

Otterbein University

Digital Commons @ Otterbein

1979 Summer Theatre

Productions 1971-1980

6-19-1979

Cactus Flower

Otterbein University Theatre and Dance Department

Follow this and additional works at: https://digitalcommons.otterbein.edu/summer_production_1979



Part of the [Acting Commons](#), [Dance Commons](#), and the [Theatre History Commons](#)

Recommended Citation

Otterbein University Theatre and Dance Department, "Cactus Flower" (1979). *1979 Summer Theatre*. 5. https://digitalcommons.otterbein.edu/summer_production_1979/5

This Book is brought to you for free and open access by the Productions 1971-1980 at Digital Commons @ Otterbein. It has been accepted for inclusion in 1979 Summer Theatre by an authorized administrator of Digital Commons @ Otterbein. For more information, please contact digitalcommons07@otterbein.edu.



OTTERBEIN
SUMMER
THEATRE

presents

312th Production (61st Summer Theatre)

CACTUS FLOWER

by Abe Burrows

JUNE 19-20-21-22-23, 1979

Director – FRED THAYER
Designer/Technical Director – D. SCOTT DILLON
Costume Designer – KATHLEEN LEWICKI
Managing Director – CARTER LEWIS
Producer – CHARLES W. DODRILL

Presented through special arrangement with Samuel French, N.Y., N.Y. 10036



Westerville Realty, Incorporated

"The Complete Real Estate Service"

16 E. COLLEGE
WESTERVILLE, OHIO

Phone 882-3641

DIRECTORS

FRED THAYER, designer-technical director at Otterbein since 1960, was graduated from Bowling Green State University with an M.A. in Theatre. Directing and designing numerous productions locally, he has studied in New York with Jo Mielziner and Lester Polakov, frequently working as technical consultant. Recent directing accomplishments include the highly acclaimed productions of *Our Town* and *Two by Two* at Sabina Summer Theatre (Mr. Thayer, Founder and Manager) and the OST production of *Bus Stop* in 1976.

SCOTT DILLON, an Otterbein senior, recently designed scenery for Otterbein's productions of *Vanities* and *The Christmas Carol*. He returns to Otterbein Summer Theatre after spending a successful season with the Lancaster Summer Theatre where he served as Designer and Technical Director. Scott will work in the multiple capacity of Designer-Master Carpenter and Actor.

KATHLEEN LEWICKI has just completed her first year at Otterbein as an instructor in technical theatre and designer for various productions. This past year Kate designed costumes for *Hedda Gabler* and *Brigadoon*, and scenery for *The Merchant of Venice* and *How the Other Half Loves*. She comes to Otterbein from her training at Carnegie-Mellon where she received an M.F.A. in Theatrical Production.

ED VAUGHAN graduated from Otterbein in 1971 and is currently living in Columbus with his wife Linda Sheppard Vaughan (Otterbein '72) and their two children William Michael (3½ yrs.) and Emily Marie (3½ wks.). In 1973 Ed earned his Master's degree in Directing from the University of Conn., where he played numerous roles including John Hancock in 1776, Harry Brock in *Born Yesterday* and Kent in *King Lear* (starring Arnold Moss). He spent two years as General Manager for Beef and Boards Dinner Theatre, where he had previously filled various positions as Stage Manager, Actor and Advance Director for over 40 productions, working with such professionals as Joseph Cotton, Joan Fontaine, and Robert Morse. Independently Ed established the Little Peoples Fantasy Theatre, serving in the dual capacity of Founder and Producer.



"RECOMMENDED BY REPUTATION"

BUZZ COCKERELL'S Westerville Restaurant

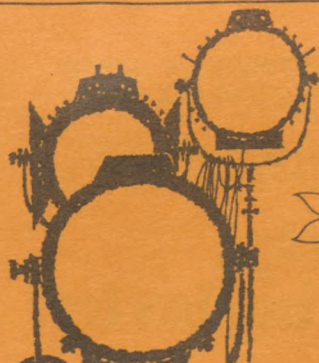
ONE N. STATE ST. - WESTERVILLE, OHIO

- 882-9932 -

- * Breakfast
- * Lunch
- * Complete Dinner Menu
- * Children's Portions

- PERSONALIZED CATERING
- AMERICAN-ITALIAN FOODS
- PARTY OR MEETING ROOM





THERE'S NO BUSINESS LIKE "SHOW BUSINESS"

(and Buckeye Federal Savings)

for a friendly, helpful cast. Why not get
"better acquainted" with Buckeye tomorrow?



BUCKEYE FEDERAL SAVINGS *and loan association*

INSURED SAVINGS

1 SOUTH STATE STREET - WESTERVILLE

Downtown Office: 36 E. Gay St.

18 Convenient Locations



Arrange for your 24 hour AnytimeBank[®]
convenience at any BancOhio office.



BancOhio

National Bank

© 1978 BancOhio Corporation

AnytimeBank is a registered service mark
of BancOhio Corporation

Member FDIC



R.C. PIZZA

Sun.-Thurs.
4:30-12:00

Fri. & Sat.
4:30-1:00

WESTERVILLE
882-7710

MINERVA PARK
882-5144

INSURANCE AGENCY
BLENDON REALTY

882-2335
ELLIOTT-COOPER-BARR
882-2336

39 N. State St.
Westerville, Ohio

NOW TWO CONVENIENT BANKING LOCATIONS

WESTERVILLE NORTH
17 NORTH STATE ST.

WESTERVILLE SOUTH
77 HUBER VILLAGE BLVD.

CNB Who else helps
make banking better.
CITY NATIONAL BANK & TRUST COMPANY

Lou McGuire
WESTERVILLE, OHIO

FORD

**399 S. STATE ST., WESTERVILLE
PHONE 882-2326**

**OLE BARN
FLOWERS**

34 West Main Street
Westerville, Ohio 43081
(614) 882-0606

**SMALL
FRY**
BOUTIQUE

14 N. State Street
Westerville, Ohio
In the Alley Shoppes
882-5303

**Distinctive Children's Clothes
Infant - Size 12**

PATRONS

MR. & MRS. F. S. BAILEY, Westerville
 DR. & MRS. HERBERT E. BEAN, Columbus
 CARL & CAROL BOEHM, Westerville
 MR. & MRS. ERNEST CADY, Columbus
 DR. & MRS. C. F. CLARK, Lancaster
 DRS. DAVID & EDIE COLE, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. W. E. COLE, Galena
 RICHARD & HELENE COOK, Westerville
 DEBORAH A. COYLE, Columbus
 MARILYN DAY, Westerville
 DR. ROGER & DOROTHY DEIBEL, Westerville
 DAVE & RITA DICKSON
 MR. & MRS. MICHAEL J. DUFFY, Westerville
 MRS. MARCUS EIMAS, Westerville
 D. W. ELLIOT, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. ROBERT W. ELLIOT, Westerville
 ERNIE & PAT ERNSBERGER, Westerville
 MR. & MRS. HAROLD F. FAGERBERG, Columbus
 LLOYD & TWYLLA FISHER, Columbus
 HOWARD & ELLEN FOSTER, Westerville
 DR. & MRS. WILLIAM FREEMAN, Westerville
 MRS. CLEORA C. FULLER, Westerville
 DR. & MRS. FRANCIS W. GALLAGHER, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. H. FLOYD GIBSON, Westerville
 DR. & MRS. JAMES GRISSINGER, Westerville
 DR. & MRS. HENRY M. GROTTA, Delaware
 DR. & MRS. DAVID C. GUNDLACH, Westerville
 PAUL & JANET HAMMOCK, Columbus
 ELLIOT & RUTH HODGDON, Westerville
 DAVID HOODIN, Westerville
 MR. & MRS. DONALD H. HORTON, Columbus
 JOHN & STEPHANIE HUMMEL, Columbus
 RICHARD & SANDRA JORDAN, Westerville
 ANN M. KLARE, Worthington
 ROBERT & BARBARA LAIRD, Westerville
 ROBERT & HELEN LANTZ, Mount Vernon
 DR. & MRS. MILTON A. LESSLER, Columbus

ROBERT D. LORTZ, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. DAVE MAURER, Springfield
 MR. & MRS. R. FRED McLAUGHLIN, Worthington
 MR. & MRS. C. O. MONTGOMERY, Columbus
 DONALD & ANN MOODY, Columbus
 JACK & PEGGY MORELAND, Westerville
 ALAN E. & NANCY J. NORRIS, Westerville
 MR. & MRS. JAMES D. PICKENS, Gahanna
 CHARLES T. PISOR, Westerville
 CRAIG & MARGARET PLESSINGER, Westerville
 GARY & LINDA PRICE, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. KENNETH N. PROBASCO, Worthington
 LT. COL. & MRS. ROBERT RADCLIFFE, Columbus
 RALPHOTO STUDIO, Westerville
 JOHN J. REILLY, Lancaster
 MR. & MRS. JOHN S. RICHARDS, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. GERALD F. RIDDLE, Worthington
 MR. & MRS. CHARLES J. RIGGLE, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. RICHARD D. RINEHART, Delaware
 MR. & MRS. JOHN N. SCHILLING, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. GLEN C. SHAFFER, Westerville
 DON & CAROL SHOEMAKER, New Albany
 MRS. RALPH E. SKINNER, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. WILLIAM A. SPOONER, Columbus
 MR. & MRS. L. WILLIAM STECK, Westerville
 THOMAS O. TARGETT, Westerville
 DR. & MRS. ROBERT TAYLOR, Westerville
 MIKE & JANICE TOWNSLEY, Westerville
 ROGER & ELIZABETH TRACY, Westerville
 MR. & MRS. HORACE W. TROOP, Westerville
 MR. & MRS. WAID VANCE, Westerville
 JOANNE VAN SANT, Westerville
 DOROTHY VAN SANT, Westerville
 VIRGINIA H. WEASTON, Westerville
 MR. & MRS. JOHN F. WELLS, Westerville
 MR. & MRS. SAMUEL B. WOLFE, Nelsonville

The staff and students of the Otterbein Summer Theatre extend grateful appreciation to the above PATRONS for their support. All of the above have contributed \$10 to \$25 to help pay a small monetary stipend to company members. Without this valuable support we could not exist because box office funds are not sufficient to meet needs. Thus, PATRON support is an absolute necessity! Others desiring to contribute may do so at the box office. We still need an additional \$500 to support the present company.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

ROUSH HARDWARD
 HOWARD'S OFFICE SUPPLY
 POTTERY PLACE
 OHIO BELL
 WHITE'S FURNITURE

RECORD LAND
 LERNER SHOPS
 MADISON'S
 O. P. GALLO
 CORT FURNITURE RENTAL

ROBERT R. TAYLOR, D.D.S.
 TERENCE DAY, D.D.S.
 GARY REICH, D.D.S.
 BUSINESS MACHINE EQUIPMENT CENTER
 OTTERBEIN COLLEGE THRIFT SHOP

John Evans

Since 1935

APPLIANCES - TELEVISION
 CARPET

359 S. State St.

882-2381

THE CELLAR LUMBER COMPANY

137 EAST COLLEGE AVENUE
 WESTERVILLE, OHIO 43081

882-2323

We're
never
satisfied
until you
are



**Huntington
Banks**

Westerville Interiors

FINE FURNITURE - CARPETING
DRAPERIES - WALL COVERING

38 N. State Westerville
891-1665

SCHNEIDER'S BAKERY

Donuts, Cakes, Cookies,
Bread, Rolls, Pastries

6 SOUTH STATE STREET
WESTERVILLE
882-6611

*We are pleased to announce the opening of our new office,
minutes from your home or office, to serve you better!!*

Hours: 9-6 Mon.-Fri.

Division of Arlington Travel Service

**Westerville
Travel**
6817 Flagg Center Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43229
890-7500



*Call or visit us for the latest word on airfares, airline TICKETS, cruises, resorts
and all your travel needs. It's a pleasure to serve you.*

BEAVER SHOES

FEATURING QUALITY SHOES



Florsheim for men
Naturalizer for women
Buster Brown for children

WESTERVILLE SHOPPING CENTER

Compliments of
**MORELAND
FUNERAL HOME**

882-2197

CAST

Toni Simmons	KELLY MAURER
Igor Sullivan	KEN MARKS
Stephanie Dickinson	KAREN RADCLIFFE
Mrs. Dixon Durant	LINDA BRACILANO
Dr. Julian Winston	ED VAUGHAN
Harvey Greenfield	KENT BLOCHER
Senor Sanchez	JOHN EBNER
Customer	RICH TATGENHORST
Waiter-Music Lover	JIM SCHILLING
Boticelli's Springtime	CINDY KACZMAREK

SYNOPSIS

The action of the play takes place in 15 scenes scattered around uptown and downtown Manhattan.

ACT I

Scene 1: Toni's Apartment	Scene 5: The L.P. Record Shop
Scene 2: Dr. Julian Winston's Office	Scene 6: Toni's Apartment
Scene 3: Toni's Apartment	Scene 7: Dr. Julian Winston's Office
Scene 4: Dr. Julian Winston's Office	Scene 8: A Small Night Club

Intermission

ACT II

Scene 1: Dr. Julian Winston's Office	Scene 5: Dr. Julian Winston's Office
Scene 2: The L.P. Record Shop	Scene 6: Toni's Apartment
Scene 3: Dr. Julian Winston's Office	Scene 7: Dr. Julian Winston's Office
Scene 4: A Small Night Club	

CHILDREN'S THEATRE

The Strolling Players present . . .

PUSS IN BOOTS AND OTHER FABLES - July 5-6-7, July 11-12-13 at 1:30 p.m. (performance time one hour). A collection of fairy tales and fables performed by our "strolling players." Admission is \$1.25 for children, \$1.50 for adults.

RESTROOMS, TELEPHONES AND DRINKING FOUNTAIN
ARE LOCATED BEHIND THE MAIN ENTRANCE LOBBY.

ROUSH

The Stores With "Personalized" Service

- ROUSH HARDWARE
- ROUSH SPORTING GOODS
- ROUSHONDA

WESTERVILLE SHOPPING CENTER



30 EAST COLLEGE
WESTERVILLE, OHIO 43081
PHONE 882-0351

For any insurance need
call:

PAUL MEREDITH
MAX TULLIS

**JENNINGS-
MEREDITH-
TULLIS, INC.**
insurance
SIXTEEN WEST COLLEGE AVENUE • WESTERVILLE, OHIO 43081
882-2427 882-6449

PRODUCTION CREWS

Stage Manager JIM SCHILLING
Assistant to the Director CLAUDIA STEFANY
Costumes CHRIS MARKLEY
Scenery SCOTT DILLON (Master Carpenter), DENISE DANKHOFF,
JOHN TENER, GENA ZELAZNY, SANDY MARTIN
Lights COMPANY
Props CARLTON RITENOUR (Property Master)
Box Office TAMMY PERAKIS

NEXT PRODUCTION

THE BOYFRIEND – Wed.-Sat., June 27-28-29-30, July 5-6-7, 8:30 p.m.

Director – CHARLES W. DODRILL

A revival of this witty and musical comedy spoof of the 1920's that won the Theatre an Overseas Tour to entertain American soldiers in 1964. A tuneful and affectionate valentine to the innocence and wild abandonment of the Charleston, Black Bottom, hip flasks and short skirts. Hit songs (Julie Andrews' first big hit) include "Won't You Charleston With Me?" and "It's Never Too Late to Fall in Love."

BELFORD GOOD YEAR

WESTERVILLE SQUARE
891-0910

HEATING &
COOLING

RAY
ZIEGLER

471-6446
Residence: 882-8446

CO.

SERVICE – SALES – INSTALLATION
GAS – ELECTRIC – AIR CONDITIONING

COMPLIMENTS OF -



DOLLAR SAVINGS

ASSOCIATION OF COLUMBUS

579 SOUTH STATE STREET, WESTERVILLE, OHIO 43081

WESTERVILLE PHARMACY

Prescription Specialists
882-3627

*In the Westerville Shopping Center
next to Roush Hardware*



PORTRAITS, WEDDINGS, PASSPORTS

17 N. Knox St., Westerville, Ohio 43081

Phone: (614) 882-1842

WESTERVILLE

CENTER

Sewing



10 N. STATE ST.
WESTERVILLE, OHIO 43081
882-4926



PITTSBURGH PAINTS
LUMBER &
MILLWORK

McVAY

LUMBER CO.

Complete Remodeling Service

185 County Line Road

882-2144

ROFINI'S PIZZA

Sun. - Thurs 4:30 P.M. - 12
Fri. - Sat. 4:30 P.M. - 1 A.M.

PIZZAS — SUBS — SALADS

882-9090

10 Westerville Square

HILL FUNERAL HOME

220 South State

882-2121



HAROLD J. WEINGARTNER
Store Manager

Firestone

ask a friend
about
Firestone

Firestone Stores
777 So. State St.
Westerville, Ohio 43081

Phone: 882-3690



DAIRY PRODUCTS
882-3631

**WESTERVILLE
CREAMERY**

**CALICO
CUPBOARD**

Country Crafts and Gifts

24 NORTH STATE STREET
WESTERVILLE

Mon.-Fri. - 9:30 a.m.-10 p.m.
Sat. - 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
Sun. - 12 n.-5 p.m.



the Needleworks

Yarns, Needle art supplies
Classes in Needle art

Mon. thru Sat. - 10-5:30

14 NORTH STATE ST.
WESTERVILLE, OHIO
614-882-9604

**WESTERVILLE
HARDWARE CO.**

"Merchandise That Satisfies"

882-2166

College and State Streets
Westerville, Ohio

PRESCRIPTIONS



23 N. State St.

Phone 882-2392

Agency for Russell Stover Candies

THE *final touch*

14 N. State Street in the Alley Shops
Westerville, Ohio 43081

FINE WALL COVERINGS
DECORATING ACCESSORIES

(614) 882-7550

The
**HAYLOFT
GALLERY**

Collectors' Prints Custom Framing

14 N. State St., Westerville, 882-3114



DO
YOU
KNOW
US?

HUB FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Serving Columbus for more than 50 years and now serving Westerville at the intersection of Cleveland Avenue and Main Street.

Featuring Federally insured savings, paying interest at the highest rates allowed by law, and dedicated to home ownership.

882-1100

SUMMER THEATRE COMPANY

KENT BLOCHER, a third season Otterbein graduate from Trotwood, highlighted his senior year with an internship with Actor's Theatre of Louisville, and roles in *The Merchant of Venice* and *How the Other Half Loves*. Kent will pursue his acting career at Trotwood Circle Theatre in the fall.

D. SCOTT DILLON will spend his second season with OST juggling the responsibilities of Designer, Master Carpenter and Actor. Last year Scott won the Student Designer Award for his *Vanities* set, and now looks forward to his internship with Arena Stage in the fall.

JOHN EBNER, an Otterbein senior, joins our company for his first time. You might remember John for his comic portrayals of Frank in *How the Other Half Loves* and the foppish suitor in *Merchant of Venice*. John will intern at the Cleveland Playhouse in the fall.

CINDY KACZMAREK spent last summer working with The Great Lakes Shakespeare Festival in Cleveland, and has chosen to spend this summer with OST. Cindy's final year at Otterbein was highlighted by her performances in *The Merchant of Venice* and *Brigadoon*.

CHRIS MARKLEY is an Otterbein graduate and a native of Columbus. Chris worked as Costume designer last summer for The Lancaster Summer Theatre. She designed costumes for our winter production of *Vanities* and will design costumes for *The Boyfriend*, *Hay Fever*, and *Harvey* this summer.

KEN MARKS, a junior from Northwestern University, makes his first appearance on our summer stage. His most recent acting credits include Antipholous of Syracuse in *Comedy of Errors* and Kit Carson in *The Time of Your Life*.

KELLY MAURER, a native of Springfield and a junior from Otterbein, may be remembered for her performance as Mary in *Vanities*. Kelly served as Dance Mistress for *Brigadoon*, and brings extensive training as a dancer and actress to her second season with OST.

KAREN RADCLIFFE, easily remembered for her portrayals of Hedda Gabler, Portia in *The Merchant of Venice* and Fiona in *How the Other Half Loves*, returns for her third season at OST. Karen is a senior at Otterbein and looks forward to an internship with The Actor's Theatre of Louisville in the fall.



TED'S T.V.

SALES AND SERVICE

Your local Zenith dealer.
We service what we sell

59 S. STATE ST.
882-2206



EVE'S EDEN



CLOTHES SAMPLER

4445 No. High (rear)
1½ blks. n. of Henderson
Columbus

CLOTHES FOR ANY
OCCASION - AND
SPECIAL PRICES TOO.

Tu-Sa 10-5:30 Fri 10-8
262-0414

CARLTON RITENOUR designed costumes this year for Otterbein's productions of *How the Other Half Loves* and *Dido and Aeneas*. Carl is a senior at Otterbein and will spend his second season at OST as Property Master, and looks forward to his internship at Arena Stage this fall.

JAMES SCHILLING, you may remember from his delightful characterizations of Lancelot Gobbo in *Merchant of Venice* and William Featherstone in *How the Other Half Loves*. Jim graduated this past spring after spending the winter as an intern at Actor's Theatre.

CLAUDIA STEFANY comes to OST for the first time from Baldwin-Wallace College. Her most recent acting credentials include *The Thurber Carnival* and *The Madwoman of Chaillot*. Claudia looks forward to her senior year at BW, as she has been selected by the college to direct the mainstage production of *Years Ago in the Fall*.

RICHARD TATGENHORST, an Otterbein junior from Cincinnati, appears for his first time on the OST stage. Rich is easily remembered for his golden toned portrayal of Tommy in Otterbein's production of *Brigadoon*.

LINDA BRACILANO appeared in Otterbein workshop productions of *Shadowbox* and *Chamber Music*. Linda joins OST for her first summer and is an Otterbein sophomore from Columbus.

DENISE DANKHOFF will attend Otterbein in the fall as an incoming freshman Theatre Major. Denise is a recent graduate of Medina Senior High School.

SANDY MARTIN may be remembered from her performance as Kathy in *Vanities* and performed as a singer in *Brigadoon*. Sandy is an Otterbein junior from Massillon.

TAMMY PERAKIS is a native of Westerville, who joins the OST company for her first season as Box Office Supervisor. Tammy appeared in *Brigadoon* and hopes to spend her junior year at Otterbein furthering her training in Opera Theatre.

JOHN TENER is an Otterbein sophomore from Pickerington. John appeared last year in *The Merchant of Venice* and the workshop production of *Veronica's Room*.

GENA ZELAZNY highlighted her sophomore year with performances in *Brigadoon* and *Opus Zero* (professional singing group). Gena is an Otterbein junior from Independence, Ohio, and is a newcomer to the OST company.

275 Guest Rooms
Excellent Banquet, Meeting &
Convention Facilities • Free Parking
Miniature Golf Course • Game Room
Nightly Entertainment • Game Room
Indoor, Outdoor and Childrens Pool



CARROUSEL INN

4900 SINCLAIR RD - COLUMBUS OHIO
Call 846-0300 for Reservations