's list. God save the Queen. Really.

Sarah Kishler (Nicola) - Sarah was last seen on the Santa Clara Players stage as Maisie in *Agatha Crusty and The Village Hall Murders*. She is happy to be back for another Agatha Crusty adventure, but this time as a thoroughly different character. Sarah also loves her day job a librarian for San Jose Public Library, where the 22 branches are all open six days a week now (and the main library seven), and amazing things are always happening.

Julie Masterson (Anna) - Julie is excited to be in her fourth production at Santa Clara Players where she also played Clelia in *The Nerd*, Eleanor in *Second Time Around* and Miss Prism in *The Importance of Being Earnest*. Julie has performed in many productions with theatre companies all over the Bay Area. Some

of Julie's favorite roles were Mrs Modesto in *Mrs California* with City Lights, Mama in *I Remember Mama* with Los Gatos Theatre Project and Carmen in *Curtains* with South Valley Civic Theatre. Julie also performs in short independent films, including *American Grass* as Frieda Fescue, which was featured in the season finale of Video I on PBS. She also works in professional voiceovers and infomercials. Julie is very thankful for her husband, Michael, and his support for her acting.

Amy Conners (Costumer) - Amy has enjoyed working with SCP since her first show here, *The Heidi Chronicles*. Since then, she has been lucky enough to be involved either on stage or costuming various shows. Amy graduated from San Jose State with a BA in Theater Arts. She has been involved in the Bay Area theater and television scene as an actor, producer, costumer and director.

Sara Doeltz (Director) - Sara is excited to be making her directorial debut with Santa Clara Players. She has been stage manager for the Players since 2013, and was previously seen onstage at the Players in gems like *Nana's Naughty Knickers* and *The Drunkard*, amongst others. In April 2015 Sara was stage manager for the world-premier production of Ana-Catrina Buchser's *The Star Without a Name* at Dragon Theatre in Redwood City. A graduate of Santa Clara University, Sara received her Bachelor's degree in Theatre Arts in 2004. Sara would like to thank every member of the cast and crew of *Agatha Crusty and the Murder Mystery Dinner* for their incredible patience, hard work, and flexibility through all the ups and downs of this whirlwind production.

A Christmas Gift to the Community:

The Christmas Mouse

by Michael Antonucci - based on the music of Linda Arnold
Dec. 5 (3PM and 7PM), 6 (3PM), 12(3PM and 7PM), 13(3PM)
This production is offered free to the community,
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