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About Plaza Suite

Hilarity abounds in this portrait of three couples successively occupying a suite at The Plaza. A suburban couple take the suite while their house is being painted and it turns out to be the one in which they honeymooned 23 (or was it 24?) years before and was yesterday the anniversary, or is it today? This wry tale of marriage in tatters is followed by the exploits of a Hollywood producer who, after three marriages, is looking for fresh fields. He calls a childhood sweetheart, now a suburban housewife, for a little sexual diversion. Over the years she has idolized him from afar and is now more than the match he bargained for. The last couple is a mother and father fighting about the best way to get their daughter out of the bathroom and down to the ballroom where guests wait her or as Mother yells, "I want you to come out of that bathroom and get married!"

Written by Neil Simon

American playwright and screenwriter **Neil Simon** (1927-2018) is widely regarded as one of the most successful, prolific and performed playwrights in theatre history. In addition to *Lost In Yonkers*, which won a Tony Award and Pulitzer Prize, his plays and musicals include *Come Blow Your Horn*, *Little Me*, *Barefoot in the Park*, *The Odd Couple*, *Sweet Charity*, *The Star-Spangled Girl*, *Plaza Suite*, *Promises, Promises*, *Last of the Red Hot Lovers*, *The Gingerbread Lady*, *The Prisoner of Second Avenue*, *The Sunshine Boys*, *The Good Doctor*, *God's Favorite*, *California Suite*, *Chapter Two*, *They're Playing Our Song*, *I Ought to be in Pictures*, *Fools*, *Brighton Beach Memoirs*, *Biloxi Blues*, *The Odd Couple* (female version), *Broadway Bound*, *Rumors*, *Jake's Women*, *The Goodbye Girl*, *Laughter on the 23rd Floor*, *London Suite*, *Proposals*, *Hotel Suite*, *The Dinner Party*, *45 Seconds from Broadway*, *Oscar and Felix*, and *Rose's Dilemma*.



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Audition Information

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16th at 2:30 PM
MONDAY, AUGUST 17th at 6 PM

Auditions will consist of cold reading from the script.

Show Dates

OCTOBER 3 & 4 - 7:00 p.m.
OCTOBER 10 & 11 - 2:30 p.m.

Character Breakdown

Karen Nash: A witty, down-to-earth 48-year-old wife who hopes to revive her flagging marriage by staying in the same suite where they honeymooned.

Sam Nash: A trim, well-tailored 50-year-old workaholic who is in denial about his age and having an affair.

Jean McCormack: Sam's bright, cheerful, and efficient 28-year-old secretary and mistress.

Jesse Kiplinger: A suave, slick, 40-year-old Hollywood producer chasing a quick romantic reunion.

Muriel Tate: A starstruck, naive suburban housewife and childhood sweetheart of Jesse who is easily dazzled by celebrity culture.



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Roy Hubley: A frantic, exasperated father of the bride who does not know how to handle a family crisis.

Norma Hubley: Roy's sharp-tongued wife and the mother of the bride, balancing panic with sharp wit.

Mimsey Hubley: Their terrified 20-year-old daughter who locks herself in the bathroom on her wedding day.

Borden Eisler: The calm, confident young groom.

Bellhop: Eager-to-please hotel staff.

Waiter: Room service attendant.