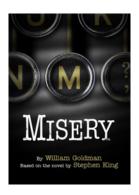


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By William Goldman
Based on the novel by Stephen King
Director: Zach Bey
Assistant Director: Melinda Hardin

Production Dates: September 16 & 17 at 7:30 PM September 18 at 2:00 PM September 22, 23, & 24 at 7:30 PM

*Misery* follows successful romance novelist Paul Sheldon, who is rescued from a car crash by his "number one fan," Annie Wilkes, and wakes up captive in her secluded home. While Paul is convalescing, Annie reads his latest book and becomes enraged when she discovers the author has killed off her favorite character, Misery Chastain. Annie forces Paul to write a new Misery novel, and he quickly realizes Annie has no intention of letting him go anywhere. The irate Annie has Paul writing as if his life depends on it, and it does.

Benefactor, patron, season, and general admission are available starting Monday, September 12. Tickets are \$12.00 for adults. The box office will be staffed on weekdays from 12:00 - 1:00 pm and 6:30-7:30 pm, and one hour before each show. You are welcome to leave a message on the answering machine with your ticket request and the staff will reserve your tickets and call you back with confirmation. Production note: Adult Themes and Language

## Congratulation to the Unscene Hero Awards

This award is voted on by the directors and cast for individuals who shine and assist behind the scenes with their talents

NCT Children's Workshop – 2021 - Adena Segar, Brooke Watson

NCT Box Office – 2021 - Sharon Jolley, Kim McQuinn, Mary Thompson

<u>110 Stories – 2021</u> - Michael Garrison, Pam Ratliff, Andy Malsom

<u>All Together Now – 2021</u> - Cindy Healy, Bill Goodman, Greta Wallace

<u>The Sounds of Christmas – 2021</u> - Jan Lewis, Kate Fudge, Barbara Wilcox, Tim Blount

<u>Alibis – 2022</u> - Tim Blount, Austin Brown, Erin Hilker



Originally Presented By Radio City Entertainment At The Theater At Madison Square Garden

Music by Alan Menken
Lyrics by Lynn Ahrens
Book by Mike Ockrent and Lynn Ahrens
Based on the story by Charles Dickens
Directed by Suzanne Von Seggern,
Carolyn Warridk

**Production:** December 2, 3, 4, 9, 10 & 11,

Broadway heavy hitters, Alan Menken (*Newsies, Disney's Beauty and the Beast, Disney's The Little Mermaid, Disney's Aladdin, Little Shop of Horrors* and *Galavant*) and Lynn Ahrens (*Ragtime, Seussical, Anastasia,* and *School House Rock*), breathe fantastic new life into the classic tale of A Christmas Carol, an adaptation of Charles Dickens's most well-known story.

Ebenezer Scrooge is a prosperous curmudgeon who believes that personal wealth is far more valuable than the happiness and comfort of others. With an infuriated "Bah! Humbug!" Scrooge summates his feelings of Christmas tidings and charitable giving, but he's forced to face his selfish ways when three ghosts on Christmas Eve lead him through his Past, Present, and Future. Thanks to their guidance, Scrooge recognizes his faults and greets Christmas morning with a cheerful "Happy Christmas" before spending the day reconnecting and sharing love with those that mean the most to him.