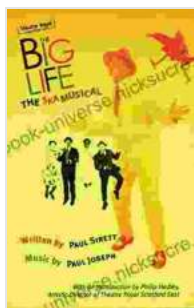


The Ska Musical Oberon Modern Plays: A Captivating Fusion of Shakespeare and Jamaican Rhythms

Prepare to be transported to a realm where Shakespearean wit meets the infectious beats of Jamaican ska in The Ska Musical Oberon Modern Plays. This groundbreaking production is a vibrant and captivating fusion of genres, breathing new life into the classic comedy, A Midsummer Night's Dream.



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The Ska Musical Oberon Modern Plays is the brainchild of artistic director Laurie Slade, who envisioned a unique and unforgettable theatrical experience. The production seamlessly blends the timeless language of Shakespeare with the infectious rhythms of ska music, creating a captivating and immersive atmosphere.

A Midsummer Night's Dream with a Ska Twist

The story of The Ska Musical Oberon Modern Plays follows the familiar plot of Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream, with a few delightful twists and turns. The setting is transformed into a vibrant Jamaican community, where the characters navigate their romantic entanglements amidst the irresistible rhythms of ska.

The production cleverly incorporates Shakespeare's original text into the ska-infused narrative, delivering the Bard's wit and wisdom through a fresh and contemporary lens. The result is a theatrical experience that is both accessible and engaging, appealing to both Shakespeare enthusiasts and lovers of modern music.

A Stellar Cast of Vocal Powerhouses

The Ska Musical Oberon Modern Plays boasts a stellar cast of talented actors and musicians who bring the characters to life with incredible vocal performances. The cast effortlessly transitions between the lyrical intricacies of Shakespeare's language and the infectious rhythms of ska, creating a truly immersive experience.

Leading the cast is Sharon D. Clarke as Titania, the Queen of the Fairies. Clarke's powerful vocals and commanding stage presence captivate the audience, while her portrayal of Titania's journey of self-discovery is both poignant and humorous.

Other notable cast members include:

- Ashley Zhangazha as Oberon, King of the Fairies
- Michael Salami as Demetrius

- Olivia Williams as Helena
- Natalie Simpson as Hermia

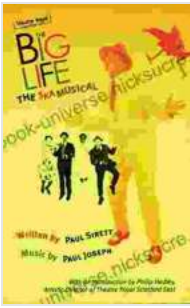
An Unforgettable Musical Journey

Music is the lifeblood of The Ska Musical Oberon Modern Plays, and the production's score is an unforgettable fusion of traditional ska rhythms and contemporary musical influences. The talented musicians create a vibrant and infectious soundscape that transports the audience to the heart of Jamaica.

The musical arrangements are nothing short of brilliant, seamlessly blending the familiar melodies of Shakespearean verse with the lively rhythms of ska. The result is a score that is both captivating and memorable, leaving the audience humming the tunes long after the curtain falls.

The Ska Musical Oberon Modern Plays is a groundbreaking fusion of genres that creates a truly captivating theatrical experience. The production's unique blend of Shakespearean wit and Jamaican rhythms, stellar cast of vocal powerhouses, and unforgettable musical score combine to deliver a performance that is both entertaining and thought-provoking.

Whether you are a fan of Shakespeare, ska music, or simply appreciate innovative and captivating theater, The Ska Musical Oberon Modern Plays is an absolute must-see. Prepare to be transported to a realm of enchantment, where the words of the Bard dance to the infectious rhythms of Jamaica.

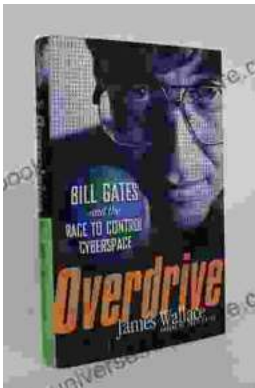


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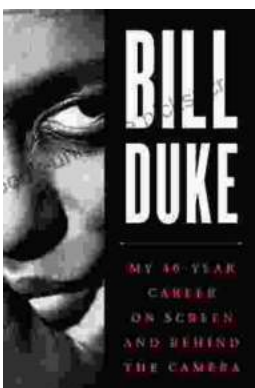
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