

Rocket Man

by Steven Dietz

Directed by Dr. Dawn Larsen

Cast in order of appearance

Donny.....Miller Edgeworth
Buck.....Chris Steele
Trisha.....Aaliyah Broadus
Rita.....Joy Price
Louise.....Shari Tingle

TIME: The present. And another one.

PLACE: The attic of an American home.

There will be one 10 minute intermission

Some of the strange music you hear throughout this play, especially in Act II, is a collection of the actual sounds of the planet, Jupiter, recorded by the Voyager spacecraft as it flew by.

The World Premiere of Rocket Man
was produced by Arizona Theatre Company,
Tuscon/Phoenix, Arizona
David Ira Goldstein, Artistic Director
Jessica L. Andrews, Managing Director

DIRECTOR.....L. Dawn Larsen
SCENIC DESIGN.....Jared P. Cole
COSTUME DESIGN.....Allison M. Steadman
LIGHTING DESIGN.....Jared P. Cole
SOUND DESIGN.....Arielle Thompson
LOBBY DISPLAY.....Emily Bochette
TECHNICAL DIRECTOR.....Jarod P. Cole
ASSISTANT TECHNICAL DIRECTOR.....Lydia Pippin
STAGE MANAGER.....Dani Isgett
ASSISTANT STAGE MANAGER.....Lorna Young
PAINT CHARGE.....Shari Tingle
SET CREW.....Lorna Young, Ilia K. Campbell, Harley Davis,
Alvin Jordan, Lydia Pippin
COSTUME SHOP FOREMAN.....Allison M. Steadman
FIRST HAND.....Jordan Watson
STITCHER.....Wesley Ellis
HAIR AND MAKEUP.....Jordan Watson, Wesley Ellis
WARDROBE.....Wesley Ellis
PROPERTY MASTER.....Ilia K. Campbell
SET DRESSERS.....Dani Isgett, Ilia K. Campbell
LIGHTING OPERATOR.....Ashlei Jones
SOUND ENGINEER.....Arielle Thompson
POSTER ART.....Margaret McCall
STUDENT ASSISTANTS.....Ilia K. Campbell, Sabrina Gilbertson
Lorna Young, Arielle Thompson, Shari Tingle
STAGECRAFT LAB STUDENTS.....Harley Davis, Rachael Dubose

Director's Statement: As we age, most of us begin to reassess the choices we have made in our lives. I think that is why I was drawn to this play. I believe it teaches us to do what we love before it is too late. This piece plays with the notion that there may be parallel universes, but would life be any better in such a place? What if it is worse? What if THIS is our only shot?

Francis Marion University Theatre presents

Theatre Staff

Chair, Fine Arts & Professor of Theatre.....D. K. Best
Professor of Theatre.....A.G. Gourley
Associate Professor of Theatre.....L. D. Larsen
Associate Professor of Costume Design.....A. M. Steadman
Assistant Professor of Scenic Design.....J. P. Cole

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